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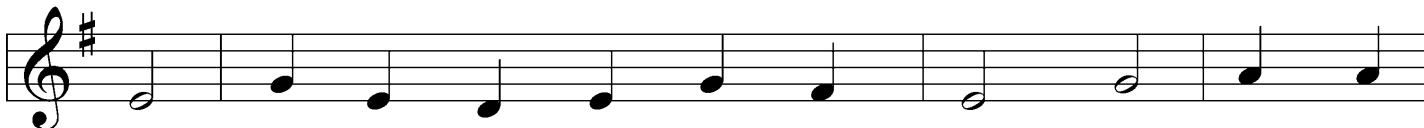
**PRELUDE: “O Christ, Who Called the Twelve”**

Raymond H. Haan


*(Text for meditation: See the Closing Hymn)*

**OPENING HYMN: “Lord, Open Now My Heart to Hear”**

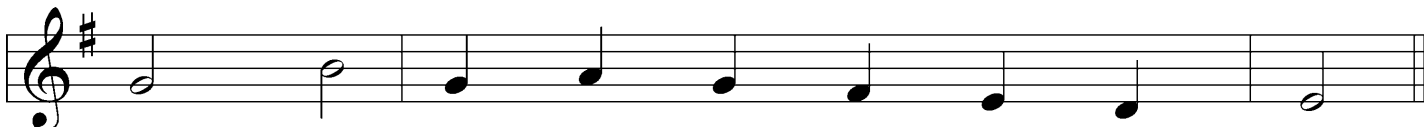
**# 908**



1 Lord, o - pen now my heart to hear, And through Your  
2 Your Word in - spires my heart with - in; Your Word grants  
3 To God the Fa - ther, God the Son, And God the



Word to me draw near; Let me Your Word e'er pure re -  
heal - ing from my sin; Your Word has pow'r to guide and  
Spir - it, Three in One, Shall glo - ry, praise, and hon - or



tain; Let me Your child and heir re - main.  
bless; Your Word brings peace and hap - pi - ness.  
be Now and through - out e - ter - ni - ty.

*Stand*

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**[P]** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**[C]** Amen.

**[P]** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

**P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

### INTROIT

(Antiphon, Ps. 27:7, 9; Ps. 27:1, 3)

Hear, O LORD, when I | cry aloud,\*

O you who have | been my help.

Cast me | not off;\*

forsake me not, O God of my sal- | vation!

