



St. John's Messenger

March, 2015

from Fr. John W. Morris, Rector

SPRING PARISH MEETING

On Sunday, March 15th we will meet in the Parish Hall from 9:15 AM to 10:00 to elect our next delegation to Diocesan Convention and to hear and discuss the latest reports on the health of our parish and our diocese.

Our meeting comes the day after the election of our new bishop. On Saturday, March 14th our clergy and our lay delegates will chose between the three nominees ó **The Rev. Canon Audrey Cady Scanlan, The Rev. Canon David Anthony Pfaff, The Rev. Doctor Douglas Everett Sparks** ó to become the Eleventh Bishop of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania. We are especially grateful for the commitment and service of those representing St. Johnø ó Mary Ellen Kilp, Marylee Sauder, Aaron Spicher, David Kilp and Charlotte Weaver-Gelzer. They have been diligent in attending the ðWalkaboutö, the delegate orientation training, and to reporting to us at the parish mini-meeting. We look forward to receiving their final report about our next bishop and to discharging them with our thanks.

Because we will also be voting to replace them. At our spring Parish Meeting we will elect our next group of delegates and alternates to the Diocesan Convention to be held Friday and Saturday, October 16-17, at St. Lukeø Episcopal Church in Altoona. Our Nominating Committee composed of Debbie Carter, Bob Kilp, Glenn Miller, and Bob Murphy will present a slate of candidates for your consideration and election. While the floor will be open to nominations for the **Election of Diocesan Delegates**, I invite you to use the preferred procedure and contact any member of the Nominating Committee with the name of candidate to represent St. Johnø.

We will also receive the latest **Financial Report**. Our Treasurer, Steve Latshaw, and our Vestry Steward for Finance, Charley Braught will be on hand to share with you the year-end report for 2014, the budget report for 2015, and the report on the status of endowment and restricted funds. They will also report to you on the work of Financial Focus to make our accounting fully transparent and consistent with generally accepted accounting practices and principle.

You will also hear the report from our **Feasibility Committee**. Doug Brown, Debbie Carter and Rosemary Coverly have been working with our stewardship consultant, Scott McKenzie of Horizon Stewardship. Scott has conducted an initial face to face survey of twenty parish members. Another fifty parish members have been surveyed on line. The result of this research will be made known to you as the vestry considers whether to move forward toward a capital campaign and building program.

In my spring State of the Parish to be read at both services I will build on the **2015 Mission Imperatives** for our parish adopted by your vestry: + Begin to develop a 3-5 year Strategic Mission Action Plan that integrates our objectives for property, personnel and finance. + Provide greater support for our Lay Eucharistic Visitor and senior member ministries. + Enhance our New Member ministries especially for parishioner follow up contacts with newcomers. + Fulfill our commitment to becoming a completely safe space of all children using the Safe Church Program. + Nurture thoughtfully and prayerfully generationally leadership in our parish and especially with our Jubilee Ministries using the Appreciate Inquiry process. I will also give the latest up-date on plans for the departure of Pastor Jennifer and for her replacement. We have been meeting as a parish for one hundred and sixty years. This Parish Meeting promises to be historic. I hope you will make every effort to attend.

John+

THE REV. JENNIFER E. MATTSON

“PAJAMA SUNDAY” - SUNDAY, MARCH 8

Wear pajamas to church!!! Donate pajamas for children and teens in need!!!

Every night after dinner my children enjoy a warm bath and put on soft, clean pajamas. This is immediately followed by bedtime snack and the reading of stories. It is a nightly ritual that we all look forward to. A nightly ritual with a soothing, predictable pattern: bath, pajamas, snack and books. Our routine communicates safety and warmth in the midst of all that is unpredictable and sometimes hard in life.

Imagine, instead, what it must be like for a young family staying overnight in a shelter. There is no family bathtub, with special shampoos and favorite soaps. No neatly folded towels waiting to be enjoyed. And frequently there are no pajamas or books either. Many of the children fall asleep in the clothes they were already wearing.

Alyssa's Bedtime Stories wants to change this. Founded by a local teen living in Lancaster, the organization collects used books and new pajamas for children living in local shelters. Alyssa describes her mission in this way:

“I enjoy helping others and I wanted to give kids that don't have much a way to forget their troubles by reading. Books have helped me, and I want to share my love of books and reading with kids to help them too. I have been collecting used books from family and friends for the last year and donating them to organizations in Lancaster County, PA that help children who don't have a home. Some of these places include Milagro House, Clare House, Domestic Violence Services of Lancaster County, and many more.”

Inspired by her story and example, the children of our Church School want to help. **On Sunday, March 8th, St. John's will host the first-ever “Pajama Sunday”, an opportunity to collect new pajamas for children and teens living in local shelters.** All donations will be given to Alyssa's Bedtime Stories. Pajamas of every size are welcome and will be collected that morning. As a way to have fun and call attention to this worthy ministry, children, teens and brave adults are welcome to wear church-friendly pajamas on Sunday morning. Bathrobes and slippers are welcome too!

Sometimes the small things in life really do matter: like the simple pleasure of putting on a clean pair of pajamas. Please consider joining our Church School children and teens in supporting this simple but important ministry.

Jennifer+

“...for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing...” Matthew 25:35

Don't Miss....Evensong

Sunday, March 1st, 5:00 p.m., at St. Martin in the Field

The choir of St. John's will travel to St. Martin in the Field, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia to sing with their choir for a service of evensong. This beautiful Lenten experience is not to be missed! Carpools are available for those who wish to attend.

Please contact Bradley Mattson at bradley.l.mattson@gmail.com

Sunday, May 17th, 5:00 p.m., at St. John's

The choir of St. Martin in the Field will travel to St. John's to sing with our choir for a service of evensong. A special reception hosted by our stewardship committee will follow.



Electing Convention

See below for the schedule for the Electing convention, which will be held on
March 14, 2015

Registration

On line registration deadline is February 20, 2015

No registration will be accepted after this date.

**On the day of the Electing Convention no badges will be
issued after 11 a.m.**

No Exceptions

Holy Eucharist

9:00 a.m.

Balloting begins

11:00 a.m.

