



St. John of the Incarnation MESSENGER OCTOBER 2016

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday Services

8:15 and 9:30 AM at St. John's

11:00 am at Incarnation

Sunday School – Grades K-6

9:30 AM at St. John's

ST. JOHN'S WEBSITE

<http://www.stjohnslynbrook.org>

Calendar of Events for October 2016

Sunday, October 9

- Worship at St. John's 8:15 am
- Outdoor worship and Pet Blessing 9:30 am
- Worship at Incarnation 11:00 am

Tuesday, October 11

- Evangelism meeting 7:00 pm
- Church council meeting 8:00 pm

Wednesday, October 12

- Confirmation class 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 13

- Choir rehearsal 7:30 pm

Sunday, October 16

- Worship at St. John's 8:15 am & 9:30 am
- First Day of Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship at Incarnation 11:00 am

Wednesday, October 19

- Confirmation class 7:00 pm
- Merger committee meeting 8:00 pm

Thursday, October 20

- Choir rehearsal 7:30 pm

Sunday, October 23

- Worship at St. John's 8:15 & 9:30 am
- College care packages and coffee hour after 9:30 worship
- Worship at Incarnation 11:00 am

Wednesday, October 26

- Confirmation class 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 27

- Choir rehearsal 7:30 pm

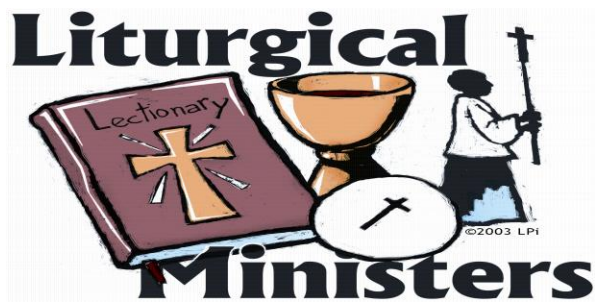
Sunday, October 30

- Worship at St. John's 8:15 & 9:30 am
- Worship at Incarnation 11:00 am

LOOKING FORWARD TO NOVEMBER~

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| November 1 | Prayer Shawl Ministry | 7:30 pm |
| November 6 | Music and Worship meeting | after 9:30 am worship |
| November 8 | Council Meeting | 8:00 pm |

If anyone knows Geraldine Gelibert, she won a basket! The phone number that she wrote down was not working. Please contact church office if you know her!



SERVERS FOR OCTOBER 2016

DATE	TIME	ACOLYTES	CRUCIFERS	ASSISTING MINISTERS	LECTORS	USHERS
	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
10/9	9:30	Tyler Rouse	Tyler Rouse	Kim Carlstrom	Katie Forte	Katie Forte & Aurelius Gonzalez
	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
10/16	9:30	Kaitlyn Gavin	Kaitlyn Gavin	Kim Barbaro	Anna Lenz	Lori Fernéz & Janet Powell
	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
10/23	9:30	Victoria Dunn	Victoria Dunn	Janet Pescatore	Janet Pescatore	Debby & Bill Lindman
Reformation Sunday	8:15			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
10/30	9:30	Christopher Dunn	Christopher Dunn	Claire Lenz	Claire Lenz	Katharine Forte & Carol Clemente
	Torch Bearers	Victoria Dunn	Kaylee Palmer			
	Gospel Bearer	Tyler Rouse				

SERVERS FOR NOVEMBER 2016

DATE	TIME	ACOLYTES	CRUCIFERS	ASSISTING MINISTERS	LECTORS	USHERS
All Saints Day	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
11/6	9:30	Victoria Ramirez	Victoria Ramirez	Hank Lenz	Hank Lenz	Robert Reckhart & Tyler Rouse
	8:15			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
11/13	9:30	Tyler Rouse	Tyler Rouse	Katharine Forte	Katharine Forte	Bill Davison & Richard Dietrich
Christ the King	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
11/20	9:30	Elizabeth Hanson	Elizabeth Hanson	Debby Lindman	Debby Lindman	Kevin Hanson & Kevin Hanson
Thanksgiving 11/23	7:30 PM	Ashley Gavin	Ashley Gavin	Joan Pirrone	Joan Pirrone	Kristina & Doug Palmer
Advent 1	8:15			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
11/27	9:30	Kaylee Palmer	Kaylee Palmer	Susan Masciello	Susan Masciello	Lori Fernéz & Janet Powell

