



April 2022

Stay Informed. Be Inspired.



Holy Week Worship



Palm Sunday
April 10
8:30 and 10:30 a.m.

Meditative Monday
April 11
6:30 p.m.

Maundy Thursday
April 14
12:00 and 6:30 p.m.

Good Friday
April 15
12:00 and 6:30 p.m.

EASTER WORSHIP

6:00 am

in the Columbarium

8:30 am

Traditional music

10:30 am

Contemporary music



**Join us to celebrate Christ's resurrection!
Come for worship, ...
stay for fellowship, coffee, and pastries.**

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Pastor Ponders

by Pastor Brian Halverson

April is a transitional month. Even though the calendar says spring, it can still remind us of late winter at times. The temperatures can still be cold, and the ground still looks brown and gray. Yet, we know we are past the winter months, and life is coming back to life in the trees and grass around us.

April is also a transitional month in which we are moving out of Lent and getting ready for Easter! This year Easter is on Sunday, April 17, and ushers in the season of Easter. We will read and celebrate the stories of the Risen Christ who appeared to his disciples in surprising and poignant ways.

When I was a student in Santiago, Chile, the Lenten and Easter seasons were just the opposite of how we experience them here in the Northern Hemisphere. Lent is in the autumn and Easter in the late autumn in which the temps are getting colder and the nights longer. It gave me a different perspective on the seasons of the church year and the seasons of the earth. How do you celebrate the renewal of life while at the same time preparing for winter?

We celebrated it in the same way we do here in Wisconsin. By singing, praising, listening to the stories, and giving thanks to the One who is Risen - the One who is Risen in all our seasons of nature and in our lives!

He is Risen indeed! Alleluia!

Pastor Brian

What's New?

Meditative Worship

This year, on Monday evening of Holy Week, April 11, we will offer a Meditative Worship. This interactive worship includes music, scripture readings and guided meditations on the Stations of the Cross.

You are invited to join us in the sanctuary on April 11 at 6:30 p.m. A link to the video of the worship will be available on our website and YouTube channel.



Support Our Youth In Service

Blood Drive

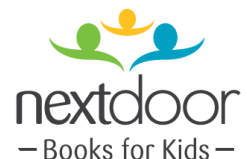
My name is **Joseph Balzer**, I grew up in this church and have been a member since day one. Yes! I was baptized and confirmed here. I learned a lot about the St. John's community. All of the ministries here are amazing. Whenever someone needs help or is in need, you step in as a community. For example, every year you donate winter jackets so people in our community can stay warm. Now I need your help with the blood drive I organized with Versiti Blood Center.



I'm part of the Boy Scout Troop 16 and my Eagle Scout project is to organize a blood drive. Please sign up today! The blood drive will be at the church on **Tuesday, April 5**. You can select the time that works best for you on the website: bit.ly/balzer-eagle-project.

Book Drive

Sarah Gillette is seeking new or gently used children's books for the organization "Next Door" as a part of her confirmation volunteer project. Donations will be accepted through **Sunday, April 24**, and can be dropped off in the bin labeled: "Children's books donations," in the Donation Location just inside Fellowship Hall. Next Door is asking for *any new or gently used children's books*, but specifically board books, books for infants (0-5,) children's picture books, children's multicultural books, and lift the flap books. Thank you!



Worship and Music

Jubilate Chorale Concert

The Jubilate Chorale Concert will present a Spring Concert at St. John's on Saturday, May 14 at 7:30 p.m. Our music director, Becky Whelpley is the accompanist. Tickets can be purchased at the door (\$18, \$15, \$7) or in advance (\$15, \$12, \$7) through Becky. Tickets can also be purchased in advance online <https://www.jubilatechorale.org/>



Questions about
music at
St. John's?



Contact Becky!
bwhelpley@stjohnbrookfield.org



Mark your calendars! St. John's is pleased to be having a Music Camp June 13-16, 2022. This exciting camp will offer a fun filled atmosphere exploring Church music including singing, ringing and drumming. Camp will run from 9-11:30 a.m. Monday-Thursday for those who have completed 5K kindergarten-6th grade. Volunteers 7th grade-adult needed.

Save the Date

More information to come.

Why Small Groups? Why Now? By Steve Johnson

You might say that small groups have been a key building block of Christianity going back to its very roots. Think Jesus and his disciples. Jesus invited 12 friends to join him on a life-changing journey of discovery (disciple building) and caring ministry. In fact, I like to think that Jesus used his relationship with his Apostles to model what he hoped all his faithful would follow-have a special relationship with a small group of believers who would share fellowship and learning, coupled with caring and serving ministries.

