Sermon Notes

Sermon Text:	
What is the main point of the sermon?	
What points of Law did you hear?	
What points of Gospel did you hear?	
Other things I want to remember:	_
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APOSTLES LUTHERAN CHURCH AND PRESCHOOL

The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod 2023 Theme Verse

"Let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus"

Hebrews 12.1c-2a

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 21, 2024

Red Letter Challenge All members are encouraged to participate. Workbooks are available today and next Sunday or anytime in the church office. A donation of \$10 per workbook is requested to off-set the cost of the books (actual cost \$25). Please do not let the cost deter you from participating. If you need help with the cost, please talk to your elder or Pastor Byars.

2024 Offering Envelopes are now available to pick up in the narthex. If you do not find a box with your name on it, please contact the church office (623-979-3497) and a box will be made for you.



Apostles Lutheran Church Preschool has on-going enrollment. Contact us today! For details, call Beckie Ellis at 623-312-4831

Next Voter's Meeting - January 28 Noon

New Property Chairperson—please note, Stephan Waltz is now the property chairperson. His cell phone number is 623-810-3700. If you should spot something at the church that needs fixing or other attention, please contact the church office to report it. If it is an emergency during non-office hours, please call Stephan.

Upcoming Fellowship Events

Apostles Annual Dinner Theater presents "Capisce?" on Saturday, February 17, at 5pm in the Family Life Center. A mystery play set in the early 1930's in an Italian Restaurant. Come and try to figure out who did it? There will be audience participation. The dinner will be a catered Italian dinner with several pastas, salad, garlic bread and Cannoli for dessert. Tickets will be on sale for \$15. We are limited on tickets so get yours quick before they sell out. We are not selling tickets at the door. Ask a friend or 2 to come with you and have a fun time with many laughs.

Annual Church Picnic 3/17 at 12:30pm in the Family Life Center

Serving Our Community

Orphan Grain Train donations - Donations can be placed by the table in the Narthex (Human Care Corner) We will take any listed on the sign but are running low on men's clothing, so all men's clothing donations will be greatly appreciated.

While sleeping mats are still being made, we ask that you do not bring bags to church until further notice. This will give us time to use the bags you have already donated. Thank you.

Sleeping Mats for the Homeless Did you ever imagine those pesky overly abundant plastic grocery bags that pile up in our homes could make a positive difference in the life of a person on the streets? They most certainly can. Brave and intrepid volunteers here at Apostles are making sleeping mats from plastic bags. It takes 500-700 bags to make one mat. These mats are lightweight, easy to clean, and provide insulation and a barrier between the individual and the ground or floor. If you are interested in how they are made, and/or want to get started making them go to You Tube - How to Make Sleeping Mats for the Homeless. There are so many videos to peruse. If you have questions, text Mary Otte at 623-377-6029 or email at Mbotte52779@gmail.com.

We Pray for our families, friends, relatives, and others who are ill or recuperating from recent surgeries, crisis, or deaths of loved ones.

Homebound members:

Janet Schleier Dianne Cola

Carol Bryant

Serving Our Church

	January 21	January 28
ELDERS	8am Duane Bargmann	8am Skip Kamps
	11am Don Miller	11am Joel Helsper
USHERS	8am Lyle Schlenz	8am Barry Yohnka
	John Nicol	Joel Helsper
LAY	8am Tom Schleier	8am Tom Nass
READER	11am Amaris Baldwin	11am Joyce Heil
ACOLYTE	8am Sawyer Edmondson	8am Sawyer Edmondson
	11am Henry Baldwin	11am Kyrabelle Gentry
ALTAR	8am Pat Bilovesky	
GUILD	11am Joyce Heil	
TECH	8am Tom Schleier	8am Tom Schleier
SUPPORT	11am Fred Polak	11am Fred Polak
OFFERING	Ron Bissey	Brenda Smith
COUNTERS	Karen Nicol	Judi Markosian
FLOWERS		

Attendance & Offerings

Jan. 14 8:00 am - 56 9:30 am - 14 11:00 am - 25

Weekly Needs \$5741.75 Received \$2902

Pastor's Forum takes place at 9:30am in the Family Life Center.



Men's Bible Study meets on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month at 9:00 am in Rm 5 of the office building



Women's Bible study meets at 6:00 pm on Wednesday evenings in the Conference room of the office building. Bring your Bible and join us as we take a look at the short and sweet book of Titus. The evening is a time of study, prayer, and fellowship. It promises to be a new and exciting study for you. Prayerfully consider this opportunity for spiritual growth

The website for the Automated Giving Program is always open for new applications and changes. It is easy and confidential. If interested, please email Judi Markosian at judi.whitehead@cox.net or call her at 602-919-3104 and she will be happy to assist you in signing up. You can also give online at givelify.com. It's quick, easy and safe.

Jeekly Calendar

Today, Jan, 21		
8:00 am	Worship w/comm.	
9:30 am	Sunday School for all ages	
9:30 am	Worship w/comm. in Spanish	
11:00 am	Worship w/comm.	
Monday, Jan. 22		
7-9 pm	Beta Sigma Phi	
Tuesday, Jan 23		
Tuesday,	Jan 23	
Tuesday, 8:30 am		
8:30 am		
8:30 am 7:00 pm	Dorcas	
8:30 am 7:00 pm Wednesd	Dorcas SSWS Rehearsal	
8:30 am 7:00 pm Wednesd 6-8 pm	Dorcas SSWS Rehearsal ay, Jan 24	

Club Volleyball
SSWChorale Rehearsal
ın 26
Wrestling
Family Night (Pastor Cabrales)
Jan 27
Men's Bible Study
Play practice (FLC)
Jan 28
Worship
Sunday School for all ages
Worship in Spanish
Worship
Voter's Meeting

Thursday, Jan 25

6:20 9pm Club Valloyball