

**FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY***St. John's Lutheran Church***February 5-6, 2022***Divine Service One, page 151ff.***Red Bud, Illinois****PRELUDE: "O Day of Rest"****THE RINGING OF THE BELL calls us to holy worship.**

WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH! We preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ, administer the sacraments and provide Christian education in service to all people. We are especially happy that we have visitors with us today. St. John's is a congregation which follows the historic order of Christian worship. Even if you are not Lutheran, you may recognize many of the elements of worship from your own tradition. If you or your small child needs a space for privacy during the service, Room 1 in the Fellowship Hall has a TV with a video feed of our worship service. We ask everyone to sign our Friendship Register that is at the end of the pew. To help with the reverent nature of our worship, please silence and do not use your cell phones and pagers during this service. Thank you!

**OPENING HYMN: 906 "O Day of Rest and Gladness" (stand for last stanza, "A-men.")**

1 O day of rest and glad - ness, O day of joy and light,  
 2 This day at earth's cre - a - tion The light first had its birth;  
 3 This day, God's peo - ple meet - ing, His Ho - ly Scrip - ture hear;  
 4 That light our hope sus - tain - ing, We walk the pil - grim way,



O balm of care and sad - ness, Most beau - ti - ful, most bright;  
 This day for our sal - va - tion Christ rose from depths of earth;  
 His liv - ing pres - ence greet - ing, Through bread and wine made near.  
 At length our rest at - tain - ing, Our end - less Sab - bath day.



This day the high and low - ly, Through a - ges joined to bless,  
 This day our Lord vic - to - rious The Spir - it sent from heav'n,  
 We jour - ney on, be - liev - ing, Re - newed with heav'n - ly might,  
 We sing to Thee our prais - es, O Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son;



Sing, "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," The tri - une God con - fess.  
 And thus this day most glo - rious A three - fold light was giv'n.  
 From grace more grace re - ceiv - ing, On this blest day of light.  
 The Church her voice up - rais - es To Thee, blest Three in One.

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION:** page 151 (*please stand if you are able*)

P In the name of the Father and of the (+) Son and of the Holy Spirit. **C Amen.**

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you 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.**

**INTROIT:** Psalm 71



O God, be not | far from me;

O my God, make haste to | help me!

My mouth will tell of Your / right-eous acts, for their number is past my | know-ledge.

With the mighty deeds of the Lord GOD | I will come;

I will remind them of Your righteousness, | Yours a-lone.

O God, from my youth You have | taught me, and I still proclaim Your | won-drous deeds.

So even to old age / and gray hairs,

O God, do not for- | sake me,

until I proclaim Your might to another gen- / er-a-tion, Your power to all | those to come.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son

and to the Holy | Spir-it;

as it was in the be- | gin-ning,

is now, and will be forever. | A-men.

O God, be not | far from me;

O my God, make haste to | help me!

**KYRIE:** (page 152) (*we sing the responses*)

P In peace let us pray to the Lord. **C Lord, have mer-cy.**

P For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mer-cy.**

P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord. **C Lord, have mer-cy.**

P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord. C **Lord, have mer-cy.**

P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. C **A-men.**

### HYMN OF PRAISE: "This Is the Feast" (page 155)

*Refrain: This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.*

1 — Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose  
 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and  
 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and  
 4 Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to  
 5 For the Lamb \_\_\_\_\_ who was slain has be -

blood set us free to be peo - ple of God. *Refrain*  
 hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are His. *Refrain*  
 join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: *Stanza 4*  
 God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*  
 gun His reign. Al - le - lu - ia. *Final Refrain*

*Final Refrain: This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.*

### SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY:

P: The Lord be with you. C: *(sung)* And also with you. P: Let us pray.

**C: O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen. (please be seated)**

*(8 a.m.)* **ANTHEM: "Come Down Lord"**

*Choir*

### THE OLD TESTAMENT READING:

**Isaiah 6:1-8**

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of His robe filled the temple. Above Him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory!"

And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the

house was filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.” And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” Then I said, “Here am I! Send me.”  
 P This is the Word of the Lord. **C Thanks be to God.**

### **THE GRADUAL:**

Praise the LORD, all nations!

**Extol Him, all peoples!**

For great is His steadfast love toward us, **and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.**

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name; **bring an offering, and come into His courts!**

### **THE EPISTLE READING:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 14:12b–20**

So with yourselves, since you are eager for manifestations of the Spirit, strive to excel in building up the church. Therefore, one who speaks in a tongue should pray for the power to interpret. For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful. What am I to do? I will pray with my spirit, but I will pray with my mind also; I will sing praise with my spirit, but I will sing with my mind also.

Otherwise, if you give thanks with your spirit, how can anyone in the position of an outsider say “Amen” to your thanksgiving when he does not know what you are saying? For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up. I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you. Nevertheless, in church I would rather speak five words with my mind in order to instruct others, than ten thousand words in a tongue. Brothers, do not be children in your thinking. Be infants in evil, but in your thinking be mature. P: This is the Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

*(please stand if able)* **ALLELUIA and VERSE:** (page 156) *(sung)*

**Al-le-lu-ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?**

**You have the words of e-ter-nal life. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.**

### **THE HOLY GOSPEL:**

**Luke 5:1-11**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 5<sup>th</sup> chapter. **C: *(sung)* Glo-ry to You, O Lord.**

On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on Jesus to hear the word of God, He was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, and He saw two boats by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon’s, He asked him to put out a little from the land. And He sat down and taught the people from the boat.

