

**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

**November 7, 2021**

The 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
after Pentecost



We welcome you to God's Service in worship at St. John's, and extend a special welcome to all guests and visitors with us.

- Restrooms are located on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> floors. Those on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> floors include diaper-changing stations.
- The Service video is broadcast in the Atrium and in the Library area on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor.
- Visitors are not expected to bring an offering. Our members do so in free response to the Gospel and to finance the extension of God's Kingdom. They place offerings in the boxes at the North and West doors, or give through our online portal on our website.
- **All worshipers are requested to complete an attendance card (located in the pew) and to place them in the boxes at the North and West doors. Thank you!**

#### 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. Linda Marxmann.....	Bell Choir Director
Mrs. Holly Adams .....	Song Leader
St. John's Praise Band .....	10:30am Music
Cailin Ohnesorge, Kylie Pryor, & Avery Bohnhoff .....	Acolytes
Mr. David Worman.....	5:30pm Elder on Duty
Mr. Jim Schroeder .....	8:00am Elder on Duty
Mr. Howard Janis.....	10:30am Elder on Duty
Mr. Howard Janis 217-821-6728.....	Elder on Duty for Nov 8 – Nov 12
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

**Altar Centerpiece** is in celebration of Doug & Brenda Wendling's 30<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

## Order of Service: Service of the Word

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

### ***“When We Love Someone”***

***Preservice #1***

*Hey, are we listening?  
There’s someone crying out right now  
And yeah, we all know what it feels like  
When up is really upside down  
Everybody’s got their story  
The hard days and the long nights  
Everybody needs somebody  
Now might be the time*

*When we love, when we love, when we love someone  
We’re the evidence, the evidence of You  
When we love like You love, we can see You move  
You’re alive in us when we love someone*

*Hey, I keep thinking  
Life is more than where we are  
So come on, let’s be part of something  
Something that can change somebody’s heart  
Cause everybody’s got their story  
The heartbreaks and the hard times  
And everybody needs somebody  
Standing by their side*

*When we love, when we love, when we love someone  
We’re the evidence, the evidence of You  
When we love like You love, we can see You move  
You’re alive in us when we love someone*

*So God give me a heart like Yours  
Help me to look at the world like You do  
I wanna be caught up in Your love  
Cause Your love is enough to mend the most broken of lives  
Please God, help me to love like You  
Help me to love like You  
Help me to love like You*

*(continued)*

*When we love, when we love, when we love someone  
We're the evidence, the evidence of You  
When we love like You love, we can see You move  
You're alive in us when we love someone*

*When we love someone  
When we love someone  
When we love someone  
When we love someone*

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## ***"You Are My King" (Amazing Love)***

## ***Preservice #2***

*I'm forgiven because You were forsaken  
I'm accepted, You were condemned  
I'm alive and well, Your spirit lives within me  
Because You died and rose again*

*Amazing Love, how can it be?  
That You, my King, would die for me  
Amazing Love, I know it's true  
And it's my joy to honor You*

*I'm forgiven because You were forsaken  
I'm accepted, You were condemned  
I'm alive and well, Your spirit lives within me  
Because You died and rose again*

*In all I do, I honor You  
You are my King  
Jesus, You are my King  
Jesus, You are my King  
Jesus, You are my King*

*Amazing Love, how can it be?  
That You, my King, would die for me  
Amazing Love, I know it's true  
And it's my joy to honor You*

*Amazing Love, how can it be?  
That You, my King, would die for me  
Amazing Love, I know it's true  
And it's my joy to honor You*

*In all I do, I honor You  
In all I do, I honor You*

"You Are My King" written by Billy Foote 1996 worshiptogether.com songsScripture  
Reference: Luke 23:34, 1 John 3:1 CCLI Song: 2456623 CCLI License: 51072

## **Call to Worship**

## **Prelude (5:30 & 8:00)**

## **Welcome**

## All Saints Day, Observed: Roll Call of Those Who Have Died in the Faith

*After each person is named, the bell tolls.*

Velma Wagner  
Janice Pike  
Ellen Tinges  
Gregory Lankford  
Ilda Wendling  
Mike Kuhns  
Roselle McClure  
Thurl Burton  
Ruth Terhune  
Joyce Schaefer  
Terry Fielitz  
Bob Miller  
Janet Brinkopf  
Douglas Wendte  
Eileen Quicksall  
Rev. Ted Gall  
Neil Rohlfing  
Stan Barhns  
Colleen Leppin  
Eldor Klitzing  
Earl Mueller

*and those we name in our minds and hearts*

P Blessed in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. (Psalm 116:15)

C Alleluia!



