

**St. John's Lutheran Church**  
**Second Sunday of Easter**  
**April 12, 2026**

Prelude  
Welcome and Announcements  
*(The green hymnal (LBW) will be used during worship)*

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*Prayer of the Day ~ in unison	
The Lessons	
*Gospel Acclamation ~ Alleluia. Lord...	p. 62
*The Holy Gospel	
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*Closing Hymn ~ Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain	# 132
*Dismissal	
Postlude	

**Today**

**Greeters:** Don and Rosalie Smith; **Elevator:** Randy Harshbarger  
**Lay Reader:** Ed Bilich; **Sound:** Joe Kanagy  
**Ushers:** Sue Lynch and Joe Kanagy

**Next Sunday, February 19**

**Comm:** Carol Fultz; **Elevator:** Jim Buchanan  
**Greeter:** Lucy Magda; **Lay Reader:** Chelsea Reed  
**Sound:** Calvin Byler; **Ushers:** Carol Fultz and Nancy Penepacker

**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:** Rick Cole 717-460-7831 or 717-310-4444  
**Church Office:** 935-2032; **Email us** [secretary@stjohnsbelleville.org](mailto: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 Joseph Kanagy in loving memory of his son, Zachary Joseph and in honor of his daughter, Brooke, her husband, Sam and his grandchildren.

Please remember in prayer ~ Joey Taptich and the Dan Taptich family, Calvin Byler, Sandra Metz, Ann Peachey, Bob Keller, Charlie Murphy, Desa Keiser, Elliana Byler, Samantha Smith, our members ~ Buck Metz (VVH), Patsy Carson (Celebration Villa) and Betty Harmon (Greenwood Village).

**THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S**

**TUESDAY** St. John's has Meals on Wheels

**WEDNESDAY 10:30am** Bible Study

**NO** Hand Bell or Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY** St. John's has Meals on Wheels

**9:30am** Comfort Knotting

**NEXT SUNDAY** Holy Communion

St. John's has Meals on Wheels this week and next. **Still needed are Angel food cakes (21<sup>st</sup>), cookies (23<sup>rd</sup>) and monetary donations for the pies/cheesecakes (give to Sue Lynch or church office).** Please sign-up in the narthex if you can help provide any of the desserts.

Pastor Sigler is taking vacation time Monday, April 20 through Saturday, April 25. Pastor Ken Longfield is covering for emergencies and can be reached at 717-250-6696 or you may contact the church office. There will also be no Bible study that week.

The American Red Cross is holding a blood drive this Wednesday, April 15 at the Community Hall. Please call 1-800-733-2767 or visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter: belleville to schedule an appointment.

The church will once again pay fees for any child who would like to attend the camp this summer. Flyers can be found in the narthex and more information is available at [www.campmountluther.org](http://www.campmountluther.org)

The daycare annual yard sale is still a few months away, but if you are doing any cleaning out, we are grateful for anything in clean useable condition. Reminder ~ No clothing or televisions please!

Valley View Haven is still in need of volunteers. Information on how you can help was included in the April newsletter. If you are interested, or have questions, please contact Wendy Garlock at 717-935-2105, ext 123 or email her [GARLOCK@VVRCONLINE.ORG](mailto:GARLOCK@VVRCONLINE.ORG).

Last week's attendance ~ 76      Offering ~ \$4,235.00

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