

## In This Issue

Advent Fest	7
All Saints' Day	8
All Things Youth	4-6
Outreach	9
Survey Says	3



**St. John's Lutheran** 20275 Davidson Road Brookfield, WI 53045

262-786-6887

#### Follow Us

Website: www.makedisciples.com

Facebook: @MakeDisciplesSJL

YouTube: @StJohnsWI

# Pastor Ponders: What Are Human Beings?

By Pastor Karen Natterstad, Interim Pastor

Psalm 8:3-6

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established; What are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor. You have given them dominion over the works of your hands.

What are human beings? What an interesting question for the psalmist to ask. The Bible teaches us who God is, but it also has things to say about who we humans are.

God is clearly described as generous. The Bible begins with Genesis telling us God created and continues to sustain us and the world in which we live. God became Jesus in order to give his life for us. Romans 5:8 says: God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us. Through Christ, we receive unlimited forgiveness, mercy and grace. And through the Holy Spirit, we receive spiritual gifts for community living: peace, patience, kindness, self-control, and so on.

The Bible, including Psalm 8, also teaches who we are as human beings. We are "a little lower than God" yet given "dominion over the works of your hands." Perhaps the most important word we have to describe the relationship we humans have with God and the rest of God's creation is this one: stewards. We were created by God to manage what belongs to God. God generously gives to

you, that you might receive with gratitude (1 Timothy 4:4). God generously gives to you with hopes that you assume responsibility to manage what you've received in a way that would please God. In a Matthew 25 parable, those who manage well are told, "Well done, good and faithful servant." "Little lower than God" implies more of a partnership in caring for this world.

Your understanding of this word can impact your decisions, how you manage your finances, or spend your time. This month we'll be reflecting on this word "steward" in worship, in our annual financial pledges to support the ministry of St John's, in hosting an indoor Winter Market, and celebrating our nation's Day of Thanksgiving.

On the journey with you, Pastor Karen



## Don't miss it!

All Saints' Sunday See page 8.



#### **Congregational Service Project**

Decorate cookies—bring a smile to clients at the Hope Center without making a mess in your house!



#### **First Communion**

Some of our children will receive their first communion on November 9. Will there be bread?



# Thanksgiving Eve Worship & Pie Join us for worship to thank God for all your blessings—big and small. Then stay to be blessed with fellowship and pie!

GRATITUDE
NOVEMBER 26 - THANKSGIVING EVE
6:30 WORSHIP FOLLOWED BY PIE SOCIAL

# Better Together

### Survey Says ... MET Survey is Live

When an ELCA congregation is faced with a pastoral change, the synod directs them to create a team to help assess the church's identity, community, mission. The team collects and analyzes information and input to help guide decision-making during a call process.



The St. Johns Mission Exploration Team (MET) has gathered several times in the last month, including a session with Pastor Kristin Nielson from the synod office. Our first action is to collect information from you, our members. To do this, during the month of November, each individual member is invited and encouraged to complete the MET survey (online and hardcopy if needed). Questions will center around our mission, what it means to be a member, strengths, opportunities, challenges, resource needs and how we can best impact the community around us. Our goal is to gather your open and honest input in order to determine high-level themes. With these themes, we plan to dive deeper and meet with as many members as possible (cottage sessions and focus groups). Your input is needed and valued!

The survey is available from November 1 – 21. Click or scan this QR code to take the survey.

Here is a general timeline of the MET activities. It is early in the process...so this might change.

November – survey is live - collecting input

December – analyze responses; determine themes; hold 1-2 cottage sessions

January – hold more cottage sessions and focus groups February – MET team works together on analysis and developing our report

March – report is finalized, presented to the congregation

MET members from left to right are: Ben Allbaugh, Sara Everts, Andy Petersen, Mary Tollander, Shelley Saeger, and Jerry Hanson.



#### Winter Farmers Market and Meal is November 23

Join us on November 23 as we host the Food, Faith and Farming Network's Winter Farmers Market. Stock up on Thanksgiving ingredients and pick up some Christmas presents as you shop directly from local farmers.

