

# St. John's Messenger

# August, 2015

from Fr. John W. Morris, Rector

#### HONORING OUR PAST...WELCOMING OUR FUTURE

#### St. John's 2015 Capital Campaign

Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> we take our first steps in our capital campaign, õHonoring our Pastí Welcoming our Futureö. At the 8:00 and 10:15 AM services we will commission those who have joined the capital campaign leadership team. Between the services, from 9:15 to 10:00 AM, we will hold in the parish hall a parish mini-meeting on our capital campaign plans with time for discussion, questions and answers.

Those on our leadership team represent the deep talent and rich diversity of the people of St. Johnøs. They are committed building on the accomplishments and generosity of the generations that have gone before by equipping St. Johnøs for mission and ministry into the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Presently the leadership team numbers over sixteen households. We welcome any of our parish families to join our leadership team.

**Phil Becker** is our capital campaign Chair. Phil will act as the chief lay spokesperson for the campaign. He will help design the campaign, maintain contact with the different leadership teams and by his leadership provide the momentum and excitement for our campaign.

Mary Waskowicz and Debbie Carter are our Campaign Coordinators. Their job is to keep the campaign running smoothly: maintaining rosters and mailing lists, directing communications, organizing meetings. While Maryøs focus will be on the capital effort, Debbie will be keeping an eye on our annual pledge drive.

**Bruce Morgan** will be heading up our Communication Team. Bruce will be calling upon the expertise of those on our Communications Committee: Jill Gross, Mary Woolson and Debbie Carter. They will be in charge of our printed materials and our electronic communications.

Our Prayer Team is at the heart of our capital campaign. It is the spiritual dimension which makes this not a fund raiser but a faith raiser. **Fred and Eleanor Honaman, Lois Kelly, and Rob Ashton** have offered to take the lead on ensuring that every member of the parish is invited into a spiritual journey through the use of a Devotional Guide, prayer event and the prayer, õLord, what do You want to do through me?ö

# THE REV. JOHN W. MORRIS (CONTINUED)

Ted and Pam Loose, Scott and Sherry Quall, and Kevin and Janice Henry make up our Advance Commitment Team. Each family will be hosting a gathering in their home. This is based on the biblical model in I Chronicles 29 that led King Davidøs building of the temple.

Our Youth Team will be lead by **Mary Ellen Kilp.** This team will be working with our children and youth to encourage their participation and teach them stewardship values and scriptures.

The Gratitude and Ministry Team, led by **Sue Heilman and Cynthia Minnich**, will õkick offö our capital campaign on Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. Through the use of testimonies, banners, and Gratitude Cards, this team will remind us that stewardship is not as much about bricks and mortar is it about ministry that changes lives.

**Bill Cater** will coordinate our Celebration Team. They will plan a church-wide festive event of hospitality, food and fellowship which celebrates our faith and enthusiasm as a congregation.

The Connection Team is chaired by **Tom and Kendall Stonerook.** This team will maintain the stewardship connection with all the members of our parish - both those who participate in the capital campaign and annual pledge drive and non-supporting members as well.

The last team is what we are calling the Generational Gifts Team. There are many people who have historic connections with St. Johnøs but are no longer local and yet still care about our parish. We are asking **Dave and Sue Martin** to direct this team to reach out to them and affirm their relationship with St. Johnøs.

I am grateful to this cadre of parish leaders for stepping forward as we begin our journey of stewardship and faith. Our success will depend on your support. Prayerfully consider saying õYesö when they invite you to share in this historic ministry which promises to preserve what we have received and extend St. Johnøs mission and ministry to generations yet to come.

John+

# WELCOME THE REV. DR. BARBARA J. SERAS



Barbara's call to St. John's was affirmed by the Vestry at their July 20th meeting and she will begin full time ministry as our new Assistant Priest on August 1, 2015.

# THE REV. DR. BARBARA J. SERAS

Preaching is a significant part of my spiritual life. At Ordination the Bishop declared: õ[y]ou are called to work as a pastor, priest, and teacher, together with your bishop and fellow presbyters...ö\* Preaching integrates all three roles and whether I preach weekly or bi-weekly, the rhythm of sermon preparation shapes and defines my day-to-day Christian life.

And that rhythm is the mirror image of the congregation. The congregation continues to reflect on the Sunday gospel. The preacher, however, moves to the next week® readings asking: what phrase or word õjumps outö or stirs the heart or pierces the soul? What is the Spirit saying? How is this gospel relevant today in the life and ministry of the Congregation?

Yet in truth, sermons are the work of the Holy Spirit. For the most amazing, awesome experience comes in worship as the sermon seems to õlift off the pageö and the Spirit carries the Word to our minds and hearts.

For the past three weeks, our gospel was taken from Mark, the sixth chapter. Next week, we will hear from the Gospel of John.

Yet, I am not quite ready to move on...

For as the gospel was read aloud, the words of the last verse took hold: õ...and [they] begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.ö\*\*

All who touched it were healed...all. All...healed.

Some preachers skirt around these words altogether. Others refer to spiritual healing. Many offer alternate translations: to save, keep safe and sound, to rescue from danger or destruction. This preacher wrestles with the Word: All...all were healed.

For whatever the Greek translation, the healing--if for any one of us--is for us all...

In this past month, our sermons and our reflections have raised important questions of faith and ministry. Discussions and discoveries will continue as each and all ponder prayerfully: What is Christøs call to this parish and to each one of us? How will our dioceses and most importantly, how will our parishes be best resourced to accomplish those calls to ministry? How will we shape our theology and worship to embody our emergent understanding of what it means to include all Godøs children? How will we experience and discover God everywhere?

And most importantly, how will we accept and live into the healing, reconciling reality of Godøs love for us all?