And when He had finished speaking, He said to Simon, “Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch.” And Simon answered, “Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at Your word I will let down the nets.” And when they had done this, they enclosed a large number of fish, and their nets were breaking. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink.

But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, “Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord.” For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men.” And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed Him.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.      C: (*sung*) **Praise to You, O Christ.**

### **OUR CONFESSION OF FAITH: Creed**

(5 p.m. and 8 a.m.) **The Nicene Creed: page 158**

**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. (*please be seated*)**

(10:30 a.m.) **The Apostles’ Creed**

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

**And 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.**

**I 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. Amen. *(please be seated)***

*(10:30 a.m.)* **CHILDREN’S MESSAGE SONG: (LSB 856)**

**O Christ, who taught the Twelve The truth for a-ges sealed,  
Whose words and works a-wak-ened faith, The ways of God re-vealed:  
In-struct us now, we pray, By Your em-pow’r-ing Word.  
True teach-er, be for all who seek Their light, their life, their Lord.**

**HYMN OF THE DAY: 854 “Forth in Thy Name, O Lord, I Go” *(tune: LSB 405)***

**SERMON: “Depart from Me Jesus!” or “It’s Good to See You Jesus!” Luke 5:1-11**

I. “Depart From Me, Lord”

A. Peter Reacts to Jesus’ Powerful Presence

B. How Would We Respond to Jesus’ Presence?

II. “Do Not Be Afraid; From Now On You Will Be Catching Men”

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH** *(please stand if you are able)*

*(Each petition ends “Lord, in Your mercy” and we respond, “hear our prayer.”)*

**HEALING AND COMFORT:** June Lawrence, Don Kueker, Elroy Stellhorn, Darlene Liefer, Ruth Hecht, Faye Schwartzkopf, Ken Williams, Kim Herriman, Randy Miller, Marcy Watters, JoAnna Ellner, Joy Prigge; *Family/Friends of St. John’s Members:* Betty Deterding, Ruby Muench, Stephanie Reinhardt, Rev. Mark Willig, Tom Lewis, Susan Sochowski, Ava Kern. *Help us keep this list current!*

**MILITARY:** *(Please call with names.)* Army- Casey Vallett, Tanner Valleroy, Brandon Voss, Adrienne Vallett, Easton Lucht, Tim Healy, Jacob Adams, Donald Roberts, Matthew Kraus, Paul Craft, Jr., Austin Scheibe, Trevor Buckner, Jessica DeMarco, Benjamin Boeder, Christopher Dupertius, Garrett Carnahan, Tyler Wahlman, Gavin Roche-Voss; Navy- Carl Muehler; Air Force- Gage Baldwin, Jason Nehrt, Curt Hatten, Terry Koester, David Livingston, Matt Sabo, Ryan Kozarich; Marines-Alex Renner, Cody Koch, Tailor Neuhaus, Josh Butterworth, Keenan Turnure, Austin Grohmann

**EMERGENCY PERSONNEL:** Fire/EMS- Jerre Atchison, Tom Beshoar, Kevin Biffar, Breanna Bingel, Savannah Cowell, Chad Crafton, Steven Falkenhain, Chad Grohmann, Curt Guebert, Jason Guebert, Scot Heller, Blake Koppel, Chad Langrehr, Kenny Langrehr, Matt Liefer, Kevin Miller, Alan Piel, Jason Rippelmeyer, Brad Stechmesser, John Valentine, Mike VanDorn; Police- Abigail Browne, Ralph Sievers, Chris Hewitt, Nick Mounts, Jason Palm, Doug Brennan, Jason Roscow *(Please call our office with names)*

+thanksgiving for the 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Charlie and Sharon Guebert on February 3  
+those who mourn the loss of loved ones to physical death

Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

O Lord God of hosts, build up Your Church and manifest Your Spirit among us with wisdom and knowledge. Let our words be measured and intelligible to our fellow Christians and to those outside Your Church, that we may utter our “Amens” in Christ. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Sustain those called to be fishers of men in Christ’s Church, that they would not be discouraged when they toil all night and take nothing, but continue to let down their nets at His Word according to that calling. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Grant us Your Holy Spirit, that we may be mature in our thinking and infants in evil. Bless all Christian homes, that Your Word would be sown and produce much fruit. Give us faith to let down the nets of Your Word in our daily vocations and trust Your Son to do His gracious work through poor sinners like us. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

O God, be not far from us. As You have worked deeds of salvation in Christ Jesus, so make haste to help us now in every trouble. Give healing to the sick, strength to the weak and comfort to the afflicted [*especially* June, Don, Elroy, Darlene, Ruth, Faye, Ken, Kim, Randy, Marcy, JoAnna, Joy, Betty, Ruby, Stephanie, Rev. Mark, Tom, Susan, Ava, and those we name in the silence of our own hearts. Protect our healthcare workers as they serve us during this time of pandemic and grant us relief from its threat and effects. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

O Lord of all power and might, we pray for those who serve us in Your name for our safety and well-being. We ask for Your blessings to be upon our elected and appointed officials at all levels of government. We thank You for the service of our military members, law enforcement, firefighters and first responders. We pray for their protection as they work to ensure ours. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

