

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

SUNDAY, 9/10.. **8am Divine Worship**; 9:15am Coffee Hour; 9:30am Bible Study; **11am Divine Worship**; 1:30pm Church & Conference Room Rental; 3pm Conference Room Rental; 4:30pm Church Rental; **6pm Divine Worship**  
MONDAY, 9/11.. 7pm Boy Scouts/LCC Rehearsal  
TUESDAY, 9/12.. 6pm Dorcas Board Meeting; 6:30pm BoCE Meeting; 7pm Gym Rental  
WEDNESDAY, 9/13.. 9am Children's Chapel; 9:30am Support Group; 4:30pm Midweek Worship; 5pm Gym Rental; 6pm Food Pantry  
THURSDAY, 9/14.. 6:30pm Early Childhood, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Meetings/Gym Rental; 7:30pm Support Group  
FRIDAY, 9/15..  
SATURDAY, 9/16.. 9am Gym Rental; 12pm Ellinger Hall & Bowling Alley Rental; 4:30pm Fellowship Room & Bowling Alley Rental  
SUNDAY, 9/17.. **8am Divine Worship**; 9:15am Coffee Hour; 9:30am Bible Study; **11am Divine Worship**; 1:30pm Church & Conference Room Rental; 3pm Conference Room Rental; 4:30pm Church Rental; **6pm Divine Worship**

**START FORMING YOUR TABLE..** for St. John's Trivia Night. Please join us Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> as our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will be hosting a Trivia Night with new games in between rounds. Forms will be available in the narthex. If you have any questions please contact Michelle Runge at [mrunge@stjohnschicago.org](mailto:mrunge@stjohnschicago.org).

**VOTER'S MEETING..**

Will take place in the Fellowship Room on Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup> after the 11am service. The peaceful release of Mr. Markworth's call will be before us. We will also review the budget, progress of the mortgage and various reports, and a bylaw change. An open discussion will begin (but not come to a vote) regarding the Divine Service schedule. Also, nominations for the NID convention and a selection of our lay delegate will occur.

**BOOK FAIR..** Everyone is invited to come to the Book Fair here at St. John's on Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> from 3:30 to 6:30pm in the Fellowship Room. Stop by to see what is offered and go home with a good book to enjoy.

**FLEA MARKET/GARAGE SALE..** will take place on Sunday September 17<sup>th</sup> from 9am to 2pm at the Copernicus Center Parking Lot. There will be something for everyone with 30 vendors in attendance.

**EAGLET- September 10, 2017**  
**INTERCESSORY PRAYERS TODAY...**

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**Prayer Chain - September 5, 2017**

**PEACE AND COMFORT:** for all those who have suffered a loss and continue to mourn.

**CANCER:** **Charles Lorenz**; Paul Abts; Anna Rowley; John; Elisabeth Bannerman; Dennis; Stephen's brother; **Sandra; Margie Walk-Faust**; Arlene Carberry; Karen; Denise Taggart; Edie; Dylan; Lukas; Jay True; Kristine Edmunds, Alma Hill.

**HEALING & RECOVERY:** **Jennifer Friend; Emma Byall; Melinda Ortega; Nancy**; Elizabeth; **Bev Bricker; Carol Walz's** brother; **Ann Keaton**; Jin Sun Zuehsow; **Carrie O'Grady**; Ralph Helfen; Terri – MS; Rick Giovacchini – pain management and healing; Terri – suffering from MS and shingles; Sharnice Cyprien – a disciplined diet to aide with weight loss, healing from the negative effects of the excess weight.

**HOSPICE:** Rich; Robert Phillips; Maria Marta Castaneda (**Claudia Castro's** sister)

**REHAB:** **Pattie Wolke**; Debbie; Helen; Marge Howard – fell and broke her neck, husband Gillis fell and broke his hip.

**MISC PRAYERS:** Evert Berger – that he finds what makes him most happy in life so he may be a present father, partner, and friend; all affected by *Hurricane Harvey*; protection from Hurricane Irma, that it would not touch land; the flooding in South Asia where 1200 people have lost their lives; for those affected by the wildfires in Montana and California.

**PRAISE & THANKS:** **Bette Heide** - lymph nodes are clear of cancer; healthy baby boy Gabriel **Cho**; fever gone for the **Wardecki** kids; those who labor for the LCMS Disaster response team, Lutheran Church Charities, and the many others who are serving the hurricane victims in any capacity.

