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THANK GOD FOR THE REFORMATION

October 25, 2020 is the Sunday we plan to celebrate the Festival of the Reformation. Every year at the end of October we observe the Reformation in the church with special divine services. What's the big deal? Why do we keep on bringing up something that happened over 500 years ago?

It's a good question. We who have for many years enjoyed the privilege of coming to church to hear the truth of God's Word and to receive the blessings of the Gospel do well to ponder such things. We begin to arrive at an answer by remembering that not all Christians have had these blessings, which we sometimes take for granted.

Prior to the Reformation, the Christian church was beset by severe troubles. In western Christendom the Papacy had partially usurped the authority of civil government, and claimed a divine authority over the church that it did not rightfully have. The church had drifted toward becoming a religion in which one was saved through an elaborate systems of good works, which included penances, indulgences, veneration of relics, prayers addressed to saints, the sacrifice of the mass, and so forth. There was in general a profound ignorance of the true Gospel.

But God did not forsake His church! Through a movement of serious study of the Bible on the part of certain teachers within the church, most notably Dr. Martin Luther, God brought the truth of the Gospel back to clarity and prominence. The centerpiece of this Gospel truth is Jesus Christ and His saving work. He is not our salvation-helper or our salvation-facilitator; Jesus is our complete Savior! He suffered and died for our sins to atone for them completely. He rose again from the dead to destroy the reign of death over us. God has justified – declared righteous – the whole world on account of Christ's saving merits, and we receive that justification individually only through faith in Jesus Christ.

As Luther and the other reformers proclaimed this truth anew, many people believed it, and thus were released from their bondage to error and spiritual darkness. They came to know the grace and mercy of God in Jesus Christ, and to have the blessed certainty of salvation, because everlasting life is God's free gift in His Son. It is this movement of renewed study of Scripture and pure Gospel preaching and teaching that we call the Reformation.

You can understand, then, why Christians today still celebrate God's Reformation of the church – as well we should! For we are direct beneficiaries of the Reformation! Because of the work our Lord did through Luther and his associates, the Gospel truth has been preserved for us and our children and grandchildren and many more generations to come. We know Jesus Christ. We know He is our Savior, and we receive His gift of salvation through faith in Him alone. We need not wonder whether or not our life is good enough for entrance into heaven; we know it is not. Yet we also know Christ's life is good enough of all of us! Christ's death and resurrection have gained forgiveness of sins and everlasting life for us all. So we live in the joyful confidence that we are in fact saved, and thus we are free to serve our Lord without fear, and with great thanksgiving and gladness.

As children of the Reformation Gospel, we do well to remember God's goodness to us by celebrating the Festival of the Reformation every year. So we invite everyone to join together in our Reformation services on Sunday, October 25 with hearts full of thanksgiving. To God alone be all the glory!

- Pastor Bishop

Matthew

Mark

Luke

John

Christian Education Sunday School

Perfect Attendance
August 2020

None

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS



Oct 01

Brayden Hoover

Oct 02

Joyce Fornoff
Elizabeth Niemann Beaman

Oct 04

Norah Abatie
John Adkins
Melissa Hoyle
Theresa Isenberg
Vincent Tennell

Oct 05

Wesley Bussey
Hanna Hicks
Aaron Miller

Oct 06

Pastor Daniel Bishop
Addison Decker
Silas Gould
Karen Hall
Madelyn Hicks
Maci Hicks

