

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

SUNDAY, 10/01.. **8am Divine Worship**; 9:15am Coffee Hour; 9:30am Bible Study/Sunday School; **11am Divine Worship**; 1:30pm Church & Conference Room Rental; 2pm Fellowship Room Rental; 3pm Conference Room Rental; 4:30pm Church Rental; **6pm Divine Worship**

MONDAY, 10/02.. 7pm Cub Scouts/LCC Rehearsal

TUESDAY, 10/03.. 7am Conference Room Rental; 5pm Wendy's Night; 7pm Board of Elder's Meeting/Dorcas Meeting/Gym Rental

WEDNESDAY, 10/04.. 9am Children's Chapel; 9:30am Support Group; 4:30pm Midweek Worship; 5pm Gym Rental; 6pm Food Pantry; 6:30pm STEM Scouts

THURSDAY, 10/05.. 6:30pm Chancel Bells/Gym Rental; 7:30pm Church Choir/Support Group in Ellinger Hall

FRIDAY, 10/06.. No School – Teacher Meeting

SATURDAY, 10/07.. 8am Gym Rental; 9am Cub Scout Car Wash; 11am Fellowship Room & Bowling Alley Rental; 3pm Fellowship Room & Bowling Alley Rental; 4pm Ellinger Hall Rental

SUNDAY, 10/08.. **8am Divine Worship**; 9:15am Coffee Hour; 9:30am Bible Study/Sunday School; **11am Divine Worship**; 1:30pm Church & Conference Room Rental; 2pm Fellowship Room Rental; 2:30pm Ellinger Hall & Bowling Alley Rental; 3pm Conference Room Rental; 4:30pm Church Rental; **6pm Divine Worship**

**JUST ONE WEEK LEFT..** to get your team together for the Annual 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Class Trivia Night. New and exciting games are going to be played in between rounds to keep you engaged all night long. Please have all forms turned in by Wednesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>. You can find the form in the Narthex or if you would like more information please contact Denise Zanders at dzanders@stjohnschicago.org.

**FREE FLU SHOTS..** will be given to anyone 10 and older on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 to 11:30am in the Nurses Office in the Church Parlor. Please bring your Medicare or health insurance card.

**PORTALS OF PRAYER..** October through December issues are available in the narthex. Please feel free to pick one up.

**SCOUTS CAR WASH..** will take place on Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> in the parking lot. The scouts will be ready to scrub your car clean from 9am to 3pm. A free will offering will be collected.

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**INTERCESSORY PRAYERS TODAY...**

**CROWN OF LIFE..** +Violet Anderson+

**HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL..** Judy Knueppel

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**Prayer Chain**

**September 26, 2017**

**PEACE AND COMFORT:** Howard family and friends on the passing of Gillis Howard; Lyons family and friends on the passing of 27 year old Chris Lyons; Saxton family on the passing of their father; Stacy and family on the passing of their grandmother; 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; Edie; Dylan; Lukas; Jay True, Kristine Edmunds, Alma Hill.

**HEALING & RECOVERY:** **Melinda Ortega**; **Nancy**; Elizabeth; **Bev Bricker**; **Carol Walz's** brother; **Ann Keaton**; Jin Sun Zuehsow; **Carrie O'Grady**; Ralph Helfen; Terri – MS; Rick Giovacchini; Terri; **Margie Giess**; Migdalia Armenteros; **Will Uffenbeck**; **Dan Friend**; Terri Moorey; Terry Salm; Noreen Salm; **Mark Zanders** – shoulder surgery; Amy – hospitalized with ulcers; Lana – worsening heart condition; Hendricks family – uncle suddenly became ill and is on life support; Kathy – recently hospitalized for severe kidney infection; Mimi – coping with numerous health issues which exacerbates her anxiety and depression; those struggling with alcohol and drug addiction and their families and friends who suffer alongside them.

