

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. 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.

Cub Scouts start meeting on Monday August 26 at 6:30 pm for Boys Kindergarten through Fifth Grade. We welcome all children. Any Questions please contact Joel Fisher at 304-610-6227 or Cubmaster Steve at 304-437-0084.



Girl Scouts will begin meeting at the church on Wednesday of this week at 6:30 pm. We welcome all children in this age group. Any Questions please contact Ashley Fizer at girlscoutashley@gmail.com.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday night Bible Study is to begin on October 9th with a study of Ephesians. "Looking forward to seeing you" - Kevin.

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
	6:00 P.M.	YOUTH FALL KICK-OFF PARTY
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)
	6:00 P.M.	PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE
WEDNESDAY	10:00 A.M.	ACTIVE FOR LIFE (ROOM 110))
	10:00 A.M.	PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE (4 YR. OLD)
	3:30 P.M.	WALKING (GYMNASIUM)
	6:00 P.M.	GIRL SCOUT
	6:30 P.M.	BOY SCOUTS/CUB SCOUTS
	6:00 P.M.	BAND REHEARSAL
	7:00 P.M.	YOUTH HANGOUT
	7:00 P.M.	CHOIR REHEARSAL (CHOIR ROOM)
THURSDAY	10:00 A.M.	ACTIVE FOR LIFE (ROOM 110)
	10:00 A.M.	PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE (3 YR. OLD)
	3:30 P.M.	WALKING (GYMNASIUM)
	5:00 P.M.	KINDERMUSIK (ROOMS 100 & 110)
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). Contact Kyle Smith at the church office - 304-757-6343 for more details.

Set Free



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**Introducing people to Jesus,
 growing as disciples together.**

AUGUST 25, 2019

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

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“I WILL SING OF THE MERCIES”

PRAISE & PRAYER

“MORE THAN CONQUERORS”

“I’M GONNA LIVE SO GOD CAN USE ME” #2153

CALL TO PRAYER

YOU ARE INVITED TO KNEEL AT THE ALTAR RAIL FOR PRAYER

“ABIDE WITH ME” #700 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.

MINISTRY MOMENT

ANTHEM

“YOU ARE”

CHILDREN’S SERMON

PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

“NOTHING BETWEEN” #373

SCRIPTURE LESSON

LUKE 13: 10-17

MESSAGE

“SET FREE”

PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

“BRAND NEW DAY”

RESPONSE WITH PRAISE

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

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

BENEDICTION

“MY LIFE FLOWS ON” #2212 vs 1

BLESSING

Flowers in the Sanctuary are dedicated by:

Rick & Tish Wallace, in honor of granddaughter, Brynlee’s birthday. **Happy Birthday, Brynlee!**

Jeff and Edie Davis, in honor of their 42nd Wedding Anniversary. **Happy Anniversary, Jeff and Edie!**



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

Luke 13:10-17

“Set Free”

I. Broken and Bound

A. In Jesus day, it was often believed that the spiritual and physical realm were _____. And, it was understood that demonic forces sometimes caused _____ and _____.

B. The woman’s physical state _____ her ability to live in full _____ inside the Jewish faith.

II. No Rules, Just Right

A. Jesus recognized the crippled woman’s _____ and healed her of her _____.

B. The result of this miracle _____ the woman in the Jewish faith and demonstrated Jesus’ _____ to set the oppressed free.

C. When challenged by the Jewish leader, Jesus emphasized the importance of doing the _____ thing as opposed to following the Mosaic Sabbath _____.

III. A Call to Action

A. In our _____, we are invited to call upon God to heal us _____, _____, and _____.

B. We are called to join Jesus in His _____ to set free those who are _____ and _____.

IV. Jesus Calling

Jesus is calling us to be God’s agents of healing and wholeness in this world.

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 begin on Sunday, September 8th, from 4 pm - 6 pm in the Library. For more information, please contact Kathy Rittenhouse at 304-546-3418.

Serving in Worship Today - August 25, 2019		September 1, 2019	
Acolytes	11:00		
Back Door	8:30	E Norris	D Houser
	11:00	M Roth	B Henry
Balcony	11:00	S Page	L Henry
Front Door	11:00	D Adkison	P Murphy
Liturgists	8:30	S Jones	P Bielinski
	11:00	M Johnson	T Dodrill
Nursery Care	8:30	C Reese, K Reese	J Spratt, RA Bowe
	11:00	A Dye, A Walton	A Clark, E Clark
Sanctuary Greeter	8:30	K Bishop	C Westfall
	11:00	M Perry, S Adkison	D Sheets, V Murphy
Sound Desk	8:30	D Weddington	D Weddington
	11:00	C Howerton	C Howerton
Welcome Desk	8:30	P Duvall	P Stephens
	(11:00)	B Edens	R Bielinski

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
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COMMUNION SERVERS NEXT SUNDAY, SEPT 1, 2019

8:30	J Lanham, N Lanham, N Lanham, S Lanham, P Bielinski, R Bielinski	11:00	D Gartner, S Gartner, W Akey, P Akey, J Clark, J Clark, J Hall, J Hall, L Hall, N Simpkins
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LAST WEEK’S ATTENDANCE AUGUST 18, 2019

S.S – 40 8:30 am – 85 11:00 am – 119

	Weekly Need	Received August 18, 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](https://www.facebook.com/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