O Lord of all love that is true and pure, we join with Charlie, Sharon and their family in thanking You for the 60 years of married life that You have given them. We praise You for their earthly example of the loving and sacrificial relationship that Your Son, Jesus, has with us, His bride, the Church, We ask that You will continue to bless them with health and happiness, hope and joy and shared faith and forgiveness as they enter this new year of their life lived in Your name and for Your glory. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Dear Lord of all life that is Your never-ending gift, we pray for those who mourn the loss of loved ones to physical death. We trust that You will bless them with fond memories of those who were so special to them. We pray that You will comfort them with the sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life which is Your gift to us in the life, death and resurrection of Your Son, our Savior Jesus. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

(5 p.m. and 8 a.m.) Send from Your altar, O Lord, the body and blood of Christ. Cleanse us and our lips by this blessed Sacrament, delivering the atonement Christ has won for us, that we may be worthy to stand before You now and at the Last Day. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

O Lord, never depart from us. Though we are unworthy of You and Your bounty, You are pleased to receive our meager thanks and reluctant obedience for the sake of Christ's perfect obedience. Let Your Word rule us and Your Spirit revive us to leave behind pride and anxiety alike, that we may follow You in all we do. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

**OFERTORY:** pages 159-160

**What shall I render to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to me?**

**I will offer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv-ing and will call on the name of the Lord.**

**I will take the cup of sal-va-tion and will call on the name of the Lord.**

**I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple,**

**In the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je-ru-sa-lem.**

*The 10:30 a.m. service continues here.*

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

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.**

**CLOSING COLLECT and BENEDICTION:**

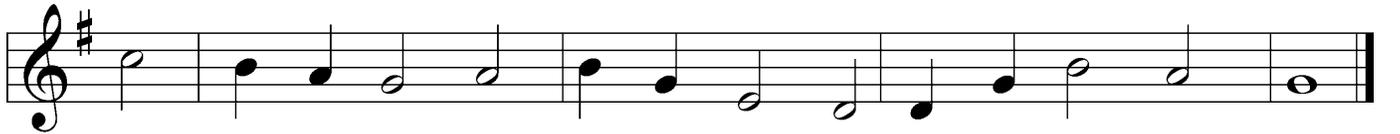
Pastor: O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear or our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **People: Amen.**

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 (*sung*) **Amen.**

**CLOSING HYMN: 707 "Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways"**



1 Oh, that the Lord would guide my ways To keep His stat-utes still!  
 2 Or - der my foot - steps by Thy Word And make my heart sin - cere;  
 3 As - sist my soul, too apt to stray, A strict - er watch to keep;  
 4 Make me to walk in Thy com-mands—'Tis a de - light - ful road—



Oh, that my God would grant me grace To know and do His will!  
 Let sin have no do - min-ion, Lord, But keep my con-science clear.  
 And should I e'er for - get Thy way, Re - store Thy wan-d'ring sheep.  
 Nor let my head or heart or hands Of - fend a-against my God.

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**WE CELEBRATE HOLY COMMUNION:** In this Supper of our Lord we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ under the earthly elements of bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. Since this Holy Communion is also how we commonly confess the Christian faith, we welcome to the Lord's Table those who are confirmed members of congregations of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. The individual cups of white wine in the center of the cup tray contain non-alcoholic wine for those who prefer this. For more information about this sacrament, please see pages 326-327 and 329-330 of *Lutheran Service Book*.

(5 p.m. and 8 a.m.) **SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT:** page 160ff.

**PREFACE:** page 160

P The Lord be with you. C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts. C **We lift them to the Lord.**

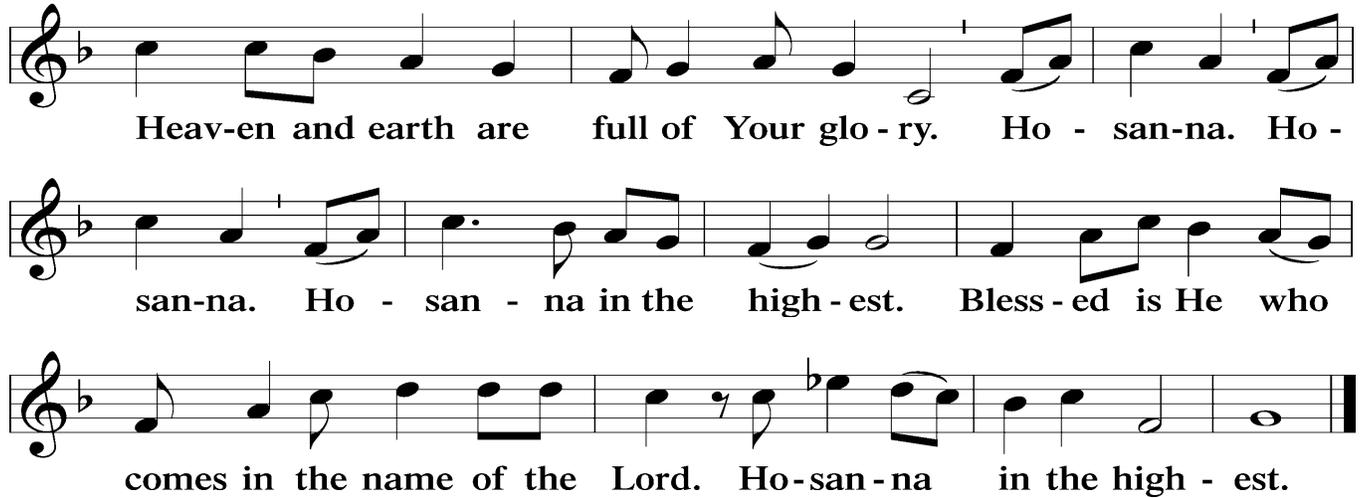
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