May it be soí Barbara+

\*Book of Common Prayer (BCP531) \*\*Mark 6:54



# THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

# The Diocese of Central Pennsylvania

To be shared with congregations in worship on July 12, 2015

July 6, 2015

Dear People of God in the Episcopal Diocese of Central Pennsylvania:

Grace and Peace in the name of Jesus.

I write to you to convey my greetings as I begin work in our diocesan offices and to share with you the joy of the work of our General Convention in Salt Lake City, Utah, held in these past two weeks. At Convention I was welcomed into the House of Bishops and have witnessed the workings of both the House of Bishops and the House of Deputies in their striving to be faithful to the Gospel.

The work has been broad and deep and I know that in the weeks and months to come, our deputation will share the fullness of the Convention's deliberations. In this letter, I want to highlight two significant accomplishments on the part of our Church.

On Saturday, June 27, 2015 we elected The Rt. Rev. Michael B. Curry, Bishop of North Carolina, to be the 27th Presiding Bishop of The Episcopal Church. Presiding Bishop-elect Curry is the first African American to be elected to this role in our history. He is a gifted preacher and is passionate about evangelism and social witness. Commenting on his election and the future, Bishop Curry said, "Our work is actually the work of participating in the Jesus movement, which seeks to realize God's dream and seeks to accomplish God's mission in this world."

Bishop Curry will take office on November 1, 2015 following his consecration at the National Cathedral. He will succeed The Most Reverend Katharine Jefferts Schori, who has served as Presiding Bishop for the past 9 years. I look forward to Bishop Curry's spiritual leadership of the Church. I believe that the focus that he brings on our participation in God's mission as followers of Jesus is key to our vitality.

On Wednesday, July 1, 2015, the Convention passed two resolutions making canonical and liturgical changes to provide marriage equality for Episcopalians.

One of the resolutions changed the wording of the canon titled "Of the Solemnization of Holy Matrimony" to remove references to marriage as being between a man and a woman. The other resolution presented new liturgies to accommodate same-gender marriage in The Episcopal Church, including a revised version of the current liturgy in the Book of Common Prayer that

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**EMAIL** officemailbox @diocesecpa.org FAX FAX WEBSITE (717) 236-6448 (717) 236-6448 www.diocesecpa.org uses gender-neutral language. These liturgies were approved for trial use in the next triennium in each diocese with the permission of the Bishop Diocesan. The resolution also allows priests who find it not morally consonant with their own beliefs to decline their participation in these rites. At the same time, the Bishop will be bound to make these liturgies accessible to all couples who desire them. These deliberations were carried out with a great measure of prayerfulness and respect for those in each House with dissenting opinions. The grace of God carried the day in allowing these changes to come about and for God's unending measure of inclusivity and love to prevail. I look forward to meeting with the clergy of our diocese for conversation about these changes and to discuss them at our fall Convocation meetings, as well.

I am proud of our Church and the way that it has listened closely for the Spirit of God to direct us. I am heartened by our willingness to be bold in the name of Love. And I look forward with eager anticipation to the good work that we will do together, in the name of Jesus.

Glory to God whose power working in us can do more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. (Ephesians 3:20, 21)

In Christ's love,

The Reverend Audrey C. Scanlan Bishop-elect

# MDG CHALLENGES FOR AUGUST, 2015

I Am, We Are.....One World, Here, There, Everywhere May God bless you with discomfort at easy answers, half truths, and superficial relationships, so that you may live deep within your heart.

May God bless you with anger at injustice, oppression, and exploitation of people, so that you may work for justice, freedom and peace.

May God bless you with tears to shed for those who suffer from pain, rejection, starvation, and war, so that you may reach out your hand to comfort them and to turn their pain into joy. And may God bless you with enough foolishness to believe that you can make a difference in this world, so that you can do what others claim cannot be done.

Franciscan Benediction

#### **MDG Challenge for August 2nd**

International Friendship Day

ŏIn Louisville, at the corner of Fourth and Walnut, in the center of the shopping district, I was suddenly overwhelmed with the realization that I loved all those people, that they were mine and I theirs, that we could not be alien to one another even though we were total strangers.....

There is no way of telling people that they are all walking around shining like the sun.ö

Thomas Merton

#### MDG Challenge for August 9th

**Book Lovers Day** 

Last month the MDG group published a book list of suggestions for your Summer reading. If you havenot taken the time, review the list, make a choice, and become more deeply informed of whatos happening in our world beyond your comfort zone.

Knowledge could lead you to some powerful choices in your life.

#### **MDG Challenge for August 16th**

õEach person in the world is a unique human being, and each has unique human potential.

One of the important tasks of growing up is the discovery of this uniqueness.ö

Mister Rogers

You see a child, you smile and they make you smile inside. Godøs other children might be bigger but if you smile, they might smile inside and feel loved. All God asks is for you to love.

#### MDG Challenge for August 23rd

õIf the only prayer you ever say in your entire life is thank you, it will be enough.ö

Meister Eckhart

In giving thanks for all that you have received, how could you give to others less fortunate? As you clean out your closets for the start of Fall, think what clothing would be celebrated by someone much less fortunate. Make a gift, show your caring.

#### **MDG Challenge for August 30th**

If you dongt know what to do with summer shoes you dongt want anymore, remember our Soles for Souls collection and bring them to St. Johngs for others.

# **SAFECHURCH**



# SafeChurch Moving Forward To Enhance Our Culture of Safety

Early this year, St. Johnøs signed a covenant with the Samaritan Counseling Centerøs SafeChurch program to work toward creating a parish culture that understands the perils of child sexual assault, has the knowledge to discuss it opening and honestly, and puts in place a policy, procedures and conversations that help us create the safest environment possible for children in our care.

