

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*March 2019*

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Request

Saint John Lutheran Church

*We love because He first loved us*

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Angleton TX, 77515

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*There are some unassigned Sundays in the upcoming months. Please consider signing up for one or more. Altar flowers have always been self-supported though congregation contributions. Please help keep it that way.*



**March 3,** Vase 1, Sheila & Patrick Walters in honor of Albert Dvorak's 95<sup>th</sup> birthday <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Vase 2, Vickie Ahrens, in honor of Brad, Lacey, Allen & Thomas's birthdays

**March 10,** Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

**March 17,** Vase 1, Synthia & Mark Ritz in honor of Lonnie Brown's 96<sup>th</sup> birthday 3/18, Vase 2, Don & JoAnn Fuchs in honor of Deana's birthday

**March 24,** Vase 1 & 2, in memory of mothers Wilhelmina Kolonko & Martha Voldan.

**March 31,** Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

**March Altar Guild:**

*Sheila Walters, Linda Preuit, Vickie Ahrens*



**Our thanks to those serving this month**

*If you cannot serve, please trade with someone and/or then let JoAnn Fuchs know (979) 345-7092.*

**Our worship team for Sunday March 10, 2019**

<b>LECTOR</b>	Charles Schulze
<b>ASSISTING MINISTER</b>	Patrick Henry
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	Kay Smitherman & Michael Niemann
<b>CANTOR</b>	Michael Niemann
<b>USHERS</b>	Elo &Carolynn Buenger
<b>GREETERS</b>	Vicki Ahrens & Connie Brewer
<b>COUNTERS</b>	Becky Branch & Richard Kolonko
<b>SUNDAY SUPERVISOR</b>	Alice Harrington

**Our worship team for Sunday March 17, 2019**

<b>LECTOR</b>	Cathy McDaniel
<b>ASSISTING MINISTER</b>	Jimmy McDaniel
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	Elo &Carolynn Buenger
<b>CANTOR</b>	Spoken
<b>USHERS</b>	Richard & Beverly Kolonko
<b>GREETERS</b>	Patrick & Sheila Walters
<b>COUNTERS</b>	Helen Patterson & JoAnn Fuchs
<b>SUNDAY SUPERVISOR</b>	Cathy McDaniel

**Our worship team for Sunday March 24, 2019**

<b>LECTOR</b>	Joy Birk
<b>ASSISTING MINISTER</b>	Greg Anderson
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	Don & JoAnn Fuchs
<b>CANTOR</b>	Amanda Boykin
<b>USHERS</b>	Richard Davis & Richard Birk
<b>GREETERS</b>	Pat & Helen Patterson
<b>COUNTERS</b>	Pat Hines & Sheila Walters
<b>SUNDAY SUPERVISOR</b>	Amanda Boykin

**Our worship team for Sunday March 31, 2019**

<b>LECTOR</b>	Deana Fuchs
<b>ASSISTING MINISTER</b>	JoAnn Fuchs
<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	Greg & Nancy Anderson
<b>CANTOR</b>	Spoken
<b>USHERS</b>	Don Fuchs & John Taylor
<b>GREETERS</b>	Richard & Beverly Kolonko
<b>COUNTERS</b>	JoAnn Fuchs & Jan Janosky
<b>SUNDAY SUPERVISOR</b>	Nancy Davis

## *What's Happening in March*

### *What's Happening 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday*

Sunday March 3	9:00 am	Choir Practice
	9:00 am	Fellowship & Donuts
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	During Service	Children Service
	1:00 pm	Confirmation Class

### *What's Happening 1<sup>st</sup> week*

Wed. March. 6	7:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Service
Wed. March 6	After Service	Choir Practice

### *What's Happening 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday*

Sunday March 10	9:00 am	Fellowship & Donuts
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	During Service	Children Service

### *What's Happening 2<sup>nd</sup> week*

Tue. March. 12	6:30 pm	Lions Club
Wed. March 13	6:00 pm	Mid-week Lent Meal & Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice
Thur. March 14	1:00 pm	Prayer Shawl
Fri. Mar. 15	6:30 pm	Dinner Night Out

### *What's Happening 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday*

Sunday March 17	9:00 am	Fellowship & Donuts
	10:00 am	Third Stream Worship Service
	During Service	Children Service
	1:00 pm	Confirmation Class

