

ATTENDANCE FOR JUNE 4, 2017

Worship	315
Adult Bible Classes	24
Tuesday Bible Class	4
Wednesday Bible Class.....	8
Life With God	2

FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP:

Thank you for supporting God's work through St. John's. Our offering received the weekend of June 4, 2017:

General Fund: \$8492.10

Building Fund: \$70.00

Simply Giving General Fund: \$1635.00

Update from the Board of Stewardship: MAY GENERAL FUND

Deposits: \$49,450.26

Expenditures: \$55,353.55

Ending Balance: \$33,449.55

The Ladies In Fellowship Together (L.I.F.T) will meet at Heron Cove on Monday, June 12 at 5:30 p.m. for food and fellowship.

There is a sign up posted on the main hall board to determine about how many will attend. The restaurant is located at 14843 N Park Road, Effingham.



Blood Drive

Sunday, June 25

American Red Cross 8:00 a.m. to Noon

THE NEED FOR BLOOD IS CONSTANT
Be sure to bring a photo ID or your Red Cross Donor card. For your convenience, go to redcrossblood.org and complete the pre-reading and donation questions online with RapidPass.

THE EAGLE

St. John's Newsletter

June 11, 2017

Church Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:00-11:30 & 12:30-4:00

VBS!

"A MIGHTY FORTRESS"

June 12-15, 6-8 p.m.

The church will be transformed in to a fortress! We are asking for volunteers to help set up on Sunday, June 11th at 1:00 p.m. Anyone can help and all are welcome! Just a few minutes of your time would be greatly appreciated.

EVERYONE IS INVITED to the VBS Closing on Thursday, June 15th at 7:30 p.m. Come to see the children sing, the projects they made and enjoy a social time with our youth! Cake and punch will be served following the program.

THANKS FOR ALL THE PAPER TOWEL ROLLS! We have plenty! No more are needed!

ATTENTION LADIES OF ST. JOHN'S LADIES AID MEETING FOR JUNE HAS BEEN CANCELLED!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SUNDAY – 9:15 A.M.

“Big Questions – Biblical Answers ”

Pastor Gall, Trinity A/B

“Quiet Heroes of the Faith”

Pastor Brown, Trinity C

TUESDAY - 10:00 A.M.

“Big Questions – Biblical Answers”

Pastor Gall, Trinity A/B

WEDNESDAY – 10:00 A.M.

“Proclaiming Heroes of the Faith”

Pastor Brown, Conference Room

“Life With God” Pastor Gall, Trinity
A/B

Stewardship Thought for Today...

We live in a society that focuses on the acquisition of more and more things. We are daily bombarded by advertising that tells us that our lives will not be complete unless we buy what they are trying to sell. Instead of maintaining an eternal perspective and focusing on God's abundant gifts to us, we're looking at the things of the world to bring us satisfaction.

God doesn't desire that we go without any comforts of life or that we live in ramshackle homes or drive beat-up cars. What He does desire is that we put Him first. The best way to break loose from the grip of greed and materialism is to give! **“God loves a cheerful giver.” 2 Cor. 9:7**

May we be nurtured by God's Word and Sacrament, be equipped by His Spirit to ignore the world's pull on our affections so that we will be eager to give as we have been blessed and even beyond.

Freed
& RENEWED
in **Christ**
500 YEARS OF GOD'S
GRACE IN ACTION

NEWS FROM THE NEST...

Eagle's Nest Preschool
NOW ENROLLING
4 & 5 YEAR OLDS
FOR 2017/18



Visit eaglesnestpreschool.com

Golden Eagles Thursday, June 29 At Noon in the gym

1. Invite a friend!
2. SIGN UP ON THE MAIN HALL BOARD!
3. Come enjoy a meal and stay to enjoy cards and games afterward!

Our Menu this month:

Ham, twice baked potato casserole,
vegetable, salad, rolls, drinks and
dessert

ST. JOHN'S VOTERS decided to form a Call Committee:

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L.I.F.T. DIY SIGN WORKSHOP!