The policy is only the foundation, the outline, for the broader work that we will do as a parish to create a safe environment for children in our care. At the end of this calendar year, the SafeChurch Committee will turn over the reigns to a new committee called the Child Protection Committee (CPC). The CPC will be charged with ongoing parish education and continuing to enhance the culture of child safety at St. Johnøs. The committee will include representatives from St. Johnøs ministries that work with children, vestry members and other interested church members.

One aspect of the broad SafeChurch program is to ensure all volunteers who work with children and teens at St. John's have background clearances by the end of this calendar year. There will be someone at the SafeChurch table in the Parish Hall every Sunday between services to help with clearances and to answer any questions you may have.

Here are some important SafeChurch dates:

**August 17** ô Vestry will be given the draft SafeChurch policy for discussion and review. **October 10** ô The Samaritan Counseling Center will hold a retreat for survivors of childhood sexual abuse. Survivors from St. Johnøs are invited to attend. For more information, please visit the SafeChurch table in the parish hall.

**October 11** ô A Samaritan representative will make a SafeChurch presentation in the Parish Hall from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. between services.

**November 14** ô A large SafeChurch training session will be held for church staff and volunteers. All are encouraged to attend. Details coming soon.

With all of us working together, we are strengthening our parish family ô at church, and in our everyday lives.

Submitted by,

Marylee Sauder

# **MEET OUR NEW BISHOP-ELECT!**

On August 16, the Lancaster Convocation will host a picnic at St. Thomasø Episcopal Church, 301 St. Thomas Road, Lancaster, to meet and greet our new Bishop Elect: The Rev. Audrey Scanlan and her husband, Glenn.

This will be a õPotluck Picnicö starting at noon until 3:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to bring main dishes, salads, desserts, etc. St. Thomasøhas requested that we provide them with an approximate number of our members who plan to attend and what they will bring. A sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall until Sunday, August 6. You may also e-mail your RSVP to our church office.

We hope that St. Johngs will have a good representation, so please sign up!



### SENIOR WARDEN

In the heat we are currently experiencing, it is hard to believe that Back-to-School ads featuring fall clothes and supplies are on television. It seems to have had the desired effect. I was in a store last evening where the people in line around me had binders, notebooks, pencils and backpacks as part of their purchases.

We here at St. Johnøs need to do a bit of early advertising. Vestry is an active and vibrant group of parishioners, who are diverse as individuals, but work as group for the common purpose in the leadership and guidance of St. Johnøs. Each brings their own personalities and talents. Each year several seats become available due to the conclusion of the terms of a portion of vestry members. (Once a vestry term is fulfilled, that person must take a minimum of a year away prior to seeking election to Vestry again.). Each Vestry member represents a ministry in the church and acts as a liaison to that ministry or serves as Junior or Senior Warden. You can find these ministries listed by the names of the current Vestry members in several locations, including the weekly bulletin.

If you might be interested in learning more about service on Vestry, or have any thoughts or questions, please feel free to talk or call any of us listed, including the Junior or Senior Wardens. Any of us will be happy to share our experiences with you and try to answer any questions that may arise.

We are ahead of time for Vestry election. The new members are officially selected at the November Parish meeting. The names of the prospective members should be ready in October, allowing for publication at the November meeting. So, this is an early ad, however if you have any thoughts, or questions about service on Vestry, it gives time to allow these to be answered. Please give time and serious thought (and some prayer too) about becoming part of a very dynamic and energized group of people working for St Johnøs Episcopal Church in a very dynamic time in the life of the parish.

Peace,

Bob Murphy, Senior Warden

# VESTRY RESOLUTIONS

#### The following resolutions were passed at the Vestry meeting on: July 20, 2015

- 1. <u>Assistant Priest</u> ó Resolved, that the Vestry of St. Johnøs Episcopal Church, Lancaster, PA affirms the call of The Rev. Dr. Barbara J. Seras as Assistant Priest at St. Johnøs and supports the Ministry Covenant Agreement with The Rev. Dr. Barbara J. Seras striking section B2. Toni moved. Bob seconded. Motion passed.
- 2. <u>Advisory Committee</u> ó The Rector and Vestry share their thanksgivings with those on the Assistant Priest Advisory Committee: Sue Heilman, Pam Loose, Karen DiPace, Mary Ellen Kilp; for their insightful interviewing and wise counseling, and congratulates them on their recommendations of The Rev. Dr. Barbara J. Seras, and discharges them with grateful appreciation. Bob called to question. Motion carried.
- 3. Floor Care ó At the request of the Property Committee, the Vestry authorizes the expenses of \$1,775.00 payable to Jan-Pro Cleaning Systems of Central Pa. from line item 01-5140, Building Repairs Expenses, for floor care. (This is regular maintenance on the floor in the All Purpose room. Sue Heilman called the question, and Bob Murphy seconded. Motion carried.
- 4. <u>Vestry Position</u> It is resolved that Jennifer Hreben will be appointed to the open seat on Vestry. This appointment will last until the next election of Vestry, when she may be elected to fulfill the remaining time on the term of the seat left open. Sue called the question. Bob seconded. Motion carried.
- 5. Freon Leak ó Resolved that the Vestry of St. Johnøs Episcopal Church, Lancaster PA affirms and approves the expensing of \$2612.00 to J & J Heating and Cooling of Lancaster PA for labor and materials to repair the Freon leak (additional freon needed to replenish the system will be an additional expense.) J & J quote reference is SR-191, line item 01-5140. This resolution was tabled until next month to attempt to answer the questions.