Enjoy Brunch at the market or take home a delicious brunch made with local foods from our farmers. The market is free to enter and products available for purchase include eggs, mushrooms, wool products, meat, veggies, soaps, salsa, oats and granola, breads and bakery, cider, apples and more! Purchase Brunch tickets in the Narthex between services November 9 and 16 and consider taking a meal to a home bound neighbor or friend.

Proceeds from the market help support the Food, Faith, and Farming Network's Harvest of Hope Fund, which helps area farmers in crisis.



Winter Farmers Market Sunday, November 23 9:00am-12:00pm St. John's Fellowship Hall

# Children, Youth & Families

**Preschool** 

# For Our Preschoolers, It's All About Learning









What a wonderful Preschool learning adventure we had with Firefighters for our annual Fire Safety Visit.

We looked and watched, listened and learned



# Mmmm ... M&Ms!

Our annual **M&M Fundraiser** is back this **November**, and we hope you'll join in the fun while supporting a great cause!

Here's how it works:

- 1. Grab a tube of M&Ms after worship (trust us ... it won't be hard to find them).
- 2. Enjoy the chocolatey goodness!
- 3. Fill the empty tube with coins, dollars, or checks.
- 4. Return your tube to the GIANT M&M display in the narthex by the end of November.

All donations go directly toward supporting our High School Youth Ministry.

It's a sweet and simple way to make a difference a little candy, a lot of impact! Thank you for your generosity and support!

## Check Out What's New

Have you looked into the St. John's Library lately? It is located across the hall from the church office. Enter through the door in the Fellowship Hall. The books are arranged by subjects and are available for any St. John's member to check out. The Library is open whenever the Church is open, except when the room is being used for meetings.

Currently, the Library has several newer, timely books. One of these books is "What Happens Next, A Traveler's guide to what the Bible says about Heaven's Timeline." Sounds very interesting, doesn't it? This book and several others, are on display on the bookcase shelf, which



is located under the Library's large window.

Several more books will be available at the Library soon. Come on in and check out what's new!

# Children, Youth & Families

### **Sunday Evening** Education at St. John's

We are excited to offer biweekly programming for our 5<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> graders on Sunday evenings from 4:30-6:00pm. Paper calendars are available in the Fellowship Hall.

#### November 2 & 16

4:30-5:00 Dinner

5:00-6:00

5<sup>th</sup>- 6<sup>th</sup> grade Connect Class 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation Class 9th-12th grade Youth Group



**Contact Joanna** with Toddler to 8th **Grade Questions** 

jsalinas@stjohnsbrookfield.org

## Sunday School

So much fun happens each week in Sunday School! We start all together in the Sanctuary at 9:45 and then head to small groups. New Friends are always welcome to come and visit!

At St. John's, Sunday School is for ages 2 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade. 6<sup>th</sup> graders and up can participate in our Youth





#### Middle School News

#### Thanks to the Youth Leadership Team

6th—8th Graders can share their faith through volunteering as student leaders for Sunday School and within the larger congregation. This month students taught our Sunday Schoolers and made blankets for All Peoples! In November, we will be assembling Thrivent Cause Solar Lights and Water Filter kits. Students can drop in as they are able!



#### Middle School Roller Skating

Our group of Middle Schoolers had a great Fellowship event at Skateland! We lucked out as it was All You Can Eat Pizza and Soda Night! A huge thank you to Michelle Werner and Theresa DuChateau



#### First Communion

#### 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. This year, First Communion will be on November 9. First Communion Class, with bread baking, is on November 2 at 3:00.

To register for First Communion:

- 1. RSVP to Joanna at jsalinas@stjohnsbrookfield.org
- 2. Fill out the form online.

Link to form: https://forms.gle/Y4MF9PDMVAXUvsGT6

#### **First Communion Service**

November 9, 2025 8:30am & 10:45am

#### Class with Bread Baking

November 2, 2025 3:00pm



# Children, Youth & Families

## **Comparative Religion**

This past month, our 9th grade students continued iourney their through Comparative Religions with a meaningful visit from Anup, a guest speaker from the Sikh faith. Anup shared stories about Sikh history, beliefs, and daily practices including the importance of equality, service, and devotion to God. His openness sparked and wisdom thoughtful conversations among our students, and we are grateful for the chance to learn from him. We are especially excited to visit the Gurdwara in December to experience Sikh worship and hospitality firsthand.