**Proper Preface**

It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, having created all things, took on human flesh and was born of the virgin Mary. For our sake He died on the cross and rose from the dead to put an end to death, thus fulfilling Your will and gaining for You a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying: **Sanctus**



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:



Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -  
 san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross. Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen.**

### Lord's Prayer, the Words of Our Lord and the Pax Domini

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**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.**

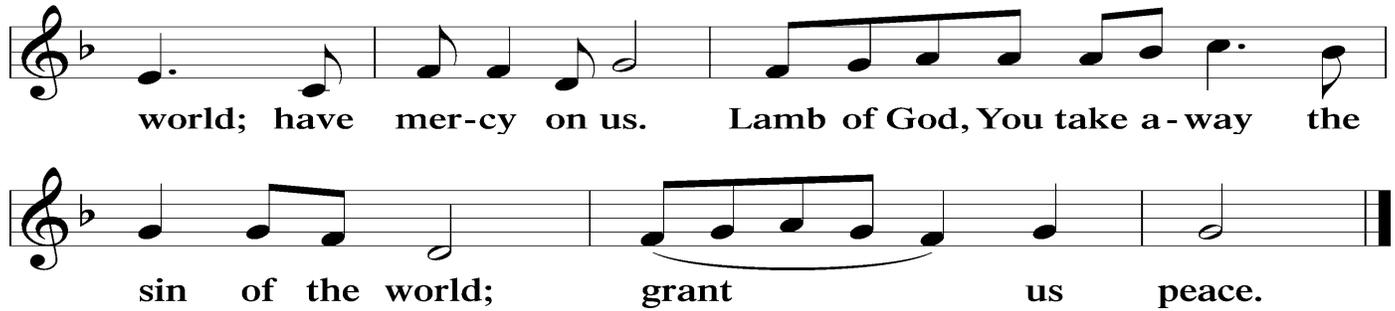
**For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

....**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always. **C** (*sung*) **A-men.**

### Agnus Dei



**C** Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world; have  
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace.

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS:** (*please be seated*)  
(8 a.m.) **ANTHEM:** "Go Now in Peace" Choir  
**398 "Hail to the Lord's Anointed"**



1 Hail to the Lord's a - noint - ed, Great Da - vid's great - er Son!  
2 He comes with res - cue speed - y To those who suf - fer wrong,  
3 He shall come down like show - ers Up - on the fruit - ful earth;  
4 Kings shall fall down be - fore Him And gold and in - cense bring;



Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, His reign on earth be - gun!  
To help the poor and need - y And bid the weak be strong;  
Love, joy, and hope, like flow - ers, Spring in His path to birth.  
All na - tions shall a - dore Him, His praise all peo - ple sing.



He comes to break op - pres - sion, To set the cap - tive free,  
To give them songs for sigh - ing, Their dark - ness turn to light,  
Be - fore Him on the moun - tains Shall peace, the her - ald, go;  
To Him shall prayer un - ceas - ing And dai - ly vows as - cend;



To take a - way trans - gres - sion And rule in eq - ui - ty.  
Whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, Were pre - cious in His sight.  
And righ - teous - ness in foun - tains From hill to val - ley flow.  
His king - dom still in - creas - ing, A kingdom with - out end.

- 5 O'er ev'ry foe victorious, He on His throne shall rest,  
From age to age more glorious, All blessing and all-blest.  
The tide of time shall never His covenant remove;  
His name shall stand forever— That name to us is Love. Public domain

## 619 "Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior"



1 Thy bod - y, giv'n for me, O Sav - ior, Thy blood which Thou for  
 2 With Thee, Lord, I am now u - nit - ed; I live in Thee and  
 3 Who can con - demn me now? For sure - ly The Lord is nigh, who  
 4 Though death may threat - en with dis - as - ter, It can - not rob me  
 5 My heart has now be - come Thy dwell - ing, O bless - ed, ho - ly



me didst shed, These are my life and strength for -  
 Thou in me. No sor - row fills my soul, de -  
 jus - ti - fies. No hell I fear, and thus se -  
 of my cheer; For He who is of death the  
 Trin - i - ty. With an - gels I, Thy prais - es



ev - er, By them my hun - gry soul is fed.  
 light - ed It finds its on - ly joy in Thee.  
 cure - ly With Je - sus I to heav - en rise.  
 mas - ter With aid and com - fort e'er is near.  
 tell - ing, Shall live in joy e - ter - nal - ly.

*Refrain*

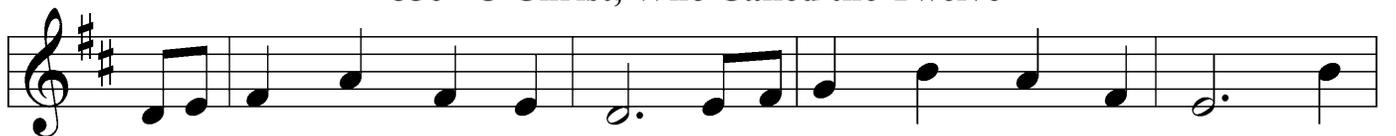
Lord, may Thy bod - y and Thy blood Be



for my soul the high - est good!

