

# St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church



## June 2017

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**Mission Statement:** We are called by God to be the light of the world. We are to go forth and show Jesus' love and forgiveness through loving care for all God's creation.

### Reflections Brunch

To assist us in updating our honoree guest list for our July 9, 2017 Reflection Sunday Brunch, please notify the church office if you know of anyone 80 years of age or older who is not on the following list.



Marlyn Alft, Jeanine Arneson, Joanne Behrend, Lee Bottensek, Flora Bottensek, Harriet Brandt, David Cook, Dorothy Cook, John Cook, Doreen Cook, Ronald Geiger, Grace Gilman, Robert Hanneman, Eva Helke, Jack Kester, Dick Kertis, Arlene Knoll, Lorin Lutz, Ray Monje, Laura Neinfeldt, Doris Oleson, Lester Rabska, Bernadyne Rosenthal, Gladys Sawaska, Helen Schoenick, Howard Schuldt, Karon Sharpe, Lois VerVoort, Dorothy Zimmerman. Thank you for your help.

### Kellner Area Rummage Sale

St. John Junk in the Trunk will be Saturday, June 3rd from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Come and enjoy the day with us. There will be food, junk and port-a-potty on site. Money is raised for various Church Boards. Thank you for all of your support.



### Thank You

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Pastor Ader and the congregation for the many prayers going out to Alex during this past year. We would also like to thank everyone who donated their time baking items and making the wonderful baskets for the benefit for Alex. Alex was truly grateful seeing all the donations coming from the church. Thank you to Mona Heindl for the updated calls and baked good deliveries to Wildhorse for the benefit. Thanks to Wendy Rosenthal for helping with the volunteer list for the kids games. It is truly amazing the support we have received from the entire congregation. Thanks again —The Family of Alex Dove



### Thank You Pastor Ader and St. John Congregation

I can't express enough gratitude for the prayers and kindness you have extended to me for actually many months now, but especially during this recent ordeal with my leg on top of a household move to Mosinee. It has been a scary and challenging process, with God continuing to be with me and my family. After many adjustments and patience, I am looking forward to walking again and being pain free. I am thankful that He has given me a passion for drawing as this will be my pastime for the next several months while recovering and awaiting an artificial limb.



Please know that Deb and I appreciate your words of encouragement and support during these recent trials. We will truly miss you all and will try to get back to St John often. May God continue to bless you. Jon Sandberg

Our new address is: 1184 Half Moon Lake Drive, Mosinee, WI 54455. Our Landline phone is 715-814-1212 and our cell phones remain the same.

**VISITS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!! Jon & Deb Sandberg**

### **Golf "Fore" Kids**

On Saturday, June 17th Immanuel Lutheran is having their 11th Annual Golf "Fore" Kids! At Bull's Eye Country Club.

Registration opens at 11:00 A.M. Noon Shotgun start. 5:00 P.M. Dinner & Festivities. Entry Fee: \$85.00 per player includes: 18 holes of golf, cart, dinner and range balls. It is a 4 person scramble. Dinner only with Festivities is \$22.00. Registration forms are available at Immanuel Lutheran School. Registration deadline is June 12th.



### **Bethesda Thrift Shop**

The Bethesda Thrift Shop is doing well and will remain in the Rapids Mall. In June we will have orange-tagged clothing & shoes on various discounts. In addition, 2-3 day special sales will be held on various items in the store. On June 23-24 almost everything in the store will be 50% off. Senior/Veterans discount day (25%) every Wednesday. New furniture and mattresses available. Thanks for your continued support for the disabled folks we serve.



### **Lutheran Hour Broadcast**

The Lutheran Hour can be heard on the following radio stations on Sunday Morning: WAXX 104.5 FM at 6:30 a.m.; WDLB 1450 AM at 8 a.m.; WDUX 92.7 FM at 8 a.m.; WSAU 99.9 FM at 8:30 a.m.; and WRVM 91.3 FM, 94.3 FM or 101.3 FM at 10 a.m.

June 4

#### **"Filled, to Overflow!"**

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz  
Isolation, distraction, and pride can lead to spiritual numbness, but Jesus fills us with life that overflows to bless others. (John 7:37-39)

June 11

#### **"Never Alone"**

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz  
You can be certain about the place to meet God, His plan of salvation, and His presence. (Matthew 28:16-20)

June 18

#### **"Look Back, See What God Has Done"**

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz  
God not only kept His side of the bargain-- He kept our side of the bargain, too. (Exodus 19:2-8)

June 25

#### **"What God Says"**

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Cameron MacKenzie  
Are you listening to what "they" say-- or what God says? (Isaiah 43:1-3)



## **Worship for Shut—Ins**

Worship for Shut-Ins (WFSI) is a thirty-minute Christian worship experience featuring classic hymns, the Apostles' Creed, the Lord's Prayer, and a 10-minute message by Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod pastors. Beginning on June 28, 2015, RCCA will begin airing WSFI on Solarus Cable Channel 3 and Charter Cable Channel 985 on Sunday mornings at 6:30 am and Wednesday mornings at 8:00 am.

WSFI can also be seen on Stevens Point Community TV (Charter Cable Channel 984) at the following times: Mondays 12:30 pm, Tuesdays 2:00 pm, Thursdays 2:30 pm, Fridays 10:30 am and Saturdays at 11:00 am.