From my own personal experience, small groups have been extremely important to the formation of my faith. In truth, without small groups, not only would I likely not be a member of St. John's

Lutheran today; I likely would not even be a member of any church. It was my participation in a small group many years ago that drew me back to Christ.

Since joining St. John's, I have been a member of several small groups; but two that have been particularly important to me have been the Saturday Morning Men's Bible and Book Study, and our Sundays Couples Group. It's the interaction and sharing of other's faith walk experiences in these groups that helps me in my own faith journey.



If you are not currently in a small group, I urge you to join either an existing group or a new start-up group in 2022. Over the next few months, you will be hearing more about small group ministry at St John's. But meanwhile, if you'd like to explore some of the more than 30 small groups that already exist, you might check out the updated small group ministry booklet. And, if you have an idea about a new small group you'd like to see, please contact either Ralph Berglund, Small Group Ministry Leader (ralph.berglund@gmail.com), Mary Tollander, Small Group Ministry (maretollan@gmail.com), or Steve Johnson, Small Group Ministry (waukeshasteve@gmail.com).

Children, Youth & Families

St. John's Preschool Family Night with Wildlife in Need starring Marcy the Opossum!

Family Night March 8 was great. Helen, the teacher from Wildlife in Need, brought three Animal Ambassadors that we met and learned about each one of them.

The star of the night was Marcy the Virginia Opossum. We held a Pennies for our Opossum fundraiser to adopt Marcy and we raised \$147.41. We proudly donated all those pennies for her care at Wildlife in Need in Oconomowoc.

Marcy was so interesting to watch as she sat and just nibbled on *dog treats*. We learned where opossums live, how they move (very slowly!) and what helpers they are in our yards eating bugs and ticks. Did you know that opossums don't hang by their tails

like some story books show? And yes, they do have about 13 babies that live in their mommy's pouch until they're old enough to venture out into the big world. You may have one in your back yard living under a pile of leaves in the snow all winter long, too.

Evie the Eastern Fox Snake was so interesting to watch while Helen held her and told us about where she lives right here in our neighborhoods. Children gently touched Evie and handled one of the skins she had shed.

We learned that Jewel the Ornate Box Turtle is an endangered

they are looking for a place to nest. We need to, if it is safe, to help turtles safely cross the road.

Preschoolers and St. John's Sunday School guests made a



bank, colored pictures, had yummy snacks and played in an obstacle course to round out a great Preschool Family Night!



species here in Wisconsin and how we can, with our grownups, help turtles we might find when

Questions About Preschool?

Contact Laura:
262-786-4298 or
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Did You Know?

St. John's Preschool
WHERE WE PLAY, DISCOVER, LEARN AND GROW.

We're Now Enrolling for 2022-2023

Two Year Old Class <small>My introduction to Preschool</small>	Three Year Old Class <small>I'm learning and exploring in Preschool</small>	Four Year Old Class <small>I'm getting ready for 4K and 5K</small>
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Email Us at: lrickinger@stjohnsbrookfield.org
Call Us at: 262-786-4298

Children, Youth & Families

Sunday Evening Education at St. John's

We are excited to offer IN PERSON programming for our Middle Schoolers on Sunday evenings.

5th & 6th grade Calendar

- April 3 Connect Class, 4:30-6:00 p.m.
- April 17 No class - Happy Easter!

7th & 8th grade Calendar

- April 10 Confirmation Class, 4:30-6:00 p.m.
- April 24 Confirmation Class, 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Contact Joanna with any questions!

Sunday School

Join us during Lent as we explore health through a rich and interactive curriculum from ELCA World Hunger! We'll focus on our physical, mental, and spiritual health and highlight how God is at work healing our neighbors and us.

Questions? Contact Joanna at jsalinas@stjohnsbrookfield.org.



Tree of Healing

Join us for Sunday School in Lent!

Weekly on Sundays

In person at 9:30am or via Zoom at 6:30pm

Ages 2 - 6th grade

Contact Joanna for more info.
jsalinas@stjohnsbrookfield.org

Contact Joanna with Toddler to 8th Grade Questions

Joanna is available by email at jsalinas@stjohnsbrookfield.org or by call or text at 262-278-8021.



