

**May 20 & 21, 2023 Seventh Weekend of Easter**

**WELCOME TO ST. JOHN WILLISTON**

Christ is risen! Alleluia! Welcome, one and all, as we celebrate Jesus' resurrection – and ours. God bless you at this holy time. May this worship service strengthen you for service!

We hope that you feel right at home and we invite you to become a member of the St. John Church family. There is an elevator to the left of the pulpit for those who wish to use it.



**ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP ON SATURDAY**

**Ushers**

5/20- The Donnelly Family  
5/27- The Buhrow Family

**Lector**

5/20- Beverly Harder  
5/27- Amy Schloegl

**Acolyte**

5/20- Lindsey Krumnow  
5/27- Emma Morgan

**Communion**

5/20- Ron Gerkenmeyer  
5/27- JoElaine Schimming

**ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP ON SUNDAY**

**Ushers**

5/21- Diana Pfaff/Riley Chesson-Brossia  
5/28- Jill Kao

**Lector**

5/21- Diana Pfaff  
5/28- Tim Titgemeyer

**Acolyte**

5/21- Logan Hays  
5/28- Lauren Hoeft

**Communion**

5/21- Cebie Titgemeyer  
5/28- Pam LaRue



Lowell Hartman- medical concerns  
Mona Vogelbacher- medical concerns  
Curtis Harger- medical concerns  
Carol Vargo- medical concerns  
Cindy Wringrot- medical concerns  
Shirley Berger- medical concerns  
Robin Tuttle- medical concerns  
Cade Krotzer- medical concerns  
Joe Brossia- medical concerns  
The Friends & Family of Carrol Krukemyer



**THIS WEEK'S GLANCE**



**Week of May 22 - 28, 2023**

**Mon: 9am Forerunner Deadline**  
**Tues: 9am Quilts**  
**Wed: 7am Breakfast Gathering**  
**Sat: 5pm Worship Service**  
**Sun: No Sunday School**  
**9:45am Worship Service**  
**10:45am Choir Practice**  
**Mon (29th): Office Closed- Memorial Day**

Faith Practices  
#3 Readings  
**PSALMS**



May 15– Psalm 110  
May 22– Psalm 111  
May 29– Psalm 112

Summer Worship hours begin  
Sunday, June 4th.  
Sunday worship will be at 9AM.

There will be no Sunday School over summer.

## FLOWERS

The altar flowers are in celebration of the Confirmation given by Pam LaRue

The chancel flowers are in celebration of Our 60th Anniversary given by Cal & Marvel Nelson



### Blood Drive

Saturday, May 20, 2023

8:00 am – 1:00 pm

Zion United Methodist Church

Fellowship Hall

Graytown, OH 43432

To schedule an appointment, please call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code: ZIONUNITED



### Vacation Bible School

June 12-16 9am-Noon

PreK-5th Grade welcome!

The theme will be "Food Truck Party"

Volunteers are needed for VBS this year, 6th Grade and up to help. A variety of positions are available. If you are interested in helping with this event please contact Stefanie Hill at 419-705-9926 or email at [shill@stjohnwilliston.org](mailto:shill@stjohnwilliston.org)

### EAST PALESTINE WATER DONATION

It is with great pleasure that I announce to you all that Calvary sent the first installment of "water money" to East Palestine. The total sent is \$6,938.21. We have received more funds not included in this total that will be sent at a later date. We have reached out to local media to inform the community of this wonderful collaboration. I will inform you if the story is picked up by them. In the meantime let us make sure that all of our folks know about this wonderful gift. Thank you for all your efforts. This is an example of God working through us for the common good.

Pastor Bob Noble



WE WILL RETURN MEETING AGAIN IN SEPTEMBER.

WE ARE ON HIATUS. IF YOU MISS AN EPISODE OR NEED TO CATCH UP, YOU CAN FIND THE SHOW AT [HTTPS://WWW.ANGEL.COM/WATCH/THE-CHOZEN](https://www.angel.com/watch/the-chozen)

GRATEFUL  
Thankful  
& BLESSED

The Blessing Box needs your help!



- Needed:
- Pasta- Spaghetti O's, etc
  - Pasta Sides- Rice-O-Roni, Lipton...
  - Spaghetti Sauce
  - Mac & Cheese (boxed)
  - Fruit (canned)
  - Snacks (small)
  - Cereal



Thank you for your help and support to continue to keep our Blessing Box full!



Coffee and Donuts  
Sundays at 8:30 a.m.  
Starting June 4<sup>th</sup>  
Please join us!!



Congratulations  
Confirmands!!!  
Welcome Visitors!

A new member class has been scheduled for June 20th at 7:00p.m.



Please contact Pastor O'Brien or the church office if you would like to attend or if you would like more information.

Graduate  
CLASS OF 2023

Aidan O'Brien



Join us for an open house celebrating Aidan's graduation.  
St. John Lutheran Church in Williston  
Monday, May 29th from 2-6p

THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY,  
MAY 29TH.



We will be having a **Noisy Offering** **TODAY** to help offset VBS costs.



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***We welcome you to St. John Lutheran Church.  
We are...“creating and nurturing life changing relationships  
based on the love of God in Jesus Christ,  
so that we may grow in faith, serve God,  
and serve our neighbor.”***

Contemporary Worship: Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday School for all ages 8:30 am

Traditional Worship: Sunday 9:45 am

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## **NWOS Daily Bible Reading Guide: The Story of Jesus**

### **Jesus' Ministry in Galilee (According to Matthew: Part Three)**

May 22 The Parable of the Net Matt. 13:47-50

May 23 Treasures New and Old Matt. 13:51-52

May 24 Jesus Is Rejected at Nazareth Matt. 13:53-58; Mark 6:1-6; Luke 4:16-30

May 25 Jesus Heals on the Sabbath John 5:1-18

May 26 The Authority of the Son John 5:19-29

May 27 Witnesses to Jesus John 5:30-47

May 28 Reports about Jesus Matt. 14:1-2; Mark 6:14-16; Luke 9:7-9



.....this week's readings