**PREGNANCIES:** Heather; Dani Barzano; **Jayme Wier, Rachel Lent**  
**CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:** our Seminarian, **Chris Antonetti**; safety for Police, Firemen and our military; the unemployed and under employed; for growth and stability of St. John's and Concordia Chicago; our Missionary family; our church and school leaders; wisdom for our government leaders and for our nation.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL..** will kick off the new season with Rally Day today in the Church Parlor at 9:30am for all children through 5<sup>th</sup> grade.

**LUTHERAN HOUR..** 6am on WGN AM720 for September 17<sup>th</sup> is **"Unleash the Power of Forgiveness in Your Life."** Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz. Life with God is not about keeping score; it's about living for others in the grace Jesus earned for us. (Matthew 18:21-35)

**WORSHIP FOR SHUT-INS..** airs Sundays at 11:30am on Comcast Channel 138. The topic for September 17<sup>th</sup> is **"Forgive"** When someone wrongs us, the world says, "Get revenge!" But Christ tells us to respond in a different way: to forgive. We can actually do this, motivated by the Gospel.

**LADIES BOOK CLUB..** will be reading *Animal, Vegetable, Miracle: A Year of Food Life* by Barbara Kingsolver. The author and her family abandon the industrial-food pipeline to live a rural life. This book is part memoir, part journalistic investigation and is an interesting narrative that will open eyes to the old truth: You are what you eat.

**A DOOR COLLECTION..** will be held today to help the relief efforts with Hurricane Harvey. All money collected will be sent to LCMS, earmarked for Disaster Relief. Please consider to giving what you can to help the people in Texas.

**THE NEW CHURCH DIRECTORIES..** are available and in the back of church for anyone that wants one or two.

**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK..** FEAR has two meanings... Forget Everything And Run, or Face Everything And Rise. The choice is yours.

**WALCAMP FALL FESTIVAL..** will take place on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> from 12 to 5pm. Your \$10.00 entry per car includes a fun-filled day of activities for all ages and a free kid's meal with purchase of adult meal. Also includes a FREE raffle ticket for the Grand Door prize. For more information you can visit their website at [www.Walcamp.org](http://www.Walcamp.org) or call at 815-784-5141.

**THIS WEEK ON KFUE.org,** we share about special education in Lutheran schools with Lutheran Special Education Ministries (Faith & Family 9/14 @ 10am CT), begin studying the Gospel of Luke on Thy Strong Word (weekdays @ 11am CT), and study Philipians and Colossians on Sharper with Rev. Jonathan Fisk and guest pastors (weekdays @ 8am CT). Call 800-730-2727 or email [letstalk@kfuo.org](mailto:letstalk@kfuo.org) to join the conversation on "Let's Talk!"

**JEFFERSON PARK SUNDAY MARKET..** will take place today from 9:30am to 1:30pm. Support your favorite vendors and purchase locally grown food this weekend. They are located at 4822 N. Long in Chicago.

**NORWOOD PARK SENIOR CENTER..** will be celebrating their 8th Anniversary Celebration on Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 3pm to 4pm at Norwood Park Senior Center which is located at 5801 N. Natomas in Chicago. Make new friends, savor refreshments and enjoy the live music and dance performance of the Na Kupuna Ukulele Club of Chicago. For more information about this or other events, call (773) 775-6071 or email [info@npseniorcenter.org](mailto:info@npseniorcenter.org).

**OUR WEDNESDAY WORSHIP SERVICE..** is now being held each week at 4:30pm. If you can't make our Sunday services, worship with us on Wednesdays.

**YOUR "GIFTS OF LOVE" IN RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL..**

**OUR WEEKLY ATTENDANCE IN THE LORD'S HOUSE**  
 Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>  
 8am=84; 11am=59; 6pm=9  
 Bible Studv= 33

Our "Gifts of Love"	Week of: 09/03/17	Goal:
Contributions	\$3,612.00	\$5,136.00
Mortgage	\$901.00	\$1,223.00
Missions	\$95.00	
Memorial	\$0.00	

**SERVING IN TODAY'S WORSHIP**

**Preacher:** Rev. Richard Heinz (8am, 11am & 6pm)  
**Organist:** Mark Eggert (8am & 11am)  
**Fellowship Hour:** Coffee Hour Committee  
**Communion:** Cheryl Fasshauer (8am & 11am); Elders (6pm)  
**The Trustee:** Tim Wier (opening) Don Erber (closing)

# THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



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