### **June 4, 2017 – The Day of Pentecost**

**Psalm:** 143:1-10; **Epistle:** Romans 8:26-27;  
**Gospel:** John 7:37-39

**“The Spirit Prays for You” - Sermon Text:**  
Romans 8:26-27

*by Rev. Dr. Walter A. Maier III, Concordia Theological Seminary ~ Fort Wayne, IN*

The comforting news is that the Holy Spirit is praying to God the Father for you. These are wonderful prayers! However, what exactly does the Spirit ask for and include in these petitions?

### **June 11, 2017 – The Holy Trinity**

**Psalm:** Psalm 8; **Epistle:** Acts 2:14a, 22-36;  
**Gospel:** Matthew 28:16-20

**“Blessed By The Name” - Sermon Text:**  
Matthew 28:16-20

*by Rev. Dr. Daniel J. Brege, St. Paul Lutheran Church ~ Decatur, IN*

There is but one God, one Divine Essence with "one" Name. Yet there are three distinct persons within the Godhead. Each person is fully God, and thus each person fully possesses The Name of God. It is from and in the Name of this one true God that we find hope, forgiveness, comfort and the reality of life eternal.



### **June 18, 2017 – Second Sunday after Pentecost**

**Psalm:** 100; **Epistle:** Romans 5:6-15; **Gospel:** Matthew 9:35-10:8

**“The Father’s Love” - Sermon Text:** Romans 5:6-15

*by Rev. William Mueller, Suburban Bethlehem Lutheran Church ~ Fort Wayne, IN*

“How much do you love me?” That’s a question that boyfriends and girlfriends ask of each other in an attempt to understand the measure of their love. What kind of an answer would we get if we asked God the same question? The answer reveals just how great and powerful is His love for us.

### **June 25, 2017 – Third Sunday after Pentecost**

**Psalm:** 91:1-10; **Epistle:** Romans 6:1-14;  
**Gospel:** Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

**“A New Spirit” - Sermon Text:** Romans 6:1-14

*by Rev. Dr. Walter A. Maier III, Concordia Theological Seminary ~ Fort Wayne, IN*

All people by nature are totally corrupt. But God at our conversion gave us a new spirit – which is without sin. What does this mean for our lives?

### **Ladies Aid Picnic**

The Ladies Aid will be having their picnic on Thursday, July 6 at noon in the church basement.

Please bring a dish to pass and a small bingo prize. All ladies of the congregation are invited.



### **Card Night**

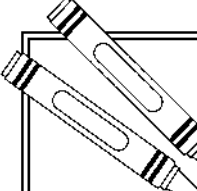
On Friday evenings at 6:00PM, several people get together to play “Hand & Foot” at the church. All are welcome. Invite your family members or a friend to come along for an enjoyable evening. Any questions, call Marge Rumble at 715-423-8612



## Scrip Scrap Corner

Shop Scrip for Father's Day Gifts. We have Ace Hardware, Fleet Farm, Home Depot, Menards, Kwik Trip, Shell Gas and The Store in stock. You can also check the "Participating Retailers" list and place a special order for that special man in your life. Scrip also makes great gifts for graduates too! We have added Papa Murphy's Pizza to our scrip program at \$10.00 per card with a 8% profit that goes to our Scrip Program. Our profit total for May was \$249.10



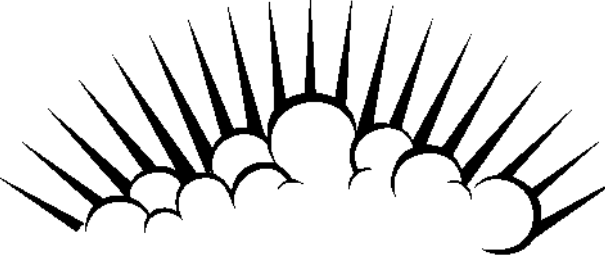


# PUZZLE

## Our heavenly Father

Father's Day is the perfect time to remember God, our heavenly Father. What does the psalmist say about him?

*Directions: Complete Psalm 89:26 by placing the correct vowels in the blanks.*



"H\_ w\_ll c\_ll \_ \_t t\_ m\_,  
 'Y\_ \_ \_r\_ m\_ F\_th\_r, m\_  
 G\_d, th\_ R\_ck m\_ S\_v\_ \_r."  
 Ps\_lm 89:26, N\_V

Answer: "He will call out to me, 'You are my Father, my God, the Rock my Savior'" Psalm 89:26, NIV



Make this heartwarming handprint gift to give your dad or another special man on Father's Day.

### What you need:

- Tempura paint (any two colors besides white)
- A paper plate
- Two paintbrushes
- Your dad's hand
- White cardstock
- Paper towels
- A pen



### What you do:

1. Place paint on the paper plate.
2. Paint your dad's palm and the insides of his fingers with one color of paint. Set his hand in the center of the cardstock and press down. Let dry.
3. Paint your palm and fingers with the other color. Place your hand in the center of your dad's. Let dry.
4. Write a loving message to your dad on the blank sections of the cardstock.
5. Give your dad the gift — and a hug!