Oct 07

Richard Becker
Paul Driskell
Sean Kelley

Oct 08

Benjamin Gould
Zachary Stoehr
Linda Wagner
Katherine Wright

Oct 09

Brayden Bounds
Griffin Glass
Brian Williamson

Oct 10

Robert Oliverius

Oct 11

Lucas Woith

Oct 12

Joyce Long

Oct 13

Douglas King

Oct 14

Wilmadean Habberfield
Tricia Thomason
Diane Wagle

Oct 15

Denise Adkins
Michael Wiseman

Oct 16

Shelley Gee
Becky Hacker

Oct 17

Nicole DeBoer
Garret Kesselmayr
Laura Nelson

Oct 20

Eric Dupent
Kelsy Stoehr

Oct 21

James Bohannon
Dianne Bolen
Michele Deiss
Mackenzie Hoyle

Oct 22

Julie Noble

Oct 23

Gregory Becker
Laura Shadle

Oct 24

Brian Fuelberth
Adam Miller
Dawson Reese

Oct 25

Brian Ford

Oct 26

Delmar Deiss, Jr.
Rev. Bruce Lakamp
Nicholas Nafziger
Vincent Oltman
Daniel Sego

Oct 27

Ryan Engelbright

Oct 28

Jamie Bohannon
John Durdle
Thomas Ivey

Oct 29

Alecia Blakeslee
Shane Decker
Beth Ruder

Oct 30

Olivia Driskell
William Isenberg

Oct 31

Bonnie Guengerich
Robert Whitlatch

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES



Oct 01
Ross & Diane Gould

Oct 03
Jonathan & Shantel Becker
Eric & Amanda Ferguson

Oct 05
Troy & Susan Keefer
Mickey & Debee Pitchford

Oct 07
Brian & Molly Hicks

Oct 08
Raymond & Karen Hall

Oct 10
Brian & Tracy Lundeen

Oct. 13
Del & Laura Beideck

Oct 15
Mark & Tomi Pfan

Oct 17
Mike & Stefanie Wilson

Oct 18
Matthew & Monica Lappie

Oct 20
Mike & Jackie Nauth
Joseph & Lori Schiavone

Oct 21
David & Nancy Drockelman
Brian & Ann Fuelberth

Oct. 23
Philip & Janelle Hopping

Oct 25
Terry & Nancy Swearingen

Oct 29
Daniel & Michelle Watson

Oct 31
Horst & Waltraud Hupke

PARISH NOTES



Church Attendance

Aug 2020	406	15
Aug 2019	607	12
Aug 2018	558	12

Sunday School Attendance

Aug 2020	426
Aug 2019	1,419
Aug 2018	1,416

ACOLYTES



Oct 04

8:00	Carter Miller
10:30	Ella Friedinger

Oct 11

8:00	Lilly Daniels
10:30	Ava Friedinger

Oct 18

8:00	Carter Miller
10:30	Ella Friedinger

Oct 25

8:00	Lilly Daniels
10:30	Ava Friedinger

Elders Communion Assistance

Oct 04	8:00	Brian Umbach
	10:30	Del Beideck
	7:00	Tom Ivey

Oct 18	:00	Brian Umbach
	10:30	Del Beideck
	7:00	Tom Ivey

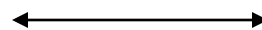
***No daily meal is complete
without the "Bread of Life."***

Videographers

Trina/Ethan Szadkowski

Worship

Valerie Ferguson



Ushers

8:00

James Lonergan
James Widby
Merle Wiseman

10:30

Brian Ford
Nate Ford
Trent Hoover
Brian Umbach

USHERS

Ushers are needed at both services. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact John Neumann @ 346-1922.

The Flower Chart for 2021 has been ordered and will be posted in the Narthex soon. Please sign-up for the Sunday(s) that you would like to provide flowers for the altar and **call the office, 347-2136**, and let us know what you would like in the bulletin.

If you want special flowers for the Altar you need to call Artistic Flowers—347-0022 or they will do seasonal flowers.

Remember you can pick up your flowers after the 7:00 p.m. service (please leave the green liners) or Mon. to Fri. from 8:00 a.m. to 12 Noon.

Flowers are \$40.00 (unless you order special flowers then there could be an additional charge) with a \$5.00 delivery charge. Checks should be made payable to St. John's. We can contact you when we receive invoice from Artistic.