Monday, July 10 at 6:00 in the Fellowship Hall
Rick & Deb Gregory and Kelsey Baker of 4th Street Signs will help you create! Look at the choices they are offering to teach that night. The examples are posted on the main hall bulletin board. Sign up and choose yours! **Turn in your order to the church office before July 2!**

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS FOR JUNE...

- Peanut butter
- Crackers
- Cake Mixes
- Green Beans

A little church bulletin humor...

It's funny when it happens to someone else. Not so much when you see a blooper after 350 Eagle's come off the copier!

- *The Fasting and Prayer Conference includes meals.*
- *Scouts are saving aluminum cans, bottles and other items to be recycled. Proceeds will be used to cripple children.*
- *The sermon this morning: "Jesus Walks on Water." The sermon tonight: "Searching for Jesus."*
- *For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.*
- *The church will host an evening of fine dining, super entertainment and gracious hostility.*
- *Pot-luck supper Sunday at 5 p.m. Prayer and medication to follow.*
- *The 8th graders will be presenting Shakespeare's Hamlet in the church basement Friday at 7 p.m. The congregation is invited to attend this tragedy.*

JUNE ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

5:30 p.m.	Tori Budde
8:00 a.m.	Blaine Flach
10:30 a.m.	Ella Niebrugge

St. John's, Louisville, will continue their 150th Anniversary celebration with a special service on Sunday, June 25 at 4:00 p.m. They will commemorate "God's Continued Blessings in the Military".

The Rev. Ryan Eden, who was a former Pastor, will be preaching. Guest speakers will be veterans Dan McKinney and Congressman John Shimkus. Veterans will be honored. A light meal will be provided.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS**June 11-18, 2017**

SUNDAY	11	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES WITH HOLY COMMUNION
		9:15 A.M.	ADULT BIBLE CLASSES
		1:00 P.M.	VBS SET UP
MONDAY	12	5:15 P.M.	STEWARDSHIP BOARD
		5:30 P.M.	L.I.F.T. AT HERON COVE
		6:00 – 8:00 P.M.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
TUESDAY	13		NO BIBLE CLASS
		1:00 P.M.	BOARD OF TRUSTEE MEETING
		6:00 – 8:00 P.M.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
WEDNESDAY	14	10:00 A.M.	BIBLE CLASS
		10:00 A.M.	LIFE WITH GOD CLASS
		1:00 P.M.	BOARD OF EVANGELISM
		6:00 – 8:00 P.M.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
THURSDAY	15	1:00 P.M.	STAFF MEETING
		6:00 – 8:00 P.M.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSING PROGRAM AT 7:30
		6:30 P.M.	ELDER'S MEETING
SATURDAY	17	5:30 P.M.	WORSHIP
SUNDAY	18	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP
		9:15 A.M.	ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

6/11 Finley Bloemer, Jesse Davies
6/12 Ethan Kuhns
6/13 Scott Marxman, Isaac Watson
6/14 Ammon Probst, Faye Tomkins,
Marlene Walker
6/15 Joyce Curry, Jacque Dixon, Jim
Gibbons, Jamie Lotz, Leandra
Meyers, Derek Ohnesorge, Paige
Rhodes, Danny Stevenson,
Bailey Wenthe
6/16 Jo Budde, Kelsey Donaldson, Dr.
Kelly Stanfield, Clinton Weber
6/17 Doris Hammer, Don Wendte

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

6/11/61 Bob & Ruth Kohnert
6/12/82 Norbert & Mary Brauer
6/13/70 Levi & Rose Boggs
6/13/92 Greg & LeeAnn Perry
6/13/87 Marcy & Julie Scott
6/13/98 Greg & Rosemary Seggelke
6/13/87 Kevin & Dena Willis
6/14/86 Dennis & Linda Marxmann
6/16/84 Terry & Laura Braun
6/16/12 Luis & Danielle Espina
6/17/11 Tyler & Stacey Hagerstrom
6/17/62 Wilbert & Marilyn Schaefer

**A FATHER'S DAY reminder to return baby bottles filled with change to benefit our local
FAMILY LIFE CENTER!**