**Lunch will be provided for voting clergy, lay delegates and
lay alternates only**

For overnight stay, take advantage of the special rate at the Hilton Harrisburg located just a few blocks away from St. Stephen's Cathedral. You can call the hotel directly (717-233-6000) or go online and use the Group Code EDPA. You can also make reservations under the room block at <http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/M/MDTHHMF-EDPA-20150320/index.jhtml>

The Electing Convention will be livestreamed. Link will be available on the Diocesan website home page



Meet the Bishop Candidates and Their Spouses

The Diocese of Central Pennsylvania
Transition Committee
is pleased to announce

Walk About Week
March 2– 6, 2015
6:30 p.m.—9:30 p.m.

Host Parishes

Monday, March 2
St. Thomas, Lancaster

Tuesday, March 3*
St. John's, Carlisle

Wednesday, March 4*
St. Andrew's, State College

Thursday, March 5
St. Paul's, Wellsboro

Friday, March 6
St. Andrew's, Lewisburg

*This session will also be livestreamed. Link will be available on the Diocesan website home page



THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Diocese of Central Pennsylvania

January 26, 2015

The Right Rev. Flávio Irala
Bishop of the Anglican Diocese of São Paulo
Rua Borges Lagoa 172
CEP 04038-000
São Paulo, SP
BRASIL

Dear Bishop Irala:

Thank you for your letter expressing your desire to continue a Companionship with the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania.

As you may know, the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania will be electing a new bishop in March and consecrating that bishop in September 2015. Because of this transition in the episcopacy and because there is a lack of interest, at this point in time, for maintaining the companion relationship with São Paulo, I have allowed the Companionship to expire as of December 31, 2014.

It will be up to the new bishop and the people of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania to determine the next steps they wish to take regarding diocese-to-diocese relationships. I have informed parishes here that if they have a working relationship with a companion parish in your diocese, they are welcome to continue with that parish-to-parish relationship.

I wish you and São Paulo many blessings as you labor for the sake of God's kingdom.

Sincerely,

The Rt. Rev. Robert R. Gepert
Bishop Provisional, Diocese of Central Pennsylvania

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MDG CHALLENGES FOR MARCH

Our job is to love others without stopping to inquire whether or not they are worthy.
That is not our business and, in fact, it is nobody's business.
What we are asked to do is to love,
and this love itself will render both ourselves and our neighbors worthy.+
Thomas Merton

MDG Challenge for March 1st

Think about setting an intention+this Lenten season.
Think about one caring act+a day. a smile, a handshake, a Thank You,
a caring deed or gesture, the gift of a food item, learning something about someone you didn't
know to understand them better and strengthen your bond.
Think how one small offering multiplied by the Lenten days could be an immense offering to
our brothers and sisters all over the world.

MDG Challenge for March 8th

During the Lenten season, people will often give up or take on+a special resolution.
Consider a resolution to sit quietly, look inside and then to see those Christ-bearing strangers
in our presence and imagine them no longer hungry and with shoes on their feet.
Bring a food gift to church for those in our midst and look in your closet for shoes
quietly waiting to bring new life to someone without.

MDG Challenge for March 15th

Love isn't a state of perfect caring. It is an active noun like struggle.
To love someone is to strive to accept that person exactly the way he or she is;
right here and now.+ Fred Rogers - Mr. Rogers - Birthday March 20th

MDG Challenge for March 22nd

The Lenten season is seen as a time of contemplation+which in some dictionary descriptions
also uses the word admire+. So think about admiration+for yourself which would extend to
ALL others in the world and those coming into your presence. An admiration movement+
toward peace would be letting go of what you don't admire - hatred, prejudice, hunger,
expectations, past experiences, Consider and then act on a personal contemplative
movement within and let it be contagious.

MDG Challenge for March 29th

If you are going to change the world, do it because you love it - not guilt!

UNITED THANK OFFERING

Dear Member of St. John's Family,

Sunday, March 22nd, will be our Spring Ingathering for the United Thank Offering. UTO began as an organization founded by two women in 1889 to support women missionaries. It has grown to become a worldwide ministry of our church, inclusive of all women, men and children.

We express our thankfulness for everyday blessings through prayer and offerings. These prayers and offerings help others in need through UTO grants.

During this Lenten season, I prayerfully thank you all for your continued support of this truly uniting ministry of God's love and caring for each other.

If you cannot be present on Sunday, March 22, you may send your offering to the church office at 321 West Chestnut Street, Lancaster, PA 17603.

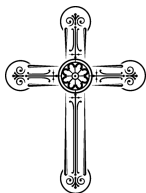
Sincerely,

Phyllis M. Gbur
UTO Coordinator



PARISH REGISTER

Deaths



Nancy Schriver Eckenrode

Born: August 16, 1929

Died: February 15, 2015

SENIOR WARDEN

The 2015 St John's vestry had a wonderful day at this year's vestry retreat on February 7th. With a spirit of cooperation, fellowship and forward thinking, the vestry took to the task of "dreaming" and putting down ideas, thoughts, needs and concerns of the parish and for each of the ministries defined for vestry stewardship. These ministries include communication, community, education, evangelism, finance, outreach, pastoral care, property, stewardship and worship. All of the members prioritized the dreams by need, importance, concern or interest. Also included as part of the retreat were vestry members selecting which area of ministry they felt they would want to serve as steward for the upcoming year. These tasks were accomplished with exceptional cooperation and common purpose. This will enable the vestry to best represent and serve St. John's Episcopal Church. Time was also dedicated to morning, noon and closing prayer, allowing for reflection, introspection and bonding as a group.

A special thanks needs to be offered to the wonderful people at St. Thomas Spiritual Center who hosted the retreat. They kept us hydrated and well fed, as well as providing a wonderful space in which the day's work could be done.

One need has emerged for this year's vestry, however. We have a need for a person to fill an incomplete term for Marylee Sauder, who has "changed hats" in her leadership role at St. John's. She is leaving vestry and will guide and lead the "Safe Church" program during this upcoming year. If you are interested, or have any questions, please contact any vestry or executive committee member. The contact information is found on the inside cover of the parish directory or the back cover of the church bulletin.

Because of the timing of the fall diocesan convention (October 16 & 17) our March 15th parish meeting brings a need for our parish to vote for delegates to represent St. John's at that convention. If you are interested in serving in this capacity please let one of the vestry or nominating committee members (Debbie Carter, Bob Kilp, Glenn Miller, Sue Heilman, Bob Murphy) know as soon as possible, prior to the March 15 meeting.

Peace,

Bob Murphy
Senior Warden

VOYAGERS



The March meeting of the Voyagers will center on sharing **Spring, Palm Sunday, and Easter memories and traditions!** We will gather in the Parish House at 10:00 am on Saturday, March 28. Won't it be fun to think about the beautiful church services and music, shopping for your Easter bonnet, and gathering eggs after this long, cold winter? Please join us for some lively conversation and light refreshments."

Submitted by,
Barbara Graeter

TREASURER'S REPORT

We are in the beginning of what will be a very adventurous year. With the support of Vestry, we were able to end 2014 with all of our outstanding financial commitments satisfied. Unlike the past 7 years that I have been your Treasurer, we started the year with a clean slate. Thanks to several parishioners that were able to pay their entire 2015 pledge upfront and to those who were able to complete their 2014 pledges, we started fiscal 2015 in a good cash position. An additional help was the low expenses during the month of January. Coupling these 2 events together allowed me to give Vestry a very positive report at the February meeting.

I was also grateful for the support expressed by Vestry at their annual retreat. During the retreat, the Vestry considered all of the various initiatives that would make our parish stronger and more vibrate. Several of the initiatives identified as being important were financially oriented. Charley Braught, the Vestry Steward for Finance, is organizing all of the initiatives identified as being important under the financial ministry and will present them to the Finance Committee at our next meeting.

Finally, I would like to express my thanks to the Vestry and to the parish for the continued support of my ministry as Treasurer. At the last vestry meeting, the Vestry again appointed me to be your Treasurer for another year.

As always, please do not hesitate to bring concerns or questions regarding the finances of the church to any member of your Vestry or Finance Committee.

Submitted by,

Steve Latshaw, Treasurer

2015 ECUMENICAL LUNCHEONS & WORSHIP



Offering to Benefit:
Lancaster County Council of Churches'
Winter Shelter

Luncheon: 11:15 a.m. (Donation to Host Church: \$5)

Worship: 12:15 p.m.

Join us each Friday in Lent as we meet at a different church for lunch and worship. This year's preaching theme is: "Social Justice Superheroes".

March 6 at Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church with the Rev. John Morris preaching.

March 13 at St. John's Episcopal with Fr. Alexander Goussetis preaching.

March 20 at Lancaster Theological Seminary with the Rev. Chad Martin preaching.

March 27 at Hamilton Park UCC with Fr. Alan Wolfe preaching.

VESTRY RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were passed at the Vestry meeting on: **February 16, 2015**

1. **Secretary to the Vestry** - Resolved, that the vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church, Lancaster elects Robert Kilp to serve a one year term as Secretary to the Vestry.

2. **Treasurer** - Resolved, that the vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church, Lancaster elects Stefan Latshaw to serve a one year term as Treasurer.

3. **Assistant Treasurer** - Resolved, that the vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church, Lancaster elects Edward Bednar to serve a one year term as Assistant Treasurer.

Resolutions 1 through 3 were voted on all together. These resolutions originated from the Executive Committee. Jane Lee moved to call the question. The motion carried.

4. **Clergy Housing Allowance** ó Resolved, that the total compensation paid to the Rev. John W. Morris for the calendar year 2015 shall be \$88,520 of which \$42,620 is hereby designated as housing allowance pursuant to section 107 of the Internal Revenue Code. And be it further resolved that the total compensation paid to the Rev. Jennifer E. Looker for the calendar year 2015 shall be \$54,080 of which \$25,445 is hereby designated as housing allowance pursuant to section 107 of the Internal Revenue Code.

This resolution originated in Executive Committee. This resolution must be presented each year in accordance to I.R.S. guidelines. Edit to Jennifer E. Looker to Jennifer E. Mattson. Don Durand called the question to approve as amended. The motion carried.

5. **Policy on Contracts** ó Resolved, that the vestry approves and adopts the Policy on Contracts (2/6/15) recommended and presented by the Finance Committee.

This resolution came from the Finance Committee to the Executive Committee for submission. Toni Ehrhart called the question. The motion carried.

6. **Feasibility Committee** ó Resolved, that the vestry reaffirms their commitment to the work of the Feasibility Committee in the discernment of our capability to improve our facility's handicapped accessibility, spirituality and welcoming.

This resolution originated in Executive Committee. Leslie Morgan called the question. The motion carried.

7. **2015 Mission Imperatives** ó Resolved, that the vestry adopts for 2015 the following Mission Imperatives:

- + Organize a three to five year strategic mission action plan for St. John's that integrates our objectives for property, personnel and finance.
- + Provide greater support for our Lay Eucharistic Visitors and senior member ministries.
- + Enhance our New Member ministries, especially with follow up contact.
- + Fulfill our commitment to becoming a completely safe place for all children.
- + Nurture thoughtfully and intentionally generational leadership in our parish, especially for our Jubilee Ministries.

This motion originated in Executive Committee. Sue Heilman called the question. The motion carried.

VESTRY RESOLUTIONS (CONTINUED)

8. **J2A Fund Raisers** ó Resolved, that the St. John's vestry approves the following J2A fund raisers for 2015: Advent Wreaths and Roping Sale, Scrapbook Event, Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Blueberry/Strawberry Festival, Dinner with Talent Show and Auction, Mini-Golfing, Chocolate Egg Sale, Pretzel Sandwich Sales.

This question was submitted by the Journey to Adulthood group for their annual fundraising permissions. Sue Heilman called the question. Julie Gittens seconded the motion. The motion carried.

BUILDING PROJECT FEASIBILITY STUDY

Following our 2011 parish survey about property priorities, our Courtyard Committee has been exploring how we might implement the features that we identified as our highest priorities: courtyard refurbishing and increased handicapped accessibility. The committee engaged Marotta/Main Architects to develop preliminary designs that would incorporate these features, and those designs have been shared during parish meetings.

Our next step has been to determine whether our congregation has the capacity and interest to fund this project, so a Feasibility Committee was selected to conduct a feasibility study. We engaged The Rev. Scott McKenzie, of Horizons Stewardship, to guide us through this process.

A brochure has been developed to present an outline of our proposal. (A copy of that brochure is on our website. Choose **Ministries : Acting in Service** and look under **Property**.)

