

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH  
(MEMBER OF WISCONSIN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN  
SYNOD) 36620 COUNTY 4 BLVD.  
GOODHUE, MN 55027**

**October 15, 2023    20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

*Welcome to our visitors! We are so glad you have joined us for worship. Please do us the honor of signing our guestbook, providing your full address. Let us know if we can be of any spiritual service to you in the future.*

**Opening Hymn: CW #873**

**“Rise, My Soul, to Watch and Pray”**

**Order of Service: Setting One, pg. 154**

**Prayer of the Day**

**M:** O God, by the humiliation of Your Son You lifted up this fallen world from the despair of death. By His resurrection to life, grant Your faithful people gladness of heart and the hope of eternal joys; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen**

**Scripture Lesson: Romans 7:21-25** "So I find this law<sup>[a]</sup> at work: When I want to do good, evil is present with me. <sup>22</sup> I certainly delight in God's law according to my inner self, <sup>23</sup> but I see a different law at work in my members, waging war against the law of my mind and taking me captive to the law of sin, which is present in my members. <sup>24</sup> What a miserable wretch I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? <sup>25</sup> I thank God<sup>[b]</sup> through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself serve the law of God with my mind, but with my sinful flesh I serve the law of sin."

**Gospel: John 21:15-17** "When they had eaten breakfast, Jesus asked Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love<sup>[a]</sup> me more than these?" "Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that I care about<sup>[b]</sup> you." Jesus told him, "Feed my lambs." <sup>16</sup> A second time

Jesus asked him, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" He said, "Yes, Lord, you know that I care about you." Jesus told him, "Be a shepherd for my sheep." <sup>17</sup> He asked him the third time, "Simon, son of John, do you care about me?" Peter was grieved because Jesus asked him the third time, "Do you care about me?" He answered, "Lord, you know all things. You know that I care about you." "Feed my sheep," Jesus said."

### **Children's Message**

**Hymn:** CW #867

**"Afflicted Saint, to Christ Draw Near"**

**Sermon**

**Apostle's Creed,** pg. 163

**Offering Hymn:** CW #877 vv. 1-4

**"Reformation Song"**

**Lord's Prayer,** pg.168

**Blessing,** pg. 170

**Closing Hymn:** CW #862

**"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"**

**Communion Schedule:** The Lord's Supper will be offered Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>..

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Please drop a note of encouragement to Zach Luhman-** He has completed basic training and now is doing his Advanced Individual Training:

Private Luhman, Zach, 2nd Platoon  
D. Company 554th EN BN, 1st EN BDE  
6221 Iowa Ave.  
Fort Leonard Wood, MO 65473

**Youth Rally** If you are interested in going to the Youth Rally in Colorado June 25-28 please talk to Pastor today for information. The YPS and church council are working hard to keep the price for attendees at \$100. Thanks to all the people who volunteered at the fair. We have the transportation cost almost totally covered (for transportation \$300

and Registration \$400.) We are hoping to fly. The plans right now are to take the first 16 teens. We already have 4 signed up.

**Martin Luther College Food Drive for November**-See attached insert for the items that they need. Thank you!

**Calendar:**

Oct. 22- Quarterly Voters Meeting after church

Oct. 29-St. John's School K-8 sing

Oct. 29-New Members Welcome after church with Coffee and Desserts

**St. John's Staff**

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**Custodian:** Larry & Brenda Holst

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**Sunday School Superintendent:** Ashley Agenten

**Today's Organist:** Anna Mehrkens

**ST. JOHN'S ELDERS:**

Scott Hinsch, Ken Schrimpf & Trevor Ryan

**ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL BOARD:**

Jonathan Voth, Cameron Peterson & Brandon Lexvold

**USHERS for October** Group 4- Scott Hinsch, Travis Thomforde, Jon

Luhman, Seth Hinsch, Chase Hinsch, Cameron Peterson, Josh Lexvold, Andrew Stumpf, Ben Stumpf, Alex Stehr

**GREETERS**

10/15 David and Deb Gnotke

10/22 Rob and Shelly Ringeisen

**Happy Birthday**

**10/16 John Augustine**

**10/18 Lila Reese 90<sup>th</sup>**

**10/18 Kaleb Luhman, Howard Strusz**

**10/19 Landon Voth, Jay Ryan, Paul Nibbe**