# TREASURER'S REPORT

I am happy to report the addition of Gina Keiser to our financial staff. Gina comes to us with experience in ACS, the software package used to handle our finances. Gina also has experience in grant writing, which will be of value to us as we move forward in our capital campaign. Gina will continue to work part-time for St. John York while she expands her work schedule to include us 2 days a week. Initially, Gina will be learning our procedures in order to be able to cover for Barb during vacations and other absences. Another assignment that Gina will be handling will be the implementation of ASC On-Demand. This new module will make access to information more readily available to everyone. Please join me as we welcome Gina to St. John St. Jo

The last 2 months, I provided details in 2 different formats, pie charts and bar graphs. I was hoping to get some feedback as to which one better explained how we were doing. Unfortunately I received no comments on either presentation. So not knowing if these were better/worse/or same as just giving the numbers, Iøm going back to just numbers.

We finished the first half of the year dead even between income and expenses. Pledged contributions are about \$4000 ahead of plan and non-pledged contributions are about \$4500 behind plan. Overall contributions from all sources are about \$3000 ahead. Jubilee income is about \$1000 ahead in spite of slower than expected grocery card sales. Our total income from all sources year-to-date is \$323,428.11. I am putting an asterisk (\*) on this number which I will explain later.

Expense management is rapidly becoming one of St. John¢s strong points. Our total expenses through the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter were \$323,574.43. This is significantly below plan. What this implies is that we are only doing those things that are absolutely necessary. While it is not always the best strategy, it is one that allows us to maximize our financial resources.

You will notice that if we subtract the total expenses from the total income we get \$-146.32. Another way to say this is that we have broken even through the first half of the year. Now for the asteriskí the income number includes the endowment earnings draws for the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarters. This amounts to \$23,420. It is very likely that we will need to make some additional draws in order to complete the year in the same position that we are now. I am confident that we will be able to minimize the additional amount and will end the year in the best position that we have ever been in.

Thanks for all that each of you do to support the ministries of St. Johngs.

Submitted by,

Steve Latshaw Treasurer

# **PARISH REGISTER**

# Transferred In

Bette Lu Forsythe

# Transferred Out

John Gouveia

Newly Baptized (July 26, 2015)

Kathryn Elizabeth Lisman Parents: William W. Lisman, Jr. and Meaghan R. Lisman

David Sean Symonds
Parents: John W. Symonds and Kimberly D. Symonds

# LEMONADE TIME!



Volunteers are needed to serve cold lemonade after the second service. The lemonade is pre-mixed in the refrigerator, plastic cups are provided, as are pretzels and usually ice. The only task is to pour the lemonade, set out a munchie (either yours or what's available in the kitchen), remake the lemonade for next week, and wipe off the counter! The sign-up sheet is on the clipboard at the Parish Hall kitchen "window". Please offer to help! See **Sue Martin** with questions. "Thank You!"

## **PROPERTY CORNER**

It's been a HOT July!! This will be brief but the Property Committee has been very busy trying to anticipate the future needs of our precious buildings, including air conditioning. Please read the report that Bill Gross sends from the Property Committee meeting to the Messenger. July's Vestry meeting was busy with Property Committee resolutions for maintenance and repairs. These are similar to the everyday issues we all have to deal with at home and come down to how do we pay for what needs to be done. As the building ages, it only creates a greater need for maintenance. It's important to stay in front of that need to reduce our costs.

It is my privilege to be part of the future of St. John's.

Respectfully submitted,

#### Deb Smith Vestry Steward for Property

We thank Drew Dorgan for her recent donation of two HP multi-function laser printers. One was placed on each floor to provide equal access to everyone in the office.

We are off to a busy start with summer. With all of the rain, the clearing of drains and downspouts is a high priority, while we maintain dehumidification and mold prevention. New strainer screens had to be replaced as they were trapping everything coming down the spouts, resulting in clogging. The idea is to trap those materials, which may clog the underground, while permitting finer materials to flow through our system. We upgraded to a heavier ½ö versus lighter ¼ö mesh to allow better flow and prevent the screen from entering and clogging the underground pipe. We continue to monitor this situation. We will be replacing the passage spout, which has deteriorated, causing some leaking.

Considerable time has been spent on a sanctuary screen concept. The main benefit of the concept has the screen concealed behind the dossal. We welcome feedback, suggestions or other ideas to fulfill this need. We had been receiving complaints about the cumbersome and less aesthetic means, using the ropes and clips, which still required the screen to be rolled down and up.

Also, much time has been spent drafting our long range planning agenda for predictive maintenance purposes. This plan will be very important moving forward as more and more of routine maintenance items such as pointing, windows, roofs, and walking surfaces are not receiving adequate budget allotments to maintain their condition. Currently, 50% (roughly \$60K) of the Property Ministries budget is handling repairs and maintenance. This creates a very difficult/challenging task for the Property Manager. Our priorities are constantly changing, meaning we are still putting out fires. After awhile though, there isnot any water left to put out the fires. If we are able to plan out some of these medium to high cost maintenance items, monies can be set aside and earmarked for a specific item(s) in need of replacement or refurbishing. We estimate having over \$30K of pointing that needs to be done before winter. If we only allot \$5K per year to replace our mortar, we find ourselves in a position where we'll never be able to thwart the added damage that will occur due to wet/dry and thawing/freezing weather conditions.

We recently had our stained glass evaluated by Willet Hauser Architectural Glass. There are two major points coming out of this report. First, how do we plan for window maintenance? The evaluation recommended roughly \$10K of repairs on each side of the Nave, not including the clerestory. And, a historical restoration needed on the breezeway window, the one originally over the altar. Second, how do we protect our investment via insurance? This appraisal came in over \$1.1M. Our insurance limit on Fine Arts is \$1M. The committee was asked and provided recommendations to our Finance Committee, so that they would proceed with obtaining the adequate coverage.

