

Welcome!

**St. John's
Lutheran
Church**

(LCMS)

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**Christian
Education**

Sun. 9:15 am

Services

Sat. 5:30 pm
Sun. 8:00 am
Sun. 10:30 am

“A Fellowship of
Hope, Teaching,
Serving, and
Proclaiming”

Pastor

Mike Burdick

June 6, 2021

The 2nd Sunday
After Pentecost

Welcome

To our friends who know us, we renew our welcome; to the stranger, we extend our sincere greeting. If you are a visitor, please understand that you are our guest and we want you to feel welcome and comfortable. We are happy you chose to be with us in this service, and pray you have been blessed by our Lord today as He has blessed us by your presence.

Those Who Serve Us

Each Member of St. John's	The Body of Christ
Rev. Mike Burdick.....	Pastor
Rev. Gary Fortkamp	Visitation Pastor
Mrs. Sandy Esker	Preschool Director
Ms. Jerry Starner	Organist
Mrs. Megan Wahl.....	Song Leader
St. John's Praise Band	10:30am Music
Leo Wyckoff.....	Acolyte
Mr. Keith Knight.....	5:30pm Elder on Duty
Mr. Jim Schroeder	8:00am Elder on Duty
Mr. Jeff Weis	10:30am Elder on Duty
Mr. Dave Worman 217-821-7819	Elder on Duty for June 7 – June 11
Chatelain School & Baja School	Our Schools for feeding in Haiti
Ms. Janet Martins.....	Stephen Ministry Leader
Mrs. Julie Scott	(1-217-343-3047) Prayer Partner Coordinator
State, National & International Missions	through our District and Synod

Please turn your cell phones off before the service begins.

Offerings and Attendance Cards can be placed in the boxes at the doors.

Altar Flowers are given by Bob & Ruth Kohnert in celebration of their 60th Wedding Anniversary which is June 11.

Order of Worship

You will find the songs for our 10:30am Service in italics.

"The God I Know"

Preservice #1

*If It Was All About Religion
What To Do, What To Say, What To Wear
On A Sunday
All About Perfection
Black And White, Wrong Or Right, Never Grey
Well I'd Never Make It
I'd Never Be Good Enough*

*I Tried To Walk The Line, Pray That I'd Find
Somethin' That I Knew Was Real
Began To Realize, The Harder I Tried
The Colder I'd Start To Feel
Until The Moment
The Second I Met Your Love*

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*And Then I Threw My Hands Up
Worries Down
I Remember When He Showed Me How
To Break Up With My Doubt
Once I was lost but now I'm found
No Strings Attached When He Saved My Soul
I Want You To Know The God I Know
Oh, You Gotta Know
Oh, You Gotta Know*

*He Is More Than Just A Rescue
Thats Where It Starts, Not Where It Ends
Let Freedom In
More Than Just A Story
In The Sky, Wearing White, He's Alive
In Every Moment
And Now That I Know This Love*

*I Can Throw My Hands Up
Worries Down
I Remember When He Showed Me How
To Break Up With My Doubt
Once I was lost but now I'm found
No Strings Attached When He Saved My Soul
I Want You To Know The God I Know
Oh, You Gotta Know
Oh, You Gotta Know*

*You're the Words I'm waiting for
I came alive when I let go
All I had was a broken heart
Then He held me in His arms*

*You're the Words I'm waiting for
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"He Is With Us"

Preservice #2

*Remember when
Your hope is lost and faith is shaken
Remember when
You wonder if you're gonna make it
There's a hand stretched out
Through your deepest doubt

We can't pretend
To see the ending or what's coming up ahead
Don't know the story of tomorrow
But we can stay close*

*To the One who knows
We can trust our God
He knows what He's doing
Though it might hurt now
We won't be ruined
It might seem there's an ocean in between
But He's holding onto you and me
And He's never gonna leave, no
He is with us, He is with us, always, always
He is with us, He is with us, always*

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*We believe
There is purpose, there is meaning
In everything
We surrender to His leading
He wants nothing more
Than to have us close*

*We can trust our God
He knows what He's doing
Though it might hurt now
We won't be ruined
It might seem there's an ocean in between
But He's holding onto you and me
And He's never gonna leave, no
He is with us, He is with us, always, always
He is with us, He is with us, always*

*Our faith is sealed
Our hope is real
Come what may
We're not afraid*

*Our faith is sealed
Our hope is real
Come what may
We're not afraid, We're not afraid*

*We can trust our God, always, always
We can trust our God, always, always*

*We can trust our God
He knows what He's doing
Though it might hurt now
We won't be ruined
It might seem there's an ocean in between
But He's holding onto you and me
And He's never gonna leave, no
He is with us, He is with us, always, always
He is with us, He is with us, always, always
He is with us, He is with us, always, always
He is with us, He is with us, always
Our God is with us*

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Call to Worship

Prelude (5:30 & 8:00)

Welcome

Hymn #601

All Who Believe and Are Baptized

In our 10:30 a.m. Service, two infants will come into God's Kingdom by His mighty power to save through Holy Baptism:

- *Alayna Lydia Goldstein daughter of Lucas and Melissa Goldstein*
- *Decker Andrew Snow son of Andrew and Carissa Snow*

In every Service, all of us who are baptized will remember two crucial things that took place at our Baptism:

- *We turned from Satan, his works, and his ways.*
- *We came to believe in God -- the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.*

We live out our Baptism every day.