Joanna sends out weekly Children, Youth and Family emails. If you are not receiving those emails and would like to, let Joanna know!

Family Worship

Join us Sunday Mornings at 10:30 for Family Worship. We've incorporated interactive components into worship with the band for a whole family worship experience. Designed for kids, teens, parents, and grandparents.



First Communion

First Communion Class

Palm Sunday
April 10, 2022
9:30 a.m.

First Communion Service

Maundy Thursday
April 14, 2022
6:30 p.m.



Is your child ready to take communion? Here at St. John's we welcome children of any age to the Table when you as a family feel it is appropriate. We will be holding 1st Communion this year on Maundy Thursday at 6:30pm, with a Communion Chat with Pastor Brian for families the Sunday before. Please RSVP to Joanna at jsalinas@stjohnsbrookfield.org and fill out the form online. Link to form --> <https://forms.gle/eGPjyAh2Te7ne6bm6>

Children, Youth & Families

Youth Group Calendar

Date	Event	Time
4/3	Youth Group	4:30-6:00pm
4/10	Mission Trip	4:30-6:00pm
4/17	EASTER	No group
4/21	9th grade/ mentors	6:30-7:30pm
4/24	Youth Group	4:30-6:00pm
4/29	Confirmation Service Night	6:30-8:00pm
5/1	Pancake Breakfast	9:00- 10:30am
5/1	Confirmation	10:30am

"Youth Group" is the term used at St. John's to refer to all program activities for high schoolers.

High School Youth Group begins each week with a small optional meal from 4:30-5:00 p.m. with programming from 5:00-6:00 p.m. If your family/youth are not comfortable joining us for the meal, they may come at 5:00 for programming.

Confirmation Weekend

Friday, April 29 at 6:30 p.m.

Ninth grade students will present their independent service project reports from this past year, along with lots of yummy treats to celebrate them.

Sunday, May 1 at 9:00 a.m.

Pancake breakfast to celebrate our confirmands

Sunday, May 1 at 10:30 a.m.

Come join us as our 9th graders affirm their baptism in worship!

Mission Trip Gathering

If you are signed up to join us in Georgia this summer, please join us on April 10 for:

- dinner at 4:30 p.m. and
- great getting to know one another activities at 5:00 p.m.!

We hope to start building relationships with all attending prior to our trip.

Encouragement To Sign Up To Assist At The 10:30 Family Worship

Middle and High School Students are welcome to serve as readers, prayer leaders, A/V assistants, and Communion Assistants at the 10:30 Family Worship. (Adults can do these, too!)

- Readers: Read the Bible Lessons for the week. You will get the reading in advance to practice.
- Prayer Leader: Lead the congregation in the Prayer of the day or the Prayer Petitions during worship. These will be provided in advance to practice.
- A/V Assistant: Operate the PowerPoint slides during worship. Learn the camera system.
- Communion Assistants: Serve communion with the Pastor.

Training is available and provided for all of these. [Sign Up Here](#)



In support of our 9th grade class being confirmed on May 1 at the 10:30 a.m. service. We will be having a pancake breakfast prior to service beginning at 9:00 a.m. If you would like to assist in the preparation and flipping of pancakes, please reach out to Stephanie Broussard.

Contact Stephanie with questions about high school and young adult ministry at St. John's

sbroussard@stjohnsbrookfield.org



Outreach Opportunities

Kids Working to Succeed Lunches

The Kids Working to Succeed program at All Peoples Church in Milwaukee focuses on three areas for youth:

- Discipleship - becoming a follower of Jesus
- Job Training - instilling a hard work ethic combined with basic financial understanding
- Leadership - high school students supervising younger children.

To support this program, we are providing lunches again this year for the kids. You are being asked sign up to donate the food items. Please note that the 30 sandwiches section encourages multiple people to work together. One person can sign up and coordinate friends/church members!! Someone might want to do that with cookies, too!!! Please check with the Church office if you want to make your food items in the Church kitchen.

Brown paper bags and napkins for assembling will be provided. We will meet at St. John's in the fellowship hall at 10:00 a.m. on the day of delivery to organize the lunch bags.



Thank you for signing up to support and feed the youth at All Peoples!

[St. John's Lutheran Church: Lunches for the APC kids \(Kids Working Toward Success\) \(signupgenius.com\)](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084cadaa2da0f85-lunches)

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April Outreach Focus: Newborn Kits

Newborn Kits is our Outreach Ministry for April. This is our 24th year of participating in this service project with St. John's donating a total of 11,842 kits so far! Thanks to all who have contributed! We are well on our way towards this year's goal of 600 kits!

