

THE EAGLE

St. John's Newsletter

June 3, 2018

Church Office Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00–11:30/12:30–4:00

Email: saintjohnslcms@gmail.com

Website: stjohnslcms.net

OUR ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK	
Weekend Worship.....	303
Bible Class	19
Sunday Lighthouse.....	9
Sunday School Students.....	25
Sunday School Workers.....	5
Wednesday Lighthouse.....	4
FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP:	
Thank you for supporting God's work through St. John's. Our offering received last weekend:	
General Fund: \$	4,175.80
Building Fund: \$	40.00
Simply Giving General Fund \$	1,635.00

LYDIA GUILD MEETING

JUNE 5 AT 7:00 P.M.

All ladies are invited to attend!

This month's collection for the Food Pantry will be

Spaghettios

Ravioli

Shampoo

Members, please remember to bring snacks and notes of encouragement for our service men.

A BIG THANK YOU to all the kids and adults who helped clean St. John's cemetery on Wednesday, May 23rd. You all did a great job and the cemetery looks so good. We greatly appreciated it.

Thanks so much!

Judy Ziegler & Al Siebert

Regular, monthly office communion is postponed until further notice



Sunday, June 10

11:30 a.m.

Meat and drinks will be provided just bring your favorite dessert or side dish.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Parents of older students, please encourage them to attend throughout the summer months! We would greatly appreciate having their help with the younger students during crafts, activities, etc.

We have AWESOME ATTENDANCE PRIZES each week for those who are present! All of our lessons are water related, so be prepared for summer fun!

6/3 - Story: Parting of the Red Sea

(Check our Facebook page for full (revised) schedule so you can plan ahead!

Don't miss out on the fun!)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SUNDAY, 9:15 A.M.

Bible Study led by Rev. Fortkamp

Lifelight in Conference Rm

Sunday school opening in Church

WEDNESDAY, 10:00 A.M.

Lifelight in the Conference Room

EAGLE'S NEST REGISTRATION

is now open for 2018/2019!

Pick up a form from the main hall bulletin board or go online at eaglesnestpreschool.com

FROM THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

The BABY BOTTLE PROJECT is a fundraising effort the whole family can enjoy. Simply take a bottle provided to you at church and fill it with change from Mother's Day to Father's Day. The church will collect the filled bottles and donate the proceeds to the Family Life Center for the continuation of its pro-life ministry. This fundraiser provides an excellent opportunity for people of all ages to be involved in supporting local pro-life efforts.

**YOUR CHANGE
CAN CHANGE A LIFE!**

SANDY ESKER, PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR, sends out a big THANK YOU to those who donated "Cascade Platinum" containers. She is good to go for their special project next year.

"Ask, and you shall receive."

In loving memory of Caroline Bahrns

Caroline entered eternal rest on Thursday, May 24 at the age of 97 years, 3 months and 4 days. The service to celebrate her Heavenly arrival was held at Bauer Funeral Home on Sunday, May 27 with burial in Arborcrest Cemetery.

May God grant her family and friends His peace and assurance of a joyous reunion in Heaven.

SAVE THE DATE!

Larry Brandt Memorial Scholarship
Golf Outing
September 15, 2018



**WELCOME TO ST.
JOHN'S CHURCH
FAMILY**

Baptism: Donald Gene Tieffel,
baptized Thursday, May 31,
2018 by Rev. Gary Fortkamp

Confirmations:
Donald Gene Tieffel
and Kimberly Rae Brummer
confirmed Thursday, May 31,
2018 by Rev. Gary Fortkamp

Food pantry needs for June

- French or Italian Dressing
- Hamburger Helper



**AMERICAN RED CROSS
BLOOD DRIVE**

**Here on
Sunday, June 24
8:00 a.m. to noon**

***“Herb Bread and Beyond”
With Fr. Dominic” Garramone
Saturday, June 9
9 a.m. to noon***

Here at St. John’s Fellowship Hall

PBS Cooking show host, Fr. Dominic will take you through the fundamentals of mixing and kneading dough, then demonstrate how to transform it into beautiful and delicious coffeecakes and breakfast rolls. Beginning bakers and experienced “Breadheads” alike will learn something from this entertaining and high-energy demonstration.

*Refreshments included!
Attendees will receive a gift bag sponsored by Hodgson Mill and a chance to win multiple door prizes!
\$10 in advance
13 at the door
Call Marilyn Schaefer, 217-821-0508*

Sponsored by: Effingham County Home and Community Education, Effingham County 4-H and Hodgson Mill

LYF CARD SALES FUNDRAISER

**Check out the all occasion
cards for sale!**

**Make your selections, fill out an
envelope and drop it in the office
mailbox.**

Volunteers!



On Sunday, June 10, after the church picnic meal, the VBS committee will be transforming the church and gym into SPLASH CANYON. The theme this year deals with how God is With Us on Life’s Wild Ride...so we will be building waterfalls, woods, waterways, campfires and working with “wild” animals. Come join in the fun of making VBS a unique experience for the youth of our church and community!

Call or text our coordinators if you have any questions:
Carolyn Wendte: 821-6541
Donetta Ohnesorge: 821-3300

JUNE DAILY DEVOTIONS

Bible readings and a devotional thought or activity are posted on the main hall bulletin board.

**Take one and keep up the good habit of Bible reading through your summer!
Brought to you by Concordia.**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 3-10, 2018

SUNDAY	3	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES WITH HOLY COMMUNION
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
TUESDAY	5	7:00 P.M.	LYDIA GUILD
SATURDAY	9	5:30 P.M.	WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAY	10	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES WITH HOLY COMMUNION
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
CHURCH PICNIC POTLUCK – 11:30 A.M.			
VBS DECORATING – Sunday afternoon – All help is WELCOME!			

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

6/3 Ryan Budde, Kara Hoedebecke
6/4 Richard Newlin
6/5 Todd Anderson, Kelsi Haller,
David Wall
6/6 Cherilla Junge, Timothy Keitel
6/7 David Budde, Becca Lading
6/8 Amy Kohnert
6/9 Shirley Cheadle, Beverly
Koester, Ilda Wendling

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

6/3/16 Blake & Laura Bahrns
6/3/06 Jeremy & Kenzia Watson
6/5/55 Voris & Arnetia Osborn
6/6/59 Dick & Carol Hulskotter
6/6/87 Scott & Joyce Marxman
6/7/08 Ryan & Kelsey Baker
6/8/01 James & Betty Carter
6/9/12 Nathan & Breanne Weaver

VACATION? NO WORRIES. YOU CAN STILL WATCH ST. JOHN'S SERVICES

- Our 8 a.m. service is shown on Mediacom Channel 95.2 or 81 at 10 a.m. on Sundays.
- Services can be viewed on our website
- Sermons are posted on our Facebook page

Trinity Lutheran Church and School, Stewardson are celebrating their 150th anniversary this year.

On Sunday, June 3, there will be a display of mementos and pictures during Sunday school. The 10 a.m. service will feature guest speaker, Rev. John Oberdeck, a former Trinity Pastor. A catered meal will follow. There will be fun and games for the children. At 2 p.m. a German-themed service will be held with guest preacher, Rev. David Mahsman, a former missionary.

**GOD IS CONCERNED WITH
OUR HEARTS, NOT WITH THE
CARS WE DRIVE OR THE SIZE
OF OUR HOUSES.**

"Love the Lord your God with all
your heart and with all your soul and
with all your mind" (Matthew 22:37).