Looking ahead, we are honored to welcome **Shahzad** on **November 9**, who will speak with us about the **Islamic faith**. We look forward to learning, building understanding, and deepening respect for the many ways people around the world live out their faith.

Together, we are growing in curiosity, compassion, and connection—one conversation at a time.

HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR					
DATE	ACTIVITY	TIME			
Nov 9	HS leads Service Project— Hope Center Cookie Decorating	Between services			
Nov 9	9th grade confirmation comparative religions	4:30 pm—6:00 pm			
Nov 16	Youth group	4:30 pm—6:00 pm			
Dec 5	Advent Fest	5:45 pm—7:30 pm			
Dec 7	HS leads Service Project— Christmas Card Making	Between services			
Dec 11	All Peoples Food Shopping	6:30 pm—8:00 pm			
Dec 14	Youth group	4:30 pm—6:00 pm			

Boundary Waters participants, please watch for date and time information for the planning meeting.



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

sbroussard@stjohnsbrookfield.org or 262-453-9201

### Service Project

# DECORATING COOKIES FOR HOPE CENTER

Join us on Sunday, November 9 for a congregation-wide service project—cookie decorating for The Hope Center! We'll gather between services in the Fellowship Hall to frost, sprinkle, and pack cookies that will be shared with neighbors in need. All ages are welcome; no



experience needed and all supplies provided. Come for five minutes or stay the whole time—every cookie is a sweet act of love!

## Secret Santa is Coming to Youth Group!

By popular request we are starting a new tradition this year—**Secret Santa!** This is a fun and meaningful way for us to spread some Christmas cheer, give thoughtfully, and celebrate the season together as a youth group.

If you choose to participate, please sign up at the link below by Sunday, November 9 so we can create matches and give everyone time to plan their gifts. After sign-ups close, you'll receive the name of your Secret Santa match with a short "favorites" list to help with gift ideas.

#### **GIFT EXCHANGE DETAILS**

- \* Sign-Up Deadline: Saturday, November 9
- \* Gift Exchange Date: Saturday, December 14
- \* When and Where: December 14, during our last youth group of the year before Christmas break

Whether you go funny, festive, or heartfelt, this is a great chance to make someone's season a little brighter!

**Sign up here:** <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/rBZJeM6RCQ">https://forms.office.com/r/rBZJeM6RCQ</a>
Can't wait to see the creativity and kindness you bring to this!

# Worship and Music



## Join Us for ADVENT FEST

Get into the spirit of the season with food, worship, music, decorating, and cookies!

5:45 p.m. We will begin the evening in the fellowship hall with a light meal. Come any time between 5:45-6:20 pm; food will be provided.

6:25 p.m. Prelude music will begin in the sanctuary as we transition to a short time of worship.

6:30 p.m. Worship will include special music, a reading, and a skit.

7:00 p.m. Choose your next activity including one or more:

- · Cookies in the fellowship hall
- · A children's craft in the fellowship hall
- Jesse Tree, Giving Tree and sanctuary tree decorating
- · Photo Booth in the narthex.

Please invite a friend. We do ask that children be accompanied by an adult.



## Thanksgiving Eve Worship



### **Music Sunday**

Christmas Music Sunday will be December 14 with one service at 9:00 a.m. Join all of the musical ensembles of St. John's as we worship together with readings, music, and hymns.

### **December Worship Schedule**

December 7 8:30a and 10:45a

December 14 9:00a

December 21 8:30a and 10:45a Christmas Eve 2:00p and 4:00p Christmas Day no worship

December 28 9:00a

Questions about music at St. John's?



Contact Becky!

bwhelpley@stjohnsbrookfield.org

# Community Events Jubilate Chorale Concert

The Jubilate Chorale will present a concert "The News the Angels Bring" at St. John's on Saturday, December 6 at

7:30 p.m. Tickets are available on the website or at the door.



# All Saints' Day

### What is All Saints' Day?

All Saints' Day, also known as All Hallows' Day, is a Christian holiday that is observed on November 1 in Western Christianity. All Saints' Day is a Christian memorial day celebrating the honor of all church saints, whether known or unknown. It is a day set aside to honor all the saints who have lived righteous and holy lives in accordance with Christian teachings. All Saints' Day is part of a broader tradition that includes All Hallows' Eve (Halloween) on October 31 and All Souls' Day on November 2.

