JESUS BEGAN TO SEND THEM OUT TWO BY TWO

**MARK 6:7** 

## Spirit of Joy Lutheran Church Seventh Sunday After Pentecost July 8, 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*, check out our website at <u>www.spiritofjoy.net</u>, follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/spiritofjoylutheran or on Twitter at @spiritofjoysf.

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<u>Musicians:</u> Carli Bollin, Kim Ducommun, Bill Webb, Pam Merchant, Jeff Thomson, Mark Berdahl, Greg Bertsch

<u>Greeters/Ushers</u>: 8:30am: Ken & Star Munch

10:00am: Terry & Gwen Bobbie

<u>Communion:</u> 8:30am: Craig & Ronda Samuelson

10:00am: Kris & Larry Schoeszler

<u>Reader:</u> 8:30am: Stacey Buchholz

10:00am: Michelle Stanek

Hosts: Alice Christensen, Brenda Eden, Donna Ver Wey

Offering Counters: Michelle Stanek, Don Stanek, Jared Ducommun

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

Jesus does great deeds of power and gives his disciples authority over demons. Yet none of this power is unilateral; it all must be received by faith. Jesus asks his disciples to go out without money or supplies, so that they will be dependent on how others receive them. When we are sent from the assembly to witness and to heal, we are asked to be vulnerable, to be dependent on the reception of others. The Spirit always operates in the between: between Jesus and his Abba, between Jesus and us, between you and me. between us and those to whom we are sent.

Share your worship with us! This summer as you travel, spend time at the lake, or visit family, take a minute to share with us your worship experiences. Snap a picture, selfie, or video and post it to our facebook page with #sojworship. We can't wait to see and share all of the worship experiences of our community outside the walls of Spirit of Joy!

Spirit of Joy Summer Day Camp - Our week of onsite summer Day Camp will be July 16-19. 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.

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.

**Preschool, Playground, & Popsicles** is a play event for preschool families past, present and future on the SOJ Preschool playground. Please join us on July 11 from 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.

**Deacon Katherine is on sabbatical this summer.** We wish her well and look forward to hearing her discoveries. Please keep her work and rejuvenation in your prayers.







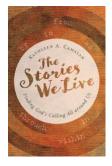


**Evening Book Club** will meet Tuesday, July 10th in the church library at 7:00 p.m. We are reading The Whole Town's Talking by Fannie Flagg. All are welcome! **Laura Phillips Installation/Ordination**. Laura will be ordained on Tuesday, July 17 at 6:30pm at Palisade Lutheran Church in rural Garretson. As Laura's home congregation we a thrilled for her to take this next step. All partners are welcome to attend!

**Food to You Mobile Food Pantry:** Spirit of Joy will be serving the Food to You Mobile Food Pantry Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at St. John's Lutheran Church. We are in need of several Early Birds at 4:15pm and regular volunteers starting at 5:10pm. Middle school and high school youth welcome. Please no elementary age students.

**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 <u>info@spiritofjoy.net</u> or 333-2004.

Upcoming Retreats: Both the Men's & Women's Retreat this year will be in conjunction with our Creating a Culture of Calling Initiative. The theme will be "The Stories We Live: Finding God's Calling All Around Us". The Men's Retreat will take place September 28-29 at NeSoDak Bible Camp and the Women's Retreat will take place October 12-13 at Joy Ranch. Join us for wonderful fellowship, passionate worship experiences, and a lot of fun! Registration forms and sign-up can be found in the office. Contact the Amy Orr with any questions.



AUGUSTANA HERITAGE PARK,1111 W. 33<sup>rd</sup> St. Come visit and experience four historical pioneer buildings: Beaver Creek Church, Eggers School, Berdahl-Rolvaag House, and Rolvaag Writing Cabin. NEW SUMMER HOURS: June 1-August 31 – Wed.-Sat. 10 am-3pm + Sundays 2:00-4:00 p.m. PLUS, Bill Hoskins, Old Courthouse Museum Dir. presents "Old Sioux Falls" on Sat. July 14, 10:30; John Hegg, Foundation member presents "Iceland", Sat., August 11, 10:30.

## **Opportunities for the Week:**

Tuesday: Wednesday: 7:00pm – Evening Book Club (SOJ Library) 10:00am – Spirit of Joy Staff Meeting Thursday:

6:30pm – Preschool, Playground, & Popsicles 6:30am – Thursday Men's Bible Study @ Fryn' Pan