**TREASURER'S REPORT
AUGUST, 2020**



HI-LITES OF ST. JOHN'S VOTERS ASSEMBLY

September 14, 2020

	<u>Aug</u>	<u>Y-T-D</u>
<u>INCOME</u>	38,014.43	255,982.44
<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>26,977.45</u>	<u>222,507.16</u>
<u>INCOME</u>	\$11,136.98	\$33,475.28
<u>EXPENSES</u>		
<u>CURRENT Checking & Link Money Market</u>		
General Fund		-15,600.72
PPP Checking Account		<u>2,925.88</u>
General Fund Total		-12,674.84
<u>Educational Fund Accounts</u>		
Educational Grant Fund Checking		4,727.56
Educational Grant Fund CD #1		103,681.64
Educational Grant Fund #2-Vanguard		<u>71,146.03</u>
Educational Fund Total		179,555.23
<u>East Bluff Property</u>		
East Bluff Property—Vanguard		43,338.11
East Bluff Property Fund CD		107,492.84
Cat Stock at FMV		<u>52,513.39</u>
East Bluff Property Fund		203,344.34
Building Fund Checking		57,577.04
Sunday School Fund Checking		11,570.25
Memorial Fund Checking		<u>31,975.60</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		\$471,347.62
Checking Account Balance		<u>93,175.61</u>
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<u>LIABILITIES</u>		
Note Payable		19,515.32
PPP Loan		24,900.00
Payroll Liabilities		1,575.63
Misc LCMS Orgs Fund		<u>(15.00)</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		45,975.95
<u>FUND BALANCE</u>		
Building Improvements		-299,680.34
Net Income (Loss)		33,475.28
Capital Accounts		<u>691,576.73</u>
TOTAL FUND BALANCE		425,371.67
TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE:		\$471,347.62

Ron Reising called the meeting to order. A quorum was present. Pastor Bishop opened with devotions.

Pastor Bishop noted that nursing homes, hospitals, etc., were not allowing visits due to COVID restrictions. Pastor also indicated that he didn't feel comfortable going to homes until about July, just to make sure that he was fully recovered, so he was doing a lot of visits by phone and private communions at church. Pastor is still doing some visits by phone as there are still restrictions in place so he is proceeding as best he can considering the circumstances. On a bright note, Pastor indicated that he has been able to get out at least once to nursing homes, etc., to do communion.

The June Parish report was reviewed. In addition, as a carryover from the June meeting, the May Parish report needed to be approved. A motion was made by Randy Couch, seconded by Dave Drockelman, to accept both reports. Motion carried. The July and August Parish reports were also reviewed. A motion was made by Dave Kesselmayer, seconded by Cheryl Ivy, to accept both reports. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Bob Oliverius, seconded by Brian Umbach, to approve the May meeting minutes. Motion carried. A motion was made by Julie Wagner, seconded by Don Schoedel, to approve the June meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – Nancy Drockelman presented the June 2020 Treasurer's Report. Nancy also discussed the PPP grant, thanked those who have given generously, and the rent received from Comcast as helping to improve the status of the General Fund. Ross Gould moved, seconded by Brian Umbach, to approve the June 2020 Treasurer's Report. Motion carried. Nancy presented the July 2020 Treasurer's Report. Don Schoedel moved, seconded by Randy Couch, to approve the July 2020 Treasurer's Report. Motion carried. Nancy presented the August 2020 Treasurer's Report. Julie Wagner moved, seconded by Brian Umbach, to approve the August 2020 Treasurer's Report. Motion carried.

Board of Trustees – Ross Gould reported that the bids for the masonry work are about \$60,000. He has been working with Daryl Dagit to determine from which funds the money will be pulled. It is proposed that \$45,000 would come from the building fund and the rest from the memorial fund. Ross indicated that the company with the lowest bid was Western Waterproofing out of Springfield. They have done work for us before.

Ross made a motion on behalf of the Trustees for no more than \$65,000, of which, \$45,000 would come from the

building fund and no more than \$20,000 coming from the memorial fund to pay for the masonry repairs. Discussion took place as normally this item would have to be held over for 30 days. While this was discussed at the June meeting, no motion was made at that time. However, if there is a 30-day delay, the work might not be able to be completed this year and would have to wait until spring. It was questioned as to whether this rule could be suspended for this item. It was noted that with a motion, this rule could be suspended. Valerie Ferguson moved, seconded by Bob Oliverius, to suspend the rule that this expenditure be held over for 30 days. Motion carried. Ross motioned, seconded by Dave Kesselmayer, to use \$45,000 from the building fund and no more than \$20,000 coming from the memorial fund to pay for the masonry repairs. Motion carried.