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(5:30 & 8:00) For All the Saints (vv. 1-6)

### Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

## Confession and Absolution

*Psalm 84:5; 2 Corinthians 8:9, adapt.*

P Blessed are those whose strength is in the Lord,  
C **in whose heart are the highways to Zion.**

P You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich,  
C **for our sake He became poor, so that by His poverty we might become rich.**

*Silence for personal reflection and confession*

P Let us confess our sins to God our Father:  
C **I confess to God Almighty, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have sinned in thought, word, and deed by my fault, by my own fault, by my own most grievous fault; wherefore I pray God Almighty to have mercy on me, forgive me all my sins, and bring me to everlasting life. Amen.**

P The almighty and merciful Lord grant you pardon, forgiveness, and remission of all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
C **Amen.**

P May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the Day of our Lord Jesus Christ.  
C **Amen!**

**Response of Praise: (5:30 & 8:00)**

**From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,  
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,  
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*(LSB 677:8)*

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***"Here I Am To Worship"***

***(10:30) Opening Song***

*Light of the World, You stepped down into darkness.  
Opened my eyes let me see.  
Beauty that made this heart adore You.  
Hope of a life spent with You.'*

*So here I am to worship, here I am to bow down.  
Here I am to say that You're my God.  
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy.  
Altogether wonderful to me.*

*King of all days, Oh so highly exalted.  
Glorious in Heaven above.  
Humbly You came to the earth You created.  
All for love's sake became poor.*

*So here I am to worship, here I am to bow down.  
Here I am to say that You're my God.  
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy.  
Altogether wonderful to me.*

*I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sins up on that cross  
And I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sins up on that cross*

*So here I am to worship, here I am to bow down.  
Here I am to say that You're my God.  
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy.  
Altogether wonderful to me.*

"Here I Am To Worship" written by Tim Hughes © 2000 Thankyou MusicScripture Reference: John 8:12, John 4:23 CCLI Song: 3266032 CCLI License: 51072

### **Prayer of the Day**

**P** Let us pray. Almighty and ever-living God, You have given exceedingly great and precious promises to those who trust in You. Grant us so firmly to believe in Your Son Jesus that our faith may never be found wanting; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

### **Old Testament Reading**

*1 Kings 17:8–16*

<sup>8</sup>Then the word of the LORD came to [Elijah], <sup>9</sup>“Arise, go to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and dwell there. Behold, I have commanded a widow there to feed you.” <sup>10</sup>So he arose and went to Zarephath. And when he came to the gate of the city, behold, a widow was there gathering sticks. And he called to her and said, “Bring me a little water in a vessel, that I may drink.” <sup>11</sup>And as she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, “Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.” <sup>12</sup>And she said, “As the LORD your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of flour in a jar and a little oil in a jug. And now I am gathering a couple of sticks that I may go in and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it and die.” <sup>13</sup>And Elijah said to her, “Do not fear; go and do as you have said. But first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterward make something for yourself and your son.” <sup>14</sup>For thus says the LORD the God of Israel, ‘The jar of flour shall not be spent, and the jug of oil shall not be empty, until the day that the LORD sends rain upon the earth.’” <sup>15</sup>And she went and did as Elijah said. And she and he and her household ate for many days. <sup>16</sup>The jar of flour was not spent, neither did the jug of oil become empty, according to the word of the LORD that he spoke by Elijah.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## Bell Choir Anthem

(All Services) ***“How Firm a Foundation”***

## Psalm

*Psalm 146; antiphon: v. 9a*

<sup>1</sup>Praise the LORD!

**Praise the LORD, O my soul!**

<sup>2</sup>I will praise the LORD as long as I live;

**I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.**

<sup>3</sup>Put not your trust in princes,

**in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.**

<sup>4</sup>When his breath departs he returns to the earth;

**on that very day his plans perish.**

<sup>5</sup>Blessèd is he whose help is the God of Jacob,

**whose hope is in the LORD his God,**

<sup>6</sup>who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them,

**who keeps faith forever;**

<sup>7</sup>who executes justice for the oppressed,

**who gives food to the hungry. The LORD sets the prisoners free;**

<sup>8</sup>the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.

