

THE EAGLE

St. John's Newsletter

September 30, 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.....	359
Adult Bible Class	14
Sunday Lighthouse.....	8
Wednesday Lighthouse.....	7
Sunday School Students.....	53
Guests	0
Sunday School Teachers/Helpers	9

FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP:

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

General Fund: \$ 10,099.50

Building Fund: \$50.00

COME SUPPORT OUR YOUTH!!

The Youth Board will be grilling hot dogs and sausages in the church's parking lot on Friday, October 5th as part of the Effingham Cruise night. The parade begins at St. John's at 5PM. We will be serving from 4PM-7PM. Come out to support our youth.

CONFIRMANTS AND PARENTS

This is a reminder that there is **NO CONFIRMATION** on Wed., October 3rd since Pastor Gall will be at the Pastors' Conference in Quincy, IL.

FRIENDSHIP WEEKEND

A warm WELCOME to our guests!

- 5:30 p.m. Worship on Saturday
- 8:00 a.m. Worship on Sunday
- Sunday a.m. 9:00 Coffee Fellowship in the gym
- 9:15 Bible Study for adults and Sunday school for preschool through high school ages
- 10:30 Contemporary Worship

OUR FIRST SUNDAY

BREAKFAST on October 7

will help Lutheran Care Center purchase new recliners for their residents. The goal is to buy 20 chairs for \$379.00 each.

We have accepted the challenge to raise money for one or more chairs! (Hint: We already have one chair purchased...Let's keep going!)

The door offering today will go for this project. Make checks to St. John's.

YOUTH OF ALL AGES!

All St. John's youth and their parents are invited to a wiener roast/hayride at Jim and Kathy Schroeder's on October 21 from 4-7 p.m.

Please bring lawn chairs.

Food will be provided by the Youth Board!



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SUNDAY, 9:15 A.M.

A study in Philippians by Pastor Gall
Trinity A/B

Sunday School classes meet in church
Lifelight in Conference Room

WEDNESDAY

10:00 a.m. - Lifelight in Conf. Room

3:30 p.m. - **NO CONFIRMATION**

***SAVE THE DATE for our next
Fellowship Potluck Meal on
Sunday, October 21!***

***It's a good time to get together just
for the pleasure of visiting friends
and having a great meal!***



**OPERATION
CHRISTMAS CHILD**
will soon begin at
St. John's!

**Watch for our display of shoe
boxes in the near future!**

***TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2
LYDIA GUILD MEETING***

***The Food Pantry items for this
month's collection are:***

***Saltine Crackers
Canned Soup (with pop tops)
Toothpaste***

***DON'T FORGET Our Social is
Tuesday, October 16 at 6PM.***



LYF FUNDASER - Our Jr. High students have catalogs with cards and other holiday gifts for sale. See one of the salespersons below, or take a catalog from the table in the fellowship hall!

Aiden Hanks A.J. Radloff
Andrew Lotz Camille Zeigler
Evan Pryor Katie Zeigler

Orders are due OCTOBER 21. After that, cards are available for purchase from the display. **Money earned from these sales is used for attendance at church events!**

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY AT DENNY'S

Men of St. John's are invited and encouraged to meet for a Bible Study held at 8AM each month on the 2nd Saturday (note change of week) at the Denny's restaurant out by the truck stop on Evergreen Street. Come share and grow in your faith with men of St. John's.

2019 BUDGET AND ELECTION OF 2019 OFFICERS

INVEST WITH A PURPOSE!

Earn not only a return on your investment but the added blessing of providing resources for the growth of God's Kingdom! The Central Illinois District Church Extension Fund (CID-CEF) partners investors who wish to grow God's ministry with churches seeking to build or expand. Because our church obtained financing for its building project through the CID-CEF, they are offering a special interest rate of 1.5% for a 2-year investment certificate (\$500 minimum) to members of our congregation and our church and its organizations.

Please contact Chris Anderson or Susan Short at the CID-CEF for this special interest or other investment options. Call 217-793-1802 or visit their website: cidlcms.org and click the link in the lower left corner. Thank you for investing in the future of our LCMS!

Blessings in Christ,
Rev. Fred H. Kraemer

**THE ADULT FELLOWSHIP GROUP
will be attending the FACE Dinner
Theatre "Steel Magnolias" on
Saturday, October 20.**

**Please sign up on the main floor
bulletin board or call Nancy
Johnson at 821-2531 by Sunday,
October 7 to reserve your tickets!**

UPCOMING IMPORTANT MEETINGS

**OCTOBER 16 7PM CHURCH
COUNCIL MEETING**

**OCTOBER 23 7PM VOTERS'
MEETING WITH APPROVAL OF**

***Our next blood drive is Sunday,
October 28. Plan now to help
with your donation.***



***THE LIFE CHAIN 2018
Is Sunday, October 7***

- ***1:30 Prayer Service***
- ***2-3 p.m. Life Chain on
Henrietta Street, Keller Drive
and W Fayette Avenue***

Our Adopted Student from Concordia Seminary in St. Louis for the 2018-19 academic year is:

Michael Stein
Lutheran Senior Services CPE
723 S Laclede Station Rd
Webster Groves, MO 63119-4911

**CHURCH COUNCIL REPORTS
are due in the office before Friday,
October 12.**



CALENDAR OF EVENTS		September 23- October 7, 2018	
SUNDAY	30	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
MONDAY	1	5:30 P.M.	CROSSTONES
		6:00 P.M.	BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MONDAY – THURSDAY PRESCHOOL CLASSES 8:30 -11:30 A.M. MONDAY-WEDNESDAY: PASTORS’ CONFERENCE IN QUINCY, IL NO SCHOOL FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5 OR MONDAY, OCTOBER 8			
TUESDAY	2	7:00 P.M.	LYDIA GUILD
WEDNESDAY	3	NO CONFIRMATION	
		6:00 P.M.	PRAISE AND WORSHIP CHOIR
		6:00 P.M.	JUBILATE RINGERS
FRIDAY	5	4:00P.M.	YOUTH GRILLING IN CHURCH PARKING LOT FOR CRUISE NIGHT
SATURDAY	6	9:30AM-NOON	E.A.S.T.E.R. CLASS
SATURDAY	6	5:30 P.M.	WORSHIP
SUNDAY	7	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP-LWML SUNDAY
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
FIRST SUNDAY BREAKFAST – 7:30 TO 9:00 A.M.			

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 10/1 Lance Dixon, Madilyn Garrison, Avery Miller, Rosemary Seggelke
- 10/2 Mary Ann Hoeffliger, Joyce Schaefer
- 10/3 Carrie Brown, Beth Miller, Carol Wallace
- 10/4 Rick Manford, Andrew Womack
- 10/5 Terry Braun, LeeAnn Perry, J.P. Simmons, Debbie Womack

- 10/6 Kendra Donaldson, Eldor Klitzing, Dennis Marxmann, Tammy Phillips, Judy Ziegler

A SPECIAL INVITATION

Have you considered being a pastor or deaconess? If so, Rev. Bill Wrede, Director of Admissions at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, would like to meet with you. Rev. Wrede is interested in meeting prospective students of all ages – elementary school age through adults. His schedule is posted on the bulletin board by the church office. Contact him at 314-505-7221 or wredew@csleu.edu to make an appointment.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

10/3/09 Seth & Jennifer Wilson

10/4/80 Mike & Gwen Kuhns

10/5/91 Mitch & Cinda Hulskotter