Ross also noted that the cleaning that is being done between and after services is going well. He thanked everyone who is involved with the cleaning for their help. The ash tree out front that was dying has been removed. The intent is that at some point a couple of new trees will be planted in front. There are roofing repairs and plumbing repairs in the educational building that need to be addressed. This is one reason that the Trustees did not want to use all the funds from the building fund for the tuck-pointing.

Board of Elders – Dave Drockelman reported that the church helped a family with their utility bill. They will be meeting this Saturday on a process to make calls on delinquent members.

Board of Finance – Nancy Drockelman reported that the committee met in July and discussed the upcoming trustee project and the availability of funds.

Board of Christian Education – Shantel Tackmann reported that there was no update. Ross added an update on Good Shepherd. Numbers are down a bit due to COVID. The school lost a pre-school teacher. The position has been replaced with part-time help. The school is dealing pretty well with COVID issues. There was discussion concerning GSLs school families and the shortfall on the part of a couple of families in contributing their portion of the tuition payments. It was questioned as to what procedure is followed when a parent is not meeting their commitment to pay 40% of the tuition for their student. Discussion continued and it was determined that we would need to get with the other 2 churches to see what they do. Pastor provided additional perspective on how other schools operate and what the mission is for providing a Lutheran school for members to ensure their children get a Christian education. Ross has a Good Shepherd board meeting coming up and he will bring up the topic.

Board of Worship – Valerie Ferguson reported that the board met on the 3rd of September. She reported that even though we are not using the Friendship books right now, they are going to be replaced as they were not in good

shape. Two new banners have been ordered for use on Sundays where there is a patriotic theme. Val thanked the congregation for their donations for new Christmas trees. Two new trees have been purchased. They will be put up on November 28th.

Board of Evangelism – Pastor reported that the board has not met since June. Since the Marigold festival was cancelled, the next meeting will take place in October. The committee is hoping to have a Friendship Sunday in November.

Board of Stewardship – No report.

Long Range Planning Committee – No report.

Educational Grant Fund Committee – No report.

East Bluff Property Committee – No report.

Constitution By-laws Committee – No report.

Unfinished business – No unfinished business reported.

New business – Sandy sent out a copy of the proposed budget worksheet for 2021 to the committee chairs. Worksheets should be completed and returned to Daryl by mid-October. Also, committee chairmen should be working on making sure they have people for their committees for the upcoming year.

A motion was made by Brian Umbach, seconded by Bob Oliverius, to adjourn the meeting which closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Wagner
Secretary

*A wise old owl lived in an oak,
The more he saw, the less he spoke;
The less he spoke, the more he heard,
Why can't we be like that old bird?*



Start thinking about ordering Poinsettias to help beautify our church for Christmas. Watch for more information in future bulletins and November's Journal regarding price, deadline date, etc. Thank you.

SHARE PROGRAM

Please help us to restock the SHARE shelves for this fall and winter months: canned meats, peanut butter, lite fruits, sweetened or unsweetened applesauce, low sodium veggies (corn, green beans, peas, mixed), sugar free Jell-O and/or instant puddings, soups (hearty as well as "cream of") mashed potatoes, mac and cheese (elbow macaroni and "boxed cheese"), spaghetti and sauces, granola bars, instant oatmeal, cereals, and soda crackers. Hamburger (tuna, chicken) helper, rice or potato side dishes, gravies (canned or dry), tomatoes (whole, diced, sauce, paste), beef stew, baked beans, and condiments.

Non-food basics like toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, shampoo/conditioner, hand soap, toothpaste, laundry soap, dish soap, various sizes Band-Aids.

For the holidays, we wish to purchase frozen turkey breasts or spiral hams. We would like to add fruit or pumpkin pie makings, corn bread mix, stuffing, as well as some "luxury items" as seasonal napkins, hand or body lotion, bottled water, collection of tea bags or individual drink packets.