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## 856 "O Christ, Who Called the Twelve"



1 O Christ, who called the Twelve To rise and fol - low You, For -  
 2 O Christ, who taught the Twelve The truth for a - ges sealed, Whose  
 3 O Christ, who led the Twelve A - mong the des - o - late And  
 4 O Christ, who sent the Twelve On roads they'd nev - er trod To



sak - ing old, fa - mil - iar ways For ven - tures bold and new:  
 words and works a - wak - ened faith, The ways of God re - vealed:  
 broke as bread of life for all Your love com - pas - sion - ate:  
 serve, to suf - fer, teach, pro - claim The near - er reign of God:



Grant us to hear Your call To risk se - cu - ri - ty And,  
 In - struct us now, we pray, By Your em - pow'ring Word. True  
 Lead us a - long the ways Where hope has near - ly died And  
 Send us on ways where faith Tran - scends ti - mid - i - ty, Where



bound in heart and will to You, Find per - fect lib - er - ty.  
 teach - er, be for all who seek Their light, their life, their Lord.  
 help us climb the lone - ly hills Where love is cru - ci - fied.  
 love in - forms and hope sus - tains Both life and min - is - try.

- 5 O Christ, the apostles' Lord, The martyrs' strength and song,  
 The crucified and risen King To whom the saints belong:  
 Though generations pass, Our tribute still we bring,  
 Our hymns a sacrifice of praise, Our lives an offering.

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(Lord Jesus, I pray You to make me, unworthy as I am, worthy through Your grace;  
 so that Your body and Your blood may be for me a strengthening of my faith,  
 a proof of my forgiveness, a closer union with You and Your people, an increase of holiness,  
 the basis of a glad resurrection, and a pledge of everlasting life. Amen.)

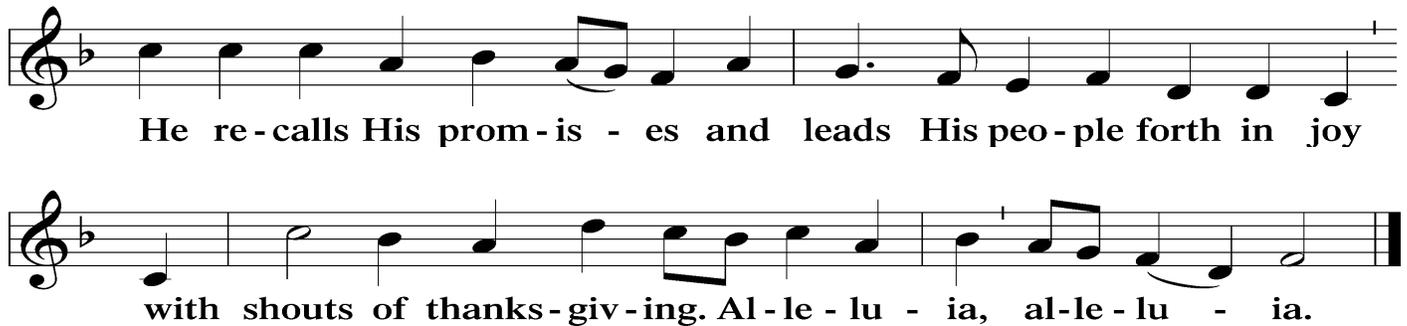
**POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE: "Thank the Lord" page 164** *(please stand if able)*



**☐** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud - ly bear His name.



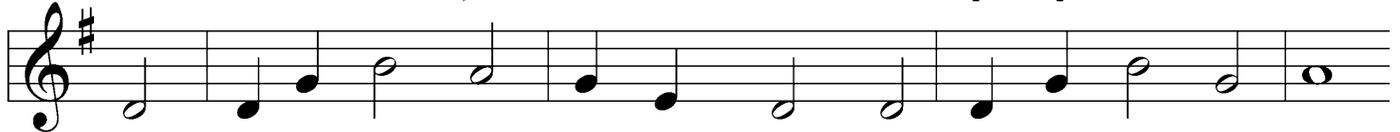
He re-calls His prom - is - es and leads His peo - ple forth in joy  
with shouts of thanks-giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

### Post-Communion Collect and Benediction

A Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen.**

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 (sung) A-men.**

### CLOSING HYMN: 707 “Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways”



- 1 Oh, that the Lord would guide my ways To keep His stat - utes still!
- 2 Or - der my foot - steps by Thy Word And make my heart sin - cere;
- 3 As - sist my soul, too apt to stray, A strict - er watch to keep;
- 4 Make me to walk in Thy com - mands—'Tis a de - light - ful road—



Oh, that my God would grant me grace To know and do His will!  
Let sin have no do - min - ion, Lord, But keep my con - science clear.  
And should I e'er for - get Thy way, Re - store Thy wan - d'ring sheep.  
Nor let my head or heart or hands Of - fend a - gainst my God.

