

# Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus  
For the week of March 27 – April 3, 2022

## Birthdays This Week

- 27 Jerry Manton
- 28 Evita Helm
- 30 Aubrey Stark
- 31 Arjee Weisheit
- 1 Chris Allen
- 2 Emma Showman

## Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 27 Matt Wepler
- 28 Ella Ehmen
- 28 Anthony Blickhan
- 28 Rod Hibbert
- 29 Bonnie Hallerberg
- 31 Jane Howlett
- 1 Tina Vaughn
- 1 Christina Kaltenbach
- 1 R.P. Schaller
- 2 Kaiden Weisheit

## Anniversaries This Week:

- 28 Al and Missy Ebel 44 years
- 3 Eric and Stacy Fischer 25 years
- 3 Mark and Nerissa Vahle 10 years

## Scrip Update:

Week ending:	6-Mar	8-Mar	20-Mar
Profit:	\$132.51	\$139.50	\$121.57
# orders:	18	3	18
Profit/Order:	\$7.36	\$46.50	\$6.75
Overall Profit:	<b>\$713.96</b>	<b>\$853.46</b>	<b>\$975.03</b>

So far this year, online usage of the ShopwithScrip (*RaiseRight app*) has earned a total of \$139.50. If you are interested in buying e-gift cards using your bank account, you can sign up through the RAISE RIGHT app using our unique code: **2A5C88A124398**

**Sunday School Teacher Needed** for 1st to 4th grade teacher. Please help if you can!

**Sunday School Offerings** for March will be used for items for donation to Quanada to help serve their clients.

**Christian Easter Cards** are on the card rack!

**Help the ORLC Youth Group raise funds to attend the National Youth Gathering** by directing your **Thrivent Choice Dollars to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church**. Call the church secretary to designate those dollars to the Youth Group.

Future **NYG meetings: April 9** – Support St. John's 5K Walk; **May 15, 6:30 PM** at LCoSJ for youth and their parents; **June 5, 6:30 PM** at LCoSJ; **June 26, 9:00 AM** – Commissioning Service at ORLC, **6:00 PM** at LCoSJ for youth and their parents.

The **ORLC youth in grades 6, 7 & 8** are invited to fellowship with the youth of St. John's at their church on **Apr. 13** and **May 11 from 6:30 to 8:00**. Bring a friend and have a fun time. For more info call Jamie Louderback 217-430-4760.

**Lenten Meals on Wednesdays from 5:45 to 6:30 PM** "For A Donation" (*All are welcome to come and eat.*) By Friends of ORLC Youth Group. Please Sign-up in Narthex. All proceeds go to help fund ORLC Youth going to the LCMS National Youth Gathering this July. \$14,200 is the estimated cost of the trip for youth and chaperones.

**Thank you** to all who helped with our **Holy Land** display for Lent. The picture boards will change every week, so please stop by to see something new!

**Serving our Community:** Our next designated collection is for **Quanada** and the clients they serve. As some clients have limited access to food storage and ways to prep food, we are suggesting items that can be made with a microwave. **POP TOP LIDS are extremely helpful!** Collection through the end of March. Here are some ideas: Soups/Stews/Chili, Crackers, Oatmeal packets, Microwave ready rice, cereal/granola bars, canned meat (*chicken, etc.*), pouches of tuna, tuna/chicken salad kits, individual cups of fruit, packets of nuts/trail mix, pudding cups, Ready to eat meals

**Women's Conference** - No More Perfect - A Women's Conference will be held on **Saturday, April 2, 9:30am-3pm** in the LCoSJ Sanctuary. Our speaker, Jill Savage, will speak on the topic of "No More Perfect", Ecclesiastes 3:11 "He makes everything perfect in His time." The doors open at 9am. The cost is \$30 per person with lunch included. Previously purchased tickets are still valid. Go to <http://www.lcosj.org/i-am-grace-overflowing> to register. Honest. Vulnerable. Deep. These are just a few words people use to describe Jill and Mark Savage. Jill is an author and speaker who is passionate about relationships. Jill now speaks to thousands of men and women each year about their priorities, passion and their purpose. Their marriage and their family have experienced the highest of highs and the lowest of lows. Because of this, she cares deeply about people and helping them navigate the relationships that mean the most to them. Join us for a day of letting go of perfect! <https://lutheran-church-of-st-john.communio.org/womans-conference/>

**5K Fun Walk** - Join us for a 5k fun walk on the Klingner Trail along Cedar Creek on **Saturday, April 9th**. There will be fun questions along the trail and painted rocks for the kids to find. Each kid finds one rock and returns it at the end of the walk for a goodie bag. Vote for your favorite themed water stations along the trail. The Loop Route: Start and stop at Large shelter house near Bob Mays Park by north 18th street. Turning point is around is on the east side of 5th Street. Parking is available in the lots on the west and side of 18th street as well as along Koch's lane. Register at <https://lutheran-church-of-st-john.communio.org/FUN-RUN/> or at the church, or on the day of the Walk at Bob Mays Park shelter house. Entry fee will be \$20 per individual or \$30 per family.

