



**Join us in honoring Cheryl
after worship on Sunday**

Greetings from St. John's Lutheran Church
Wednesday, May 4, 2017
Know Christ . Live Christ. Share Christ

THOUGHT FOR THE JOURNEY

The aim and final end of all music should be none other than the glory of God and the refreshment of the soul.

J.S. Bach

AROUND THE CONGREGATION

A reception will be held after worship on Sunday honoring Cheryl Irland for her 20 years of music ministry at St. John's. There will be good fellowship, good food and a chance to express your appreciation to Cheryl.

THE Noisy Offering collected on Saturday and Sunday will go to Social Entrepreneurs of Grinnell (SEG), a nonprofit that makes micro-loans to people in need in our community.

ST. JOHN'S will prepare and serve the Community Meal at Davis School on Tuesday, May 16. If you can serve, clean up and/or make bars and cookies, please contact Mary Schuchmann or the church office.

ARE there 2017 graduates in our congregation? If so, please contact the church office ASAP.

THE final Taize service of the school year will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

GENERAL OFFERING received the weekend of April 29-30 totaled \$9,160.

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Acts 8: 26-39 & Luke 24:44-47

Transformation

There is a God-shaped hole in each of us that can only be filled by God. It will transform you!

STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

SATURDAY, MAY 6

Welcome Team: Larry & Marilyn Deppe

Reader: Kayne Pavey

Communion Assistant:

SUNDAY, MAY 7

Acolyte: Hannah Behrens

Greeters: Muriel Johannessen, Becky Wilson

Reader: Abbi Furness

Communion: John and Madge Ruchotzke

Fellowship: Bob and Pam Ashing, Sydney Anderson