

St. John's Lutheran Church
Fifth Sunday of Easter
April 28, 2024

Prelude	
Welcome and Announcements	
<i>(The green hymnal (LBW) will be used during worship)</i>	
*Confession and Forgiveness	p. 56
*Hymn ~ <i>O Jesus, I Have Promised</i>	# 503
*Greeting	p. 57
*Kyrie	p. 57
*Hymn of Praise	p. 59
 <i>Prayers and lessons can be found in Celebrate insert</i>	
*Prayer of the Day ~ <i>in unison</i>	
The Lessons	
*Gospel Acclamation ~ <i>Alleluia. Lord...</i>	p. 62
*The Holy Gospel	
Hymn ~ <i>Children of the Heavenly Father</i>	# 474
Message ~ <i>Following Christ</i>	
*Apostles' Creed	p. 65
Tithes and Thankofferings ~ <i>your gift may be placed in one of the offering plates found at the end of the front and back pews.</i>	
*Offertory ~ <i>Create in me...</i>	p. 75
*Prayers	
*The Lord's Prayer	p. 76
*The Blessing	
*Closing Hymn ~ <i>When Morning Gilds the Skies</i>	# 545
*Dismissal	
Postlude	

Today

Greeters: Chelsea and Merritt Reed

Lay Reader: Chelsea Reed; **Sound:** Jay Byler

Next Sunday ~ May 5

Communion: Brenda Boring; **Greeters:** Ken and Nancy Wyland

Lay Reader: Ken Wyland; **Sound:** Ed Bilich

Pastor: Rev. Mike Sigler Ph. # 717-437-7007

Office Hours ~ Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:00am-Noon
(Subject to change to accommodate meetings, hospital visits, etc)

Organist: Seulki Susie Yoo

Church Office: 935-2032; **Email us** secretary@stjohnsbelleville.org

St. John's Christian Day Care: 935-2959

Our Mission Statement

We, the members of St. John's congregation, promise to share the good news of Jesus Christ, to worship and to love one another in our homes, church, community and the world.

Our Vision Statement

To be people who are welcoming and encourage God's love in our community through our prayer, devotion, benevolence and deeds.

The Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God
by Don and Rosalie Smith, in honor of
all those celebrating birthdays today.

Please remember in prayer ~ Calvin Byler, Charlie Murphy, Anne Peachey, Desa Keiser, Elliana Byler, Kyung Sun Yim, Bob Treaster, Samantha Smith, members ~ Dorie Remensnyder (VVH), Joyce Stuck and Betty Harmon (Greenwood Village).

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

TUESDAY 11:00am Bible Study in blue room

THURSDAY 9:30am Comfort Knotting

NEXT SUNDAY Holy Communion

8:45am Social hour in the blue room

Due to Calvin's recovery set-back, the church office will be closed Monday through Wednesday this week. Kelly will be in Thursday and Friday. Normal office hours should resume next week, with the exception of upcoming doctor visits.

Pastor Sigler will be in the office Tuesday through Thursday, with afternoon visitations and Bible studies Tuesday morning and Wednesday afternoon. If you need to contact him outside his office hours, please feel free to, using the cell number listed above.

There will be a newsletter covering May through the middle of June in member mailboxes next Sunday. The summer newsletter going out mid-June will cover July and August.

At their April 11 meeting, Council discussed and subsequently voted to no longer include the church and daycare financial reports in the weekly bulletins. **INSTEAD, it will be printed on quarter sheets of paper and placed beside the bulletins for anyone interested.**

There will be a Mother/Father Brunch on Sunday, June 2 following the worship service. A sign-up sheet has been placed in the narthex for anyone who would like to attend.

There will be another sign-up next month for anyone willing to help provide breakfast casseroles. Social Ministry is taking care of the paper products, beverages, donuts and fruit tray.

It has been a few quite a few years since St. John's has enjoyed the collective voices of a choir. With renewed interest from several individuals, we are looking to form one again.

If you are interested in being part of our choir, which we hope to begin in September, please sign-up in the narthex. More details to follow throughout the summer months.

It is time for spring cleaning!!!! When you come across those things you may no longer want or need, please remember the **annual yard sale**. We would love to have your unwanted items, in good usable condition, *please, with the exception of TV's and clothing.*

Several people have already blessed us with their unwanted items! Donations may be placed either in front of, or on the stage. Thank you!!

Last week's attendance ~ 35 Offering ~ \$ 1,545.00

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