Each Newborn Kit consists of 2 cloth diapers, 2 diaper pins, a bath towel, a bath washcloth, a bath bar of Ivory soap, a receiving blanket, a baby hat, and a baby shirt/onesie. The kits will be assembled July 26, so mark your calendars!

Global Health Ministries delivers these kits to developing nations. The kits are given to new moms, when they deliver their babies at a hospital. This incentive has been very successful at getting expectant moms to a hospital, so their babies can be delivered in sanitary conditions with medical personnel. The new moms are given the kits when they leave. This gives the mom & newborn some much needed supplies to start their new life.

Our current needs are listed below. (Bolded items are most needed.)

- 550 **Bars of Ivory Soap** (3.17 or 4 oz bath size bars)
- 450 **Onesies** (Premie, Newborn, or 0-3 month sizes only)
- 440 **Receiving Blankets**
- 100 Baby Hats
- **Monetary Donations** – about \$2000.00 (cash or checks payable to St. John's with memo for Newborn Kits) to cover:
 - Diapers
 - Transportation cost to deliver kits to Minnesota
 - Donation to Global Health Ministries to help with the cost of shipping
- 3 Towels
- 2 Washcloths

I have been communicating with many of you through email. If you are not getting emails from me but would like to, please let me know!

If you have questions or are willing to help, please contact Mickey Fank at 262-548-9542 or mickeyfank@gmail.com



2022 Newborn Kits
Goal is 600 Kits
Assembly Night is July 26

Troop 16

Eleven scouts participated in a cabin camping experience at the Indian Mound Scout Camp near Oconomowoc. The weekend trip was planned and organized by Matt Watson for one of his Eagle Rank requirements. This is a fun trip as this is the only camping during the year that electronics are welcomed. Friday night is pizza and first aid practice. On Saturday morning the troop competed in a First Aid Meet and, in the afternoon hiked the camp and played basketball. The Patrols prepared Sunday breakfast. Saturday supper was prepared by the adult leaders.



The troop drove on Saturday to compete in the Potawatomi Council First Aid Meet at Sussex High School. The scouts are presented with five scenarios and the local fire department are the judges. Our "Aurora Heath Care" patrol competed in the Leadership Division and placed fourth.

When Webelo Cub Scouts go into 6th grade, they are old enough to become BSA Scouts (boys & girls). Our troop participated in the Hillcrest Pack 1 Crossover Ceremony. Sadly, no one crossed

by Troop Historian, Nolan Nelson

over to the troop, but hopefully there will be some scouts next year. At other meetings the scouts worked on rank advancement, first aid, and pulling out IMR camping equipment.

The Potawatomi Council encourages the scouts to participate in their sponsored food drive. Our troop did participate and collected 350 items of which St. John's donated 150 items. The items are counted and dropped off at the Waukesha Food Pantry. The troop thanks you.

Joe Balzer and Will McCoy are our Junior Assistant Scout Masters. They make Scout Skill Presentations, lead scout skill competitions, and check the meeting room after meetings.

February Participation Honors

- 1 Matt Watson & Jon McMahon
- 2 Will McCoy
- 3 Zac Watson

April Birthdays

- 1 Chris Blask
- 2 Cindi Wright-Kau
- 3 Dominic Gaska
- 3 Alyssa Mallmann
- 3 Steph Moran
- 3 Anna Potratz
- 3 Phyllis Whitehead
- 4 Brian Harms
- 4 Kathy Sattler
- 4 George Vogt
- 5 Pam Brown
- 5 Grant Gundlach
- 5 Linda Nelson
- 5 Carol Schulz
- 5 Jeff Weyer
- 6 Ralph Berglund



- 6 Rick Elfers
- 6 Meara Holmberg
- 6 Sarah Klemm
- 6 Elizabeth Roth
- 7 Donald Fuchs
- 7 Evan Roth
- 7 Rich Smith
- 8 Evan Zach
- 9 Mark Sabin
- 9 Zayda Stephens
- 9 Phyllis Ten Pas
- 10 Tessa Olderman
- 10 Virginia Walsh
- 11 Jim Allard
- 11 Taylor Aune
- 11 Ryan Cornelius