**For the week of March 27:** on KFUE.org: Study Repentance in the Augsburg Confession Article XIII on Concord Matters (**4/2 at 10 AM**), study Luke 19-20 on Sharper Iron's "The Beloved Physician's Orderly Account" (*weekdays at 8 AM*), hear **Lenten Midweek Recital and Worship Service 3/30 at 11 AM**, and study *Psalm 129-131* and *Psalm 19-20* on Thy Strong Word (*weekdays at 11 AM*). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or on the KFUE Radio app.

**ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL** <https://www.stjamesquincyschool.org> 217-222-8267

Papa Murphy's fundraising night for St. James this coming **Monday, March 28<sup>th</sup>**. Participants may use the code **SCHOOL** when ordering online, or mention it at the counter when ordering.

Calling all St. James families **we have a CHALLENGE for you!** Let's have the largest participating ever in the Dogwood Parade. What better way to show off our wonderful school to the community. Dogwood weekend will be busy. **Friday night, May 6<sup>th</sup>**, will kick off festivities with a ribbon cutting and Block Party hosted by St. James. This annual event includes a fish fry, games, fun, and more! The community is invited to attend. **Saturday morning, May 7<sup>th</sup>, is the parade.** Generally, line up will be at 9:00am. Then Saturday afternoon we will be celebrating Mr. L with a retirement party, 3pm - 5pm in the cafeteria. This year's theme is "Celebrating Our Community Blessings", what a wonderful reminder.

The **2022-23 Academic calendar** was approved at the March Board of Education meeting. A copy of the calendar is being emailed via FastDirect to all families. Hard copies will be made available.

Lutheran Church of St. John is hosting a **5K Fun Walk**. Join us on **April 9<sup>th</sup>** in our 5k Fun Walk, great fun with your family and friends! Whether you do 1k or the whole 5k, come and enjoy a great day of walking or running with everyone! Sign up here, <https://lutheran-church-of-st-john.communio.org/FUN-RUN/>

Chapel offering that students bring this trimester will be going to **Orphan Grain Train**. Orphan Grain Train is a Christian volunteer network that ships donated food, clothing, medical and other needed items to people in 69 different countries including the USA. [www.ogt.org](http://www.ogt.org)

**St. James Fundraising days** at Papa John's 2nd Thursday of each month -**April 14, and May 12**. If you present a flyer when ordering, then St. James will receive 20% of the sales. *(You can even order online, and then bring the flyer when you pick up from the store.)*

### This Week at Our Redeemer

**Sunday, March 27:**

**Lent 4**

**9:00 AM Communion Worship Service** *Streamed online*

10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

**Monday, March 28:**

Order from Papa Murphy for St. James school - use code **School**

**Tuesday, March 29:**

9:15 AM Bible Study – *The Patriarchs*

3:30 PM Jr. High Scholastic Bowl

7:00 PM Choir

**Wednesday, March 30:**

10:00 AM Bible Study *Streamed online*

**11:30 AM Holy Communion**

5:00 PM Confirmation *until 6:00 PM*

5:45 to 6:30 PM Meal by friends of the Youth Group

**7:00 PM Lenten Service**

**Thursday, March 31:**

6:45 AM *Coach House Bible Study*

9:00 AM Quilters

**Friday, April 1:**

*CILCA Catechetical Retreat*

**Saturday, April 2:**

*CILCA Catechetical Retreat*

9:30am-3pm Women's Conference – in the LCoSJ Sanctuary

**5:00 PM Holy Communion**

**Sunday, April 3:**

**Lent 5**

**9:00 AM Communion Worship Service** *Streamed online*

10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

### Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	March 20, 2022
Saturday at 5:00 PM	40
Sunday at 9:00 AM	81
<b>Total Attendance</b>	121
Holy Communion	~121
<i>Wednesday Lent 3</i>	~50
Adult Bible Class	29
Sunday School	14

Offerings	March 20, 2022
Needed Each Month	\$30,620.01
Received Last Month	\$39,800.39
Received This Month	\$22,265.62
Needed This Year	\$367,440.01
Received This Year	\$82,468.28
Received This Week	\$7,323.00

