LENT 1.........................................................March 10, 2019

Welcome: What a joy it is that you have joined us today as we worship our Savior Jesus Christ. His perfect life, death and resurrection have won for us forgiveness of sins, life and salvation. We extend a warm welcome to everyone attending our worship service today, especially to you who are guests. Please sign the guest book at the entrance and join us again soon! If there is any way we can serve you, please speak to the Pastor.

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TODAY’S HYMNS: ...111...201..349...108...

Organist: Trinity: David Bilitz; St. John’s – David Bilitz

SUNDAY SCHOOL (St. John’s).................................B.I.B.L.E

FIRST LESSON................................................Deuteronomy 26:5-10

PSALM OF THE DAY........................................Psalm 91 (p. 100)

SECOND LESSON..............................................Romans 10:8b-13


WHO WILL STAND AGAINST THE OLD EVIL FOE?
1. With his deep guile and great might
2. He shall not overpower us

HEARING GOD’S WORD
Trinity: 49  St. John’s: 56
Ash Wednesday: 54  Ash Wednesday: 33

OFFERINGS TO OUR LORD
Trinity: $2,010.50  St. John’s: $2,245.00
Ash Wednesday: $440.00  Ash Wednesday: $753.00

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE
Sunday: 8:30 AM - Worship Service – Trinity
9:00 AM – Sunday School Classes – St. John’s
9:30 AM – Sunday School Classes – Trinity
10:00 AM – Worship Service - St John’s
11:00 AM – Bible Study – St. John’s

Tuesday: 9:00 AM – Bible Study - Trinity

Wednesday: 6:00 PM – Soup Supper at St. John’s
6:30 PM – Catechism Class at Trinity
7:00 PM – Lenten Worship – Trinity
Followed by Coffee Hour
7:30 PM – Lenten Worship - St. John’s

Thursday: 2:00 PM – Ladies Aid Meeting – St. John’s

Next Sunday: 8:30 AM - Worship with Holy Communion – Trinity
9:00 AM – Sunday School Classes – St. John’s
9:30 AM – Sunday School Classes – Trinity
10:00 AM – Worship with Holy Communion - St John’s

Announcements:
The children will all be invited up front for a children’s sermon.

Our morning Bible Study, A Walk Through the Bible, will be held today at St. John’s (11 am) and on Tuesday at Trinity (9 am). We will study Exodus 17: God’s Staff.

We thank St. John’s Sunday School for singing today.

Our Tuesday evening Bible Study will not meet during March.

We hope you will join us for our mid-week Lenten services this Wednesday. Pastor Bilitz will preach at Trinity’s 7 pm service with the theme: Love One Another. Pastor Tom Smith of Emmanuel-Owatonna will preach at S. John’s 7:30 pm service with the theme: Watch And Pray.

St. John’s will have chicken noodle soup and ham sandwiches this Wednesday from 6-7 pm, organized by the Ladies’ Aid. Trinity will have a coffee hour after each service. There are sign-up sheets at both churches if you can help – thank-you!

St. John’s Ladies’ Aid will meet at 2 pm this Thursday. All ladies are invited to their devotion, topic, and business meeting. Valley Marzinske will serve refreshments.

Holy Communion will be offered in our services next week.
Congratulations to Joe and Alison Montag whom the Lord blessed with a baby boy, Gavin Joseph, on Thursday. May God bless their family.

Please excuse the mess at St. John’s while work is being done on the elevator/lift, entryway and altar area.

New Meditations (including large print) are available. We thank Tom Marzinske for forwarding our old Meditations to the Prison Ministry; you can drop yours off in the entryway, March calendars and new Forward in Christ magazines are also available.

The MN Dept. of Health has found coliform bacteria in St. John’s water. The immunocompromised, pregnant women, elderly, and children may be at increased risk from drinking it. The well is undergoing treatment. There are sheets in the entryway and bathrooms with info.

Calling all 4th–8th graders: Join the students from The Beacon Lutheran Campus Ministry in Mankato, for the 2019 Youth Lock-In. The fun begins Friday, March 29th at 9 pm at the Lake Crystal Rec. Center and concludes Saturday at 8 am at the Beacon. Swimming, basketball, pizza, late night worship, and much more! If you would like a Registration form, please ask Pastor Bilitz or register online at mankatocampusministry.org. $25 per person.

Prayer List: Pastor Del Begalka (recovering at home from heart surgery); and Dianna Krautbauer (recovering at home from eye surgery)