Thank you to members who have been faithful in contributing to items for the SHARE room, both food and non-food items. They have been greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions, please contact Darla Schorr, 267-9800, or Pastor Bishop.



LIBRARY CORNER

By Eileen Tiona

"What good is it for a man to gain the whole world, but forfeit his soul." Mark 8:36

I haven't any new books to report on this month, but you are welcome to come into the library and check out all the other wonderful books that are available for your enjoyment.

PASTOR KESSELMAYER was ordained 65 years ago on September 18. Thank you for your many years of service.

NOVEMBER 8 will be Friendship Sunday at St. John's

Let's start thinking about who we can invite to attend church with us on November 8.

ORGANIZATIONS

FELLOWSHIP CLUB

St. John's Fellowship Club will meet on Sunday, October 11, at 9:00 a.m. between services in the church basement.

YOUTH GROUP

We are looking forward to our October activity, which will be a mini-retreat to Camp CILCA for some volunteer work, picnic lunch, devotion, and challenge course activities and/or hiking. This will be an all-day event Saturday, Oct. 17. Meet here at the church at 8:00 a.m., and wear clothing suitable for outdoor work and recreation.

Next month is our Fall cleanup and other helpful for senior church members.

LADIES GUILD *By Leslie Hauk*

The St. John's Ladies Guild will meet Thursday, October 22 at 6:00 p.m.

This is a great opportunity for anyone interested in finding out more about Guild.

LWML Women in Faith

Because of the COVID epidemic, St. John's will not be partnering with the Children's Home of Peoria for the Giving Tree this year. Our congregation's LWML group, Women in Faith, has decided to step in. The ladies need your help, though. They are looking for names of people/families who are in need in our congregation and/or the Pekin area. Please submit names to Faye Kesselmayer by Sunday, November 22. You may contact her either at home: 309-346-0569 or on her cell: 309-202-7350. Concerns about confidentiality may be discussed with Faye at that time. The Giving Tree will be up during Advent. Thank you for your help.

The Lutheran Women of Greater Peoria (LWGP) are once again selling the Dining Tour Books as a fundraiser for the Lutheran Hillside Village and Lutheran Social Services.

The cost is \$30 each.

If you would like to purchase one, please contact Marilyn Liescheidt at 346-0396.

Annual Peoria Area Life Chain

Central Illinois Right to Life will sponsor the annual Life Chain on Sunday, October 4, from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. at Planned Parenthood, corner of Knoxville and Hanssler Place.

Call Dan at 309-691-3611 for more details.

'TIS THE SEASON OF STEWARDSHIP AND GRATITUDE. SHARE YOURS WITH US.

If you are a **THRIVENT FINANCIAL** member with Choice Dollars® to direct, you can help our church continue its ministry here and reach out to the greater community.

Simply direct Choice Dollars to **St. John's**. You can make your direction online at **Thrivent.com** or call Thrivent at **800-847-4836**, and say "Thrivent Choice®" after the prompt.

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You can take old cell phones to the Police Department. They will remove all information and fix the phone for 911 calls. They will then give the phone to someone who needs it.



CAMP CILCA Upcoming Events this Fall

The **Catechetical Retreat** for anyone in grades 5-12 is coming up **Saturday, October 3 at Camp CILCA**. This event is ONE DAY only and will include all outdoor activities, instruction from CID pastors, worship, and two meals. Individuals and whole youth groups are welcome. Cost is \$40. Register at www.cilca.org/catechetical-retreat.html.

Oct 17: Dudes Shooting Retreat -Target shooting for men & boys, Bible study, lunch; a fun & safe way to introduce firearms to the next generation.

The **G.R.I.T. Run at Camp CILCA is October 24** at 10am. This **in-person** 5K winds through the 225 acres of CILCA across creek beds, trails, fields, and hills. Adults run for \$30. 18 & under run for \$10. Top overall male and female runners receive a CILCA hoodie. Sign up at cilca.org/homecoming.