**The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear?\***

**The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I | be afraid?**

**Though an army encamp a- | gainst me,\***

**my heart | shall not fear.**

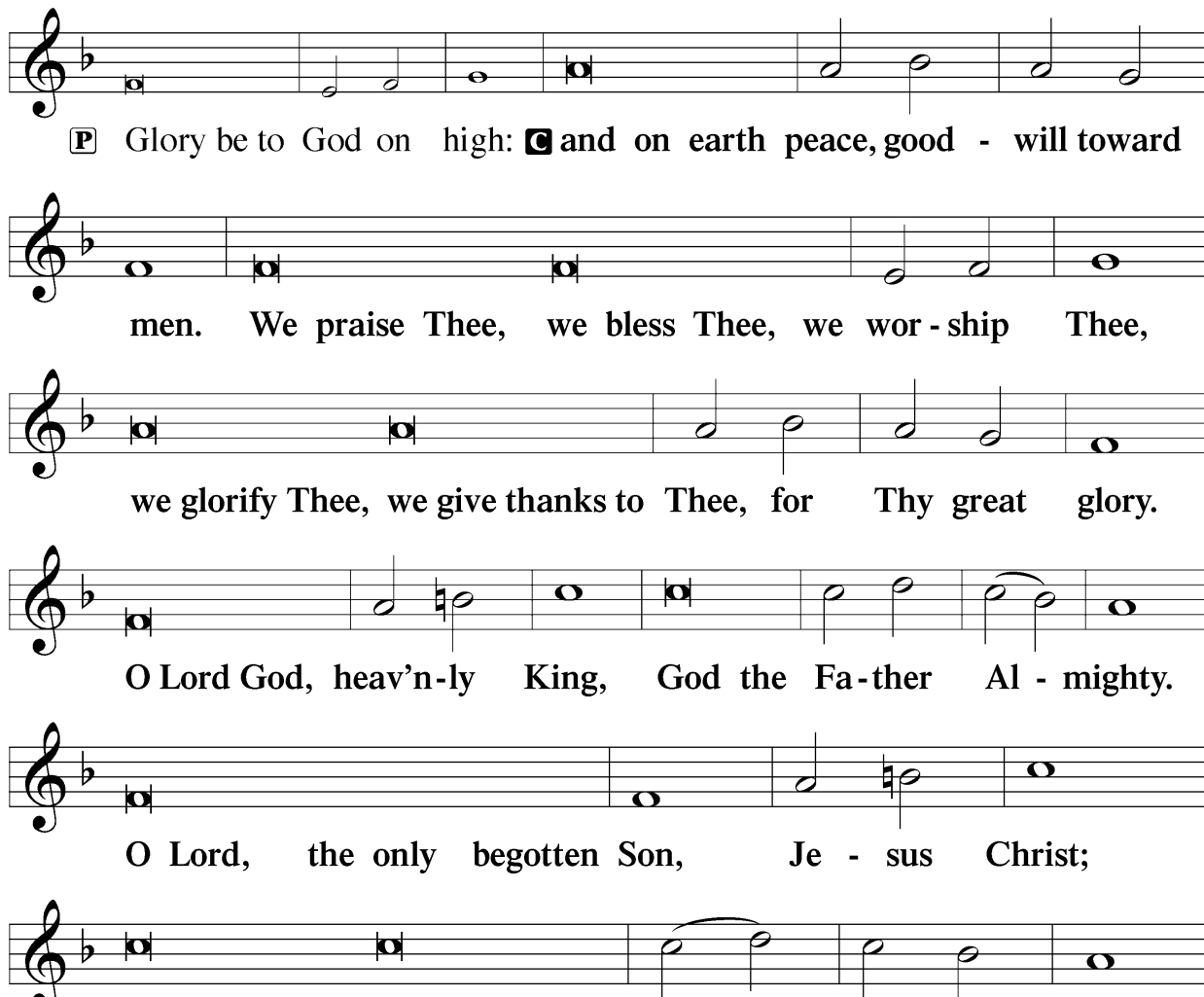
**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**  
 Hear, O LORD, when I | cry aloud,\*  
 O you who have | been my help.  
 Cast me | not off;\*  
 forsake me not, O God of my sal- | vation!

## KYRIE



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
 on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



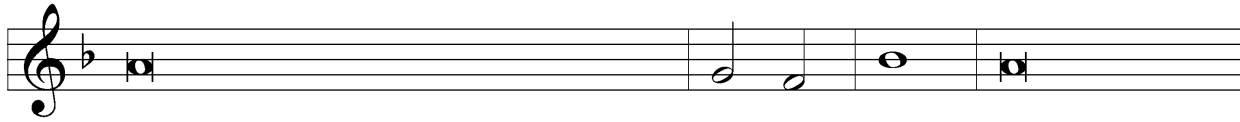
Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward  
 men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,  
 we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.  
 O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.  
 O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;  
 O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



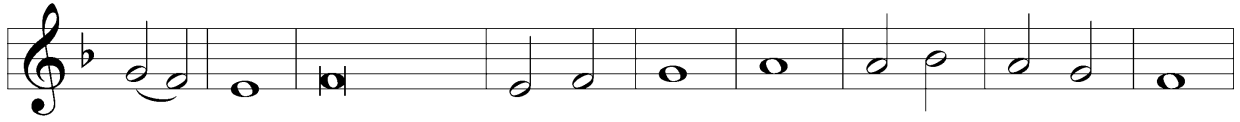
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up - on us.



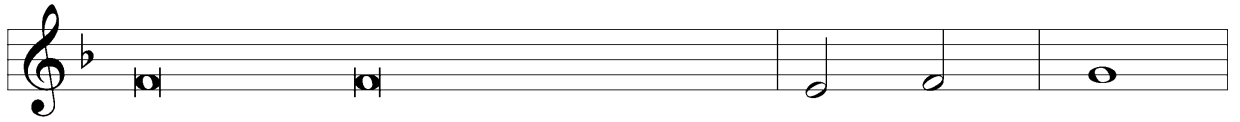
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re - ceive our prayer.



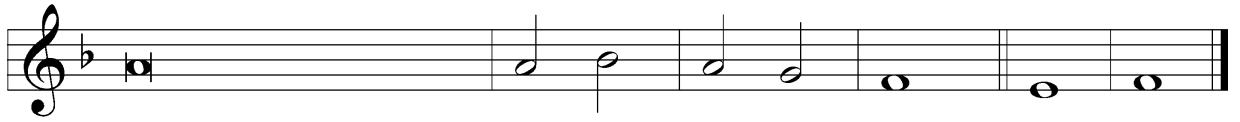
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up -



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Let us pray.