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### POSTLUDE: “Dance”

*arranged by J. Wayne Kerr*

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### *This Week With Our Lord, February 6-13, 2022*

SUNDAY, February 6-

8:00 a.m. Divine Service with Holy Communion

9:30 a.m. Sunday School and HS Youth classes at school

9:30 a.m. Adult (Fellowship Hall & School Library) Bible classes

10:30 a.m. Divine Service

Noon Senior Youth meeting in their church basement hangout

Monday, February 7-

7:00 p.m. Board of Elders meeting in the Fellowship Hall

7:00 p.m. Choir practice in the school's music room

Tuesday, February 8-

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Quilting in the Fellowship Hall

9:30 a.m. Holy Communion Service at Red Bud Care Center

10:00 a.m. Visitation and 11:00 a.m. Funeral for Willard Uffelmann

6:00 p.m. Girls' Volleyball at home vs. St. John LS-Chester

Wednesday, February 9-

8:30 a.m. Grade School Chapel in the new gym

9 a.m. to Noon Quilting in the Fellowship Hall

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall

9:30 a.m. Office Staff meeting

3:30 p.m. 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Public School Confirmation (school)

7:00 p.m. Parent-Teacher League meeting in school cafeteria

7:30 p.m. Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall (1<sup>st</sup> Kings)

Thursday, February 10-

7:15 a.m. Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall (Ezekiel)

1:00 p.m. Sight Ministries Center in Baldwin

**3:00 p.m.** Afternoon Holy Communion Service at church

6:00 p.m. Bell Choir practice in the church balcony

6:00 p.m. Board of Parish Education meeting in school library

6:00 p.m. Girls' Volleyball at Evansville

7:00 p.m. Men's Club Gathering in the Fellowship Hall

Friday, February 11- *Girls' VB A Team tourney at St. Mary's*

Saturday, February 12-

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Breakfast in the Fellowship Hall

5:00 p.m. Divine Service

SUNDAY, February 13-

8:00 a.m. Divine Service

9:30 a.m. Sunday School and HS Youth classes at school

9:30 a.m. Adult (Fellowship Hall & School Library) Bible classes

10:30 a.m. Divine Service with Holy Communion

**OUR RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL LAST WEEK:**

Worship: 371; Communion: 255; Adult/Youth: 40; Sunday School: 45

**FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL:**

+Flowers on the pedestal this weekend are given to the glory of God in thanksgiving for the 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Charles and Sharon Guebert on February 3<sup>rd</sup>. They are a gift from their children and grandchildren. Thank you, congratulations and God's blessings!

+To have flowers in worship please call the office at 282-2394 to notify the committee and to have proper thanks in the bulletin of those donating.

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS:** *LCMS Stewardship Resources*

Luke 5:5 – “And Simon answered, ‘Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at Your word I will let down the nets.’” In Peter’s words there are both exasperation and trust. He’s tired. He tried his best and failed. But he is still ready to trust God’s Word – and act on it. Our stewardship is also a matter of trusting God’s Word and acting on it.

**WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN, WHATE’ER THE GIFT MAY BE:** We join together in the grace of giving. 1/30- General: \$17,333; School: \$590; Automatic Giving: \$3,470. *Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house. And thereby put Me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a blessing until there is no more need.*” (Malachi 3:10)

**ENVELOPES IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL:**

Boxes of offering envelopes for 2022 are in the Fellowship Hall. Please pick up yours and those for your immediate family members. If you do not have a box but would like one, please call Leslie in our church office.

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR:**

Dr. Michael Zeigler says the Jewish practice of observing the Sabbath is sort of like being in a long-distance relationship. Listen to “How Christians Can Admire the Jewish Sabbath” (Luke 6:1-11) with Speaker Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler on KFUE AM 850 Sundays at 12:30 & 5 p.m. or on Bott Christian Radio on Sundays at 8 a.m. on KSIV 1320AM or 91.5FM.

**SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASSES:** *(9:30 to 10:15 a.m.)*

High School Bible Class in Mr. Becker’s classroom: “Right Now Media”

Adult Bible Class in the school library with Mr. Palm: “Being Lutheran”

Adult Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall with Pastor Nebel: “Isaiah”

**AFTERNOON HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE:**

Our last planned afternoon Holy Communion service for the season is this Thursday at 3 p.m. Seating is every other pew and stay seated through the service. Distribution is done in the pews.

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY:**

We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of St. John’s member Willard Uffelmann who died in the Lord on January 28 at the age of 92 years. He will receive his Christian burial here this Tuesday at 11 a.m. Thanks be to God for His gift of eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord!

**SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSION PROJECT:**

Through the Big City Mission project, The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod can show the love of Christ to all different kinds of people living in the inner city. Gifts and offerings to the Big City Mission project help kids and adults learn about how much Jesus loves them. By

providing something simple like a lunch or backpack, those involved in urban ministry can build relationships that allow them to tell people about their Savior, Jesus!

**SUNDAY SCHOOL PERFECT ATTENDANCE:**

1st grade: Amelia Langrehr, Liam Langrehr, Maggie Kuehn; 2nd Grade: Cassidy Palm; 3rd Grade: Lucy Kuehn, Jackson Neff; 4th Grade: Aubrey Kiefer, Payton Liefer, Jozlynn Palm; 6th Grade: Sydney Kassing, Molly Kuehn, Lillian Meyer; 8th Grade: Noah Kassing. Thank you for your dedication to and participation in our Sunday School ministry at St. John's!

**BABY BOTTLE COLLECTION FOR LIFE NETWORK:**

There still are baby bottles available to hold your spare change over the next few weeks as a fundraiser for Life Network of Southern Illinois. Please turn them in at church (in the box) or at our church/school office by February 24. Thank you!

**MEN'S CLUB GATHERING:**

This Thursday, February 10 our Men's Club will gather in our Fellowship Hall at 7 p.m. We will view a video series from the LCMS entitled "LIFE TOGETHER AS SYNOD." All men of St. John's and guests are welcomed to attend.

**SENIOR YOUTH FUNDRAISER:**

Our Senior Youth is selling greeting cards (all occasions) for \$1. Cards are on display in the Fellowship Hall. We are using an honor system for payment. A money box is next to the card display. We also have full boxes of greeting cards for sale. They cost \$30 for 30 cards and come with a lovely storage box.