The origin of All Saints' Day can be traced back to the early Christian Church when it was established as a day to remember and celebrate the martyrs and other saints who had died for their faith. Over time, the scope of the holiday expanded to include martyrs and all faithful Christians who had lived pious and virtuous lives. It is a day to recognize the saints' collective witness and express gratitude for their example.

In the Western Christian Church, Pope Gregory III (731-741) is often credited with establishing November 1 as the date for All Saints' Day. This date was chosen to coincide with the dedication of a chapel in St. Peter's Basilica in Rome to "All the Saints." It was an attempt to unify the various local celebrations of saints' feast days and set a universal date for honoring all the saints.

The Christian festival of All Saints Day comes from a conviction that there is a spiritual connection between those in Heaven and on Earth. While traditions across the globe vary for All Saints' Day, the common theme is a celebration with family and remembrance of those who have passed. <sup>1</sup>

For Lutherans, All Saints resonates with the conviction that in Christ every saint is a sinner and every sinner a saint, *simul justus et peccator*. Lutherans especially remember on this feast that it is God's grace, apart from our works, that makes us saints. We find lasting rest only in the mercy of God. All Saints begins a season in which we contemplate the hopes and fears of all creation, watching and waiting for signs of a new day dawning for all of us. All Saints reimagines the world—all of it. Even in death, God is making all things new. <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Except from Christianity.com <sup>2</sup> www.livinglutheran.org/2022/11/all-saints-day/

#### Día de los Difuntos - All Souls Day

On November 2, our brothers and sisters in Los Héroes and throughout El Salvador will honor and remember their loved ones with traditional celebrations and visits to their graves. You can read more about el día de los difuntos in Linda Muth's blog.

This year we walk together in faith, mourning and remembrance with the families of Pastor Sonia and Ana Julia, two mothers, grandmas

and strong women leaders

in Los Héroes. We celebrate their lives by following their example of kindness, generosity, love and faith. (For those who have been faithfully praying for Sonia and perhaps have not heard, Sonia passed away on the evening of October 12 and was buried on October 14. Her children appreciate your continued prayers, strong in their faith, but heart-broken at the loss of their mother.)

## Saints of St. John's

We remember with gratitude seven saints from St. John's. Blessed be their memories. May each of us be comforted as we mourn our loved ones with the promise of the resurrection.

We remember and honor all the saints, but especially this year:

Jerry Waller
Patricia Dybro
June Carlson
Flovd Keierleber

Ida Mae Kummer
Sharlene Waller
Sandra Spencer.



# Serving the World

#### **November Outreach Focus**

# November Outreach

Caring for our COMMUNITY through the Hope Center

During November, our outreach focus will be on serving the clients of the Hope Center, as we all prepare for winter. Shop on your own and put items in the shopping cart or use the QR code to have items delivered directly to Hope Center.

#### Hygiene (travel-size)

- · Deodorant
- · Toothpaste / toothbrush
- · Razors / shaving cream
- · Body wash
- Lotion
- · Conditioner / shampoo

#### Snacks (portable, non-perishable)

- · Beef sticks
- · Peanut butter cracks
- Tuna packets
- · other portable items with protein

#### Warmth (winter is coming!)

- Sleeping bags
- · Blankets
- · Hand warmers
- · Body warmers (used inside sleeping bags)
- Backpacks

## Making a Difference with 85 Quilts

Yes, we sent eighty-five quilts to Lutheran World Relief! Thank you St. John's! Thank you to those that have sewn a quilt top at home, picked up a quilt-to-go bag, participated in a quilt event, have helped assemble quilts on the first Tuesdays, have tied quilts, donated cotton fabric or monetarily, and have helped setup/pack up the quilts. Together we have made a difference.

Let's keep up the momentum. The quilt-to-go rack has been re-stocked! Monetary donations help offset the cost of the batting that we now purchase. Keep watching for the next quilt group sewing day. Please ask Klaudia Hollander or Jennifer Cranfill if you have any questions.



