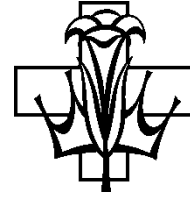


THIRD SUNDAY
AFTER EASTER
APRIL 14, 2024

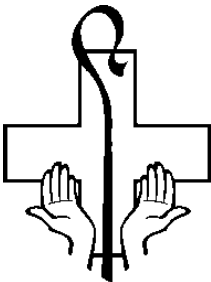


DEAR FRIENDS, WELCOME! May your journey with our Lord fill your heart with peace through the promises of His Son. We welcome you in the name of Christ Jesus, the Savior of the world.

PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP: Holy Spirit, whose calling within the Godhead is the building of the Kingdom of Grace, keep the vision of the redeeming and reigning Christ before us in all its radiance, for we fear living in the shadows and so losing our Kingdom citizenship; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.



WE OFFER THANKS for God's grace and mercy in Christ Jesus. We honor God for continued teaching and service at St. John Lutheran School for 150 years. We praise Him for His undeserved forgiveness and continuing love. We also pray for those suffering trials, illness, or pain including Joyce Watkins, Ray Sommer, Sam Moege, Paula Moege, Elton Maas, Barbara Theel, Joe Holenbeck, Wayne Leonard, Nyla Leonard, Ruth Tracy, Rev. Jim Mayes, Rev. Chris Kellogg, Dale Sommer, Marnie Diepenbrock, Vernon Reuter, Lyn Posey, Blake Griffin, Sharon Stansbury, John Morbet, and our shut-ins.



OUR ACTIVITIES FOR CHRIST THIS WEEK

TODAY	8:30am	Sunday School / Bible Class
	9:30am	Worship Service (FM 88.3; FB Live)
	10:45am	Parish Nurse
	10:45am	Lunch Bunch @ El Corral
	10:45 am	Church Council
MONDAY	9:00am	Quilt Tying <i>Water Festival – Grades 3-6</i>
	12:00pm	Pray for Missions Around the World
	6:00pm	VBS Planning Meeting
TUESDAY	6:15am	Bible Breakfast @ Frank's <i>Jr. HS Track Meet</i>
	7:00pm	Choir
	7:00pm	Theology on Tap @ Rock'n K's w/Gene Vieth
WEDNESDAY	8:15am	<i>Chapel</i>
	1:30pm	LWML Friendship Circle

	6:00pm	LPTL Meeting
	6:15pm	Confirmation with <u>Mentors @ 6:15pm</u>
	7:00pm	JuBellation
THURSDAY	9:30am	Bible Class
SATURDAY	6:05pm	Worship Service with Communion
SUNDAY	8:30am	Sunday School / Bible Class
	9:30am	Communion Service (FM 88.3; FB Live)

OUR LOVE FOR CHRIST		APRIL 6 & 7, 2024	
Attendance:		Sunday School	33
Saturday	23	Livestream	12 Views 553
Sunday	170	Livestream	17 Views 229
Total receipts	\$10,068.66	<i>Weekly Budget Needs:</i>	<i>\$10,646.00</i>

WORSHIP SERVANTS: Sunday School Teachers: Jim MacGregor, Dennis Theel, Phillip Theel, Chelsie Hutchinson, Lisa Thompson; Altar Guild: Kathy Hendricks, Ruth Wille; Greeters: Michelle Neill & Fred Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Mike Savage; Acolytes: Ava Shannon, Kameron Moege; Ushers: Kevin Moege, Matthew Anderson, Ron Ford, Richard Orton, Todd Orton, Dale Peterson, Jared Schultz, Jarrod Wertzberger; Technicians: Bruce Schultz, Whitney Howard; Children's Message: Orville Altevogt; Tech: Erik Grimm.

NOISY SUNDAY: Mites gathered on Easter Sunday totaled \$92.88.

PLANT SALES FOR SJLS: The LPTL is sponsoring their annual plant sale again. Pre-orders which can include a discount are due April 16th. Plants can be picked up at the school on Friday, April 26th from 4-6 p.m. or Saturday, April 27th from 8-10 a.m. Order forms are on the table by the secretary's office.

LUNCH BUNCH will meet at El Corral in Alma today following the church service. Join us for excellent Mexican food and good fellowship.

VBS LEADERS ARE NEEDED: Join us on April 15th. We need leaders and helpers to serve snacks and lunch, help with crafts, games, music, outdoor recreation, a service project, and photos. We also need a couple of people to be floaters and/or fillers.


ANNIVERSARY EVENT: St. John Lutheran School will host a German-themed lunch after worship service on June 02, 2024, and you can help! If you have a Thrivent Action team card that you would be willing to donate to help with food and supplies, please contact Gayle at the School, 785-765-3914.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION: Agnes Haller will be celebrating her 90th birthday on Sunday, April 21 with an Open House reception. Please join her at the Holy Family Church Hall in Alma, KS from 2-4 pm for cake, punch and fellowship. No gifts please, only your presence is requested.

"THE BLESSINGS OF MARRIAGE": God loves marriage. However, marriage is under attack in our culture today. What are the gifts given by God in marriage? What is the Biblical foundation of marriage? How is the union between Christ and His Bride the Church a picture of marriage?

Whether you're newlyweds or celebrating your golden anniversary, all couples are invited to attend this free seminar. Rev James Woelmer (pastor, Christ Lutheran, Manhattan) will answer these questions and more. You are invited to attend either Wednesday, April 24 from 6:30–8:30 pm or Saturday, April 27 from 3:00-5:00 pm at Christ Lutheran Church 4592 Green Valley Rd. Please RSVP: jwoelmer@gmail.com or call 785-776-2227.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

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- Apr.14 Robert Grimm
Rev. Jim & Bechy Mayes
 - Apr. 15 Westin Maike
Ted & Marilyn Stein
 - Apr. 16 Michael Erikson
JC Whitaker
Christa Kraus
 - Apr. 17 Tim Maike
Stephen Zeckser
Scout Breeden
Richard & Angela Maike
 - Apr. 18 *Chad & Amy Schmitz*
 - Apr. 19 Meyer Pfannensteil
Kota McKinven