

 **CHOIR Rehearsals have now started!**  
**New Choir Members**  
**are invited & welcome to join us each Wednesday at 7pm.**

### CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CUPBOARD

Updated needs from Christian Community Cupboard:  
 August is St. John's month to staff the Christian Community Cupboard. As the amazing volunteers have been working, they have noticed that the cupboards are a bit bare. Although there are plenty of the basic USDA commodity items and lots of donations of meats, bakery, deli and produce items from Walmart and Kroger, the "extras" are in short supply. If you are so inclined, please consider purchasing the following items for donation to the Cupboard as soon as possible.

- Kid's snacks - Individually wrapped cookies, crackers, jello, pudding (snack pack type items)
- Jello, Pudding, cake mix, frosting,
- Jiffy or Martha White corn muffin mix
- Oatmeal, small containers or individual packets
- Sugar - small bags or boxes
- Toothpaste, Shampoo, deodorant
- We are also in need of Canned fruit, Spaghetti and Spaghetti Sauce.*

There are also a few volunteer openings still available between now and the end of the month. The Cupboard gets busier during the second half of the month, so the all slots really need to be filled. Please consider volunteering if you are willing and able - no experience needed! See the sign-up sheet at the Welcome Desk for openings.

If you have any questions, please contact me on my mobile phone - **304-993-3027**.

Thank you,  
 Kathy Moore

### Children's Ministries Launch

We will recognize and pray for our staff and all those leading our children through Preschool, J.A.M., and Sunday School programs on Sunday, September 8th at both 8:30 and 11:00 services.

#### COLLEGE STUDENT CONTACT UPDATE

Please complete this form, detach and place in offering plate.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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**OFFICE HOURS 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM MONDAY - THURSDAY**

#### THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN

SUNDAY	8:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICE, NURSERY AVAILABLE
	9:45 A.M.	SUNDAY SCHOOL, NURSERY AVAILABLE
	11:00 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICE, NURSERY AVAILABLE
MONDAY	9:00 A.M.	KINDERMUSIK (ROOM 100)
	10:00 A.M.	ACTIVE FOR LIFE (ROOM 110)
	3:30 P.M.	WALKING (GYMNASIUM)
	6:30 P.M.	BOY SCOUTS
TUESDAY	3:30 P.M.	WALKING (GYMNASIUM)
WEDNESDAY	10:00 A.M.	ACTIVE FOR LIFE (ROOM 110))
	3:30 P.M.	WALKING (GYMNASIUM)
	6:00 P.M.	GIRL SCOUT
	6:00 P.M.	BAND REHEARSAL
	7:00 P.M.	CHOIR REHEARSAL (CHOIR ROOM)
THURSDAY	10:00 A.M.	ACTIVE FOR LIFE (ROOM 110)
	3:30 P.M.	WALKING (GYMNASIUM)
FRIDAY	7:00 P.M.	NA MEETING (CONFERENCE ROOM)
	8:00 P.M.	AA MEETING (ROOM 250-A)
	8:00 P.M.	AL ANON MEETING (ROOM 200)



*We're so excited to begin this new ministry - and there's more to come!!*  
 St. John is starting a new ministry this fall. The goal is to create an evening, once a month, for everyone to come together for intergenerational worship then break apart into small groups. There will be something for every age group, from birth through adult.  
 We will be holding an 'Interest Meeting' on Sunday, Sept. 8 at 12:30pm, in Room 250 (just across the Bridge).  
 We can hardly wait to tell you all about it, but if you would like more information now, contact Kyle Smith at the church office - 304-757-6343.



Hebrews 11:29-12:2

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Introducing people to Jesus,  
 growing as disciples together.

AUGUST 18, 2019

8:30 A.M. AND 11:00 A.M.

**WELCOME**

**PRELUDE**

**PRAISE & PRAYER**

**CALL TO PRAYER**

*YOU ARE INVITED TO KNEEL AT THE ALTAR RAIL FOR PRAYER*

**“JESUS, KEEP ME NEAR THE CROSS” #301 vs 1**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

**CHILDREN’S SERMON**

**PREPARATION FOR THE WORD**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

**MESSAGE**

**PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERINGS**

**RESPONSE WITH PRAISE**

**THANKSGIVING PRAYER**

**BENEDICTION**

**BLESSING**

**“GLORY TO HIS NAME”**

**“TODAY IS THE DAY”**

**“SOON AND VERY SOON” #706**

**“NOTHING BETWEEN” #373**

**HEBREWS 11:29-12:2**

**“OUR FAMILY ALBUM”**

**“I HAVE DECIDED”**

**“PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW” #95**

**“HE WHO BEGAN A GOOD WORK IN YOU” #2163**

**Flowers in the Sanctuary are dedicated by:**

Mr. Dick Henchey, in honor of Rita Henchey’s birthday.  
**Happy Birthday, Rita!**

When paying for your sanctuary-flowers, please make your check payable to *St. John UMC* and note ‘Sanctuary Flowers’ in the memo. Thank you!

