

Take It to the Lord in Prayer. Do you have a prayer concern or thanksgiving? Commend it to the Lord through your own prayers, but also through the loving service of our Prayer Chain. If you have an item you would like included on the Prayer Chain, please contact Miriam Luehmann at 437-7619 or Miriam.Luehmann@icloud.com.

VBS

VBS will be June 25th-29th from 9-Noon. Lunch will be provided daily at noon. Mark your calendars and if you can volunteer to help please sign up on the bulletin boards. Families can pre-register at VBSMate.com/StJohnsAustinVBS or stop by the office between the hours of 9:00 am-Noon, M-F. Call Kerri Groleau with any questions at 320-280-0043 or email kerrigroleau@gmail.com

VBS Grocery Donations

This year in place of actual food donations, we will be accepting monetary donations. Let us do the shopping for you. Money may be dropped off at the church office or give to Francine Strouf, Kitchen chairperson. Thank you, Francine Strouf

Youth Lock-In

All youth ages 5-18 are invited to the overnight Lock-In on Wednesday, **June 6th**. Arrive at the church at 2:00 pm and drivers will take you to Echo Lanes for bowling from 2:30-4:30 pm. We will then come back to the church, have a devotion and singing. Later the drivers will take you to YMCA at 8:00 pm to 10 pm for swimming and games. Please bring a sleeping bag/blanket and pillow, swimsuit, appropriate PH's and a snack to share. Parents can pick up their children Thursday, June 7th at 7:30 am. Children can invite a friend to come to this fun event. Everyone must complete a permission slip to be able to participate. Extra permission slips will be on the back tables of the Sanctuary or ask Sandy in the office. Questions: Call Kerri Groleau 320-280-0043 or email kerrigroleau@gmail.com

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THE MISSION OF ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH



Through Jesus Christ, we
proclaim God's Word,
encourage one another in faith,
witness to God's love and
serve all people.



Thursday & Sunday May 31 & June 3, 2018

The live radio broadcast on KAUS AM 1480 of this Sunday's worship service is given in honor of 70 years of live radio broadcast this week's broadcast is given in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Ervin Graff, Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Graff, Mr. & Mrs. Vernon Graff, Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Graff, Chester & Louis Graff, Ralph & Loraine Wright, by the Graff family. The Graff family sponsor's the radio broadcast every year on Easter Sunday.

Live Streaming sponsors for June are Tim & Kathy Carlson

To sponsor a radio broadcast, contact Ellen Petersen at 433-6626 or 440-8070. The cost is \$142.00.

We are celebrating the Lord's Supper this weekend, and we invite all confirmed Lutherans to join us. Because other denominations teach and believe differently about the Lord's Supper than the Lutheran Church teaches, we ask that only those who have been confirmed (or completed a pre-communion class) in a Lutheran Church join us in this sacred meal. If you have not communed with us before, please speak to the Pastor or Elders first. An usher can direct you to an Elder.

Communion Registration is on the Attendance Sheet to be filled in during the "Offering and Rite of Christian Fellowship" time.

For those with sensitivities to alcohol, non-alcohol wine is offered for the Lord's Supper. If you desire to partake of this, please choose the light colored cups in the middle of the communion tray. Also, if you need a gluten-free wafer, please contact an usher, the pastor, or an elder before the service

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

Sunday 06/03	Worship service w/communion	9:00 am
	Prayer Ministry	10:00 am
	Fellowship time	10:00 am
	Education Hour	10:15 am
	<u>Augustine Benefit</u>	<u>4-8:00 pm</u>
Monday	Bible study	9:30 am
	Bd of Elders	5:30 pm
	Stewardship	6:30 pm
Tuesday	FROGS (men)	9:00 am
	Women's Bible Study (Women in the Bible)	1:00 pm
	Bd of Trustees	7:00 pm
Wednesday	Youth Lock-In	2:00 pm
Thursday	Evangelism	9:00 am
	Men meet at Torge's	5:30 pm
	Worship service	6:00 pm
	Gray Matters	7:30 pm
Sunday 06/10	Worship service - contemporary	9:00 am
	Prayer Ministry	10:00 am
	Fellowship time	10:00 am
	Education Hour	10:15 am

Deadline for weekly insert is Tuesday evening.

SERVING THIS WEEK

Auto-Visual tech	Tim Carlson
Reader	Dick Heuton
Ushers-Sunday	Dick Heuton, Dave Ruhnke Ruth Oelkers, Vance Oelkers
Communion Servers	Dick Heuton, Nathan Wradislavsky, Dave Ruhnke
Acolyte	Kylea Rupe, Randi Lynn Strouf
Organist	Annette Kiehne
Prayer Ministry	Carol Schleicher, Tim Carlson (Elder) Kathy Carlson

Sunday: Adult Bible Class at 10:25 a.m. led by Pastor James,. "Stuff They Didn't Teach Me in Sunday School" Plan on coming to this class; it is very interesting!

Monday morning Bible Class at 9:30 a.m. led by Pastor James, is studying the lessons that will be read in the services the following weekend. Come and join us! Bring a friend.

Tuesday: A women's Bible study on Women in the Bible 1:00 p.m. at St. John's. Each week we will study a different woman.

Gray Matters meets on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. at Perkins Restaurant. Join us for a free-flowing discussion.



C.A.S.E - Christian After School Education. We will continue to teach the children the wonders of God's Holy Word. There are Bible lessons, games, music and snacks! All for free! For children going into 1st—6th grade
Every Wednesday 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Saturday service has moved to Thursday.

There are printed copies of the sermons available next to the service bulletins.

Large print bulletins are available. Ask the ushers for one.

FROGS (Faithful Retired Old Guys) Calling all retired guys! Join us at the church on **Tuesday, April 3rd.** FROGs offers both a social component and a volunteer component. Come the first Tuesday of each month for coffee and fellowship. We will also be looking for ideas to serve, doing general maintenance or upkeep activities or other creative ways to serve the Lord here at St. John's. Volunteer to serve if you want. If not, just come for the fellowship. All are welcome... just show up!

Prayer Ministry . . . will be right after worship service by the organ. We pray for others... we pray for you. All remains confidential. Bring your special needs or hurts and we will petition the Lord with you. Questions? Feel free to call Carol Schleicher at 396-8420.