During the last week in February, Scott interviewed a sample of parishioners from about 20 households as the first part of this study. Last week, several additional parishioners were asked to participate in an online survey. The combined input will be used to gauge whether we're ready to proceed to the next step: a capital campaign to raise funds for this project.

The committee looks forward to sharing the results of this feasibility study with you in the near future.

Submitted by,

Debbie Carter
Feasibility Committee

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS



THE DEADLINE FOR SUMITTING MEMORIALS IS: MARCH 23

We will be compiling our Easter Flower Memorial list for the bulletins from the following form. Please complete and return this form to the church office via the offering plate or the U.S. mail, along with your donation check made payable to: **ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH** and note **EASTER FLOWERS**. Thank you for your contribution and if you have any questions, please call our church office.

IN MEMORY OF: _____

GIVEN BY: _____

DONATION AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

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HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

March 29 - Palm Sunday

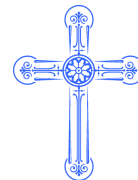
- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I with Blessed Palms
- 10:15 a.m. Choral Holy Eucharist Rite II with Procession

April 2 - Maundy Thursday

- 7:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Foot Washing, and Stripping of the Altar
- 8:45 p.m. Vigil until after the 12:00 p.m. Good Friday Service

April 3 - Good Friday

- 7:30 a.m. Youth Good Friday Liturgy with Communion
- 12:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross with Communion
- 7:30 p.m. Choral Good Friday Liturgy with Communion



April 4 - Great Vigil of Easter Eve

- 7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil with Renewal of Baptism (*with Incense*)

April 5 - Easter Day

- 7:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
- 8:30 a.m. Choral Holy Eucharist Rite II with Renewal of Baptismal Vows
- 9:30 a.m. Parish Breakfast
- 10:30 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt (*for Toddlers through 3rd grade*)
- 11:00 a.m. Choral Holy Eucharist Rite II with Renewal of Baptismal Vows

PROPERTY CORNER

The committee regretfully accepted the resignation of Mike Heider. Mike brought his many years of experience as a craftsman in the construction industry to our committee. Citing increased demands on his time, Mike will be sorely missed. On a brighter note, the committee welcomes Debbie Smith as our new Vestry Steward of Property.

We are quickly going through our budget for snow removal this year. This situation has been compounded by the melting and refreezing of ice and the frequent dustings we have had, requiring multiple applications of ice melt. These conditions have led to our application of an anti-slip material on our lots and walks to enhance traction. Every effort is being made to use matching colors of this material. We have already experienced at least two falls on our campus due to weather conditions thus far. We hope to avert any more falls.

Dealing with the colder temperatures has been further hampered by heater failure in both rental properties and a frozen pipe in one of them. We managed to restore these services as quickly as possible to thwart further damage to our properties and discomfort to our tenants.

A jurisdictional inspection of our boilers by Hartford Steam Boiler on January 16th resulted in a certificate being renewed for meeting minimum requirements. Previous recommendations regarding the temperature/pressure gauges were found completed. Boiler 2 was not functioning during our recent cold spell due to a locked rotor condition of its pump. Although restored, the pump will need to have a bearing replaced. The service of the kitchen hood liquid agent suppression system was also completed in January.

The lift rental company has hired a masonry contractor to fix the holey wall. They are just waiting for the weather to break to complete the work. The work will include leveling off the opening by replacing missing bricks and replacing this portion of the wall with a removable fence. Cracks and coping will also be repaired/replaced. While talking repairs, our last attempt for resolution with UGI regarding the curb damage on Concord Street proved beneficial. While accepting no wrong doing for the damage, UGI indicated it just isn't worth their time going back and forth on this matter. They have made arrangements with their sidewalk restoration company to repair the damaged curb on Concord Street.

Although more of a communications item, much time has been spent with replacing our phone system. We are continuing to realize the system's many benefits throughout the set-up process. Please thank Drew Dorgan for the phone system the next time you see her. It is hoped we will have less dropped calls through these many efforts with her generous donation.

Much time has also been spent on our recycling program. We moved to a weekly pick-up to more effectively handle our output of such materials. As part of this ministry involves expanded/foam plastic materials, we have researched our current process in order to enhance earth friendly disposal means. We continue to monitor these options.

We were subpoenaed for the preliminary hearing for the suspect apprehended for stealing our downspouts. The hearing was held and a guilty plea was entered beforehand. In addition to jail time, a fine and restitution were ordered. Through this victim/witness program, we hope to recover some, if not all of this loss.

If anyone is interested in joining our committee, please join us at 7 p.m. on the first Monday of every month in the Becker House. We hope to see everyone for our Spring Clean-up on Saturday March 28th from 9 a.m. to noon.

Submitted by, *Bill Gross*
Your Property Committee

Phil Becker, Peter Eaton, Bill Gross, Janice Henry, Cynthia Minnich, and Deb Smith

WEEKLY SUNDAY ALTAR FLOWERS

If you'd like to remember a loved one(s) with an altar flower or give thanks for a special occasion, please be sure to stop by the bulletin board in the Parish Hall and add your name to the Flower Chart. Details and donation envelopes will also be available at the chart. A \$30 donation is appreciated and please make a notation on your check. If you are unable to travel to church but are interested in signing up, please contact our Parish Secretary, Patti Means at 717-299-1188.

We would like to receive two (2) remembrances per Sunday and each will appear in **both** service bulletins. Following is the information we have received for the time-frame between **March** and **May, 2015**. The blank areas remain available. Thank you for supporting this important ministry at St. John's!



SUNDAY DATE	(1)	(2)
MARCH 1	Ellen Meyer Trust	Carol Stigelman
MARCH 8	Darlene Bentley	
MARCH 15	Ricky Smith	Julie Gittens
MARCH 22	Ken & Eleanor Watts	
MARCH 29		
APRIL 5	John & Helen Miller	
APRIL 12	Ruth McDivitt	John & Barbara Graeter
APRIL 19	John Marshall	
APRIL 26		
MAY 3	Kilhefner Family	John & Barbara Graeter
MAY 10	Becker Family	
MAY 17	Collier Family	Gross Family
MAY 24	John & Helen Miller	Ricky Smith
MAY 31	Patti Means	

FOOD PANTRY STAPLES—ALWAYS WELCOMED!