**WELCOME TO ST. JOHN**

**WE’RE SO GLAD YOU’RE WORSHIPPING WITH US!**

WE’D LOVE TO MEET YOU AND ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ABOUT ST. JOHN.

PLEASE VISIT THE WELCOME DESK FOR YOUR FREE GIFT.

**Sermon Notes  
Hebrews 11:29 - 12:2**

**“Our Family Album”**

- I. The Family Portrait
  - A. The writer of Hebrews presents a photo album of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. From these “pictures”, we learn who we \_\_\_\_\_, that we are not \_\_\_\_\_, and that we are part of the \_\_\_\_\_ of God with specific characteristics and traits.
- II. A Portrait of Faith
  - A. One portrait presents images of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. The second portrait presents images of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - C. By presenting these different portraits, the writer is reminding us that our \_\_\_\_\_ in life is not a \_\_\_\_\_ of our \_\_\_\_\_.
- III. Taking our Portrait
  - A. Faith \_\_\_\_\_ even when the present \_\_\_\_\_ calls into question God’s \_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. We run the race with \_\_\_\_\_ knowing that Christ is the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of our faith.
- IV. Jesus Calling
 

Jesus is calling us to remain faithful in all times remembering our family, our contest, and our captain who has run this race and who beckons us home.

**DISCIPLE BIBLE STUDIES**

**Please Note: In order to participate in Disciples II, III and IV, you must have completed Disciple I.**

It’s that time of year again to begin the Disciple Bible Studies. We certainly hope you can adjust your schedule so that you might have the opportunity to participate in one of these studies. *Sign-up sheets are available at the Welcome Desk.*

**DISCIPLE 1** There will be an orientation meeting on Sunday, September 1, at 4 pm in the Library. Please contact Karen Kinder, facilitator, at 304-549-1905.

**DISCIPLE II** Bible Study is to begin Sunday, September 1st, at 9:45 am in Room 100. Part 1 will finalize sometime in December before Christmas. For additional information, please contact Cindy Wandling, facilitator, at 304-951-8380.

**DISCIPLE III** will be facilitated by Phyllis Duvall and is scheduled for Monday evenings at 7:00 pm. For more information, please contact Phyllis at 304-552-8583.

**DISCIPLE IV** Bible Study will take place on Sunday evenings from 4 pm - 6 pm. For more information about this study, please contact Kathy Rittenhouse at 304-546-3418.

Serving in Worship Today - August 18, 2019		August 25, 2019
Acolytes	11:00	
Back Door	8:30	J Gooden
	11:00	B Stover
Balcony	11:00	E Stover
Front Door	11:00	J Stover
Liturgists	8:30	G Fisher
	11:00	J Hill
Nursery Care	8:30	T Fisher, G Fisher
	11:00	C Cramer, A Cramer
Sanctuary Greeter	8:30	B Edens
	11:00	A Crum, V Murphy
Sound Desk	8:30	B Chambers
	11:00	C Howerton
Welcome Desk	8:30	K Kinder
	(11:00)	M Perry
		E Norris
		M Roth
		S Page
		D Adkison
		S Jones
		B Stover
		C Reese, K Reese
		A Dye, A Walton
		K Bishop
		M Perry, S Adkison
		D Weddington
		C Howerton
		P Duvall
		Barb Dawson

USHERS SERVING MONTH OF AUGUST, 2019			
8:30	D Henchey, R Henchey, R Twohig, JA Twohig	11:00	B Stover, JA Stover, M Roth, P Kuhl, P Robson, R Pendleberry, P Page, J Perry, M Perry, T Wallace

**LAST WEEK’S ATTENDANCE AUGUST 11, 2019**

**S.S – 53 8:30 am – 82 11:00 am – 174**

	Weekly Need	Received August 11, 2019	Year-to-Date Need	Year-to-Date Received
General Fund for Operations				
Our Journey Continues				

**PRAYER CHAIN**

**IF YOU HAVE AN IMMEDIATE NEED FOR PRAYER, PLEASE CALL OR TEXT PHYLLIS DUVALL AT 304-552-8583.**



**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**PRAYER REQUEST LIST CAN BE FOUND AT THE WELCOME DESK. INFORMATION ON THIS LIST IS DERIVED FROM REQUESTS WRITTEN ON YELLOW CARDS.**

**11:00 SERVICE is LIVE-STREAMED ON FACEBOOK**

Be sure to check us out on Facebook at *facebook@sjumcwv*. Let your family and friends know and SHARE this link from *your* Facebook account! What a blessing for those who are unable to attend worship.

**WELCOME, GUESTS!**

**Please know how glad we are to have everyone, especially our visitors, with us today. If you are looking for a spiritual home, prayerfully consider St. John Church. Here you will find a community of persons committed to encouraging one another in the walk of faith and in growing together. If you are new among us, we invite you to complete a yellow welcome card located in a pew rack. You may provide as much information as you wish and then place the card in the offering plate. We are pleased that you are here!**

**ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE SOUND**