**CLASS FUNDRAISER:**

The Class of 2024 (6th Grade) is fundraising for their Washington D.C. 8th Grade trip! Please support them by ordering sub sandwiches and white nacho cheese dip! Each 6-inch sub is \$6 and has ham, roast beef, turkey, salami, and American cheese. The cheese dip is sold for \$12 per quart. It freezes well. Contact a 6<sup>th</sup> grade family by Jan. 31 to order. Your orders can be picked up Saturday, Feb. 12, 11 a.m.--noon or Sunday, Feb. 13 during Sunday School. Contact Jamie Korando 618/615-2818 or Stephanie Liefer 618/967-0804. This would be a great idea for your Super Bowl weekend!

**PASTORAL INSTALLATION:**

This Sunday, February 6, at 2 p.m. Rev. Randy Fischer will be installed as pastor of St. Peter, Evansville and St. John, Ruma in a worship service at St. Peter. Refreshments will be served after the service in the church basement. You are invited to gather with them as we give thanks to our Lord for providing a shepherd to minister to the needs of these congregations.

**BIBLE PRESENTATIONS:**

St. John's Lutheran Church in Ruma and St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Evansville is hosting a series of six presentations on the Bible. This series will feature "Husband and Wife Couples of the Bible." Tuesday, February 8, join us at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Evansville at 6 p.m. The topic will be "Adam and Eve", presented by Rev. Scott Hojnacki from Trinity Lutheran, Prairie. Sunday, February 13, join us at St. John's Lutheran Church in Ruma at 2:30 p.m. The topic will be "Abraham and Sarah", presented by Rev. Joseph Schlie from Immanuel Lutheran Church in Perryville, Missouri.

**MONETARY DONATION:**

Please thank the management of Red Bud IGA for a generous and kind monetary donation they have made to St. John's in thanksgiving for our community's support of their business.

**THE PRAYER CHAIN:**

Vickie Heller is our Prayer Chain Coordinator. To serve in the Prayer Chain or if you have a prayer request, please contact her at 618/521-7417 or dvheller@htc.net. Call our office to add someone to our worship prayers. *Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective* (James 5:16).

**PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY OF FAITH AT:**

Red Bud Care Center: Alice Smith, Jody Winkelmann; Ruma R&R- Fern Schnepel; Waterloo Magnolia Terrace- June Lawrence; Waterloo Cedarhurst- Elda Seders; Columbia Convalescent- David Burgdorf; Randolph County Nursing Home: Donald Kueker.

**PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY OF FAITH AT GARDEN PLACE:**

Elaine Guebert, Margaret Hanebutt, Dorothy Heizer, Omer/Neva Liefer, Vernon/Evelyn Muench, Lorine Reinhardt, Paul Schrieber, Gloria Stellhorn, Wilma Stellhorn, Norma Vogt, Arlin/Helen Winkelman

**PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY OF FAITH CONFINED IN-HOME:**

Robert Burgdorf, Kathryn Chunn, Don/Betty Fausz, Nancy Holmstrom, Kenneth/Geri Koester, Joyce Lopez, Ed Luttmann, Jean Menke, Edna Moeller, Harold Thies

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!:**

2/6- Harold Liefer, Carl Ellner, Avery Moll; 2/7- Brenda Salger, Dylan Falkenhain, Carolyne Mulherin, Milla Neff; 2/8- Andrew Stellhorn, Maria Miller, Samantha Zacheis, Dustin Salger; 2/9- Don Glasscock, Amanda Stellhorn, Makayla Whelan; 2/10- Casey Vallett, Karys Papenberg; 2/11- Gavin Baldwin; 2/12- Elroy Stellhorn, Bruce Schneider, Drew Kelley, Alex Renner, Jake Cox, Katie Schneider, Payton Liefer. *Call the office with any corrections!*

**VISITORS AT SCHOOL:**

Other than regular volunteers, we are limiting visitors into the school. Parents and guests are to stay in the entryway of the Main Entrance to drop off/pick up items or to meet their children to take them to appointments. Thanks!

**SCHOOL CHAPEL SERVICES:**

Upper Grades (3-8) chapel is Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. in the new gym. It is live-streamed over Facebook. Early Childhood chapel (daycare-Grade 2) is Friday at 8:30 a.m. in the new gym. When a classroom leads the service, one guest for each student is welcomed to attend in-person.

**DAILY BIBLE READING:** *from Lutheran Bible Translators*

Copies of the daily Bible readings for the year are on the tables in the entryway. Feb. 6- John 1:19-34; Feb. 7- John 1:35-51; Feb. 8- John 2:1-12; Feb. 9- John 2:13-25; Feb. 10- John 3:1-21; Feb. 11- John 3:22-4:6; Feb. 12- John 4:7-26.

**PARISH NURSE NOTE:** (from LCMS *Better Health*)

*Be a Little Fruity-* Fruits are one of the healthiest and most nutrient dense food groups. They are a great source of fiber, vitamins, antioxidants and water. They also are one of the lowest calorie foods, but not all are equal in that regard. Some are higher in natural sugars and calories than others.