**P** Almighty, eternal God, in the Word of Your apostles and prophets You have proclaimed to us Your saving will. Grant us faith to believe Your promises that we may receive eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON****Exodus 19:2-8**

[The Israelites] set out from Rephidim and came into the wilderness of Sinai, and they encamped in the wilderness. There Israel encamped before the mountain, while Moses went up to God. The LORD called to him out of the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the people of Israel: You yourselves have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles’ wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples, for all the earth is mine; and you shall be to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the people of Israel.”

So Moses came and called the elders of the people and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. All the people answered together and said, “All that the LORD has spoken we will do.” And Moses reported the words of the people to the LORD.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**GRADUAL****Psalm 100**

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, | all the earth!\*

Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with | singing!

**Know that the LORD, | he is God!\***

**It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his | pasture.**

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his | courts with praise!\*

Give thanks to him; | bless his name!

**For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures for- | ever,\*  
and his faithfulness to all gener- | ations.**

**EPISTLE****Romans 5:6-15**

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die—but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.

More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned—for sin indeed was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not counted where there is no law. Yet death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those whose sinning was not like the transgression of Adam, who was a type of the one who was to come.

But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

## ALLELUIA



**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

*The kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel.*



**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## HOLY GOSPEL

**Matthew 9:35-10:8**

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 9th and 10th chapters.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”



And he called to him his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal every disease and every affliction. The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, “Go nowhere among the Gentiles and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. And proclaim as you go, saying, ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons. You received without paying; give without pay.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



## APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*Sit*

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

**HYMN OF THE DAY: “O Christ, Our True and Only Light”**

**# 839**





1 O Christ, our true and on - ly light, En - light - en  
 2 Fill with the ra - diance of Your grace The souls now  
 3 O gent - ly call those gone a - stray That they may  
 4 Shine on the dark - ened and the cold; Re - call the  
 5 That they with us may ev - er - more Such grace with



those who sit in night; Let those a - far now  
 lost in er - ror's maze; En - light - en those whose  
 find the sav - ing way! Let ev - 'ry con - science  
 wan - d'ers to Your fold. U - nite all those who  
 won - d'ring thanks a - dore And end - less praise to



hear Your voice And in Your fold with us re - joice.  
 in - most minds Some dark de - lu - sion haunts and blinds.  
 sore op - pressed In You find peace and heav'n - ly rest.  
 walk a - part; Con - firm the weak and doubt - ing heart,  
 You be giv'n By all Your Church in earth and heav'n.

## SERMON

*Stand*

## VOTIVE

**P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

**C** Amen.

## OFFERTORY



**C** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -



new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it



from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

### LORD'S PRAYER

**C** Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

### SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS

**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

**A** Let us bless the Lord.



**C** Thanks be to God.

### BENEDICTION

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

### CLOSING HYMN: "O Christ, Who Called the Twelve"

# 856



1	O Christ, who called the Twelve	To rise and fol - low You,	For -
2	O Christ, who taught the Twelve	The truth for a - ges sealed,	Whose
3	O Christ, who led the Twelve	A - mong the des - o - late	And
4	O Christ, who sent the Twelve	On roads they'd nev - er trod	To



sak - ing old, fa - mil - iar ways For ven - tures bold and new:  
words and works a - wak - ened faith, The ways of God re - vealed:  
broke as bread of life for all Your love com - pas - sion - ate:  
serve, to suf - fer, teach, pro - claim The near - er reign of God:



Grant us to hear Your call To risk se - cu - ri - ty And,  
In - struct us now, we pray, By Your em - pow'r - ing Word. True  
Lead us a - long the ways Where hope has near - ly died And  
Send us on ways where faith Tran - scends ti - mid - i - ty, Where



bound in heart and will to You, Find per - fect lib - er - ty.  
teach - er, be for all who seek Their light, their life, their Lord.  
help us climb the lone - ly hills Where love is cru - ci - fied.  
love in - forms and hope sus - tains Both life and min - is - try.

5 O Christ, the apostles' Lord,  
The martyrs' strength and song,  
The crucified and risen King  
To whom the saints belong:  
Though generations pass,  
Our tribute still we bring,  
Our hymns a sacrifice of praise,  
Our lives an offering.