SERVERS FOR DECEMBER 2016

DATE	TIMES	ACOLYTES	CRUCIFER	ASSISTING MINISTERS	LECTORS	USHERS
Advent 2	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
12/4	9:30	Victoria Dunn	Victoria Dunn	Dan Gonzalez	Greg Kershner	Janet Pescatore & Richard Dietrich
Advent 3	8:15			Dorothy Criscuolo	Dorothy Criscuolo	
12/11	9:30	Christopher Dunn	Christopher Dunn	Janet Pescatore	Janet Pescatore	Dan Gonzalez & Aurelius Gonzalez
Advent 4	8:15			Dorothy Richetti	Dorothy Richetti	
12/18	9:30	Victoria Ramirez	Victoria Ramirez	Katharine Forte	Katharine Forte	Debby & Bill Lindman
Christmas	7:30 pm			Dorothy Criscuolo		
12/24		Tyler Rouse	Tyler Rouse	Claire Lenz	Claire Lenz	Bill Davison & Richard Dietrich
	Torch Bearers	Kaitlyn Gavin	Kaylee Palmer			
	Gospel	Parker Sloan				
Christmas Day	9:30 am	TBD	N/A	TBD	TBD	TBD

If you cannot serve on a day you are scheduled, please find a replacement and notify the church office and the appropriate coordinator: **Claire Lenz:** Lectors & Assisting Ministers - 872-2063 or Lenzcr@aol.com
Church Office: Acolytes, Crucifers, Torch bearers and Gospel bearers- 599-0778
Pauline Feltkamp: Ushers- 599- 2273

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Assisting Ministers, Lectors, Acolytes and Crucifers are needed at St. John's. This is a wonderful way to serve during our worship services. It is a small commitment of 1-2 Sundays every few months. If you are interested **please** contact the church office. We also need a coordinator for our acolytes, crucifers, torch bearers and gospel bearers.

WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS

**We are pleased to welcome the Reckhart family
into membership at St. John's
Welcome Bob, Debra, Tyler and Shaun!**

WANT TO JOIN OUR CHURCH FAMILY?

If you are interested in becoming a member of St. John's or know someone who is interested please contact Pastor Alex at 516-599-0778 or stjohnslynbrook@aol.com



Become
Part of
Our
Church
Family

In Our Thoughts & Prayers



Larry Lipitz
George Verity
Stephanie Moser
Anthony Posimato
Donna Valenti
Dorothy Hafner
Elaine Smith
Joann D'Ambrosio
Stephen Suppa
Jean Weber
Eleanor Haslett
Earnest Weber
John Michael
Vivian Monaco
Sherry Powell

Scott Masciello
Rachel Jeremie
Doreen Tietjen
Lisa Goldman
Inga Chiramonte
Bob Robon
David Pontius
Al Davis
Sister Irene
Michael Simmons
Dean Veremakis
The Carver Family
Linda Eagen
Larry Rienecker
Robin Kalter

Rosalia Barbaro
Charlie Henshaw
Larry Lachant
Bruno
Janice
Sandy
Doris Oelschlager
Chris Cunningham
Arlene
Francesca Artusa
Bill Hammen
Family of Gloria Saver

If would like to request prayers for yourself or someone else, please write the name(s) on the prayer request card in your bulletin, call or email the office at 599-0778 or stjohnslynbrook@aol.com. Please write how long you would like the name to remain on the list otherwise it will be removed after three weeks. Feel free to repeat your request at any time, we can all use prayers.



*Donations have been made to the
St. John's Fund in memory of*

Bill Benson

by

Barbara & James Carroll & Family

Pauline Feltkamp

Susan & Vincent Masciello

Carol Clemente

Bob & Ellen Giambalvo

Joan Pirrone

The Richetti Family



*A donation has been made
to the St. John's Memorial*

Fund in memory of

Emma Dodd

by

The Richetti family

A THANK YOU FROM LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES OF NEW YORK

In the month of September St. John's members have donated

*138 pounds of food

*Baby clothes and essentials

*Book bags and school supplies

*And their time at the New Life Center

To help the 7,000 individuals in need every day served by Lutheran Social Services!

The Lutheran Church of the Incarnation Congregation is proud to host a
Worship service in celebration of the
Reverend Mary Chang's
20th Anniversary of Ordination at 3 o'clock in the afternoon on the October 23rd.
at Lutheran Church of the Incarnation, 411 Bayview Avenue Cedarhurst, NY 11516
A reception will follow at The Keystone Yacht Club, 190 Woodmere Blvd, Woodmere

Dinner: \$25 per person.
Please make checks payable to the
Lutheran Church of the Incarnation

RSVP no later than October 12, 2016 to
anneshep@verizon.net or 516-987-7031
Anne Sheppard

PLEASE DROP CHECKS OFF AT ST. JOHN'S BY OCT. 12th



BACK TO SCHOOL CARE PACKAGES FOR OUR COLLEGE KIDS!

We will once again be sending care packages to the college students in our congregation!

There are two ways that you can help us with this:

1. Donating one or more of the items listed below (please bring to church by 10/23).
2. Helping assemble packages in the Knotty Pine room after worship on Sunday, October 23rd.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

**COFFEE MUG
INSTANT OATMEAL
INSTANT NOODLES
EASY MAC & CHEESE
RAMEN NOODLES
CUP OF SOUP
MICROWAVE POPCORN
COOKIES
GUM**

**HIGH LIGHTERS
PENS
PENCILS
POST-IT NOTES
CORRECTION TAPE
TISSUES
HAND SANITIZER
PAGE FLAGS
CANDY**



If you would like your son, daughter or grandchild to receive a care package, please contact the church at 516 599-0778 or stjohnslynbrook@aol.com with the student's name and school address.

OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICE & BLESSING OF PETS

October 9, 2016

St. John's is having a blessing for pets and animals during worship this Sunday, October 9th at 9:30 am. The service will be held outdoors near our sign. Please bring your pets for the blessing and stay for coffee and cake and special treats (for our four-legged family members)!



GOD'S WORK. OUR HANDS. ELCA DAY OF SERVICE ~ 9/11/2016



THE 39TH ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 25, 2016



2016 Harvest Festival and 50/50 Raffle Summary

1413 raffle tickets (**232 Books**) and 21 singles were printed 2 weeks before the festival. Tickets were stapled in packets of six per book and sold for \$5.00 each. It cost \$1.00 for a single ticket. 5 books for \$20. An **additional 105 books** were printed on the day of the Harvest Festival, (**337 books total**) but not all were sold. In addition to getting an extra book with the \$20 purchase, people were able to write down their names in a notebook and get a number to write instead of having to fill out raffle tickets. **200** 50/50 tickets were also printed at the same time as the raffle tickets (112 were sold).

Thanks to the following businesses and people who donated or solicited items for our raffle baskets:

- Angelina's Pizzeria and Restaurant
- Blackbeard's Motorcycle Gear
- Connolly Station
- Churchill's
- Diamond Nails
- F&L Deli
- Freyhammer's Florist
- Gallery 4
- Girl Scouts of Nassau County
- Hallmark Lynn Gift Shop
- Key Food
- Lynbrook Bagels
- Lynbrook Deli
- Massage Envy Spa
- Millers Hardware
- Nail Fetish
- Pick Quick Foods
- Savino's Pizza
- So Far, So Good
- Sweet Peace Bakery
- Trader Joe's
- Tiffany Nail & Spa
- Unicorn Jewelers
- Valbrook Diner
- Vincent's Pizzeria
- Gabby Barry
- Susan Blohm
- Kim Carlstrom
- Carol Clemente
- Sue Ellen Coyle
- Dot Criscuolo
- Pauline Feltkamp
- Bruce and Karen Feltkamp
- Allison Koehler
- Hank and Claire Lenz
- Dan and Anna Lenz
- Ursula Lipitz
- Vin and Sue Masciello
- Janet Pescatore
- Don Roth
- Heidi Scalza
- Don and Cora Sarver
- Anne Sheppard
- Paula Williams

Special thanks to Dan Lenz & Cora Sarver for a great job selling our raffles & 50/50 chances. Thank you also to Gabby Barry for filling in at the table. Many thanks to all who helped make this another successful year.

Sincerely,
Anna Lenz and Karen Feltkamp

We'd like to thank everyone who donated goodies to the bake sale table at this year's Harvest Festival. We had an incredible variety of baked goods which resulted in a profit of \$551. We couldn't have done it without you. Also, a big thank you to committee members -- Pauline Feltkamp, Allison Koehler, Tyler Rouse, and Ruth Williamson! You are the best!

~ Charlene Comastri and Carol Clemente!



SUNDAY SCHOOL IS BACK!



**Join us for the start
of Sunday School on
Sunday, October 16th
at 9:30am!**

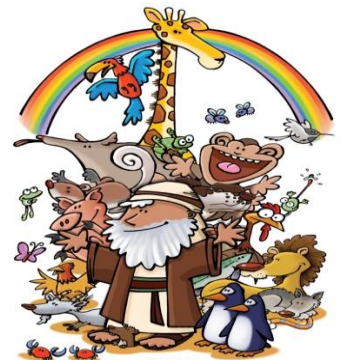
All children ages kindergarten through 6th grade are welcome!

**We will be using a NEW curriculum this year from Spark that will follow
the scripture texts in our Sunday worship!**

**Please fill out the registration form to sign-up!
Questions? Call Pastor Alex at 516-599-0778**



*St. John's Lutheran Church
13 Blake Avenue
Lynbrook, NY 11563*



St. John's Lutheran Church

Sunday School Registration Form – 2016/2017

(Kindergarten through 6th grade)

Please complete this form and either scan & email it to stjohnslynbrook@aol.com or give it to one of the Sunday School teachers when you drop off your child. Thank you!

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

Address:

Phone (home/cell): _____ **Member of St. John's? YES NO**

Email address (we communicate via email when possible): _____

<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Birth Date</u>	<u>Baptism date</u>	<u>1st Communion</u>	
_____				YES	NO
_____				YES	NO
_____				YES	NO
_____				YES	NO

It is our goal to make Sunday School a wonderful experience for your child. If your child has any allergies or health concerns that our Sunday School teachers should know about, please list them here:

If your child has any special needs that our Sunday School teachers should know about so they can be better prepared with appropriate materials, please list them here:

