

St. John Evangelical Lutheran Congregation of Schwer

January 1, 2021

New Year's Day

Our mission is to know, love, and follow Jesus that His Kingdom will be advanced.

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Prelude Tracy Scherf

Welcome and Announcements

Invocation

Call to Worship Psalm 8

Opening Prayer

Hymn **Great Is Thy Faithfulness** #559

Confession of Sin Declaration of Grace p.2

Old Lesson Numbers 6:22-27 The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, **23** "Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, Thus you shall bless the people of Israel: you shall say to them, **24** The LORD bless you and keep you; **25** the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; **26** the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. **27** "So shall they put my name upon the people of Israel, and I will bless them."

New Lesson Galatians 3:23-29 Now before faith came, we were held captive under the law, imprisoned until the coming faith would be revealed. **24** So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith. **25** But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian, **26** for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. **27** For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. **28** There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. **29** And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

Gospel Luke 2:21
And at the end of eight days, when he was circumcised, he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

Confession of Faith: Apostles Creed p.4

Hymn **Praise to the Lord, the Almighty** verse 1,2,5 #171

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Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Hymn **Blessed Assurance** verse 1,2 #511

Go in peace and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

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Offering today goes to the Samaritan's Purse