**The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; the LORD loves the righteous.**

<sup>9</sup>The LORD watches over the sojourners; he upholds the widow and the fatherless,

**but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.**

<sup>10</sup>The LORD will reign forever,

**your God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the LORD!**

## Epistle

*Hebrews 9:24–28*

<sup>24</sup>For Christ has entered, not into holy places made with hands, which are copies of the true things, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf.

<sup>25</sup>Nor was it to offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters the holy places every year with blood not his own, <sup>26</sup>for then he would have had to suffer repeatedly since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the ages to put away sin by the sacrifice of himself. <sup>27</sup>And just as it is appointed for man to die once, and after that comes judgment, <sup>28</sup>so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**



## Children's Sermon

**This the Day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it (*Psalm 118:24*)**

### Verse

*2 Corinthians 8:9*

**P** Alleluia! You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,

**C** **that though He was rich, yet for your sake He became poor, so that you by His poverty might become rich. Alleluia!**

### Holy Gospel

*Mark 12:38–44*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the twelfth chapter.

**C** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>38</sup>In his teaching [Jesus] said, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes and like greetings in the marketplaces <sup>39</sup>and have the best seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at feasts, <sup>40</sup>who devour widows' houses and for a pretense make long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation."

<sup>41</sup>And he sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the offering box. Many rich people put in large sums. <sup>42</sup>And a poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which make a penny. <sup>43</sup>And he called his disciples to him and said to them, "Truly, I say to you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the offering box. <sup>44</sup>For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

### The First Article & Meaning

*Luther's Small Catechism*

*Creation*

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

*What does this mean?*

**I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.**

**He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.**

**He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him.**

**This is most certainly true.**

**"Grace"**(10:30) **Sermon Song**

*Your grace that leads this sinner home  
From death to life forever  
And sings the song of righteousness  
By blood and not by merit*

*By grace I am redeemed  
By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk  
Into the arms of Christ my Lord*

*Your grace that reaches far and wide  
To every tribe and nation  
Has called my heart to enter in  
The joy of Your salvation*

*Let praise rise up and overflow  
My song resound forever  
For grace will see me welcomed home  
To walk beside my Saviour*

*By grace I am redeemed  
By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk  
Into the arms of Christ my Lord*

*By grace I am redeemed  
By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk  
Into the arms of Christ my Lord*

*Your grace that I cannot explain  
Not by my earthly wisdom  
The prince of life without a stain  
Was traded for this sinner*

*By grace I am redeemed  
By grace I am restored  
And now I freely walk  
Into the arms of Christ my Lord*

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**Sermon  
In"****"All  
Mark 12:38-44****Commissioning of Mr. Kris Lipe as Stephen Ministry Leader (10:30)****Veterans Recognition****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.

## Blessing

Hebrews 13:20–21

P Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever.

C Amen.

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(5:30 & 8:00) Children of the Heavenly Father

### ***“My Redeemer Lives”***

(10:30) ***Closing Song***

*I know He Rescued my soul*

*His Blood covered my sin*

*I believe I believe*

*My shame He's taken away*

*My pain is healed in His name*

*I believe I believe*

*I'll raise the banner*

*'Cause my Lord has conquered the grave*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*I know He Rescued my soul*

*His Blood covered my sin*

*I believe I believe*

*My shame He's taken away*

*My pain is healed in His name*

*I believe I believe*

*I'll raise the banner*

*'Cause my Lord has conquered the grave*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*You lift my burdens; And I rise with You*

*I'm dancing on this mountain top*

*To see Your Kingdom come*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

*My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives*

"My Redeemer Lives" written by Reuben Morgan 1998 Hillsong Music Publishing Scripture Reference: 1 John 1:7 CCLI Song: 2397964

# HAITI HUNGER FIGHT 2021

## ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

901 W. Jefferson Ave., Effingham, IL

NOVEMBER 14TH AT 12:00 P.M.



### Welcome Friends of Trinity HOPE

- Grilled meats with traditional BBQ
- Fellowship
- Freewill Offering
- Haiti Art items

Join us for an enjoyable fundraising event to help feed our children at Chatelain & Le Lutherienne de Baja, the schools we sponsor in Haiti. We will learn more about the work done through Trinity HOPE. The varied activities and fellowship are sure to be memorable.



**Trinity HOPE, a not-for-profit organization, provides a daily meal and Christian witness for approximately 50,000 children in over 241 Christian Schools throughout Haiti.**

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