# PROPERTY CORNER (CONTINUED)

A resolution was presented and accepted for Jan-Pro to perform floor stripping/refinishing at \$1,775 for the lower level of the Parish House after Vacation Bible School. This proposal includes multiple applications on the All Purpose Room floor due to its heavy wear from use.

A presentation was also made for the repair of a Freon leak of our cooling system. With the many dollars that have been spent on Freon and the environmental impact of this gas going to atmosphere, there exists a significant need for the leak to be repaired for \$3,000. Plans call for the repair to be made after our cooling season to help prevent interruption and reduce the amount of Freon release.

As you can see, the work of your property committee has a significant impact on the many ministries here at St. Johnøs. Feel free to join us at 7 p.m., the first Monday of every month in the Becker House.

Your Property Committee,

Phil Becker, Andy Carroll, Peter Eaton, Jeff Gromis, Bill Gross, Janice Henry, Cynthia Minnich, and Deb Smith

# **EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN**

You have heard of the recent fund raising effort called 100 Women Who Care. Our Diocesan ECW is asking for each parish to form 10 Women Who Care. The aim would be for each parish to rally just ten (we can do more!) women to contribute \$1.00 each enabling the board to purchase a miter to present to our new bishop at her consecration on Sept. 12. This is an opportunity for the women across the Diocese to be united in contributing a gift to our new and first woman bishop in the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania. Please place your \$1.00 in the ECW mailbox located in the hallway between the parish hall and the Becker House. No names or accounting needed. Deadline should be August 16. Please direct any questions to Sue Martin.

SAVE THE DATE!

ECW Cape May Retreat — September 25~27

(Details will be forthcoming.)



# 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 <u>both</u> service bulletins. Following is the information we have received for the time-frame between August and October, 2015. The blank areas remain available. Thank you for supporting this important ministry at St. Johnøs!



SUNDAY DATE	(1)	(2)
AUGUST 2		
AUGUST 9	Carol Stigelman & Nelson Lawrence	Qualls Family
AUGUST 16	Chris & Betsy Hasircoglu	Chris & Betsy Hasircoglu
AUGUST 23	Gross Family	Molly Moyer
AUGUST 30	Stephanie McGovern	Alvena Kuser
SEPTEMBER 6	Ruth McDivitt	
SEPTEMBER 13	G. Shutt Trust	
SEPTEMBER 20	Molly Moyer	
SEPTEMBER 27	The Rev. Peter Greenfield	
OCTOBER 4		
OCTOBER 11	Patti Means	
OCTOBER 18		
OCTOBER 25		

#### FOOD PANTRY STAPLES—ALWAYS WELCOMED!



Peanut butter and jelly, pasta noodles, pasta sauce, canned tuna, canned meat.

boxed macaroni & cheese, "Helpers" (hamburger, tuna, etc.), rice, boxed rice mixes, canned soup (<u>not</u> packaged such as Ramen), canned vegetables, canned fruit, and cereal.

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

A huge thank you to everyone who helped make our Vacation Bible school happen this year! I hope everyone had a great time!

Itos now time to start planning ahead for next year- whoos in??!! Our Church School teachers will be busy getting ready for classes to resume in the fall. Save the date: Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup> will be our first day of church school. We will celebrate with an ice cream social after the 10:15 service. Everyone is welcome to join us.

I hope you are all having a great summer!

Karen

# Journey to Adulthood

Mary Ellen Kilp & Leslie Morgan, Co-Youth Directors

Many thanks to all those who volunteered their time at this year® Vacation Bible School, including: Danielle DiPace, Emma DiPace, Aaron Hasircoglu, Julia Hasircoglu, Tierza Mendez, Kendal Morgan, Alyssa Pray, and Emily Sipe.

On June 26 ó June 28, we had youth and adults participating at the Diocesan Youth Retreat at Camp Hebron, It was a very interesting weekend with 5 inches of rain and no power for 13 hours, We learned how to have fun and get closer to God the Natural way. One lesson that was learned was not to depend on a cell phone for a flash light! Nick DiPace did an awesome job providing music for us.

Donøt miss this yearøs Blueberry Festival, scheduled for Saturday, August 23rd, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. All proceeds will benefit the J2A pilgrimage. See the flyer in this monthøs Messenger for more information.

Finally, please prayerfully consider a ministry of teaching our youth or our wonderful children at St. Johnøs. It can be a very rewarding experience and we would love for you to join us. Please see Karen DiPace or Mary Ellen Kilp if you have any question or if you are interested.

Before we know it September will be here and we will have an updated Calendar for the fall events.

#### 2015 YOUTH CALENDAR

August 1 Knoebels CPA family, children, youth/young adult day.

August 23 Blueberry Festival

September 12 The Rev. Canon Audrey Scanlan's Consecration

October 5 Inflatable 5K Race

October 16, 17, 18 Convention

December 4 – 6 Diocesan Fall Retreat

**2016** 

February 18 – 21 Diocesan Happening Event
April 1 -3 Diocesan Jr. High Retreat

# ~Blugberry Festival~



Saturday, August 22 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.



"Don't miss an evening of fine culinary blueberry delectables, entertainment, and fellowship in our the St. John's Courtyard.

Stay tuned to the weekly Sunday bulletins and the Blog for more details!!!

All proceeds will benefit the J2A pilgrimage.

# **Vacation Bible School**





"We had a great time!"





# **JUBILEE MINISTRIES**

<u>CAMPER REPORT</u>ô Last month we were asking for clothing and equipment support for two Eagle's Nest girls who had the opportunity to attend a two week camp in the Catoctin Mountains in Maryland. You responded with amazing supplies and the girls were outfitted wonderfully. Unfortunately, in the end, only one of our campers had the courage to leave home and strike out into a totally different environment with confidence. So Justice went out into the wilderness on her own, and did beautifully. Her two weeks were not only filled with rain, but with new learnings and opportunities. So thank you for helping to make this happen. The clothing donated for the bigger size has been stored for another year, some items with tags and receipts were returned for refunds, and the camp graciously refunded the invested funds. All of us have learned from this experience and anxiously await the planning for next summer (of course, Justice wants to return!).