Peanut butter and jelly, pasta noodles, pasta sauce, canned tuna, Spam, boxed macaroni & cheese, "Helpers" (hamburger, tuna, etc.), rice, boxed rice mixes, canned soup (not packaged such as Ramen), canned vegetables, canned fruit, and cereal.

Cardboard boxes are also needed for the distribution of the food.

Bring your food donations to the rear of the church on any Sunday or to the church office during the week. **"THANK YOU!"**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Sunday School News

Karen DiPace, Sunday School Director

With the beginning of Lent, we will begin a new food drive. A grocery list and paper bags will be available and can be returned filled any Sunday during Lent!

The Children will be collecting Pajamas for Kids on Sunday, March 8th. Please consider donating new kids pajamas in any size. The children (and any brave adults) are invited to wear their pajamas to church on that Sunday!! Please make sure they are seasonal and appropriate. Children will meet in the Auditorium for a movie and popcorn. Bring your pillow, special animal, or whatever you need to get comfy!

March 15th the children will meet in the All Purpose Room for a group lesson during our Parish Meeting. March 22nd during Adult Formation, the children will meet in the Auditorium for a group event.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions about our Nursery or Church School program.

Karen Di Pace

Journey to Adulthood

Mary Ellen Kilp & Leslie Morgan, Co-Youth Directors

February was a busy month! We started with "Youth & Scout Sunday" on February 1st.. This service featured music selected by our teens that they experienced at our diocesan events. Our teens and scouts offered leadership in every part of the service, lecturing, ushering, acolyting and even offering the sermon with a skit about a national program "Souper Bowl of Caring." (Thank you Rite 13 class!!!). Make a point to thank our teens for their leadership that day.

Three of our teens, Emma DiPace, Amelia Dissinger and Aaron Hasircoglu served as teen staff members for the recent Happening event held February 13-15, 2015 for senior high youth of the Diocese. Happening is a three day weekend retreat for high school students led by high school students. It's a spiritual journey and a time for finding, reconnecting or growing closer to God. This year's theme was "Mountain Top High." Other participants included Brooks Morgan, Karen DiPace, and Leslie Morgan. Mary Ellen and Bob Kilp also served as adult staff.

The annual "Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper" was held on Tuesday, February 17th. In spite of bitter cold weather a great time was had by all. The food was good, the company fantastic and the money raised benefited the J2A pilgrimage. The dinner was followed by a service of Evening Prayer.

Our Senior High Youth finished the busy month of February by attending the Province III Youth Event (PYE) at North Bay in Maryland February 27-March 1. This was a time for our youth to meet other youth from the Mid-Atlantic Region, ride on a Zip Line, walk the High Ropes Course, ride the Giant Swing, and climb the Rock Wall all while enjoying singing and experiencing a Mountain Top High.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION (CONTINUED)

Save the date for PJ Sunday on March 8th. Pajamas will be collected for children in need through the organization Alyssa's Bedtime stories. Children, teens and brave adults are welcome to wear their most appropriate pajamas. Slippers also encouraged!

This year's Diocesan Middle School Retreat will be held from March 20th-22nd. This year's retreat will explore the season of Lent. The event will be held at Camp Mount Luther. The cost is \$100 per person, with scholarships available. Please contact Mary Ellen Kilp if interested.



Calendar 2015

- March 8 - PJ Sunday
- March 20-22 - Middle School Retreat (Rite 13 only)
- March 29 - Rite 13 Coffee Hour
- April 2 - 7:30 - Lock in (Maundy Thursday)
- April 3 - Good Friday service at 7:30
- April 18 - Confirmation Retreat (J2A Only)
- April 25 - Sahn's for recycling project, lunch and bike & hiking
- April 26 - Earth Sunday
- April 26 - J2A Coffee Hour
- May 3 - Graduation Sunday
- May 9 - Confirmation at Mt. Calvary (Carlisle)
- June 7 - Teacher Appreciation
- June 14 - ALERT
- July 11 - Blueberry Festival
- July 12 - 16 - VBS

JUBILEE MINISTRIES

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST (Contact: Sue Martin) **SATURDAY, MARCH 21**—A breakfast of pancakes, sausage, eggs, juice, cereal, and pastries will be served to the downtown community at First Reformed United Church of Christ, 40 East Orange Street, Lancaster. Volunteers are often needed to help prepare and serve the breakfast (7:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.).

EAGLE'S NEST—(Contact: Sue Martin)

The February enrichment activities complimented the City's celebration of "All About Crows" with a visit from a naturalist from the Lancaster County Central Park, a real mount borrowed from the North Museum, and a cultural event at the Mulberry Art Studio of crow art in mixed media, many community partners were engaged with our after-school program. You too, can become part of this powerful Jubilee ministry on Wednesday afternoons!

FOOD PANTRY - (Contact: Debbie Carter & Bill Cater)



"SOUPER BOWL OF CARING"

You contributed \$1,108 to our "Souper Bowl of Caring" fundraiser, which qualified us for the entire \$1,000 matching grant!! This \$2,108 will support our Food Pantry as we help our Lancaster neighbors in need. Thank you so much for your generosity!

Non-perishable food donations can be delivered to the church office or given to the Ushers on Sunday. Monetary contributions are also welcomed for buying food to fill gaps in food donations. Please write "FOOD PANTRY" in the Memo line on your check. Food bags/boxes are organized for families and single people and are distributed from our church office on Tuesdays and Thursdays to those in need.

GROCERY CARDS (Contact: Cynthia Minnich)

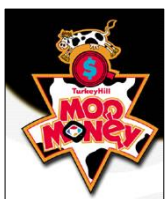
Total sales for January gave \$361 to Jubilee. This was a below average month. I know that we can do better. "Step up" and buy grocery cards everyone. Show Jubilee that we really care! Our regular buyers and irregular buyers are doing well! Now, the rest of you need to participate. Everyone has to eat something. Let's make purchasing grocery cards the "in" thing to do! Don't forget: It's easier to use a grocery card at the store than to peel out cash or write a check. Your using one of our cards gives 5% of its value to our Jubilee missions. Remember that a \$100 card can be used as often as it takes to use it up. You don't have to spend it all at one time.