10:30 a.m.
Introduction to The Sacrament of Holy Baptism
Sign of the Cross
Exhortation to Sponsors and Witnesses
Lord's Prayer

Baptismal Remembrance

The pastor addresses the candidates and asks the following questions:

P _____, do you renounce the devil?

R ***Yes, I renounce him.***

P Do you renounce all his works?

R ***Yes, I renounce them.***

P Do you renounce all his ways?

R ***Yes, I renounce them.***

P Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth?

R ***Yes, I believe.***

P Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He will come to judge the living and the dead?

R ***Yes, I believe.***

P Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting?

R ***Yes, I believe.***



P The almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given you the new birth of water and of the Spirit and has forgiven you all your sins, strengthen you with His grace to life everlasting.

C **Amen.**

10:30 Service includes additional blessings and prayers

P Lord and Giver of life, look with kindness upon the fathers and mothers of all Baptized children. Let them ever rejoice in the gift You have given them. Enable them to be teachers and examples of righteousness for their children. Strengthen them in their own Baptism that they may share eternally with their children the salvation You have given them; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

Hymn #657

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God!

"You Are My Own"

(10:30) Opening Song

*1. The splash of the water! The pow'r of the Word!
The Spirit now binds you to Jesus your Lord!
And wonder of wonders! Though by sin defiled,
The Father in heaven now makes you His child!*

Chorus:

*A child of the promise His death has fulfilled!
An heir of the covenant sure as His throne!
His promise is "I shall be always with you"
His covenant "You are my own."*

*2. To Him you belong now; His grace be adored!
His grace which sustains as you grow in the Word!
And grace of all graces! The vict'ry He won
Is your vict'ry now through your faith in the Son! Chorus:*

*3. Your faith is a gracious miraculous gift;
A miracle just like His rising from death.
Both miracles yours now in Baptism's flood.
Secured by the covenant sealed with his Blood. Chorus*

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Prayer of the Day

P Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, Your Son Jesus triumphed over the prince of demons and freed us from bondage to sin. Help us to stand firm against every assault of Satan, and enable us always to do Your will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 3:8–15

[Adam and Eve] heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. ⁹But the LORD God called to the man and said to him, “Where are you?” ¹⁰And he said, “I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself.” ¹¹He said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?” ¹²The man said, “The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate.” ¹³Then the LORD God said to the woman, “What is this that you have done?” The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

¹⁴The LORD God said to the serpent,

“Because you have done this,
cursed are you above all livestock
and above all beasts of the field;
on your belly you shall go,
and dust you shall eat
all the days of your life.

¹⁵I will put enmity between you and the woman,
and between your offspring and her offspring;
he shall bruise your head,
and you shall bruise his heel.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1

¹³Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, “I believed, and so I spoke,” we also believe, and so we also speak, ¹⁴knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. ¹⁵For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

¹⁶So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. ¹⁷For this slight momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, ¹⁸as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

¹For we know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Children’s Sermon

Verse

Psalm 127:1a

P Alleluia, alleluia. Unless the LORD builds the house,
C: those who build it labor in vain. Alleluia, alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Mark 3:20–35

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.
C Glory to You, O Lord.

²⁰Then [Jesus] went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. ²¹And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, “He is out of his mind.”

²²And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, “He is possessed by Beelzebul,” and “by the prince of demons he casts out the demons.” ²³And he called them to him and said to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? ²⁴If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. ²⁵And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. ²⁶And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. ²⁷But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

²⁸“Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, ²⁹but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin” — ³⁰for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.”

³¹And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. ³²And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you.” ³³And he answered them, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” ³⁴And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! ³⁵Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C Praise to You, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life ☩ of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn #561

The Tree of Life

“Cornerstone”

(10:30) Sermon Song

*My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus' name*

*Christ alone, Cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Savior's love
Through the storm
He is Lord, Lord of all*

*When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale*

*My anchor holds within the veil
My anchor holds within the veil*

*Christ alone, Cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Savior's love
Through the storm
He is Lord, Lord of all*

*When he shall come with trumpet sound
Oh may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless, stand before the throne
Faultless, stand before the throne*

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Sermon

“Hide & Seek”

Genesis 3:8-15

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C Amen.

Dismissal

P Go in peace! Serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

"We Want to See Jesus Lifted High"*(10:30) Closing Song*

*We want to see Jesus lifted high
A banner that flies across the land
That all men might see the truth and know
He is the way to heaven*

*We want to see Jesus lifted high
A banner that flies across the land
That all men might see the truth and know
He is the way to heaven*

*We want to see, we want to see
We want to see Jesus lifted high
We want to see, we want to see
We want to see Jesus lifted high*

*Step by step, we're moving forward
Little by little, taking ground
Every prayer a powerful weapon
Strongholds come tumbling down and down and down and down*

*We want to see Jesus lifted high
A banner that flies across the land
That all men might see the truth and know
He is the way to heaven*

*We want to see Jesus lifted high
A banner that flies across the land
That all men might see the truth and know
He is the way to heaven*

*We're gonna see, we're gonna see
We're gonna see Jesus lifted high
We're gonna see, we're gonna see
We're gonna see Jesus lifted high*

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Postlude



“Jesus Leads the Way”

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 14-17, 2021

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

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Register online at stjohnslcms.net
or call to request an enrollment form
M-F 8:00 - 11:30am /12:30-4:00pm

**ENROLLING AGES 3 YEARS THROUGH 6TH GRADE
(FALL OF 2021)**

***Children must be TOILET TRAINED
and at least THREE YEARS OF AGE
prior to June 14, 2021***

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