

**Announcements for the week of
October 19, 2014
At St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church**

Welcome Pastor Deborah

Pastor Deborah Byrum will be leading worship today. Please welcome her back to St. John.

Pastoral Emergencies

If you require the services of a pastor for an emergency, please contact Pastor Sarah Lee-Faulkner at 412-512-6855.

Confirmation Class – TODAY!

Our second confirmation class will be held *today from 4:00 – 6:00 pm*. We will meet in the church basement. If you have any questions, please contact Christine Dishong.

Worship Planners

Worship planners will meet next *Sunday, October 26* between services.

Fall Cleanup – November 1

We will be doing our annual fall cleanup of the grounds on *Saturday, November 1 from 8:30 – 11:30 am*. Please plan to join us to help.

Ladies Book Group – October 22

The next selection will be a book of short stories, “Dear Life” by Alice Munro. To begin read the first story – “To Reach Japan.” After the discussion we will decide how many of the stories we will read for each month. *Next meeting is October 22 at 7 pm* in the church basement. All are welcome.

Harvest Dinner – November 8

Our annual harvest dinner will be *on Saturday, November 8 from 4:00 – 7:00 pm*. Ticket cost is \$10 – Adult, Children (Age 3-12) - \$5, Under Age 3 – Free.

Blood Drive – November 16

In conjunction with Central Blood Bank, St. John’s will be hosting a blood drive on *Sunday, November 16, 2014. This will be held in the Social Hall from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm*. All participating donors will receive a coupon for a free Chick-fil-A sandwich. To schedule an appointment go to www.centralbloodbank.org and use group code G0030128. Walk-ins welcome as well.

Change for Change at Glade Run

If you would like to donate your loose change, please deposit it in the jug in the greeting area. We will be collecting change for the next few months in order to help replenish funds that Glade Run makes available to assist families in need.

Supplies Needed - Lutheran World Relief Quilts

We are in need of some supplies for the quilts that are sent to Lutheran World Relief. Amazing quilt tops can be made from pieces of **colorful, cotton fabric**. We are also in need of **blankets, fleece or quilt batting** to use for the middle part of the quilt. Gently used **bed sheets** can be used for the backing and are just the right size. We also use **embroidery thread** to tie the layers together. Your help is greatly needed and appreciated.

This Week at St. John

Sunday – October 19	Worship (Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost) Sunday School Worship (Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost)	8:00 am 9:00 am 10:30 am
Monday – October 20	Brown Bag Bible Study	Noon
Tuesday – October 21	Chair Aerobics	6:30 pm
Wednesday – October 22	Ladies Book Study	7:00 pm
Thursday – October 23	Chair Aerobics	6:30 pm
Sunday – October 26	Worship (Reformation Sunday) Sunday School Worship (Reformation Sunday)	8:00 am 9:00 am 10:30 am