REMEMBER: YOU ARE NOT LOSING ANYTHING. YOU ARE GETTING FULL VALUE FOR YOUR CARD. THE STORE SELLS CARDS TO US AT A 5% DISCOUNT.

Participating Stores: Darrenkamp's, Giant, John Herr's, Oregon Dairy, Stauffer's, & Weis

MARTHA'S MINISTRY (Contact: Jeannie Zeller)

Come and join us in the Parish Hall at St. John's on Tuesday afternoons from 2:00-4:00 p.m. as we share fellowship and ideas!



ROBERT FULTON SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP - If you shop at a Turkey Hill store and purchase any of their milk items, **BE SURE TO SAVE THE "MOO" MONEY BOTTLE CAPS** and bring them to church on Sundays. There is a collection container at the Eagle's Nest area of the Parish Hall. We're also collecting Box Tops for Education, Printer Cartridges, and Campbell Soup Labels.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN



"SPRING PLANT SALE!"



Sundays: March 8 and 15 - Orders will be taken in the Parish Hall.

Sunday: March 22 - Pick up plants in the All Purpose Room (must be pre-ordered).

Prices Are



\$3.00 for a potted primrose (in a variety of colors)

\$12.00 for a pansy bowl (12 inch), or pansy oval (16 inch)



FLOWER ARRANGING WORKSHOP



The St. John's Flower Guild is hosting a workshop to be held at St. John's on Saturday, April 11, 2015. The Flower Guild is looking for men and women who would be interested in learning to arrange flowers for our altars. Anne Yellets, from St. Stephen's Cathedral, will lead the workshop from 10:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Space is limited to 12 people. The cost is \$10.00. You will need to bring clippers and a container for flower arrangement. All flowers, oasis, and lunch will be provided. If you should happen to have flowers or greens in your yard that you would like to use, please feel free to bring them with you.

Please make your check payable to: ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH and write "FLOWER WORKSHOP" in the memo line. Checks can be placed in the offering plate or mailed to the church office. Questions? Please contact Anne Labat-Gepert.

WORSHIP AT HOMESTEAD VILLAGE

Come join us for morning prayer on the third Wednesday morning of each month beginning at 10:00 a.m. in the chapel at Homestead Village. During the months of January, April, July, and October, one of clergy will celebrate Holy Eucharist, Rite I in place of morning prayer. Both Eucharist and morning prayer services are short and sweet, no more than 30 minutes. We have several of our St. John's members who are residents at Homestead Village but are unable to worship with us on Sundays. It would be delightful for them, if you could join them in worship and fellowship. Please contact Sue Heilman, our Vestry Steward for Pastoral Care, with any questions.

MDG GOALS UPDATE

Eight Goals for 2015

- Eradicate extreme poverty and hunger
- Achieve universal primary education
- Promote gender equality and empower women
- Reduce child mortality
- Improve maternal health
- Combat HIV/AIDS, malaria and other diseases
- Ensure environmental sustainability
- Develop a global partnership for development

*“I can do all things through him who strengthens me”—
Philippians 4:13*

Single digit temperatures, wind chill in the negative numbers; we are definitely deep into another challenging winter season. That seems nothing in comparison to imprisonment which is what Paul was enduring when he was writing letters to the Philippians.

We all experience challenges in our lives, obviously some experience bigger ones than others. That is what the Millennium Development Goals are all about. Recognizing the greater challenges of others and determining what action we can take to help or to make a change. But, then there is sometimes the nagging question, why?

Why do we care what is going on half way around the world?

What can we do as a parish to make a difference?

What can we do as individuals to make a difference?

Don't we already do a lot, haven't we done enough? What have we already accomplished?

To start, I believe as Christians we are charged with a responsibility to the neighbors you can see every day, as well as, to the ones we only hear and read about.

Paul goes on in his letters to the Philippians expressing his gratitude for their assistance to him at various times he has experienced distress. “Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the profit that accumulates to your account” (Philippians 4:17).

We have established a lot of ground work for forming partnerships. Where and how we have touched our worldly neighbors can be seen on our World Map display in the Parish Hall. But, what do we really know about the organizations and specifically, the people we have made an impact on, near and far?

The MDG committee has put together a discussion series (complete with Shoe collecting, to support the “Souls for Soles”) that will hopefully inspire answers to the why, what and how of all these questions. The focus is on peace, poverty and justice issues both *locally* and *worldwide*. The Lenten Season has officially begun with the kickoff event held in the Parish hall on February 22nd. There will not be a Sunday night program in the Parish Hall on 3/1/15 so that you might plan to travel to the Evensong program in Chestnut Hill to hear our St. John's choir sing with the St. Martin in the Field choir.

MDG GOALS UPDATE

We will have three programs in the Parish hall, on Sunday evenings, beginning at 5p.m. with our traditional "meatless" potluck. The program will begin at 6 p.m. and conclude at 7 p.m. with a night prayer service. The dates are 3/8/15, 3/15/15 and 3/22/15; and some of the speakers/presentations are still being finalized.

Sunday 3/8/15 we have scheduled a guest speaker, Mayor Rick Gray. Mayor Gray will join us for a discussion of local gun violence, ownership, regulations and enforcement issues.

Topics, "Getting to Know Our Neighbors" and "Getting to Know Africa" will be featured on Sundays 3/15/15 and 3/22/15. More details on those speakers or presentations will come as details are finalized.

We hope you plan to join us again for this year's Lenten series (and don't forget to bring your shoes). We also, invite all of you who can attend to bring something for the Food Bank, to feed those unable to make it to our table. And, to those unable to attend, we invite you to bring a Food Bank gift to church on Sundays during Lent.

And, as always if you are interested in getting involved, the MDG committee meets the first Thursday of every month at 7 pm. Come join us! And in the meantime, please continue to read the MDG challenges and incorporate them into your week! Together, we can make the world a better place!

Submitted by,

Tammy Collier

POPCORN THEOLOGY

Friday, March 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

The Hundred-Foot Journey (2014) The Kadam family leaves India for the south of France, where they open a restaurant directly across the road from Madame Mallory's Michelin-starred eatery, nearly causing an all-out war between the two establishments. (PG)

Please join us for a movie and popcorn! Bring a friend and stay afterward for the discussion, if you'd like. And we invite you to bring a donation of food for our food pantry.