What's Happening 3<sup>rd</sup> week

Wed. March 20	6:00 pm	Mid-week Lent Meal & Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice
Thur. March 21	7:00 pm	WELCA

What's Happening 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday

Sunday March 24	9:00 am	Fellowship & Donuts
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	During Service	Children Service
	6:30 pm	BYOB

What's Happening 4<sup>th</sup> week

Tue. March 26	6:30 pm	Lions Club
Wed. March 27	6:00 pm	Mid-week Lent Meal & Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice

What's Happening 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday

Sunday March 31	9:00 am	Fellowship & Donuts
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	During Service	Children Service
	6:30 pm	BYOB

What's Happening 1<sup>st</sup> week

Mon. April 1	All Day	April Fool's Day
Wed. April 3	6:00 pm	Mid-week Lent Meal & Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice



## St. John Dinner Night Out

**March 15, 6:30pm**

BJ's Brewhouse  
11200 Broadway Suite 1700  
Pearland, TX 77584

Prayer shawl will be gathering at the church bring your projects and join the fun & fellowship. The Prayer Shawl group has been thinking of expanding their activities to crafting as well as knitting & crocheting if you are interested in joining and/or sharing your craft please come or contact one of these ladies  
Pat Hines, Becky Branch, or Beverly Kolonko.



Prayer  
Shawl  
Ministry

## Birthday Celebration!!



**Join the family of Lonnie Brown on Saturday March 16, 4:00 pm** at Country Village Care in Angleton to celebrate her birthday. No gifts please.

## Bring Your Own Bible (BYOB)

**March 24 & 31 6:30pm**

Come join the group for fellowship, food & fun. We gather at the church.



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# PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

- *Pray for our veterans struggling with PTSD, that they well find help & healing*
- Seth Collard, son-in-law of Chris Caso & Beth Bengé, He & his wife & two children stationed in Japan.
- Lt. Carl Cringle, friend of the Singer's
- Freddy Drennan, U. S. Army Medical Corp
- PFC Paul Musick-Eller, Army Korea
- Jonathon Gaynor, friend of the Branch's, South Korea
- Kenny Hankins, friend of McDaniel's, UN Military Police
- SGM. Robert Hartzog, grandson of Lonnie Brown, stateside
- Alex Hernandez, Marine Corps, Japan
- Tracy Jones, grandson of Gene & Linda Cunningham, Japan (Marines)
- Justin Mayo, friend of Marina Huffman stationed at Camp Pendleton (Marines)
- SSG Taylor Schmidt, son of Maureen Herbst, is stateside stationed in Georgia
- Kyle Stahlecker, Marine Corps



*Thank You for Your Prayers*

## **Prayers for our country**

Pray for all our people and all the politicians as our newly elected officials. Lord guide them to lead our fine country to do your will. Amen.

## **Prayers for Pastor Pete the congregations of St. John Angleton & St. Peter Bay City**

Prayer for Gods guidance & protection as Pastor Pete travels to & from Bay City and works to help St. Peter Bay City through the process of finding what direction God has for St. Peters. God's will be done. Amen

## **Continued Prayers:**

**MEMBERS:** *of St. John Lutheran Church*

- Karen Ayers, prayers for healing after having shoulder surgery.
- Lonnie Brown, prayers continued health issues as she deals with the ageing process.
- Bonnie Chambers, ongoing health issues.
- Richard Kolonko Jr., diagnosed with early stages of Parkinson's disease. Pray for guidance & wisdom for the doctors for the course of treatment for the diagnosis.
- Pastor Pete & Elida Lopez & family as they continue to deal with ongoing health issues with David, Pete's brother, & Pete's mother as well as their brother-in-law Hugo Gomez
- Dorothy Mathew, prayers continued health issues as she deals with the aging process.
- John Mathew, as he goes through treatment for prostate cancer.
- Mark & Sindy Ritz, prayers for guidance and peace.
- B.J. Schulze, allergies and cough.
- Stanley Singer and family on the loss of Mary Frances Singer.