- 11 Nate Schettler
- 12 Daniel Hoem
- 13 Kristina Harms
- 14 Geraldine Knee
- 16 Nancy Hartman
- 16 Ralph Nelson
- 17 Jacob Vetta
- 19 Gage Lurvey
- 20 Brittany Larson
- 20 Kara Pirlot
- 21 Mary Balzer
- 21 Steph Broussard
- 22 Pam Klink
- 22 Andrew Sommer
- 22 Karen Sommer



- 23 Dick Granholm
- 23 John Gugel
- 24 Dawson Cvikel
- 24 Phil Lange
- 24 LoAnn Petermann
- 25 Jacob Balzer
- 25 Sue Keith
- 25 Joe Schaefer
- 27 Colleen Anderson
- 27 Haley Larson
- 28 Dawn Williams
- 28 Ashley Wimmer
- 29 John Stahl
- 29 Jonah Wagner

Council Communications

Fellow Disciples,

I pray this finds you healthy and well. Following are highlights from the March 14 Council meeting.

President Report

- Save the date for our Annual Meeting on Sunday, June 5. This meeting primarily focuses on electing new council members along with reviewing annual reports and celebrating our partnership/outreach ministries.
- On Sunday, May 22 we will be holding an update on the GROTH Design work which taken place over the past years.
- Council approved to move forward with one of the main goals for 2022; Phase 2 of the sanctuary technology upgrade. Phase 2 consists of upgrading our sanctuary projector to produce a brighter and clearer image, replacing the speakers to create a cleaner and more balance sound, and increase the TV size located in the back of sanctuary. Some of the current equipment will be repurposed in other parts of the church.
- We are working with our Greater Milwaukee Synod to schedule a town hall meeting on an upcoming Sunday here at St. John's. This town hall meeting is open for all to attend and is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the call process, ask questions, and support the Call Committee members.
- Staffing update: In the March Inspire it was reported the Building Supervisor position was filled. Unfortunately, things did not work out as this individual needed to focus on his personal

business. Currently, we have two open positions: Building Supervisor and Office Manager. In this unique and tight labor market we are exploring various ways to fill these positions and duties. If you or someone you know has a calling to support and serve the ministries of St. John's as Building Supervisor or Office Manager, please contact the office for more details.

- Thank you to our gracious volunteers Sandy Paukner, Jo Riley, and Linda Gugel who continue to provide office support and assistance.

Financial Report

- We are off to a slower start than anticipated with general giving down in February. Thankfully, February's expenses were down, and the current overall financials remain in good shape. Thank you for your generosity and faithful giving which allows us to support the many ministry goals for 2022.
- Council approved the financial team's recommendation to transfer \$1,996.23 to the capital improvement fund (CIF).

Transition team

- The Transition Team continues to monitor ongoing COVID changes, CDC guidelines and the recent subvariants developments.

Please reach out to me or the council members with any questions you may have.

Praying for peace and good health to all,
Brian Zach, President

St. John's Council

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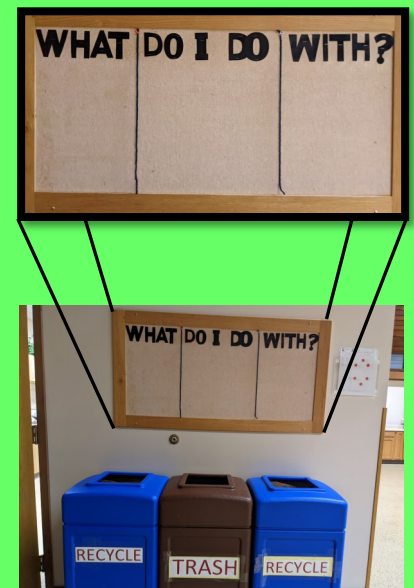
Linnea Logan 262-358-0501

Kris Wasserman 262-424-3383

Creation Corner

Do you know what to recycle here at church?

Check out the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall next time you need to throw something away!



Contact Us

Office Hours

The St. John's phone is answered and doors are monitored for entry 9:00-Noon, Monday to Thursday.

Church

phone/fax: 262-786-6887
email: to email a staff member, please click on the link by their photo on the website under Staff.

Preschool

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About Us

Welcome Statement

At St. John's we align with Paul's words in Romans 15:7 "Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God." We welcome one another all who are seeking God's love and grace. We welcome all because God welcomes all, regardless of race, age or culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or relationship status. We welcome all without regard to physical or mental health, socio-economic circumstances, or anything that too often divides us. Our unity is in our commitment to the ways, grace and love of Christ.

