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FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP:

Thank you for supporting God's work through St. John's. Our offering received last weekend:

General Fund: \$5829.50

Building Fund: \$ 50.00

Simply Giving General Fund: \$1715.00

THE EAGLE

St. John's Newsletter

August 5, 2018

Church Office Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00–11:30/12:30–4:00

Email: saintjohnslcms@gmail.com

Website: stjohnslcms.net

PASTOR GALL'S EMAIL ADDRESS:

revtedgall@gmail.com

ENTER NOW!

September 15, 2018

1:00 p.m.

Larry Brandt Memorial
Scholarship Golf Outing

Registration forms are included in
your bulletin this weekend.



Read all about
how you can
participate
whether you
are a golfer or
not!

THIRD GRADERS RECEIVE BIBLES ON RALLY DAY!

On August 19 at the Sunday morning
services all incoming third graders will
receive Bibles.

Parents will be handed the Scriptures,
who in turn, will pass them to their
child. Come forward at Pastor's
invitation. God's blessings on your
Sunday school studies!

IMPORTANT NOTE!

August 5 and 12

Summer break for SS students

But get ready for

Rally Day

ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

**Students are promoted to next
grade level.**

Your Boards of Christian Education
and Youth Ministry are serving
BREAKFAST to the whole
congregation to kick off the Fall
session of Sunday school!

Pancakes and Sausage

7:30 - 9:30 a.m.

OUR NEXT BLOOD DRIVE **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2** **8 AM TO NOON!**

The Red Cross urges everyone to
consider donation as this time of year
the need is urgent. Thank you!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SUNDAY, 9:15 A.M.

A study in Ephesians by Pastor Gall
in Trinity A/B

No Class for Sunday School Students

BE A GREETER! OR WELCOME CENTER HOST!

Extend a warm welcome to
members and visitors alike.
We especially need to cover 5:30
services. Consider sharing your
gift of hospitality. Call the church
office to volunteer! 342-4334

ADULT INSTRUCTION CLASSES OFFERED...

A sign up sheet is posted on the main hall
bulletin board to express your interest in the
class, taught by Pastor Gall.

PRESCHOOL BEGINS SEPTEMBER 5 FOR MWF CLASSES AND SEPTEMBER 6 FOR T-TH CLASSES

*There are still openings so
share the good news about
EAGLES NEST!*

HELP NEEDED!

**Sunday school staff is looking for
teachers at the 6th/7th grade level.
Please contact Emily Lotz at 618-322-
4664 or emilylotz@gmail.com**



SIGN UP IS OPEN FOR THE NEXT SERIES OF LIFELIGHT

“Psalms” LifeLight Bible study
begins with an introductory meeting
on Sunday, September 9 at 9:15.
The goal of LifeLight is that through
a regular program of personal and
group study of Scripture, more and
more Christian adults may grow in
their personal faith in Jesus Christ.
Here’s a sample of the topics...

- Lesson 1-Individual Lament
- Lesson 2-Individual Praise
- Lesson 3-Community Lament and Praise
- Lesson 4-Penitential Psalms
- Lesson 5-Imprecatory Psalms
- Lesson 6-Liturgical Psalms
- Lesson 7-Messianic Psalms
- Lesson 8-Royal Psalms
- Lesson 9-Wisdom Psalms

On the sign up sheet, please note
whether you would like a midweek
or Sunday class. Even though you
were in the last session of Lifelight,
please put your name on the roster
so we know how much material to
order. **See you in Bible Class!**

THE ADULT FELLOWSHIP GROUP
will be having dinner at Yoder's
Kitchen in Arthur on
Saturday, August 11.
Please sign up on the main floor
bulletin board or call Nancy
Johnson at 821-2531



OLE'!

The August 30th
meal at Golden

Eagles Fellowship will be
Burritos, provided by Guest chefs,
Rev. Gary and Gloria Fortkamp!
They promise that theirs is not a
spicy recipe. Dilly Bars for dessert!
Don't delay!
Sign up today!

THANKS!

Thank you to everyone who donated
fabric to Project Linus last month.

We collected enough fabric to make
42 children's blankets and 30 preemie
blankets! Nitelle Lading



**INSTALLATION AT THIS
WEEKEND**

*Rev. Stephen Rutherford
will be installed at 4 p.m. on
Sunday at St. John's,
Louisville. All are welcome
to join in the celebration!*

Food Pantry

Distribution Dates
Tuesday, August 14 and

Tuesday, August 28

From 3-4 p.m.

We gladly accept your fresh,
garden produce, but please make
delivery the day of the food pantry
so we don't have to arrange to
store your items.

The folks who visit us are
especially appreciative.
God bless your generosity!

CALLING ALL QUILTERS!

A John Deere quilt is in the frame ready for
stitching! The goal is to get it completely
done during the Millroad Threshermen's
Show! It will be auctioned off Saturday
night with proceeds going to St. Jude's!

Thursday, August 9 through

Saturday, August 11

9a.m. to 8 p.m.

Effingham County Fairgrounds
Air conditioned Schuetzenfest Bldg
Come and go as you please.

Need more info? Check the poster on the
board by the office or call Kathy Schroeder
at 217-821-1422.

Visit millroadthresherman.org

P.S. INVITE YOUR FRIENDS

YOU KNOW YOU MIGHT BE

LUTHERAN IF... someone asks you after
church if there's any "decaf coffee" and you
laugh because you KNOW that if it doesn't
have caffeine, it can't be coffee!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 5-12, 2018

SUNDAY	5	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES
		9:15 A.M.	ADULT BIBLE CLASS
NO CLASSES FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDENTS			
MONDAY	6	6:00 P.M.	BOARD OF TRUSTEES
BOARD OF YOUTH TRIP TO HOLIDAY WORLD...WHEEEEE!			
THURSDAY	9	6:30 P.M.	BOARD OF ELDERS
SATURDAY	11	5:30 P.M.	WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAY	12	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES WITH HOLY COMMUNION
		9:15 A.M.	ADULT BIBLE CLASS
SUMMER BREAK FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDENTS NO CLASS TODAY			

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 8/5 Terry Budde, Quinn Flach,
Cinda Hulskotter, Ryan
Kohnert, Debby Storm
- 8/6 Justin Brummer, Phyllis
Rohlfing, Marcy Scott
- 8/7 Becky Janis, Dave Ragan
- 8/9 Dawn Koester, Jim Wallin
- 8/10 Logan Bloemer, Josie Fritch,
John Jackson, Claire
Niemerg, Neil Rohlfing
- 8/11 Brittany Bloemer, Dillon
Wallin

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

- 8/5/62 Ed & Annabelle Bales
- 8/5/78 David & Jeanette Worman
- 8/6/77 Eric & Sandra Bernhard
- 8/6/60 Bob & Pat Miller
- 8/7/04 Chad & Angie Nelson
- 8/9/08 Matt & Carrie Brown
- 8/9/80 Vincent & Nancy Wendt
- 8/10/13 Chuck & Nancy Lykins
- 8/10/58 Lloyd & Shirley Wittenberg
- 8/11/90 Greg & Carolyn Lamb

**Our Christian Faith
is to be Expressed
in a Lifestyle
that Honors the Lord**

**“Freely you have received,
Freely give” *Matthew 10:8***

YOU CAN VIEW ST. JOHN'S SERVICES IN SEVERAL WAYS....

- 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. Check on Wednesdays