**HOSPICE:** Rich; Robert Phillips; Ruth Martin

**REHAB:** **Pattie Wolke**; Debbie; Helen; Marge Howard; **Judy Knueppel** – hip replacement.

**MISC PRAYERS:** Those affected by the hurricanes, floods and fires; Theodore Kowalski – born 12 weeks early to **Matt Pahnke's** sister Becca and her husband Joe; Ellen – comfort and peace while going through a very stressful time; Tabatha Wolfi; Debbie – having difficulty coping with the recent loss of her job.

**PRAISE AND THANKS:** Etta Jane is being adopted; Sadie's leg is healing; on the baptism of **Gabriel Sungmin Cho**.

**PREGNANCIES:** Heather; Dani Barzano; **Jayne Wier**, **Rachel Lent**  
**CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:** our Seminarians, **Chris Antonetti** and Connor Wondrasch; 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.

**LUTHERAN HOUR..** 6am on WGN AM720 for October 8<sup>th</sup> is **"No Selfies Needed"** Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz. God isn't afraid of messy people. He loves the broken, embraces the outcast, and seeks the lost. (Philippians 4:4-14)

**WORSHIP FOR SHUT-INS..** airs Sundays at 11:30am on Comcast Channel 138. The topic for October 8<sup>th</sup> is **"God's Vineyard"** God calls us, His people, His vineyard. That is because even though a vineyard requires much care and attention, the final harvest is well worth it. Jesus paid the ultimate price to make us God's vineyard.

**LADIES BOOK CLUB..** is reading *The Scarlet Letter* by Nathaniel Hawthorne and *Marking Time: The Radium Girls of Ottawa* by Heinz Dietrich Suppan. Be sure to start reading now so that you will be ready when you meet on Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup>.

**CHURCH CHOIR..** begins Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:45pm. All men and women, high school and older, who love to sing praises to our Lord are invited to join together in the Music Room. Chancel Bell Choir practice will also begin that evening at 6:30pm in the church. If you have always thought about trying to ring the bells don't be afraid. It only takes a few practices, and you will be ringing like a pro!

**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK..** If you saw the size of the blessing coming you would understand the magnitude of the battle you're fighting.

**ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH..** will be hosting a special Reformation musical event on Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at 6pm. They are looking for anyone that likes to sing to join in the performance that night. Rehearsals have started but it's not too late to join. Please contact them at 847-647-9867 for more information. They are located at 7429 N. Milwaukee Ave. in Niles.

**JOIN OUR BIBLE STUDY..** It is never too late to stop by a Bible study on Sunday mornings here at St. John's. Whether the Bible study has just begun or has been meeting for months prior, you are always welcome, members and visitors alike.

**COME ONE, COME ALL..** The Dorcas meeting on October 3<sup>rd</sup> will include a "Mini Trivia Night." All ladies of the congregation are invited to join the fun. This will be great practice for the *Class of 2018 Trivia Night* on October 14<sup>th</sup>.

**PLEASE PLAN AHEAD..** for Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, there will be one service at 10am with a luncheon to follow for everyone to celebrate the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Reformation.

**PORTAGE PARK FARMERS MARKET..** located at the corner of Long and Irving Park will offer locally grown produce, meats, dairy, baked goods, specialty items, prepared foods, and more during the Portage Park Farmers Market. Join them today from 10am to 2pm. Animal Care and control will also be present with some adorable adoptable pets. Stop by and make a friend for life! More info: <http://www.friendsofportagepark.org/market.htm>.

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

**OUR WEEKLY ATTENDANCE IN THE LORD'S HOUSE**

Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>  
8am=61; 11am=72; 6pm=21  
Bible Study= 32

Our "Gifts of Love"	Week of: 09/24/17	Goal:
Contributions	\$4,734.67	\$5,136.00
Mortgage	\$1,096.00	\$1,223.00
Missions	\$45.00	
Memorial	\$255.00	

**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:** Ray Bickel (opening) Brian Bowman (closing)

# SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



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