St. John's News

This week at St. John's:

Sharing a changeless Christ in a changing world



Sun. 5/22	Worship w/Holy Communion Children's Summer Kickoff Bible Buddies Adult Bible Class Worship w/Holy Communion GriefShare	8:00 AM 9:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM 12:30 PM
Mon., 5/23		
Tue., 5/24	Sewing Group Project Compassion Meeting	10:30 AM 6:30 PM
Wed., 5/25	Hosanna/Bethlehem Study Staff Meeting Mission Trip Meeting	10:00 AM 11:00 AM 6:30 PM
Thur., 5/26	Men's Bible Study (Perkins) Staff Retreat (off-site) Al-Anon Pastor Ryan Life Group Jed & Del Larson Life Group	7:00 AM 9:00 AM-3:00 PM 10:00 AM 6:30 PM 6:30 PM
Fri., 5/27		
Sat., 5/28	Worship Team Practice Worship	3:45 PM 5:00 PM
Sun. 5/29	Worship Adult Bible Class Worship GriefShare	8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM 12:30 PM

This weekend's broadcast on KRWC is sponsored by a generous, anonymous St. John's member.

May 21-22, 2022 Sixth Sunday of Easter

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Dear St. John's Family: Sincere THANKS for the huge amount of love, support, and prayers given by this church family! Special thanks to Pastor Clark. Sandi, Lori, and August for the beautiful music, and the LWML crew in the kitchen for the nice lunch. Cheryl was so blessed to be a part of this church.

God's peace and His love, Cheryl Olsen Family

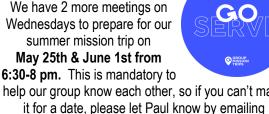


Mission Trip Participants!

We have 2 more meetings on Wednesdays to prepare for our summer mission trip on

May 25th & June 1st from

help our group know each other, so if you can't make it for a date, please let Paul know by emailing paul@stjohnsbuffalo.org or by texting 402-910-6530.





We are looking to add additional Sound Technicians for our services.

If you are interested in joining our team, please contact Jill Marketon or the church office. Our need is especially for the Saturday 5 PM service and the Sunday 10:30 AM service. ** There would be training provided.

PARENTS OF 2022 GRADUATES!

GRADUAT Do you have a senior that you would like included in our annual "Senior Sunday" where we celebrate our graduating seniors? We will be doing a slide show on June 5th and need a picture of each of our **graduates.** We would also like to know the name of their high school and their future plans. Please email to the office at: info@stjohnsbuffalo.org or stop by to have a picture scanned.



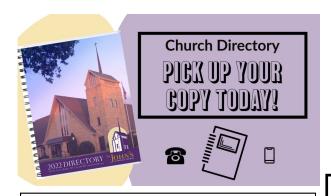
Mother's Day, MAY 8 - Father's Day, JUNE 19

Join us for a BABY SHOWER honoring the families at Options for Women/Cornerstone.

Takes place Mother's Day—Father's Day. You can give a donation to our baby bottle at the back of the sanctuary, or by giving from the list of items needed and putting them in the bins provided in the Narthex:

Diapers **Pacifiers** Wipes **Bottles** Blankets Baby Clothing Bibs Washcloths

Gifts Cards: gas, groceries (Walmart/Target)



Summer Office Hours

Starting May 27, our office hours will be 8:30 AM-4:30 PM Monday-Thursday and 8:30 AM-12 PM Fridays

ST. JOHN'S GREETER MINISTRY

Be the reason someone smiles today.

brief informational meeting after both Sunday services
JUNE 5TH



Monday through Thursday, July 25-28 from 9:00 to 11:30 am

monumental vbs is filled with incredible Bible learning experiences that kids see, hear, touch and even taste! Kids will love God like never before.

Serve God like never before and have the time of their lives doing it!

But we can't take this adventure without your help! From donations, to registration, to teaching and crew leaders, there are many places for you to be a part of this adventure. Contact Kelly if you would like to help in any way. Go to our website to register or volunteer for VBS!

LIFE Groups May 2022					
Day/Time	Location	Facilitator	Торіс		
Thursdays 7:00 AM	Perkins	Jed Larson	Men's Study - Old Testament - Patriarchs, Prophets, & Kings		
Thursdays 9:30 AM	Classroom 228	Katherine Clark	Women - Believing God - Childcare available. Register at stjohnsbuffalo.org/life-groups/believing-god-summer-womens-study/		
Thursdays 6:30 PM	Youth Rm	Pastor Chris Ryan	Men's Study - <i>Acts</i>		
Thursdays 6:30 PM	Larson Home	Jed & Del Larson	Don't Give the Enemy a Seat at Your Table [Runs through May 26th]		
2nd Saturday 6:15 PM	Culvers	Various Hosts	Saturday Supper Club - Dinner + Conversation!		
Sundays 12:30 - 2pm	Conf Rm 229	Gary Nalavenko, Pastor Taylor, Bob Libsock, LeAnn Fremo	GriefShare - 13 week session (join any week - ends June 12th)		

Prayers of Celebration

Birthdays:

5/21	John Burns, Amy Rumsch, Savana Sabraski, Tyler Spadgenske
5/22	Jennifer Berg, Tia Chabot, Karen Ladda, Maya Lyver, Marlene Rudenick, Gunnar VanLith
5/23	Ken Klatt, Zoey Kuehl, Isaiah Stoppelman
5/24	Jakob Annis, Caylee Arnold, Kyle Bjork, Calleigh Forcier, Melissa Haggerty
5/25	Piper Botz, Joan Mueller
5/26 5/27	Kristin Loff

Appointments for counseling, weddings and baptisms may be made by calling the Church Office at 763-682-1883. *Please also call the church office if you desire prayer from pastors or elders.

Information

Attendance

5/14	Saturday 5 PM Worship	67
5/15	Sunday 8:00 AM Worship	126
	Sunday 9:30 AM Worship	65
	Sunday 11 AM Confirmation Svc	<u>214</u>
Total Weekend Attendance:		

Offering Gifts Received

5/15 Needed Weekly: \$18,848.00	\$ 21,516.00
Year-to-Date Offering:	\$ 389,879.00
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$ 376,960.00



Our Church Family in This Week's Services

Organist: Penny Steele

Ushers: 8:00 AM Fred Bonk, Jan Larson, John

Prigge, Dave Randel

10:30 AM Todd & Steven Jones, Beau

Schmidt, Ben Schmidt, Russ &

Isaac Hill, Matt & Tonya Russell

Readers: Saturday 5 PM Dave Haggerty

Sunday 8 AM Dave Teske

Sunday 10:30 AM Tracey Anderson

Coffee Fellowship: Women in Mission-MITES

Saturday 5:00 PM Sound:

Sunday 8:00 AM Trent Johnson &

Harland Headley

Bill Morris

Sunday 10:30 AM Jill Marketon &

Robbie Ferdig

YouTube Team: Ludovic Marguette, Tom

> Kortisses, Dan Headley, Bobbi Lindgren-Stevens

Welcome Center: Marlis Thomsen &

Elaine Fillmore