

St. John's Sinking Valley
March 8th, 2026



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Tyrone, PA 16686

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The Announcements/Birthday Celebrations/Anniversary Recognitions
Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship:

Opening Hymn:

Offertory

* **The Doxology**

* **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Word of the Lord

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Today's Old Testament Lesson

Proverbs 11:24

One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want.

Today's New Testament Lesson

2 Corinthians 9:7

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

***The Gospel Response –**

Seek Ye First

The Gospel Lesson

Mark 12:41-44

41 Jesus sat down opposite the place where the offerings were put and watched the crowd putting their money into the temple treasury. Many rich people threw in large amounts. 42 But a poor widow came and put in two very small copper coins, worth only a few cents. 43 Calling his disciples to him, Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put more into the treasury than all the others. 44 They all gave out of their wealth; but she, out of her poverty, put in everything—all she had to live on."

L: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Message-

inSIGNIFICANT: A Life of Giving Her All

Hymn-

Take My Life and Let it Be

The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

***Closing Hymn-**

***St. John's Mission Statement –**

*Benediction -

Organ Postlude –

Prayer Requests For: Phillip, Toni H., Janet 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.

NOTE! As previously announced, we are starting the prayer list fresh in 2026. 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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Reader/Offering Schedule

March	Reader	Count Offering
3/8/26	Lauren Fleck	Deb Beauchamp/ Marty Williams
3/15/26	Madison Harper	Deb Beauchamp/ Marty Williams
3/22/26	Ryan Fleck	Deb Beauchamp/ Marty Williams
3/29/26	David Lang	Deb Beauchamp/ Marty Williams

Events / Meetings / Special Services

April 2nd – Maundy Thursday – 7:00 p.m.

April 3rd – Good Friday – 7:00 p.m.

June 13th – Strawberry Social

October 3rd – Tent. FallFest

December 20th – Tent. Christmas in the Valley

We Care Meals

January 10, 2026 ~ January 24, 2026

February 14, 2026 ~ February 28, 2026

March 14, 2026 ~ March 28, 2026

April 11, 2026 ~ April 25, 2026

May 9, 2026 ~ May 23, 2026

June 13, 2026 ~ June 27, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pie & Praise – Thank you! Thank you to EVERYONE that helped and attended Pie & Praise!!!!

Easter Flowers ORDERS DUE TODAY! – Order forms for Easter flowers are on the back table. Please return orders to Linda Lykens, no later than **Sunday, March 8th**.

Council Meeting – Today – There is a council meeting immediately following worship today.

Committee Sign Up Sheets – It’s been a while since the committees have met, so Council has decided to start fresh. Please take a moment to review the list of committees on the back table and sign up if you are interested in serving. Even if you’ve signed up in the past, we ask that you do so again. Thank you.

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.

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).

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.

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

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.