<u>COMMUNITY BREAKFAST</u>ô (Contact: Sue Martin) <u>SATURDAY</u>, <u>AUGUST 18</u>—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 <u>often</u> needed to help prepare and serve the breakfast (7:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.).

#### **EAGLE'S NEST AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM**ô (Contact: Sue Martin)

As we prepare for a new school year, and a new season of Eagle's Nest, the search is on for a Program Director. Please contact Sue Martin with names of anyone you may know who enjoys leading school aged children, has had experience doing so, has Weds. available for part time work, and who has achieved the background clearances necessary. The program will also need some new volunteers to join our aging cadre of faithfuls. Background clearances are required by all volunteers to comply with our SafeChurch Policy. After July 25, there is no fee for the PA paperwork, although the Federal (FBI) does cost \$10. This effort can be accomplished online or with hard copies mailed in. Forms are available in the Parish Hall, along with help from committee members. We should feel free to ask Cindy Morris or Marylee Sauder, both of whom have close connections with Eagle's Nest. Please plan to start this process in August, as a backlog will most likely occur in Harrisburg.

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

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 õFOOD PANTRYö 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.

#### **FULTON SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP**ô (Contact: Dave or Sue Martin)

One of the annual supports for our neighboring elementary school, Robert Fulton, has been to provide the staff luncheon on their first day returning for the new school year. This year's luncheon is scheduled for Weds. August 19. The tradition has also rallied the Eagle's Nest volunteers to support this event. Since the Martins (usually the planners) will be away on that day, they are looking for folks to step up to plan and facilitate the event. Records and notes are available, usually a menu can be repeated as they have all been favorites of the staff in the past. Please say "YES" soon, so that plans can be made. Contact Sue or Dave to offer leadership support.

# JUBILEE MINISTRIES (CONTINUED)

#### **GROCERY CARDS** (Contact: Cynthia Minnich)

Total sales for June gave \$361 to Jubilee. Our regular buyers and irregular buyers are doing well! Now, the rest of you need to participate. Everyone has to eat something. Let sõ Step upö and buy grocery cards everyone. Show Jubilee that we really care!

I finally found out why everyone doesnot buy grocery cards. We are competing with Rewards Cards. Iom going to try to make an arrangement that those of us who purchase grocery cards can get an extra blessing on Sundays. Ioll keep you posted on my progress.

Dongt forget: It is 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 dongt have to spend it all at one time.

We carry grocery cards for SKH, Giant, Weis, Darrenkampøs, Oregon Dairy, John Herrøs and we now carry Musserøs Market.

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

#### MARTHA'S MINISTRY (Contact: Jeannie Zeller)

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

Summertime.... and the knitting is easy! Please help us with our ministry of creating hats, scarves, prayer shawls and more. You may choose to knit, crochet or sew items for the needy in our community. We provide the yarn, if necessary, and you provide your time. We invite you to join us on any Tuesday, either in the parish hall from 2-4 PM or at the home of Deb Smith on Tuesday evenings at 7 PM. The fellowship is healing. If you aren't able to attend, please consider making some things as you travel or watch TV.

# **CHAPEL ALTAR FLOWERS**



We are very pleased to announce that there is now an opportunity to make a donation for Chapel Altar Flowers. There will be a Chapel Altar Flower sign-up sheet in the Parish Hall. Envelopes marked "Chapel" are next to the chart. At present, there is a separate chart and envelopes for Altar Flowers. Please mark your checks accordingly. A donation of \$30 is requested.

Please feel free to contact Hilary Becker of the St. Johnøs Flower Guild with questions or concerns.

Submitted by, *Hilary Becker* 

#### MDG UPDATE

# "Join hands, disciples of the faith, what e'er your race may be! Who serves my Father as his child is surely kin to me." from Hymn 529

As we enter the õDog days of summerö, the MDG committee continues our research and questioning who, where, what and how we at St. John¢s will build a global partnership. Our goals are to recommend a partnership that will be inspiring to all, provide for building interpersonal relationships, as well as having a fundraising component.

The organizations being considered are: World Bicycle Relief, Rafiki Africa and Echo. The questions we determined that needed to be answered by our organizations are:

What would be the involvement between ous and themo, what personal interaction with those who benefit from the partnership?

What involvement is there for young people?

What involvement is there for adults?

What would they expect from us financially to make a partnership worthwhile?

Tell us what specifically our money will go for? How are we really helping?

We did meet on 6/23/15 with Dorothy Dulo regarding Rafiki Africa. We learned a great deal about the organization and that much more than education for k-12 is provided the Luo Community in Western Kenya. We hope to meet soon with and/or obtain information and answers for World Bicycle relief and Echo as well. We will keep you updated as we progress.

In the meantime, there are two items we wanted to share. Rafiki has a special opportunity to raise \$20,000 by August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015 to be matched at a ratio of 2:1. If you are interested in helping them reach this goal, read more about it at: <a href="http://www.rafikiafrica.org/water-matching-fundraiser-2/#more-1078">http://www.rafikiafrica.org/water-matching-fundraiser-2/#more-1078</a>

Also, you may remember last year the MDG began presenting local opportunities that serve to create and maintain partnerships. We began with an annual event held in September called the Pedal Harder Ride. The Pedal Harder Ride began as a casual friends and family ride in 2010 to remember Glen Lapp and his love of the open road. Glen was a passionate cyclist and had a love for all physical pursuits. Glen was one of 10 volunteer aid workers killed in Afghanistan in 2010. The 6<sup>th</sup> annual ride will be held on 9/12/15. Again there will be an opportunity for a 60, 25 and 10 mile ride. Also, there is the option for a 5k walk. After the event there will be opportunity for Rehydration + Refueling + Remembering at Tellus360. For more information and registration please visit **www.pedalharderride.com**. This year, all funds raised through the Ride will be sent on to Nepal for earthquake relief.

