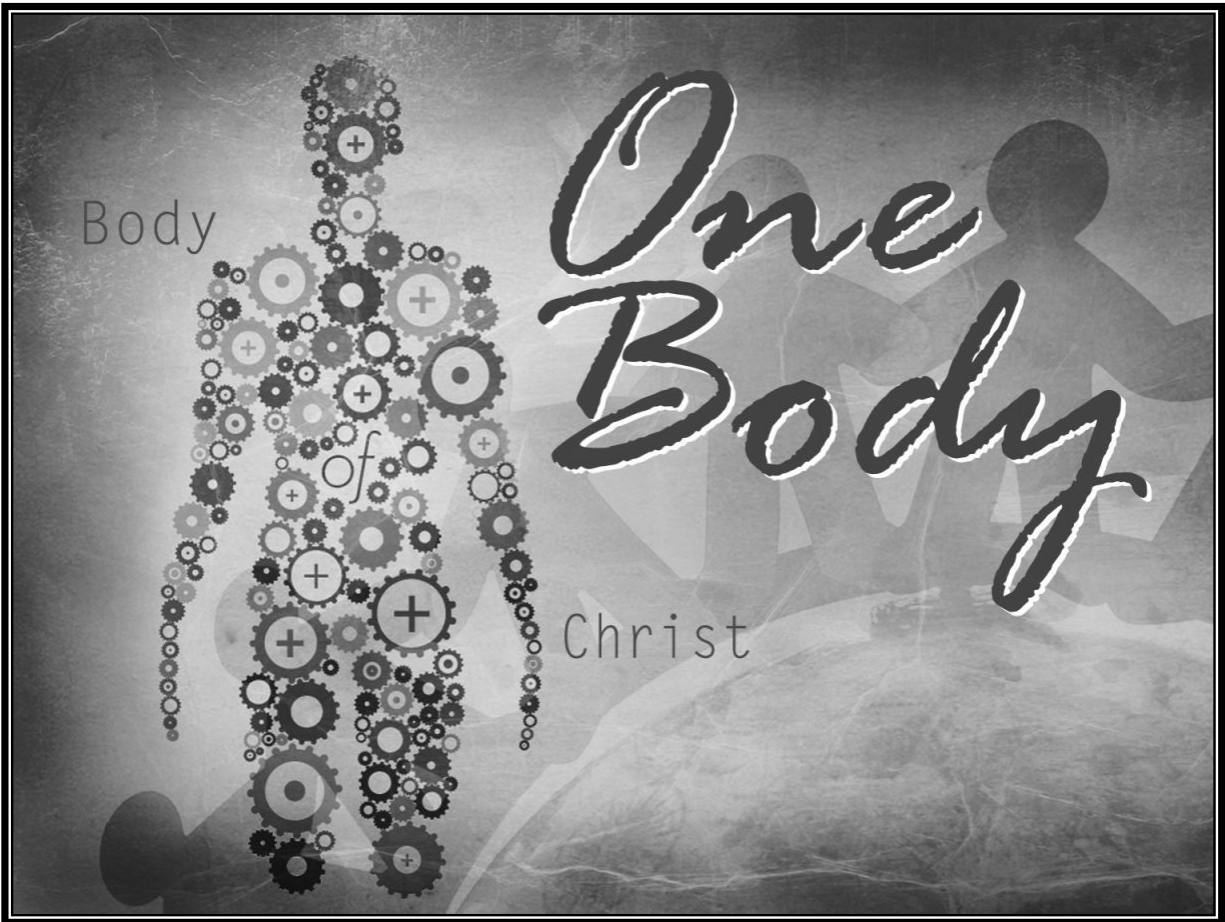


St. John's Sinking Valley
February 1st, 2026



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The Announcements/Birthday Celebrations/Anniversary Recognitions
Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn:

The Apostle's Creed

Offertory

* **The Doxology**

* **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Word of the Lord

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Today's Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 133:1

1 How good and pleasant it is
when God's people live together in unity!

Today's New Testament Lesson

1 Peter 3:8-9

8 Finally, all of you, have unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, and a humble mind. 9 Do not repay evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary, bless, for to this you were called, that you may obtain a blessing.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

***The Gospel Response –**

The Gospel Lesson

John 17:20-26

20 "My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, 21 that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. 22 I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one— 23 I in them and you in me—so that they may be brought to complete unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. 24 "Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to see my glory, the glory you have given me because you loved me before the creation of the world. 25 "Righteous Father, though the world does not know you, I know you, and they know that you have sent me. 26 I have made you known to them, and will continue to make you known in order that the love you have for me may be in them and that I myself may be in them."

Message-

ONE BODY - The Church

Hymn-

The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

***Closing Hymn-**

***St. John's Mission Statement**

***Benediction -**

Organ Postlude –

Prayer Requests For: 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:

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Reader/Offering Schedule

February	Reader	Count Offering
2/1/26	Deb Beauchamp	Lauren Fleck / Ryan Fleck
2/8/26	Aidan Luther	Lauren Fleck / Ryan Fleck
2/15/26	Rylee Fleck	Lauren Fleck / Ryan Fleck
2/22/26	Lee Anne Ayers	Lauren Fleck / Ryan Fleck

Events / Meetings / Special Services

**February 1st – Congregational Meeting
following worship**

**February 8th – Council Meeting following
worship**

March 7th – Pie & Praise – 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

June 13th – Strawberry Social

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

Annual Meeting – Today! – Please plan to stay after worship today for the Annual Meeting to vote on the proposed budget for 2026. We will also re-elect any council members wishing to stay on council for another 2 year term, as well as elect any new council members.

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**Attn: Youth Parents - Meeting February 8th** - Jerry and Heidi Shetler would like to hold a brief 10-minute meeting following worship, on **Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup>** to discuss the Blessing Project created from the Good Samaritan Collection for December. The kids will meet during church service to go over the details. Blessing somebody is one of our greatest gifts. Thank you, Jerry and Heidi

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Pie & Praise – Saturday, March 7th – 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. – Please join us for our 5th Annual Pie & Praise on Saturday, March 7th from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. There will be music, raffle baskets, and delicious pies. Pies will be auctioned off by “Our Own Auctioneer”! Mark your calendars for this fun event!!!!

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**Pies Needed Please!** – Our 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Pie & Praise is just around the corner and we are looking for donations of pies again this year! Please be sure to sign up on the back table. We are looking for pies to serve, as well as pies to be auctioned off! Thank you in advance for your help!!

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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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**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.