

St. John's Sinking Valley
June 28th, 2026



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Tyrone, PA 16686

* = Please stand as you are able

The Announcements/Birthday Celebrations/Anniversary Recognitions

Opening Prayer

***Opening Hymn:**

Offertory

*** The Doxology**

*** Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Word of the Lord

Today's Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 96

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all the earth.
- 2 Sing to the Lord, praise his name;
proclaim his salvation day after day.
- 3 Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

- 4 For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise;
he is to be feared above all gods.
- 5 For all the gods of the nations are idols,
but the Lord made the heavens.
- 6 Splendor and majesty are before him;
strength and glory are in his sanctuary.

- 7 Ascribe to the Lord, all you families of nations,
ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
- 8 Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name;
bring an offering and come into his courts.
- 9 Worship the Lord in the splendor of his[a] holiness;
tremble before him, all the earth.
- 10 Say among the nations, "The Lord reigns."
The world is firmly established, it cannot be moved;
he will judge the peoples with equity.

- 11 Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad;
let the sea resound, and all that is in it.
- 12 Let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them;
let all the trees of the forest sing for joy.
- 13 Let all creation rejoice before the Lord, for he comes,
he comes to judge the earth.
He will judge the world in righteousness
and the peoples in his faithfulness.

Today's New Testament Lesson

Colossians 3:16

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

***The Gospel Response –**

Seek Ye First

The Gospel Lesson

John 1:1-18

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was with God in the beginning. 3 Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. 4 In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. 6 There was a man sent from God whose name was John. 7 He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all might believe. 8 He himself was not the light; he came only as a witness to the light. 9 The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. 11 He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him. 12 Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God— 13 children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God. 14 The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. 15 (John testified concerning him. He cried out, saying, "This is the one I spoke about when I said, 'He who comes after me has surpassed me because he was before me.'") 16 Out of his fullness we have all received grace in place of grace already given. 17 For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. 18 No one has ever seen God, but the one and only Son, who is himself God and is in closest relationship with the Father, has made him known.

L: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Message-

Hymn-

The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

***Closing Hymn-**

***Benediction -**

Organ Postlude –

Prayer Requests For: Michael L., Tom C., John & Sue M., Phillip, Toni H., Ronnie N., Brenda M., Krystal D., First Responders, Members of our Military and their families, Cancer treatment patients and the congregation of St. John's Lutheran Church.

If you would like anyone added and/or removed please let Drew (jesus2thevalley@gmail.com) or Carey (brooke2235@yahoo.com) know. Thank you.

Pastoral Care – For anyone needing pastoral care, Drew Baker is our Worship Leader. Please feel free to contact him at 814-932-4085. Drew's Email: jesus2thevalley@gmail.com

Prayer Chain – There is a prayer support chain in place. If anyone would like to commit to praying and being part of the chain, please see **Drew Baker**. In addition, if you have someone to be added to the prayer chain, please let Drew know.

Give to St. John's online for a one-time or a recurring gift using the church's website:

www.stjohnssinkingvalley.com

Scroll down the home page and click on the PDF "Online Giving DIRECTIONS" for more information. Click on the "Online Giving Web Site" link to create a free profile and get started.

Or give through the mail. Please send checks made out to "St. John's Lutheran Church" to:

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Please include your name and envelope number if applicable. Thank you for your generosity.

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June	Reader	Count Offering
6/21/26	Madison Harper	Ryan Fleck / Matt Harper
6/26/26	Ryan Fleck	Ryan Fleck / Matt Harper
July	Reader	Count Offering
7/5/26	Remington Fleck	Lauren Fleck/Marty Williams
7/12/26	Chad Pedersen	Lauren Fleck/Marty Williams
7/19/26	Mason Harper	Lauren Fleck/Marty Williams
7/26/26	Lori Cushion	Lauren Fleck/Marty Williams

Events / Meetings / Special Services

October 3rd – Tent. FallFest

December 20th – Tent. Christmas in the Valley

We Care Meals

July 11, 2026 ~ July 25, 2026

August 8, 2026 ~ August 22, 2026

Sept. 12, 2026 ~ Sept. 26, 2026

Oct. 10, 2026 ~ Oct. 24, 2026

Nov. 14, 2026 ~ Nov. 28, 2026

Dec. 12, 2026 ~ Dec. 26, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Good Samaritan – June – This month’s recipient of the Good Samaritan Fund is Brad Wolf. Brad is a dedicated member of the Tyrone Elks Lodge 212 Veterans Service Committee and has made a significant impact through his service and support of our local veterans.

On April 27, Brad was seriously injured in an ATV accident, suffering a skull fracture, a broken neck, and a partial spinal cord injury. He was life-flighted to UPMC Presbyterian in Pittsburgh, where he underwent surgery for his neck and skull fractures. Following his hospitalization, Brad spent several weeks at Mercy Rehabilitation in Pittsburgh and has made remarkable progress in a short amount of time. In early June, Brad was accepted into the Cleveland VA Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation Program, where he continues to work hard and make great strides in his recovery. Please keep Brad and his family in your thoughts and prayers as he continues his road to recovery.

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**REMINDER - Good Samaritan Fund Recipients** – The Good Samaritan Fund was established to help anyone in need. If you know of anyone (individuals/families/missions), please pick up a form on the back table, complete it and put it in the offering plate or in the basket on the back table.

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Engage Fest - July 23-25 – Truth Quest Ministries brings you Engage Fest, a free three-day Christian Event for everyone at Quest Haven Lodge in Tyrone.

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**Sunday Evening Bible Study** – Adult Bible Study will continue to meet Sunday evenings at 6:30 p.m. For more information, please contact Drew Baker (814-932-4085), or Jerry & Heidi Shetler (814-327-4808 / 814-686-2347).

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Church Directory – The Church Directory is complete! Copies can be found on the back table—please remember to take one. In addition, if you are unable to worship in person and would like a copy mailed, please contact Heidi Shetler at (814) 327-1995.

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**Favorite Hymns** – If you have a favorite hymn, please be sure to put it on the list on the back table.

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We Care Meals - We Care Meals, providing free meals for people in the Community on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month, some recipients are elderly, young, home bound, recovering from illness or accident, or just could use a good meal and a smiling face delivering the meal. If you know of “**ANY ONE**”, please contact Drew or a member of council.