

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of February 16 - 23, 2020

Communed: Dolly Powers

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday: 5 PM – Brad Essington

Sunday: 9 AM – Gary Hyer and Stan Yelton

Communion Assistants next week:

Saturday: 5 PM – Bill Haire

Sunday: 9 AM – Chris Knapp and Nathan Hoebing

Ushers: Saturday: 5 PM – Dennis Baker

Sunday: 9 AM – Larry Ehmen, Brad Ehmen,
Jeff Wolfmeyer, Randy Wolfmeyer, Clayton Hibbert

Greeters: Sunday: 9 AM

East – Laurie Bronson and Michele Urbon

West – Sandy Callahan and Gretchen Wolfmeyer

Altar Care: Kathy & Gary Hyer, Michele Clevenger,
Renee Benedetto, Mary-Ann & Steve Hyer

Birthdays This Week

- 16 Darren Fink
- 16 Annalisa Thewis
- 16 Conall Wolfmeyer
- 17 Isabelle Hillerts
- 17 Ryne Lubben
- 17 Kim Pracht
- 19 Amy Buss
- 19 Kenny Wiesemann
- 21 Jason Klauser
- 21 Marty Otto

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 16 Randy Ellerbrock
- 16 John Go
- 17 Cameron McDowell
- 18 Billy Hindbough
- 20 Bennie Hines Jr.
- 21 Charles Bowles
- 22 Ellie Bowles

Scrip Inventory Highlights: Headed to any of the following spots for a bite to eat? We currently have some gift cards in stock for Applebee's (\$25), Golden Corral (\$25), IHOP (\$10, \$25), and Steak 'n Shake (\$10). We also have some cards for Claire's (\$10), Target (\$10), and Bath & Body Works (\$10). Stop by the scrip table for these cards and many others!

Week ending:	26-Jan	2-Feb	9-Feb
Profit:	\$135.25	\$80.51	\$109.27
# orders:	19	13	14
Avg Profit/order:	\$7.12	\$6.19	\$7.81
Overall Profit:	\$400.42	\$480.93	\$590.21

Come and Join us for Bible Bowl Sunday,

March 1st in the old Chapel during the Sunday School hour. It will be a review of the lessons we've studied from December 1 – February 23.

St. James School 7th & 8th Grade Marine Lab Trip Fundraisers for February:

Thursday, February 20 -Papa John's—all day w/flyer

Sunday, February 23 - Bake sale at the Lutheran Church of St. John

Thursday, February 27 - Culver's - from 4 to 8, no flyer needed. We receive 10% of sales from drive thru & in store purchases.

Camp CILCA 2020 Summer Camp registration open! Give the gift of camp to someone you love.

Christ Lutheran Church in Normal will be hosting the Concordia St. Paul Band on **Sunday, March 1st**, at the 10:45am service. Please, join us.

Lenten Meal Schedule so far is:

February 26 LWML

March 4 Youth Group

March 11 Youth Group

March 18 St. James School Marine Lab Trip

March 25 St. James School Marine Lab Trip

April 1 Open

If your group would like to host the April 1 meal, please let the church office know.

The Men's Club of Holy Cross Lutheran

Church in Golden, IL invites the men of our congregation to their annual Soup Supper on **February 20th, at 6 PM** in the church basement.

They will serve Oyster and Chili Soups. Please RSVP approx. number attending to Robert Heinecke at 217-430-4835 by February 17th.

Join us at LCoSJ on April 18 from 9 am-3 pm

as guest speaker, Jill Savage helps us accept the imperfect and embrace real life! This event is certain to touch your heart and leave you encouraged and inspired! Jill is an author and speaker who is passionate about relationships. Lunch will be provided. Visit <http://www.lcosj.org/home> to register! Seating is limited. For more information please contact Erica Perry-Broekemeier, Director of Mission Outreach, Lutheran Church of St. John.

American Heritage Girls IL 2014 Troop would like to share the good news and extend a very warm thank you to everyone who donated to their project and the Sunday School tree at Our Redeemer. The items donated are going to Quincy Public Schools to help keep children warm this winter and to meet some basic needs. Not only did people fill the tree and box, but with donated funds, some of the girls and their parents shopped the sales and this is the result. Also offerings from Sunday School were used to help purchase additional items!

