

St. John Lutheran Church  
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The Rev. Raymond H. Phyles      Mrs. Margaret Knowlton  
Pastor (phone 531-2264)                      Organist  
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost      October 18, 2009  
Service of the Word I                      9:30 a.m.

**Preparation**

Prelude                      Enter quietly to worship  
\*The Confession of Sins                      p. 56  
#\*The Entrance Hymn                      # 171  
\*The Greeting                      (5)                      p. 57  
\*The Kyrie                      (6)                      p. 57  
\*The Hymn of Praise                      (7)                      p. 58  
\*The Prayer of the Day                      (8)                      p. 28

**#Latecomers may be seated**

**The Word**

The First Lesson                      (9)                      Isaiah 53: 4-12  
The Psalm 91: 9-16                      p. 259  
The Second Lesson                      Hebrews 5: 1-10  
\*The Alleluia                      (14)                      p. 62  
\*The Holy Gospel                      Mark 10: 35-45  
The Sermon                      Pastor Phyles

**The Response to the Word**

\*The Hymn of the Day                      (19)                      # 503  
\*The Apostles' Creed                      (21)                      p. 65  
The Offering and Offertory                      p. 75  
\*The Pastoral Prayer                      (47)                      p. 76  
\*The Lord's Prayer (either version)                      p. 76  
\*The Benediction                      (48)                      p. 78  
\*The Departure Hymn                      # 182  
A Moment of Reflection  
\*The Postlude                      Depart joyfully to serve

**\*Congregation Standing**

**Lay Assistant:** Steve Gemma  
**Lector:** Phil & Sue Reed      **Acolyte:** Michael Winsor  
**Ushers:** Carole Grayson & Melissa Gustafson  
**Nursery:** Rick & Cheryl

Please disable all cellphones and other devices upon entering the sanctuary. Thank you.

The flowers on the Altar this morning have been presented by Rick and Cheryl Cormier to the glory of God and in honor of their thirteenth wedding anniversary.

We extend a warm welcome to all visitors worshipping with us this morning. St. John is a fellowship of God's people worshipping and serving in the Reformation tradition. We invite you to worship with us again and to join with us in our ministry here on the North Shore. Please sign our Guest Book before you leave and please join us downstairs following the service for coffee and light refreshments.

We also welcome our own Susan Dancewicz to the organ console this morning. We are grateful for her musical leadership of our worship.

Our Sunday church school classes begin at 11:00 a.m. Please help us conclude the coffee hour promptly.

Next Sunday names and ages of Penobscot Indian children will be posted downstairs. We encourage you to select a name and then buy age and gender-appropriate clothing and toys for the name you select. Christmas is rather bleak for these children without our help. Rev. Pat Bade will deliver our gifts to the reservation prior to the holidays.

The WELCA Annual Fair is scheduled for Saturday, November 7, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please bring items for the white elephant table over the next several weeks. Please bring items for the fruit baskets and the baked goods table the week before the fair. Thank you for your continued generous support.

Planning ahead, we are looking for volunteers to shovel snow here at the church over the winter months. Please speak with Fred Faust if you are willing to help out in this way.

Next Sunday we shall celebrate the Rite of Confirmation for four of our young people. Please be sure to be present to lend your support to them as they take this important step in their Christian sojourn.

We ask your prayers and concern for these members and friends of St. John today and throughout the coming week.  
Ellen Hepburn      David Fredricksen      Carol White  
Corey Reed              Anna Snow              Mrs. Ting  
   Robert Sousa

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We join with those who mourn in remembering before God and one another these members and friends who have departed in the sign of the faith.

Mathilda Seppila - 10/23/74

*Our joys when extended will  
always increase.  
And griefs when divided are  
hushed into peace.*

- Anonymous -