

**Announcements for the week of
September 27, 2015
At St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church**

Bible Studies

The Brown Bag Bible Study Group meets each Wednesday at noon in the Fellowship Hall. *Pastor's Evening Bible Study begins at 7 pm on Wednesday evenings* and meets in the living room of the parsonage. Come join us for whichever bible study session fits with your schedule.

Results of Straw Poll

Last Sunday a straw poll was taken to determine whether or not the congregation will support installing air conditioning in the sanctuary. The results from both services are: 15 – Yes, 23 – No.

Youth Group – Today

The Youth Group will meet at 1 pm today to discuss future plans and to help with LWR kits.

Blessing of Pets – October 4

On Sunday, October 4 at 1:00 pm we will have a Blessing of Pets service on the front lawn. Bring your pets for this special service. All are welcome.

Mars Applefest – October 3

This year we will once again be making haluski to sell at the St. John booth. Volunteers are needed to staff the booth and we are asking for donations of cabbage, onions and noodles. If you can help in any way, please contact Kim Richards at 724-316-2263.

McCormick-McClure Wedding – October 10

All members of St. John are invited to attend the Service of Marriage for Katie McCormick and Bryan McClure in the sanctuary of St. John on Saturday, October 10 at 3:30 pm.

St. John Fall Family Event – October 11

Join us for an afternoon of fun on *Sunday, October 11 at The Beacon Corn Maze*, located near the Butler County Airport. Hayride, corn maze and more! Plans are to meet for lunch after church at Mango Bean in Brickyard Plaza and arrive at The Beacon by 1pm. Cost is \$8. See Erin Weaver for a \$1 off coupon. Please contact Kelly Greb if you plan to attend.

Fall Clean-up Day – October 31

Our annual clean-up day of the grounds around the church will be on *Saturday, October 31 from 9am – 11am*. Mark the day on your calendar and come join us to help prepare the grounds for fall/winter and enjoy the company of friends.

Chair Aerobics

It's that time of year again! We will be offering chair aerobics to any who would like to attend *on Monday and Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm*. Chair aerobics offers exercise that will increase your flexibility and balance. Join us and stay fit!

Martin Luther Reformation Tour Presentation

Complete Travel Service will be hosting an evening presentation of this tour, which will include a video, on *Thursday, October 1, 2015 at 7:00 pm*. The presentation will be at 134-B S. Main St., Zelienople. (724-452-8000). The tour itself will take place beginning on May 10, 2016. Additional details concerning the tour will be published in the St. John October Newsletter.

Seminar at Overbrook Pointe Café – October 20

All are welcome to attend a dinner session seminar at Overbrook Pointe Café (at St. John Community) *at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, October 20*. Topics will include preserving your wealth (estate planning and probate), updates to Pennsylvania's Power of Attorney Act, and an overview of federal gift tax, estate tax, inheritance tax, etc. To make a reservation, please call the Lutheran Senior Life Foundation at (724) 453-6014.

This Week at St. John

Sunday – September 27	Worship	8:00 am
	(Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost)	
	Sunday School & Adult Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship	10:30 am
	(Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost)	
	Youth Group	1:00 pm
Monday – September 28	Chair Aerobics	6:30 pm
Wednesday – September 30	Brown Bag Bible Study	Noon
	Evening Bible Study at parsonage	7:00 pm
Thursday – October 1	Chair Aerobics	6:30 pm
Saturday – October 3	Mars Applefest	
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