Gathered were a few toiletry items, shampoo, soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste and sanitizer
Coats 13
Mittens and Gloves 24 pair
Hats 41
Socks 49 pair
Underwear 54
Shoes 9 pair
Sweatpants 19
Shirts 42

I believe Cyndi Ott who serves as the nurse at the Early Childhood Center and helps distribute the items to the schools, said it best. "I am speechless. The outpouring of generosity is so loving. We picked up the items this evening and filled up the entire back of our jeep. The warm hearts that donated, planned, and shopped will keep our children warm at school. Thank you!!!!!!!!!" May God Bless You All Richly,

Donna Haire

Open Hands Food Pantry at St. John's is searching for volunteers to help our pantry run smoothly! We need people to help take patrons through the pantry, help stock shelves and portion items. Please consider giving your time to help this ministry that supports so many. We are also in need of personal care products and baby diapers. These items are rarely donated and a significant expense to those already having trouble financially.

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, ILLINOIS

217-222-8267

YOU'RE INVITED to join us in worship **Wednesday mornings from 8:45 – 9:15 am**. Every trimester our offerings are designated to a nonprofit. This trimester our offerings are going to help support the St. John Food Pantry.

THE DOT FOOD \$5000 CHALLENGE GRANT has been met! We will now receive an additional \$10,000 to help enhance our technology structure at St. James. Thank you DOT Foods for this remarkable opportunity and to all who helped reach this goal.

SPRING FLING - Join us for the 16th Annual Spring Fling Dinner and Auction **Saturday, March 7th at 5:00 pm** at the Senior Center!! This year's theme is **Old Hollywood**. Dressing up is not required, but definitely encouraged. Mark your calendars now so as not to miss this tremendous event.

BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION – We received a check for \$353.70 which helps fund our school library. Thank you and keep saving those labels!

EAGLE VISION EVERYONE deserves our respect **ACT** with kindness **GOD'S LOVE** is our greatest strength **LOVE** one another **EVERY DAY** live for Jesus **SHOW OTHERS** we are Christian

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, February 16:

Epiphany 6

9:00 AM Holy Communion

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School

Monday, February 17:

President's Day (St James No School)

7:00 PM PLuS Meeting

Tuesday, February 18:

1:30 PM Holy Communion at Good Samaritan Home

7:00 PM Senior Choir

Wednesday, February 19:

8:45 AM Chapel at St. James School

1:00 PM Bible Study

4:15 PM Youth Choir

5:00 PM Confirmation (until 6:00 PM)

6:00 PM Elders' Meeting

7:00 PM Church Council

Thursday, February 20:

Papa John's Night

6:45 AM Bible Study at the Coach House

4:00 PM **Newsletter Deadline**

6:00 PM Holy Cross Men's Club Soup Supper

Friday, February 21:

11:00 AM Bulletin Crew

Saturday, February 22:

10:00 AM **American Heritage Girls Meeting**

5:00 PM Holy Communion

Sunday, February 23:

Transfiguration Sunday

Bake Sale at LCoSJ (K-8 Sing at 10:30 AM service)

9:00 AM Holy Communion

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School

11:15 AM - 1 PM Teens Pizza & Paint Party

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	February 9, 2020	Offerings	February 9, 2020
Saturday 5:00 PM	63	Needed Each Month	\$25,626.85
Sunday 9:00 AM	96	Received Last Month	\$25,057.56
Total Attendance	159	Received This Month	11,781.76
Holy Communion	134	Needed This Year	\$307,521.00
Adult Bible Class	29	Received This Year	\$36,837.32
		Received This Week	\$4,757.25

Upcoming Events

February 26: "Misjudging Eyes" Ash Wednesday Worship 7 PM *meal served by LWML at 5:45 PM*

March 1: Bible Bowl Sunday at ORLC

March 19: *Papa John's Night (present flyer)*

March 21: *Mobile Food Pantry at Lampe Hi-Rise*

March 29: Confirmation Questioning & New Member Dinner

April 4: *Applebee's Pancake Breakfast Youth Group Fundraiser 8-10 AM*

April 5: Confirmation and Palm Sunday

April 16: *Papa John's Night (present flyer)*

April 19: *Horizons Meal*

May 17: Armed Forces Sunday

May 21: *Papa John's Night (present flyer)*

September 20: *Church Picnic 4 PM*

July 9-13, 2022: *National Youth Gathering in Houston, TX*

Save the Date, March 7 for the Annual CID LLL Meeting to be held at Christ Lutheran, Normal, IL.

Rev. Gregory Seltz, past speaker of the Lutheran Hour will be speaking on the work of the LCRL through his talk, "Two Kingdoms - One Mission". Flyer in today's bulletin. If you want a registration form, please contact Gretchen 217-222-1769

Did you recently have someone or a new family move to your neighborhood? The Evangelism Committee has a Welcome basket that you can give them while introducing yourself and inviting them to our church. Baskets are downstairs on the table as you enter the basement.