**POSTLUDE: "O Christ, Our True and Only Light"**

**Helmut Walcha**

***A voters meeting will be held TODAY following Sunday Service.***

*We need at least 29 members currently listed as voters to have a quorum.  
This is your Church and your voice matters. Please make an effort to attend.*

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Lutheran Women's Missionary League Grant #11

### **Touching the Living Word Lutheran Braille Workers \$100,000**

The mission of Lutheran Braille Workers (LBW) is to passionately reach out to people who are blind and visually impaired with the Good News of Jesus Christ as their Savior. In the United States, there are nearly 11 million people who are blind or visually impaired and over 36 million people worldwide. Of this number, it is estimated that more than 94 percent are unchurched. The braille Bible has 37 volumes; each volume has 90 pages. A zinc plate is produced via a plate embossing device (PED) which enables pages to be printed. Multiple plates are needed to print one Bible. The mites raised for this grant will help LBW to purchase a new PED to produce the zinc plates. With the new equipment and new technology, LBW will be able to better meet worldwide demand for Bibles in multiple languages. For more information, go to:

[www.lwml.org/2019-2021-mission-grant-11](http://www.lwml.org/2019-2021-mission-grant-11).

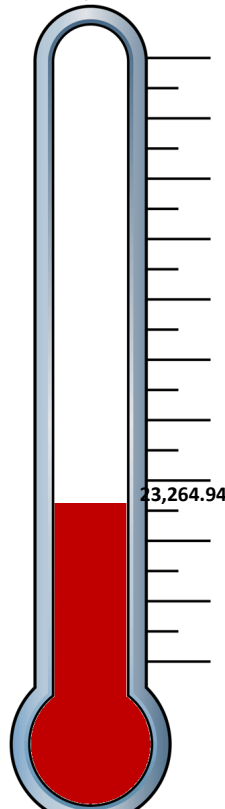
## **ST. JOHN'S HEAT & AIR FUND**

Several of our old heat and air units here at the church really need to be replaced as soon as possible, in order to do that \$61,300 will need to be collected and put into the heat and air Fund. Considering we have about 125 active members, that would average to about \$500 per person. If you would like to donate please mark envelopes "St. John's heat & air fund"

Our current fund only has about \$23,264.94, but if systems don't get replaced soon that money will quickly get depleted as we pay to maintain our old heat & air units. Keep an eye on the bulletin for updates.

Please and Thank you!  
~Ricco

**GOAL!**  
\$61,3000



## **ATTENDANCE**

*Wednesday, June 3rd*

06:00am: 18

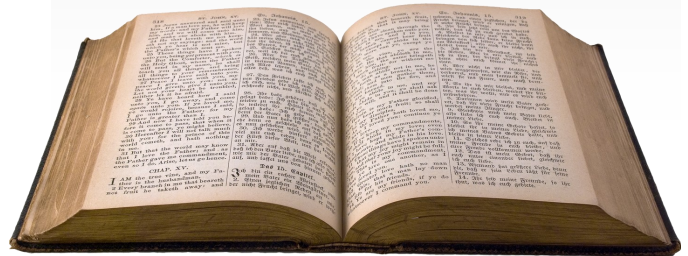
*Sunday, June 7th*

09:00am: 69

## **STEWARDSHIP**

*Wednesday, May 27th: \$710.00*

*Sunday, May 31st: \$2,199.00*



### **Daily Readings: Page 299 to 304 in LSB**

June 14• Proverbs 14:1-27; John 15:1-11  
June 15• Proverbs 15:1-29; John 15:12-27  
June 16• Proverbs 16:1-24; John 16:1-16  
June 17• Proverbs 17:1-28; John 16:17-33  
June 18• Proverbs 20:5-25; John 17:1-26  
June 19• Proverbs 22:1-21; John 18:1-14  
June 20• Proverbs 22:22-23:12; John 18:15-40  
June 21• Proverbs 24:1-22; John 19:1-22  
June 22• Proverbs 25:1-22; John 19:23-42  
June 23• Proverbs 27:1-24; John 20:1-18  
June 24• Proverbs 30:1-9, 18-33; John 20:19-31  
June 25• Proverbs 31:10-31; John 21:1-25  
June 26• Joshua 1:1-18; Acts 8:1-25  
June 27• Joshua 2:1-24; Acts 8:26-40