Questions? Contact: *Debbie Carter*

CARRYING THE LIGHT

(otherwise known as Evangelism)

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved. Acts: 2:21

It is with great happiness and joy, I tell my St. John's family that I am the Evangelism steward. I want us all to erase our former images of Evangelism and from this time forward to only recognize Evangelism by the message described to us in the Acts of the Apostles. The message is to spread the words of Jesus Christ through our personal actions. Of course, the first response is usually, "We already are." So I'm adding on to that response, now say, "And I'm not ashamed to tell you, I'm doing it for Jesus Christ."

All members of St. John's are members of the Evangelism team. However, now we have four lead Evangelism team members, who you will be able to speak to directly about any ideas you want to share with us. These leaders will be joining together with other St. John's ministries to achieve our goals (and the other group's goals) because we will be joining together. The Evangelism team leaders are: Aaron Spicher, Emily Gross, David Dissenter, and Bruce Waskowicz.

Aaron Spicher will be working primarily with our Worship and Outreach ministries. Here are a few of our 2015 ideas: St. John's will partner up with one of the Lutheran Churches in Lancaster City so we can share worship styles and Gospel interpretations. We will also be doing more work with our Food Pantry. For instance, we're going to start leaving inspirational messages in our food boxes.

Emily Gross will be working primarily with our Education ministry. One of the goals of this year's Evangelism team is to have a few more Sundays when our youth preach. This will give our youth a chance to act out a Gospel story or to preach about current events from their point of view. And, more importantly, it will give us the opportunity to see how Jesus Christ works in the lives of young people.

David Dissinger will be working primarily with our Communications ministry. One of the goals for this year's Evangelism team is to have St. John's members spread their feelings, ideas and memories of their lives at St. John's via our webpage and through Messenger articles. This will be a chance for St. John's members to share their "Reflections from the Pew" as well as a way to have photos posted on our webpage for everyone to see.

Bruce Waskowicz is going to continue his work with the Evangelism team greeters. This year our greeters are going to move beyond simply saying "Hello" and "There's a coffee hour over at parish hall." This year our greeters are going to sit with newcomers during the service and during coffee hour, so the newcomers know they are truly welcomed into the St. John's family. We'll also be contacting newcomers to let them know about St. John's ministries and our special events.

Please know that everyone is welcomed (and encouraged) to speak with me or the four leaders listed above. We'd like all St. John's members to know their actions are expressions of Evangelism.

Submitted by,

Julie Gittens

PRAYER LIST

For those who we offer our continued prayers:

Darlene Bentley
Jared Boger
Vera Clarke
Linda Frederiksen
Julie Gittens
Dylys Glew
Bill & Lois Herzog
Anne Johnson Horn
Joyce Landis
Wayne LeFevre
Barbara McGraw
Paul Merker
Andrew Miller
William Miller
Irene Myers
Lorraine Nolan
Jeff & Mary Power
Robert & Joan Power
Randy Reddy
Steven Schwartz
Mary Ellen & Jim Smallwood
Christian Stigelman
Karen Straub
Leeton Thomas
Chris Thompson
Donna Torres & Family
Franklin Walker
Carolyn Weaver
Melissa Williams
Ken Zeller
Bruce
Danielle
Jackie
Molly & Family
Wil



...and for our Homebound Parishioners

Jim Breitegan
Margaret Crothers
Faith D'Urbano
Paul Davis
Providence Eshelman
Michael Frantz
Betty Juslin-Asplin
Paul Kreider
Joan Lahr
Stefan Latshaw
Fritz Lawrence
Donna Lawson
Betty McCaskey
Barbara McKee
Paul Merker
Nancy Nemith
Peter Plaxa
Nancy Puffer
Virginia Rainey
Barbara Rich
Gray Sellers
Majorie Seachrist
Helen Souders
Joanna Sweeney
Sandra Wengert
Poppy Youngquist

SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Please remember those who are serving in our armed forces. If you would like to add or delete anyone from this list, please be sure to contact Patti Means in the church office.

*Laurel Hobbins, Matthew James,
Howard Kane, III,
Alex Kelly, Kyle Kulka,
Joseph Lombardo, Nicholas Lombardo,
Sean McCormick, Jamie Olejniczak,
John S. Waltz, Joshua Watkins*

If Your Personal Information Changes...

Please be sure to contact the church office with changes to your personal information:

change of address, telephone, or e-mail.

"Thank you for your cooperation!"

*Patti Means, Parish Secretary
717-299-1188 or patti@stjohns-lancaster.org*



Copies of the Messenger are in the Welcome Center at the rear of the church.

Copies of the Vestry reports are posted on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>
Bailey, Bob	7
Burch, Molly	9
Callender, Gizella	10
Carpenter, Allie	5
Clark, Neil	29
Cliff, Joel	30
Dissinger, David	3
Dorgan, Paul	25
Glazier, Penn	24
Gromis, Keith	29
Gromis, Sharon	27
Gross, Emily	14
Hasircoglu, Betsy	23
Heider, Mike	25
Henry, Kimberly	26
Herzog, John	12
Johnson, Cricket	17
Juslin-Asplin, Betty	24
Lahr, Joan	8
Latshaw, Karen	21
Lemonick, Leslie	16
Loose, Ted	13
Mone, Jennifer	12
Morgan, Brooks	6
Pecora, Mary Jane	2
Pennell, Dave	2
Rodriguez, Julie	12
Sellers, Ellen	8
Smith, Daniel	15
Snyder, James	31
Stone, Janelle	17
Suliveras, Anthony	26
Walsh, Ellie	27
Walsh, Marjorie	12
Waskowicz, Bruce	31
Wendler, Jeff	29
Wendler, Madalyn	17
Zimmerman, Phil	23



MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

<u>Couple</u>	<u>Date</u>
Freeman, Dale & Seachrist, Sibyl	03/27/1992
Houston, John & Nancy	03/11/1990
Latshaw, Andy & Ally	03/20/2005
Mausolf, Andy & Katie	03/17/2007
McGee, Vince & Shirley	03/16/1957
Tahsler, Bruce & Leslie	03/31/1979
Waskowicz, Bruce & Mary	03/09/1991



Messenger Deadline

**THE DEADLINE TO SUBMIT
ARTICLES FOR THE**

APRIL "MESSENGER" IS:

MARCH 16

**PLEASE NOTE THIS DATE
ON YOUR CALENDAR!**

SERVING SCHEDULE – MARCH, 2015

FOR ALL THOSE SERVING AT ST. JOHN'S: PLEASE NOTE!