Please feel free to contact Pastor Theilen if you have any questions.

LIFE ESSAY CONTEST

Sponsored by Peoria Area Lutherans for Life
For 5th through 8th Grades

The theme: Proverbs 31:8 "Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves."

Please choose on of the following **Life Issues** and compose your essay keeping in mind the direction from God in Proverbs 31:8. They would like to hear your beliefs about your topic expressed in a way that would be helpful and convincing for your readers.

Abortion	The Unborn
Euthanasia	Adoption
Stem Cell Research	Sanctity of Human Life

Submit all entries no later than December 11, 2020 by mailing to:

Peoria Area Lutherans for Life
c/o Bob Wegner
1179 County Road 700 N
Eureka, IL 61530

For more information, see the bulletin board in the gym.

Questions? Contact LFL President, Bob Wegner @ 309-481-4886, or cbwegner@outlook.com.



We want to thank everyone who sent cards of encouragement to me while I was at Brighton Gardens here in Tampa. It meant so much to receive so much mail because those 6 weeks without visitors were a long time away from home for both of us. Your thoughtfulness and caring will always be remembered. Buzz and Deanna. Oltman

Received a thank you letter from Lutherans for Life thanking us for our donation of \$104.16.

**PARENTS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS or
FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE MILITARY:**

Please let the office know the address of your college student(s) or if you have someone serving in our Armed Forces. We would like to send them our monthly newsletter and other information. Thank you.

In Our Prayers

*If you know of anyone who needs to be added,
please let the church office know.*

All our shut-ins

Adam Jackson - member of Armed Services
(grand-nephew of Lila Lisenbee)

Pastor Niemann	Pastor Kesselmayer
Mark Reeder	Lois Becker
Bob Watson	Cheryl Williams
Bernice Mack	Robert Scott
Stacie Kendall	Bob Funk
Tim Johnston	Donna Bollinger
Billie Jackson	Donna Corso
Lynda Adkins	Flo McClure
Joe Goodin	Sam Kendall
Sandy Morgan	Rick Jarvis
Rita Lakamp	Ellen Morrison
Herb Groenwald	Vince "Buzz" Oltman
Shirley Williamson	Wilmadean Habberfield
Debee Pitchford	Joyce Wertz
Christian Bouche	Peggy Patten
Carolyn Urish	Ray Barnes
Larry Turner	Robert Gregory
Lucille Benker	Marian McDaniels Allen
Marcille Frevert	Barb Thompson
Joyce Long	Jerry Guengerich
Pam Nutter	Veva Martin
Priscilla Aderholtz	Tim Gay
Susan Waddell	

And all those who have been affected by COVID-19.

LIFE ESSAY CONTEST

Sponsored by Peoria Area Lutherans for Life
For High School Students

The theme: Proverbs 31:8 "Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves."

Please choose on of the following **Life Issues** and compose your essay keeping in mind the direction from God in Proverbs 31:8. They would like to hear your beliefs about your topic expressed in a way that would be helpful and convincing for your readers.

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**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN SCHOOL
OCTOBER NEWSLETTER**

October 9 - No School - Teacher Conference/Meetings

October 12 - No School - Columbus Day

October 16 - End of 1st Quarter

October 120 - School Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

October 23- Awards Assembly at 2:45 p.m./Report Card day

October 25 - Sing at St. John's - Sand Prairie at 8:00 am

October 30 - Reformation / Fall Party (see teacher for time)

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Matt. 5:43-6:4

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Sermons of Jesus 2

ANNOUNCE	DOING
BEFORE	DONE
BROTHERS	ENEMY
CAREFUL	EVEN
CAUSES	EVIL
FATHER	GOOD
HEAVEN	GIVING
HONORED	GREET
NEIGHBOR	HAND
PAGANS	HATE
PERFECT	HEARD
RECEIVED	KNOW
REWARD	LOVE
RIGHTEOUS	NEEDY
SECRET	PRAY
STREETS	RISE
TRUMPETS	SENDS
TRUTH	SONS
PERSECUTE	
COLLECTORS	

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