



Spirit of Joy Lutheran Church  
Second Sunday After Pentecost  
June 3, 2018



# Welcome to Spirit of Joy!

God has gathered us together to live as God's beloved daughters and sons, and to:

**WELCOME** people *into a community of followers of Jesus Christ;*  
**GROW** with one another *in faith and hope in Him;*  
**SEND** out one another as Jesus' compassionate *servants in the world.*

We're glad that you have joined us for worship today to meet the God who meets us in the Risen Christ and the Holy Spirit of Joy. If you would like to know more about Spirit of Joy, please indicate your interest on the clipboards sitting in our chairs. You may also contact our church office at 333-2004, e-mail us at [info@spiritofjoy.net](mailto:info@spiritofjoy.net), check out our website at [www.spiritofjoy.net](http://www.spiritofjoy.net), follow us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/spiritofjoylutheran](http://www.facebook.com/spiritofjoylutheran) or on Twitter at @spiritofjoysf.

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## Greeters/Ushers:

8:30am: Craig & Ronda Samuelson

10:00am: Ken & Rita Karels

## Communion:

8:30am: Pam and Mark Schroeder

10:00am: Jared & Kim Ducommun

## Reader:

8:30am: Tom Gannon

10:00am: Pam Merchant

**Hosts:** Ali Lennon, Elaine Frary, Marilyn Gannon

**Spirit of Joy Nursery:** Spirit of Joy welcomes all children to worship with their families. If small children need breaks, parents are welcome to use the nursery at any time Sunday morning. There is a remote access TV in the nursery so families may continue to listen to the worship.

# Announcements

*Deuteronomy makes clear that sabbath-keeping is meant for the welfare of all. God delivered the Israelites out of slavery, so they should not ever work anyone else seven days a week. Even slaves should be able to rest; even resident aliens. Yet human beings can turn even the most liberating religious practice into a life-destroying rule. Jesus does not reject sabbath-keeping, but defends its original life-enhancing meaning. Our worship and our religious way of life are to lead to the hungry being fed and the sick being healed.*



**High School Graduation Milestone TODAY!** Congratulations to our high school seniors. A huge THANK YOU to our quilters: Lois Klein, Maris Hauger, Dorothy Merchant, Shirley Bauer, Adeline Schempp, Nilah Adams, Melody Torstenson, and anyone else who has contributed to crafting these beautiful milestone gifts.

**Spirit of Joy Summer Day Camp** – Our week of onsite summer Day Camp will be July 16-19<sup>th</sup>. Again this year we will welcome counselors from NeSoDak Bible Camp who will serve as our leaders for the week. Mike Haddican is seeking volunteers to provide meals for counselors, housing for counselors and individuals to help with prep work and decorating. Email [mike@spiritofjoy.net](mailto:mike@spiritofjoy.net).

**Hobby Leaders for Day Camp** – Mike is inviting adults from the congregation to share their hobby with the children at Day Camp (July 16-19). The time would be from 1:15-2:15 each day. Interested in sharing your hobby with kids? Talk to Mike ASAP.



**COMMUNITY  
BLOOD BANK**

**Spirit of Joy will be hosting the Community Blood Bank Bloodmobile Sunday, June 24 from 9:00am-1:00pm.** If you are 16 years of age or older, consider signing up on the connection center in the gathering space. The Community Blood Bank provides a safe, cost effective and reliable blood supply to 32 hospitals serviced in northwestern Iowa, southwester Minnesota, and southeaster South Dakota. This includes both Avera and Sanford Health. Contact the office with any questions.

**Spirit of Joy Annual Picnic: Save the date for Sunday, June 24!** Our 10:00 worship service will be held outside, and then we'll gather on the east lawn for our annual potluck picnic from 11-2. Stay tuned for potluck menu requests. Please invite your neighbors and friends to any and all of these events!



**Spirit of Joy Art Showcase!** A Spirit of Joy partner **Art/Craft Display** will begin on Sunday, June 24<sup>th</sup> and conclude on Sunday, July 1st. You are encouraged to bring art or crafts you have made to display in our gathering space. This is also a chance for our younger partners to bring an art project they made in school this past year to display. You can drop off items anytime during the week of June 18-22.



**Preschool, Playground, & Popsicles** is a play event for preschool families past, present and future on the SOJ Preschool playground. Please join us on June 11 6:30-7:30pm. Meet new friends, play on the cool climber, and enjoy a popsicle provided by Miss Amy. Come & go as you are able. Contact Amy Cauble with questions, [amycauble@spiritofjoy.net](mailto:amycauble@spiritofjoy.net).



**Evening Book Club** will be next Tuesday, June 5th at 7:00pm in the library. Join us for a little fellowship and discuss the book “The Woman who Smashed Codes” by Jason Fagone. You don’t have to have read the book to attend. All are welcome!

**Offering Counters Needed!** Spirit of Joy is looking to expand our offering counters team. Counters serve on a rotation schedule and count approximately once every 6 weeks. We are hoping to get enough new counters to expand this to 8-10 weeks. If you are interested in serving please contact Amy in the office at [info@spiritofjoy.net](mailto:info@spiritofjoy.net) or 333-2004.

### Opportunities for the Week:

Tuesday:	Election Polling Place 7:00pm - Evening Book Club
Wednesday:	10:00am - Spirit of Joy Staff Meeting
Thursday:	6:30am - Thursday Men’s Bible Study @ Fryn’ Pan