# LWML Mite Challenge Calendar

June 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Journal prayers, blessings, and thoughts this month.	1 Find or make a journal to use this month. Donate 30¢.	2 Document how God is the rock of your salvation. Donate 10¢.	3 List three (3) ways to reach out to church members this month. Donate 3¢.	4 List family members to pray for and contact them to share your love. Donate 5¢.	5 Draw a donut on a page. In the center write "Jesus." List blessings all around. Donate 10¢.	6 Write a prayer for military members, both active and retired, in your journal. Donate 50¢.
7 Reread today's Scripture lessons. Journal your thoughts. Donate 7¢.	8 On World Ocean Day write a prayer for overseas missionaries using a blue pen or marker. Donate 10¢.	9 Read 1 Corinthians chapter 12. Write out what God speaks to you through His Word. Donate 20¢.	10 Check out the mission giving status at <a href="http://LWML.org">LWML.org</a> . Write a prayer for faithful giving. Donate 25¢.	11 Weed your garden. List "weeds" slowing your spiritual growth. Donate 25¢.	12 National Flip Flop Day. Draw a flip flop. List ways you can be "beautiful feet." Donate 10¢.	13 Make a plan for service activities using yesterday's list. Donate 10¢.
14 Draw a flag in your journal. Pray for our nation and our leaders. Donate 10¢.	15 Read John 6:1-14. List ways your faith is fed. Donate 50¢.	16 Deliver lunch to your pastor. List what you appreciate about him. Share the list. Donate 20¢.	17 Journal a list of Scripture passages and sayings helpful for <i>starting</i> your day. Donate 10¢.	18 Journal a list of Scripture passages and sayings helpful for <i>during</i> your day. Donate 10¢.	19 Journal a list of Scripture passages and sayings helpful for <i>ending</i> your day. Donate 10¢.	20 Thank God for earthly fathers and father-figures. Journal about those men in your life. Donate 20¢.
21 Write a prayer of thanks to your Heavenly Father. Read Psalm 103. Donate 10¢.	22 Read Luke 15:11-32. See a loving father forgive his son. Thank your Heavenly Father. Donate 20¢.	23 Pray for a widower or someone who has lost their father. Share your prayer with him/her. Donate 5¢.	24 Read Hebrews 12:1-2. Pray for the LWML Convention Committee. Donate 20¢.	25 Draw a large heart. List inside things you love about gathering as LWML sisters. Donate 20¢.	26 Go to <a href="http://LWML.org">LWML.org</a> . Document the theme and goal statement of the 2021 convention. Donate 10¢.	27 List ways you are "running the race". How does God give you strength? Donate 25¢.
28 Worship with a joyful heart. Journal the blessings of worshipping together. Donate 20¢.	29 Read Philippians 4. List how we are to relate to our church family. Donate 20¢.	30 List, describe, or draw what you have learned from God this month. Donate 30¢.	Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer (Psalm 19:14).			

# GET TO KNOW YOUR CHURCH FAMILY

*Get Involved, Make a Difference.*

Sunday School	Adult bible class starts June 21st	
Youth Group	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	School
Handbell Choir	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Sanctuary
Choir	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Choir Loft
Tuesday Night Bible Class	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Blanchard Hall
Senior Saints	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Blanchard Hall
LWML	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Blanchard Hall
Mission Board	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Library
Quilters	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Blanchard Hall
Wednesday Bible Study	Wednesdays, 11:00am	Sanctuary
In Christ Alone Bible Study	CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	Varies
Men's Bible Study	The 3rd Saturday of the month, 8:00am	Blanchard Hall

IF YOU'RE INTERESTED OR WOULD LIKE TO LEARN MORE PLEASE  
REFER TO THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE WEST HALLWAY!

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

**June 14th**

Matthew & Stephanie Riley

**June 19th**

John & Khara O'Loughlin

Steve & Carol Reynolds

**June 21st**

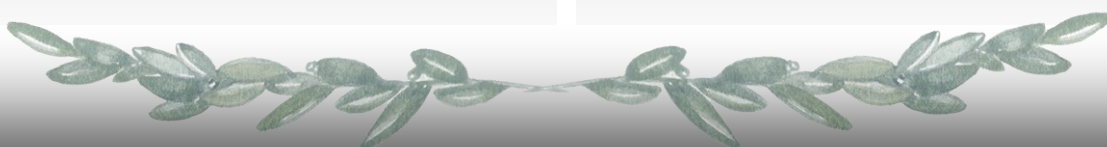
Carl & Karen Karner

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**June 15th:** Don George

**June 16th:** Clara Basford, Alma Mobbs

**June 17th:** Darold Booton, Taylor Levendusky







## *Altar Flowers*

*This Weeks Altar Flowers  
were donated in honor of  
Karen & Carl Karner's  
Anniversary!*



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and Sunday Sermons online at:  
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**There is also a link to our YouTube channel on that page  
if you would like to view a previous week's sermon.**

**For more information join our Facebook Group:  
St John's Responds—Moore, OK**

