

St. John's Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod
Arlington, Minnesota

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 14, 2023

Welcome to St. John's! The Lord is risen! He is risen indeed!
Alleluia!

Order of Service: Divine Service 4, page 203

Hymns: 594, 842, 618, 490, 617, 924

Sermon: "Always Ready" 1 Peter 3:13-22

Gradual:

Christ has risen from the dead.

God the Father has crowned him with glory and honor.

He has made him ruler over the works of his hands;

He has put everything under his feet.

Serving the Lord with Gladness Today:

Organist: Joann Rosenfeld

Altar Guild: Joann Rosenfeld, Avis Jacobus

Elder: Jerry Bernstein

Ushers/ **Leonard Hardel** (head usher), Wayne Schneider,

Greeters Warren Hardel, Dean Hardel, Carl Belz, Ryan
Marben, Glen Deno

Thanks again to everyone who helped with the Pancake
Supper. We served over 200 people and took in over \$2,000.00. It
was a successful event!

The Men's Club

Upcoming Events at St. John's:

Today:	9:00 am	Sunday School & Bible Class
	10:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Men's Club
Thursday:	5:30 pm	Deadline: Bulletin & Calendar Info.
Sunday:	9:00 am	Sunday School & Bible Class
	10:00 am	Worship

The Ladies Aid has some plants left from the Plant Sale.
The proceeds are going to fund projects and mites.

Last Week at St. John's:

At Worship: 30 Offering: \$1,107.00

The Ladies Aid will again be making layette kits to send to
the Orphan Grain Train. New or gently used items are being
collected for this project. Items with religious, camouflage,
patriotic or military symbols are not allowed. Only the items listed
may be included in the layettes. Each layette contains: 4 cloth
diapers, 4 diaper pins, 2 rubber or reusable swimmer pants (not
diapers), 2 wash cloths, 1 sleeper, 2 onesies, 1 receiving blanket,
and 1 blanket. Any contributions are greatly appreciated. We will
plan to pack up the layettes in September.

Today we are celebrating Holy Communion. Because those
who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to
their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of
the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet
instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that
of this congregation and The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod,
and yet desire to receive this sacrament, are asked first to speak
with the pastor or an usher. The center cups in the communion
tray are grape juice.

Next Sunday, May 21st, is Maifest at St. Peter's Lutheran
Church, Watertown. There is a poster on the bulletin board with
all of the events scheduled for the day.