Contemplate March 5-7, 2020: St. Louis Seminary for college-age or older potential students provides an opportunity to learn more about life at the seminary & the preparation that leads to LCMS service.

Camp CILCA Woodcutters' Retreat is coming up **February 28-29**. Men, bring your ax, chainsaw, log splitter, and work gloves to cut, split, and stack firewood. Bring your Bible to dig into the Sermon on the Mount. A donation of \$30 will cover lodging in the Christian Growth Center's hotel-style rooms, snacks, and 3 meals. Check-in is 7pm Friday. We will be done by 6pm Saturday. Contact the camp office at 217-487-7497 or camp@cilca.org to register.

KFUO Radio, a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUO.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: **@KFUOradio** on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).

*For the week of **February 16:*** This week on KFUO.org, hear about mental health care for pastors on Mental Health Monday with Deaconess Heidi Goehmann and Rev. Robert Zagore (**2/17 at 9:00 a.m.** CT), continue studying the Gospel of Matthew on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and dig into a curious theological topic on Cross Defense with Rev. Bryan Wolfmueller (**2/17 at 3:00 p.m.** CT). Find these programs on demand at kfuo.org or wherever you get your podcasts!

*For the week of **February 23:*** This week on KFUO.org, hear Ash Wednesday worship service from Peace Lutheran Barracksview on **2/26 at 11:00 a.m.** CT, begin studying the book of Zechariah on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), and hear comforting Gospel words on Moments of Assurance (weekdays at 12:00 p.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org.

Concordia Seminary's choir of seminarians, *Laudamus*, will tour this spring before holding a homecoming performance in St. Louis. Please join us at this performance close to you: **Sunday, March 22, 4 p.m.** concert at Hope Evangelical Lutheran Church in St. Louis, MO. This concert is free and open to the public. Freewill offerings can be given to support the music arts programs at the Seminary.

2020 Illinois Essay Contest by Lutherans For Life **for students in Grades 6 through 12**. Any Lutheran student may enter. Entries should be submitted digitally using Microsoft Word via email to cathy.benning.os@gmail.com by **April 1, 2020**. There will be a \$100 first place award and \$50 second place award. Grand Prize for the national winning entry at each level: \$250 plus free conference registration to a 2020 Regional Conference and one night stay at the conference hotel. For topics and more details see the form on the Narthex table.

Beta Sigma Psi - Alpha Chapter offers a \$1,500 scholarship given out to a Lutheran male freshman attending the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in Fall 2020. Digital application forms may be found online at: <https://www.betasigmapsi.org/scholarships-for-high-school-students>. The application is due by **March 20th** at 11:59 PM. Additional applicants may be eligible for \$500 scholarship awards. There is no obligation to join Beta Sigma Psi or be related to a member of the fraternity to receive this award. If you have any questions please email UIUCscholarship@betasigmapsi.org

PORTIONING BAGS COLLECTION & PAPER PRODUCTS for the Lutheran Church of St John Food Pantry. A Thrivent Action Team has formed to collect ziplock plastic bags for portioning bulk frozen and dry items for the Food Pantry. If you would like to donate quart size storage bags, you can place them in the our church office with a note so we can send them on. They also need Styrofoam cups (6-8 oz), coffee, sugar, and creamer to be used by Food Pantry patrons. Volunteers will be able to offer a cup of warm coffee which provides a relaxed opportunity to share the Gospel or take prayer requests. Our food pantry serves over 1,000 individuals (including children) each month.

Food Pantry needs diapers! Here is a deal for diapers with a clickable coupon for \$10 off. The bundle includes diapers and wipes. Many sizes are available and needed!
https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07ZM4P25B/ref=as_li_ss_tl?ie=UTF8&fbclid=IwAR15HPpJeGwHVKrUa6ADq2afCgPnQY5FnOJEmyJmOrrFEc8-cuQHecPbFEc&th=1&linkCode=sl1&tag=fabyoulessf0d-20&linkId=48a3c32c9fd276262cbcb9f9176d0fae&language=en_US&psc=1

2020 Guatemala Mission Team You are invited to consider joining with the Lutheran Church of St. John as they send a mission team for a week of service in Guatemala. While in country you will help lead a daily Bible lesson for children, visit with people in their homes and support the work of the missionaries from Groundwork Guatemala. The trip includes a day of sightseeing in the colonial city of Antigua. No experience is necessary. This trip is a wonderful opportunity to experience mission work in another country and often a life-changing experience. The trip will be from **September 26-October 4, 2020** with monthly team meetings starting **March 9**. If you would like more information or are interested in going on the trip contact Pastor Steve at the Lutheran Church of St. John 222-8579 or pastor@lcosj.org