### Upcoming Events:

May 4-7: ORLC Picture Directory Photos

May 7: *Retirement (open house) party for Mr. Landskroener 3pm -5pm*

May 16-17: *Spring Pastors Retreat at Camp CILCA*

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

September 18: *Church Picnic*

**LWML CID Convention - April 29<sup>th</sup> (Friday)** Servant Event- St. John's Lutheran Church – Chatham

**April 30<sup>th</sup> (Sat)** CID Convention – Our Savior's Lutheran Church- Springfield

**Thrivent** Chief Investment Officer David Royal and Thrivent Chief Investment Strategist Steve Lowe for an update on the markets and economy. You'll hear about: - The impact of geopolitical events on the markets and economy. - Our expectations on inflation and interest rates. - Insights on the energy sector. - Our view on investing during times of market volatility **Tuesday, March 29 at 11:30 AM** Register here for this online event: [https://thrivent.zoom.us/webinar/register/1116475333405/WN\\_7hUm2L2WQmi5Ej\\_2da7TeQ](https://thrivent.zoom.us/webinar/register/1116475333405/WN_7hUm2L2WQmi5Ej_2da7TeQ)

**Recycling ink cartridges** will benefit Our Savior Lutheran Church -- Magamaga in Uganda. Rev. Peter Maganda and the members of Our Savior are buying and distributing food to those in the area. Please help by:  
1. Either dropping off your used inkjet cartridges at church (where we will gather and then mail a combined

shipment to Planet Green,) **2. Mailing your used empty inkjet cartridges by following these steps;** Gather 4 or more ink cartridges. Retrieve **FREE USPS** label by using our Program ID Code **31683** at [planetgreenrecycle.com](http://planetgreenrecycle.com), print, and mail.

**Basic LERT Training** time! When: **May 21, 2022, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.** Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, 1201 West Jackson Street, Auburn, IL Cost: \$35 includes light breakfast, manual, lunch, t-shirt, and card How to register: Register on the LCMS-LERT website or follow this link: [https://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need\\_id=668961](https://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need_id=668961)

**Announcing the 2022 Central Illinois District LCMS Youth Bible Bowl topic: Romans and 1 Corinthians.** We heard requests for the Bible Bowl to cover Luther's *Small Catechism*. This year's topic is as close to that as it comes. St. Paul discusses the Ten Commandments, the doctrine of God, Christ's atonement, and the work of the Holy Spirit. Paul deals with the church and proclaims the forgiveness of sins (justification by faith), the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Baptism, the Lord's Supper, and the Office of the Keys are explained. And prayer is interspersed with these basic Christian doctrines. Date (**Spring 2022**) and location for the District Bible Bowl will be announced later. But now is the time to study these important epistles of the Bible with your youth and to talk within your circuit about holding a circuit Bible Bowl in preparation for the District Bible Bowl. Each circuit may send two teams to Springfield. For more information on how you can hold a Bible Bowl in your circuit, contact Pastor Mark Eddy at Zion Lutheran Church, Taylor Ridge, Ill. ([zionlcms@juno.com](mailto:zionlcms@juno.com))

**Lutherans For Life 2022 Illinois Essay Contest** For Students in Grades 6 through 12 Any student in a Lutheran school or church is eligible. Lutheran students may also enter through a home school or congregation, e.g. confirmation class or youth group, when validated by the pastor or teacher. Contest Guidelines Students will write a life-affirming essay based on the theme: **Blessed For Life with the Bible verse: "... the Lord protects him and keeps him alive; he is called blessed in the land; you do not give him up to the will of his enemies."** **Psalm 41:2.** (*Consider being blessed with the gift of life, blessed by God for one's entire life or blessed to be a blessing to others.*) There are monetary rewards for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> places. See Gretchen for a more detailed list of rules and requirements.

### **Lenten Services at Lutheran Church of St. John**

*Lenten Services March 30, 6:00 p.m. April 6, 6:00 p.m.*

*Maundy Thursday Service April 14, 6:00 p.m.\* Good Friday Service April 15, 6:00 p.m.*

*Easter Services April 17, 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.\* Breakfast served between services*

*\*Denotes Communion Services*

*We will be serving meals each Wednesday night from 5pm – 5:45pm, including Ash Wednesday, in our Family Life Center for a free-will donation. Main entrée list below:*

*March 30—Board of Evangelism: Walking Tacos*

*April 6—Board of Christian Caregiving: Sloppy Joe sandwiches*

*For the week of April 3: KFUE Radio*, a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUE.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at [kfue.org](http://kfue.org) and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: **@KFUEradio** on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/kfue), [Twitter](https://twitter.com/kfue), and [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/kfue). **CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE.org:** Hear Midweek Lenten Recital and Worship Service from Peace Lutheran in St. Louis on **4/6** at 11 AM, study Luke 20-22 on Sharper Iron's "The Beloved Physician's Orderly Account" (weekdays at 8 AM), and study Matthew 35-36 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 AM). Find your favorite programs live and on demand at [kfue.org](http://kfue.org) or on the KFUE Radio app!