The MDG committee will not be meeting in September. Please join us and, please continue to read the MDG challenges in the Messenger and printed each Sunday and give consideration as to how you can incorporate them into your lives.

Submitted by, Tammy Collier

"I Am, We Are.....One World—Creating A Global Partnership"

# **LANCASTER INTERCHURCH PEACE WITNESS**



LANCASTER INTERCHURCH PEACE WITNESS which St. John's is a member of, in cooperation with other groups, continues to invite us to a SUMMER ECUMENICAL LEARNING SERIES on the Sins of Racism & Mass Incarceration in America

On MONDAY, JULY 27th at 7:00 p.m. there will be a book discussion on theologian James Cone's excellent book, THE CROSS AND THE LYNCHING TREE. This will be at Community Mennonite Church on Orange & Concord Streets.

On First Friday in AUGUST (7th) there will be an UNPLUGGED EVENT: Music, Art, Poetry, Food at the DECA (Discerning Eye Center for the Arts) building at 12 West New Street from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

On MONDAY, AUGUST 24th there will be a book discussion at St. John's (here) of Michelle Alexander's book THE NEW JIM CROW from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. No need to read the books to join the discussions.

On MONDAY, AUGUST 31st, there will be a screening of the film, THE HOUSE I LIVE IN (about prisons) with discussion at Grandview Methodist Church at 888 Pleasure Road in Lancaster.

Please check out the website IN CHAINS WE TRUST, or see the bulletin board in the Parish Hall, or call Sue Heilman for more information.

# THANK YOU!



I'd like to thank my St. John's family for the many cards, flowers, visits, and prayers during my recent hospitalization.

I continue to heal and have been receiving positive feedback from my various doctors. At the time I am able to, I will begin a therapy program.

I am looking forward to returning to church and seeing everyone again! Tiny Nolan

# **FANTASY ISLAND**

# But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. Acts 1:8

Last night, while I was watching TV, I came across a show from my past, Fantasy Island. Iøm sure you all remember Fantasy Island, Ricardo Montalban (Mr. Roark) and Herve Villechaize (Tattoo), yelling, õDe plane, de plane!ö I started to wonder what I would do if I could be on Fantasy Island. After all, who doesnøt want to go to Fantasy Island once in a while? Would I spend my weekend living out a childhood fantasy or meeting someone famous from the past, or would I do what Jesus suggested to the Apostles in Mark 6:31 and just spend my time resting. I realized if I really wanted a chance at Fantasy Island, I have to start to do is to use my time more wiselyí

While reading the book õEvangelism isí ö by the Rev. Clinton M. Marsh (the United Presbyterian Church), I learned how to look for simple ways to fulfill the difficult task of evangelism. The first rule is always remember if the project is Jesus Christ focused and the Holy Spirit driven, its evangelism. Thereøs no need to be embarrassed by this; itøs something we should all start to embrace. Or, better yet, we can start calling ourselves, Crazy Christians. PB Elect Michael Curry said, "We need some crazy Christians. Sane, sanitized Christianity is killing us. That may have worked once upon a time, but it wonøt carry the Gospel anymore. We need some crazy Christians like Mary Magdalene and Harriet Beecher Stowe. Christians crazy enough to believe that God is real and that Jesus lives. Crazy enough to follow the radical way of the Gospel.ö And the easiest way to become a Crazy Christian is by using Evangelism wisely.

The Rev. Marsh said, õEvangelism is faith in action.ö I believe this to be especially true of St. Johnøs, a Jubilee parish. Our evangelism is in our Jubilee ministries, our Sunday school classes, and our youth programs. August is the perfect time for all of us to start planning for the fall. Because we all have outside lives, and a million things to do, we often wait until the last minute to do things related to our particular ministries. Now is the perfect time to start to mark our calendars with specific routines, be it daily, weekly or monthly, so we can achieve success with our ministries. (Itøs also good to remember things change and not to get too frustrated and/or disappointed, when they do.) Now is a perfect time to start asking other people, not involved in your ministry, to join it. Now is a perfect time to ask other people for their feedback and ideas regarding your ministry. And now is the perfect time to start praying for guidance.

Submitted by,

Julie Gittens

## **PRAYER LIST**

For those who we offer our continued prayers:

Ed Bednar **Darlene Bentley** Michael Brogan Carolyn Ching Robyn Martin Clarke Margaret Crothers Judy Durand Linda Frederiksen Helen Farruggia Anne Johnson Horn Ellen Keller Dale Landis Joyce Landis Ernie Leffler Isaac Markovich & Family Shirley McGee Kathy McNamara Andrew Miller William Miller Jodi Myers Lorraine Nolan Darlene Pfeiffer Mary & Jeff Power Robert & Joan Power Barbara Russell Christian Stigelman Steven Schwartz Stephanie Smith **Bob Stanton** Kent Strickler Martha Stroh Thomas Family Joana Torres & Kids Carolyn Weaver Gary Weaver

Melissa Williams

Ken Zeller

Joe



...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 Nancy Nemith Peter Plaxa Nancy Puffer Virginia Rainey **Gray Sellers** Marjorie 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, Kirby Kinderwater, Kyle Kinderwater, Kyle Kulka, Joseph Lombardo, Nicholas Lombardo, Sean McCormick, Jamie Olejniczak, John S. Waltz, and 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.