## **Continued Prayers:**

**FAMILY:** *of St. John Lutheran Church*

- Billy Bass, brother of Disa Schulze prostate cancer
- Karl Buenger, brother of Elo Buenger battling ongoing health issues from MS has been diagnosed with congestive heart failure & A-fib after having a heart attack.
- Clara Carter, mother of Jim Carter, continued prayers for ongoing health issues.
- Gracie Gomez sister of Pastor Pete as she cares for Hugo Gomez, brother in law of Pastor Pete he continues to heal & rehab after having a brain aneurysm on Thanksgiving Day.
- Grace Hines, sister-in-law of Pat Hines she has bone cancer and will start radiation soon.
- Karen Hairell, sister of Richard Kolonko, diagnosed with Lymphoma Cancer taking chemo treatments; pray she will be healed by God's healing hands.
- Michele Hernandez, niece of Charles and Disa Schulze, prayers for Gods healing miracle & comfort.



- Mickey Huffman, grandfather of Marina & Madison Huffman, diagnosed with Alzheimer.
- Alexis & Bryan Meador, prayers for a healthy and safe pregnancy.
- Shirley Mitchell, sister of Synthia Ritz and daughter of Lonnie Brown, having knee replacement surgery, prayers for a successful surgery and recovery.
- Ruth More, mother of Holly Mathew, prayers for ongoing health issues.
- Gary Riemenschneider, godfather of Amanda Boykin, continued prayers for good health.
- Jeff Smitherman, Kay Smitherman's son, for God to give him saving faith.
- Robin Stanley, Elo & Carolynn Buenger's daughter, had eye surgery to repair a torn retina blood vessel, prayers for healing.
- Megan Ritz Udall, daughter of Sindy & Mark Ritz, Megan needs continued prayers for healing.
- Danny Walters, brother of Patrick Walters, please pray for healing as he continues to struggle with ongoing health issues battling cancer & PTSD. Prayers for Veterans Affairs to speed up his application for increased disability payments.

### **Continued Prayers:**

#### **FRIENDS:** *of St. John Lutheran Church*

- Steven Brothers, friend of Brett Carter battling cancer.
- Anne Carl, neighbor of the Fuchs's, cancer
- Chris Collins, friend of Beverly Kolonko struggling with the effects of ALS.
- Rachel Leist Cook, for her and her doctors treating her for a liver disease
- Nancy Hernandez, friend of Disa & Charles Schulze for successful surgery.
- Tommy Gaines, friends of Aaron & Carrie Carter, diagnosed with cancer. Prayers of peace, comfort and healing with treatment.
- Lisa Gallo, friend of Amanda Boykin prayers for healing of body & mind
- Debbie Granger, friend of St. John, had cornea transplant surgery Prayers for total healing and restoration of her vision.

- Crestina Gonzales, friend of Disa & Charles Schulze, strength as she cares for others.
- Sherry Hill, friend of Beverly Kolonko preparing for mastectomy due to breast cancer.
- Whitney Hoobler, cousin of friend of Amanda Boykin, suffered a severe stroke, prayers for healing.
- Hebert Manning: friend of the Stehle family, stage 4 cancer.
- Marita More, co-worker of Disa Schulze prayers for Marita & her family as they care for her
- Tinnitus (both ears) prayers for a successful resolution
- Cynthia Peacock, friend of Allison & Brett Carter, diagnosed with breast cancer.
- Robyn Peltier, friend of Nancy Davis, her cancer has returned & she will be receiving treatments.
- John Saldivar, former neighbor of Kay & Jim Carter, diagnosed with ALS.
- John & Cindy Stevens, dear friends of Mark & Sindy Ritz, John is facing final stages of Alzheimer's. Prayers for comfort, strength and peace.
- Louise Stohr, friend of Beverly Kolonko, her liver cancer has metastasized, prayers the chemo is successful and her cancer will go into remission.
- Adrian Tobar, friend of Beverly & Richard Kolonko, diagnosed with a brain tumor.
- Kati Turney, friend of Vickie Ahrens, health issues.
- James Weatherford, V.A. friend of Alice Harrington having major abdominal surgery.
- Deborah Wright, niece of friend of Pat Hines, 13 month old fighting a rare cancer that reoccurred after surgery in November, will begin chemo.
- Ray V., friend of Sharon Seibert diagnosed with colon & liver cancer. Prayers for guidance for Dr.'s, Ray & family.
- Roy Yetter, friend of John & Holly Mathew battling lung cancer. Prayer for strength and healing.



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