Core Values of St. John's:

- Serving our world, locally and globally;
- Inspiring worship and music that honor God;
- Nurturing relationships with one another as Jesus walks with us;
- Growing in God's grace through education and discipleship;
- Engaging children and youth in the life of the church.

Praying for Our Church Family

We pray for those who are **battling illness or are healing:**

Barb K	Dorothy E
Floyd K	Cindy H
John G	Steve W
Kathy K	Jerry M
Connie P	Arlyn M
Vivian Y	Cheryl H
Charlotte Y	Alice Y
Grayson Y	
Gregg and Joy M's Grandson Cole	
Sharon Mahoney's Friend Betty	

To help us to stay connected, we will be sharing the list with you monthly. Prayers may be for thanksgiving, hope and/or healing. The requests may be immediate, short or long term.

Prayer requests may be submitted at the bottom of the website www.makedisciples.com.



*Without ceasing
I remember you
always in my
prayers.
Romans 1:9*

Dementia Friendly Elmbrook

**Mary Tollander and Patrice Krimpelbein
invite you to join us!**

Through our work with Dementia Friendly Elmbrook we have two events you may be interested in.

Purple Lily Friendship Café is a memory café, which meets at St. John's the 2nd Wednesday each month. We invite people living in their home who have dementia along with their care partner to join us for conversation and activity from 10:00-11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. RSVP to Nancy Shea by phone or text at 262-617-7152 or send an email to dementiafriendlyelmbrook@gmail.com.

As a fundraiser for our Café, you are invited to participate in or donate towards the **Mindset Fun Run/Walk** on Saturday, May 14 from 10:00-11:30 a.m. at Mitchell Park. There are both 5K and 1 mile options.

Sign up at <https://runsignup.com/Race/WI/Brookfield/MindsetFunRun>

Dementia Friendly Elmbrook strives to provide support and resources for the 8,500 individuals in Waukesha County living with dementia.

Contact Mary Tollander or
Patrice Krimpelbein with
questions.



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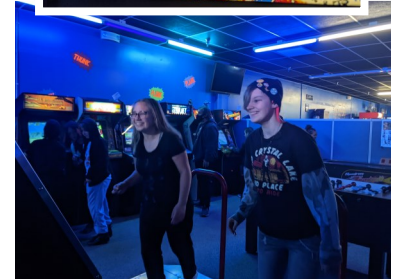
Calendar of events for April 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
*worship service/event is live streamed					1 6:15a virtual men's group	2 8:30a men's group
3 8:30a worship* 9:30a education hour 10:30a worship 4:30p Connect Class (5/6) 4:30p youth group (HS) 5:00p Zoom Lent Study 6:30p Zoom Sunday School	4 10:00a yoga 11:30a Hope Center meal 6:00p AI-Anon 6:30p Small Group Ministry 7:00p Groth Design Team	5 8:30a property team 10:00a staff mtg 2:00p Scout Blood Drive 6:00p quilters 6:30p handbell rehearsal 7:00p Boy Scouts	6 8:30a Retired Men's bfast 12:00p worship 5:15p Kids of the Kingdom 6:00p AA 6:00p TOPS 6:30p choir rehearsal 6:30p Zoom Lent Study	7 4:00p Finance Team 6:30p AI-Anon	8 6:15a virtual men's group 10:00a prayer shawl group	9 8:30a men's group
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Garcade

What do 15 of our High School and Middle School students do on a rainy Friday afternoon during Spring Break?

Go to the Garcade, a retro arcade filled with early video game classics!



Save the Dates - Mark Your Calendars

Save the Date

Confirmation Day | May 1

9:00 pancake breakfast
10:30 confirmation worship



Save the Date

Annual Meeting | June 5, 2022

Elect new council members, review program year, and more.

Save the Date for VBS!

Join us this summer as St. John's and Lutherdale team up to host a weeklong VBS camp at St. John's!

July 18-22, 2022 | 9:00am-4:30pm



VBS is back!!!

Save the date

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Join us this summer as St. John's and Lutherdale Bible Camp partner to host a week-long day camp at St. John's!

Save the Date

Congregational GROTH Design
update
May 22, 2022

Come see what the team is proposing!



June 13-16, 2022
9:00-11:30

Campers: 5K kindergarten-6th grade
Volunteers: 7th grade-adult

Save the date!