# ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWSLETTER

Come to the cross and learn of God's great love for all His people. There is friendship, fellowship, and the gift of God's word of forgiveness.



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# St. John Lutheran 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

"The Lord's faithfulness continues through all generations." Psalm 100:5

## Recognition of our 40-65 year old generation

Sunday, June 30

Rev. John Heckmann, guest preacher Rev. Michael Heckmann, guest liturgist

Worship -9:00 a.m.

Fellowship hour -10:00 a.m.

Activity for children during the fellowship time

Potluck dinner – 11:00 a.m.

Please bring a main dish and a side dish and/or dessert to share.

Drinks will be provided.

### **Upcoming events**

Sunday, July 28 - Recognition of our 0-13 yr old generation

**VBS** Sunday

Brunch potluck

Sunday, August 4 – Recognition of our 25-40 yr old generation

Rev. Joshua Hayes as our guest preacher

Sunday, October 13 – Formal Anniversary Celebration

Dr. Rev. Sommerfeld as our guest preacher

Meal following at Hallam Auditorium

Sunday, December 29 – Closing of our Anniversary Year

#### **Church History**

#### Did You Know...

In 1893 the Pastor was paid \$400 a year plus a share in the 40 acres; the organist in 1900 was voted a salary of \$15 a year; the janitor received \$12 a year; and a vacancy Pastor at that time received \$10 for four month's work. In 1880 the first organ was purchased for \$200.