If you are unable to fulfill your serving duties, it will be your responsibility to find a replacement. Once you have located a replacement, please be sure to call the Church Office with your name, the name of your replacement, and the date you were scheduled to serve. If you reach our voice mail system, **simply dial "0"** to leave your message. If you call the Church Office after working hours, your call will still be received by a staff member prior to the Sunday service.

Please avoid contacting Aaron Spicher, personally, with this type of information. Aaron will receive your information through the Church Office. *"Thank you for your cooperation!"*

MARCH 1	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Merle Schnee	David Kilp, Katie Mausolf
Eucharistic Visitor	Phil Becker, Ricky Smith	ô
Lector	Bob Lee	Fran Gouveia
Server	Joanie Kilhefner	Dylan Stone
Torch Bearer	ô	Helena Carroll, Kylie Stone
Crucifer	ô	Glenn Miller
Altar Guild	Team 1	Team 1
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Garth Alexander
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team A
Greeter	ô	Bruce Waskowicz
Coffee Hour	Stewardship	Stewardship
Nursery	ô	Katie Mausolf

MARCH 8	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Laurie Eaton	David Dissinger, Emily Gross
Eucharistic Visitor	ô	Julie Gittens, Peter Novosel
Lector	Ricky Smith	Joel Cliff
Server	ô	Aidan Cliff
Torch Bearer	ô	Sean Cliff, Greyson Way
Crucifer	ô	Bob Kilp
Altar Guild	Team 2	Team 2
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Aaron Hasircoglu
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team B
Greeter	ô	Dave Martin
Coffee Hour	Vestry	Vestry
Nursery	ô	Mary Waskowicz

MARCH 15	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Ricky Smith	Judy Arnold, Michael Stank
Eucharistic Visitor	ô	Phyllis Gbur, Sue Heilman
Lector	Tom Bond	Jeannie Zeller
Server	Joanie Kilhefner	Aaron Hasircoglu
Torch Bearer	ô	Max Lester, Claire Thompson
Crucifer	ô	John Waskowicz
Altar Guild	Team 2	Team 2
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Toni Ehrhart
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team B
Greeter	ô	Brad Zuke
Coffee Hour	Martha's Ministry	Martha's Ministry
Nursery	ô	Jen Hreben



MARCH 22	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Peter Eaton	Brad Moyer, Peter Novosel
Eucharistic Visitor	Stephanie McGovern	ô
Lector	Sue Tobie	Sue Purdy
Server	ô	James Woolson
Torch Bearer	ô	Danielle & Nicholas DiPace
Crucifer	ô	Dave Pennell
Altar Guild	Team 2	Team 2
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Christina DeLeo
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team B
Greeter	ô	Carolyn Maxey
Coffee Hour	Community Breakfast	Community Breakfast
Nursery	ô	Tracy Cliff

MARCH 29 Palm Sunday	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Laurie Eaton	Sibyl Seachrist, Katie Mausolf
Eucharistic Visitor	ô	Don Durand, Julie Gittens
Lector	Peter Eaton	David Dissinger
Server	ô	Emma DiPace
Torch Bearer	ô	Kendall Morgan, Ellie Suliveras
Crucifer	ô	Glenn Miller
Altar Guild	Team 2	Team 2
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Brooks Morgan
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team B
Greeter	ô	Sue Martin
Coffee Hour	Rite 13	Rite 13
Nursery	ô	Tracy Cliff

APRIL 2—Maundy Thursday	7:30 PM
Eucharistic Minister	David Kilp
Lector	To Be Determined
Server	Michael Hreben
Torch Bearer	Emma DiPace, Amelia Dissinger
Crucifer	John Waskowicz
Altar Guild	All Members
Ushers	Bill Gross, Mike Gbur

APRIL 3—Good Friday	7:00 AM	12:00 PM	7:30 PM
Eucharistic Minister	Youth Group	ô	ô
Lector	Youth Group	To Be Determined	To Be Determined
Server	Youth Group	ô	ô
Crucifer	Youth Group	ô	Glenn Miller
Ushers	Youth Group	ô	Charlie Rahe Phil Becker

APRIL 4—Easter Vigil	7:30 PM
Eucharistic Minister	Sibyl Seachrist
Readers	To Be Determined
Server	Aaron Hasircoglu
Crucifer	Dave Pennell
Thurifer	Aaron Spicher
Torches	ô
Altar Guild	Team 3
Ushers	Doug Brown, Mike Gbur

APRIL 5 Easter Day	7:00 AM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Merle Schnee Ricky Smith	David Dissinger, Emily Gross, Brad Moyer	David Kilp, Katie Mausolf, Peter Novosel
Lector	Merle Schnee	Bob Kilp	Frank Cummins
Server	Aaron Spicher	Amelia Dissinger	Dylan Stone
Torch Bearer	ô	Claire & Ian Thompson	Danielle DiPace, Kylie Stone
Crucifer	ô	Bob Kilp	Glenn Miller
Altar Guild	Team 3	Team 3	Team 3
Ushers	Mike Kilhefner, John Miller, Julie Rodriguez, Jim Snyder	Nick DiPace, Sharon Gromis, Bruce Morgan, Brad Zuke	Paul Dorgan, Len Jackson, Bob Kilp, Wayne McKee, Charlie Rahe
Greeter	ô	ô	ô
Coffee Hour	ô	PARISH BREAKFAST	ô
Nursery	ô	ô	Phyllis Gbur

INTERESTED IN SERVING?

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO BECOME INVOLVED IN SERVING AT ST. JOHN'S:

For **Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Servers, Crucifers, or Torch Bearers:** Contact the Church Office
 For **Eucharistic Visitors:** Contact the Church Office
 For **Altar Guild:** Contact Cynthia Minnich
 For **Ushers:** Contact Mike Gbur
 For **Greeters or Coffee Hour Hosts:** Contact Bruce & Mary Waskowicz

- Contact telephone numbers for these people can be found in the Parish Directory and copies are available in the Welcome Center at the rear of the church.