### **KFUO AM 850 LUTHERAN RADIO:**

KFUO Radio AM850 & **kfuo.org**, a media ministry of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you on AM850 & **kfuo.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at **kfuo.org** and wherever you get podcasts! Find us on social media @KFUO.org, Facebook, **Twitter**, and **Instagram**. This week on KFUO and kfuo.org: Study "the article on which the church stands or fall" - Article IV of the Augsburg Confession on Concord Matters (2/12 at 10:00 a.m.), study Luke 7-8 on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m.), and study Matthew 14-16 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m.). Find these programs on demand at [kfuo.org](http://kfuo.org) or on the KFUO Radio app!

### **ISSUES, ETC.:**

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: Global Climate Change vs. The Curse of the Fall, Why Christianity Is Not Just Another Religion, The Widow's Offering, Media Coverage of Religion and more. Tune in live weekdays from 3-5 p.m. on KFUO, 850 AM in St. Louis or listen on-demand at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

**LIFE THOUGHTS:** (from *Lutherans for Life*) [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)

Arguments for abortion or assisted suicide often appeal to emotion. Pity, pride, anxiety, anger, and embarrassment abound, but the logic is lacking. Discriminating against some human lives based on ages, appearance, or abilities just doesn't make sense. Engaging our brain instead of going with our gut (1 Corinthians 14:15) finds that all qualify equally as the work of the Lord's hands (Psalm 138:8). God set our lips loose to say so (Isaiah 6:7-8)!

### **SINGING SAINTS CHOIR CONCERT:**

The choir of Saint Paul Lutheran High School in Concordia, Missouri will be in concert here at St. John's on Friday, March 11 at 7 p.m. Hosts will be needed! We are their first stop in week-long tour of the southeastern United States. This touring choir is made up of 46 students from the 60-voiced concert choir. They will perform a varied program that included classic works by J. S. Bach, Mendelssohn, Palestrina, and Tomas Tallis, as well as some traditional spirituals, hymns, and anthems, such as the famous "God So Loved the World" by Sir John Stainer, and "Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal" arranged by Alice Parker. This award-winning choir is under the direction of Dr. Jerrode Marsh. The concert is free, but donations are kindly requested to help cover expenses for their tour.

### **LCMS FOUNDATION:**

It is important to regularly review beneficiary designations of financial assets. Almost every financial vehicle we use, from insurance, to simple investment, to IRA, even to a bank account, offers an opportunity to guide who will receive these funds when the Lord calls you

home someday. We need to be thoughtful about these designations, to make sure they coordinate with our wishes and other legal documents. The first step is to take an inventory. Your LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor can help. Contact Scott Radden, Sr. Gift Planning Counselor, at (618) 977-4049 or [Scott.Radden@lfnd.org](mailto:Scott.Radden@lfnd.org).

**CHRISTIAN MUSIC CDs AVAILABLE:**

+Joan Voges offers us music CDs from her Lilyfields Collection for a donation to our school's ministry. Copies are on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

+Former St. John's member Bryan Perdue also has CD music available on the table in the Fellowship Hall for a \$10 donation to St. John's debt reduction.

**CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL-** 618-853-7300

**Club Basketball Schedule:** The Soldiers will play February 8 at Connect Christian School, South Roxanna at 6 p.m. On February 10, Senior Night will be at home vs. First Baptist Academy at 6 p.m. On February 11, they will play at Thomas Jefferson in STL at 5 p.m. Come cheer for the Soldiers!

**Plan to Give a Priceless Gift:** We are hosting a blood drive Tuesday, February 8, from 2-6 p.m. You can sign up for an appointment by using the Red Cross website or the Red Cross blood donor app.

**Fish & More:** This year's Fish & More will offer both dine-in and carry-out, Friday, March 4, serving from 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

**Registration for 2022-2023 is now open!** Call 853-7300 to schedule a shadow day or a private tour. Learn more and download a registration form from our website, [www.coslhs.org](http://www.coslhs.org). Early registration ends March 31.

**School Visitors:** To comply with continuing ISBE and state COVID face coverings are required for entry into the school. The office is open Monday – Friday 8:00 am-4:00 pm.

**The mission of Christ Our Savior Lutheran High School is to provide a Christ-centered and academically excellent education.**

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Matthew Foster, Principal, Christ Our Savior Lutheran High, 853-7300

*Serving Us in Worship Today*

Preacher/Liturgist: Pastor Mark Nebel (10:30 a.m.) Lector: DCE Bill Becker

Organist and Bell Choir Director: Mrs. Lindsey Hudak

Greeters: (5 p.m.) Stanley and Lynn Langrehr; (8 a.m.) Kalin and Kathy Liefer; (10:30 a.m.) Ken and Karen Wetzel

Acolyte: (5 p.m.) Jack Crafton; (8 a.m.) Annika Herriman; (10:30 a.m.) Noah Kassing

Video: Eric Fritsche/Justin Palm Communion Cloths: Lynn Langrehr

Flower Servers: Linda Guebert and Chris Deien Paraments: Ella Hemmer

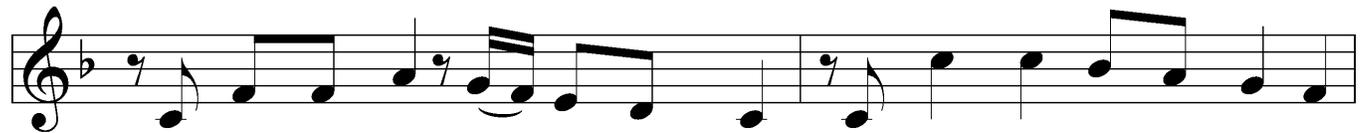
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**A** Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.



**C** Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.



For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,



You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