# **AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>
Becker, Phil	26
Bednar, Ed	28
Bentley, Darlene	27
Braught, Linda	8
Breitegan, David	25
Breitegan, Lois	18
Byrnes, Laela	8
Cliff, Aidan	3
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Collier, Rich	, 19
Cummins, Frank	_
DeLeo, Justice	2
DeLeo, Liberty	11
Durand, Don	28
Durand, Elizabeth	30
Eshelman, Providence	20
Gbur, Mike	14
Gepert, The Rt Rev Robert	24
Gokey, Sam	8
Gordon, Sarah	1
Herr, Susan	24
Houston, Nancy	2
Hreben, Rachel	21
Kane, Edith	23
Kauffman, Kim	3
Largent, Karen	22
Lester, Matt	21
Lester, Miriam	29
Loose, Pam	9
Magagna, Olivia	22
McCormick, Patricia	7
McGovern, Stephanie	31
Miller, Helen	12
Mone, Chris	13
Morgan, Bruce	4
Morgan, Kendall	4
Morris, Cindy	11
Nemith, Nancy	26
Pfeiffer, Darleen	24
Puffer, Nancy	30
Qualls, Sherry	31
Rahe, Derek	16
Rainey, Virginia	22
Rhodes, James	8
Sweeney, Joanna	9
Walsh, Alan	23
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Wendler, Emma	6



# **AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES**

<u>Couple</u>	<u>Date</u>
Dorgan, Paul & Drew	08/18/1984
Morris, Fr. John & Cindy	08/24/1974
Rahe, Charlie & Joan	08/24/1963
Tobie, Alan & Sue	08/21/2010
Walsh, Alan & Marjie	08/22/1992
Zimmerman, James & Tammy	08/21/1993



# Messenger Deadline

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# SERVING SCHEDULE – AUGUST, 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, <a href="mailto:simply dial">simply dial "0"</a> 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!"

AUGUST 2	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Laurie Eaton	Katie Mausolf, Peter Novosel
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	Karen Latshaw	ô
Lector	Sue Purdy	Tom Bond, Jane Lee
Server	ô	Michael Hreben
Torch Bearer	ô	Natalie Visco, Greyson Way
Crucifer	ô	Glenn Miller
Altar Guild	Team 2	Team 2
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Max Lester
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team A
Greeter	ô	Carolyn Maxey
Coffee/Lemonade Time	Lester Family	Lester Family
Nursery	ô	Elspeth Moffatt

AUGUST 9	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Ricky Smith	Judy Arnold, David Kilp
Eucharistic Visitor	Phil Becker, Ricky Smith	ô
Lector	Peter Eaton	Danielle DiPace, Charlotte Weaver-Gelzer
Server	ô	Emma DiPace
Torch Bearer	ô	Nicholas DiPace, Ella Suliveras
Crucifer	ô	Dave Pennell
Altar Guild	Team 3	Team 3
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Lynn Hayford
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team B
Greeter	ô	Ted Loose
Coffee/Lemonade Time	Way Family	Debbie Carter, Bill Cater
Nursery	ô	Marla Lester

<b>AUGUST 16</b>	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Merle Schnee	Charlotte Weaver-Gelzer, Peter Novosel
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	Stephanie McGovern	ô
Lector	Sue Tobie	David Dissinger, Paula Wolf
Server	ô	Dylan Stone
Torch Bearer	ô	Miriam Lester, Kylie Stone
Crucifer	ô	Bob Kilp
Altar Guild	Team 1	Team 1
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Garth Alexander
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team C
Greeter	ô	Leslie Morgan
Coffee/Lemonade Time	Graeter Family	Sue Heilman
Nursery	ô	Courtney Rhodes







<b>AUGUST 23</b>	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Ricky Smith	Sibyl Seachrist, Michael Stank
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	ô	Julie Gittens, Peter Novosel
Lector	Tom Bond	Fran Gouveia, Bob Kilp
Server	ô	James Woolson
Torch Bearer	ô	Sean Cliff, Kendall Morgan
Crucifer	ô	Brooks Morgan
Altar Guild	Team 2	Team 2
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Aaron Hasircoglu
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team D
Greeter	ô	Bruce Waskowicz
Coffee/Lemonade Time	Woolson Family	TBD
Nursery	ô	Heidi Leitzke

AUGUST 30	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Peter Eaton	David Dissinger, Katie Mausolf
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	Phil Becker	ô
Lector	Laurie Eaton	Tom Bond, Jane Lee
Server	ô	Amelia Dissinger
Torch Bearer	ô	Max Lester, Natalie Visco
Crucifer	ô	Aaron Hasircoglu
Altar Guild	Team 3	Team 3
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Toni Ehrhart
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team C
Greeter	ô	Dave Martin
Coffee/Lemonade Time	Jackson Family	Sauder Family
Nursery	ô	Mary Ellen Kilp

# LOOKING AHEAD TO: SEPTEMBER, 2015

SEPTEMBER 6	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Ricky Smith	Judy Arnold, Peter Novosel
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	ô	Phyllis Gbur, Sue Heilman
Lector	Phil Purdy	Danielle DiPace, Charlotte Weaver-Gelzer
Server	ô	Aidan Cliff
Torch Bearer	ô	Sean Cliff, Greyson Way
Crucifer	ô	Glenn Miller
Altar Guild	Team 1	Team 1
Steeple Bell Ringer	ô	Christina DeLeo
Ushers	8:00 a.m.	Team A
Greeter	ô	Brad Zuke
Coffee/Lemonade Time		Eamen Nelson
Nursery	ô	Katie Mausolf

# **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.