# November Birthdays

- 1 John Roth
- 1 Sandra Wicklund
- 1 Colton Wright
- 2 LeNay Anderson
- 2 Jordan Emmons
- 2 Jordan Larson
- 2 Sandy Paukner
- 2 Linda Shaffer
- 2 Luan Unger
- 4 Chase Mahoney
- 4 Debbie Wimmer
- 4 Kim 7ick
- 5 Connie Braun
- 7 Hailey Harwood

- 7 Nancy Kraus
- 7 Ethan Zach
- 8 James LaHann
- 9 Angela Turner
- 10 Cheryl Poth
- 11 Brynn Fuerstenberg
- 13 Timmy Emmons
- 14 Josh Belli
- 14 Vivian Yourell
- 16 Ben Allbaugh
- 16 Vicki Fuerstenberg
- 16 Dan Hintze
- 18 Barbara James
- 18 John Rickinger

- 19 Cheryl Woodworth
- 20 Alice Beyer
- 20 Chris Elfers
- 21 Maddie Beug-Hoffman
- 21 Heather Cheslock
- 21 Gwen Templin
- 22 Cooper Templin
- 22 Curtis Templin
- 23 Sherry Henschel
- 23 Jim Koscielniak
- 24 Skye Bertrand-Zweig
- 24 Mickey Gipp
- 24 Liam Turner
- 25 Paul Cornelius



- 26 Jeff Baeten
- 26 Kathy Davis
- 27 Lisa Belli-Fuchs
- 28 Hannah Baake
- 28 Jim Cheslock
- 28 Gregg Everts
- 28 Sarah Gillette
- 28 Klaudia Hollander
- 28 Bonnie Suhaysik
- 29 Joshua Balzer
- 29 Mick Scanlon

## **Council Communications**

The meeting was held on Monday, October 20, 2025.

Finances: Although giving was below the anticipated amount in September by 16%, giving for the year is still 6% over the budgeted amount, which is good news.

Funds were transferred from Waukesha State Bank to Summit Credit Union and deposited there in a thirteen-month CD. This was done to bring our balance at Waukesha State Bank under the amount protected by the FDIC, so all church funds are fully insured.

Pastor's Report: The Mission Exploration Team (MET) has met several times. A timeline of its work will be made available to the congregation and the congregation will be regularly informed of what the MET is doing.

The Stewardship Committee will be sending out a mailing to the congregation. Several Sundays in November will focus on the importance of our giving for 2026.

Two members of the council will meet with Heidi Bischmann to discuss questions about the draft of our new facility use policy.

President's Report: The council discussed and approved the 2026 paid holiday schedule for staff church and the recommendation from the Human Resources Committee about 2026 staff salary increases.

**Property Committee:** The mold abatement work, approved at the September council meeting, has been completed.

We had a good turnout for the September 29 church clean-up day.

"Pave the Way" Update: Brian Zach gave an update to the congregation at the worship services on October 19 about progress on getting approval for a new electronic sign on the church property.

**Old Business:** An attorney has been contacted and given the congregation legal advice on dealing with the GFL disposal contract.

The council discussed the request from a local scout troop about using the church facilities and having a relationship with St. John's. Several questions were raised about the specifics of this request for space usage and scheduling. There will be follow -up discussions with the scout leaders to make sure we are all clear on these before a decision is made.

Approval was given to spend funds for a video switcher upgrade which will help with our AV technology in worship and online.

Respectfully Submitted, Paul Bulgerin Church Council President

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING: NOVEMBER 17 AT 6:30 P.M.

## **Creation Corner**

# Is Your Dishwasher an Energy Drain?!

Not if you wait until the dishwasher is full to run it! Full loads use the same amount of hot water and energy as smaller loads. Fewer loads save money, water, time and energy, especially if you use short cycles and air-dry the dishes.



# Celebrating Ralph Zick

The annual HOPE Dinner fundraiser for the Hope Center will celebrate the living legacy of Ralph Zick.

Date: Thursday, November 20

Time: 5:00—9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$150

Venue: Brookfield Conference

Center



Click here to purchase tickets.

# Calendar of events for November 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 "40 Days" week 6 8:30a worship* 9:45a education and fellowship 9:45a 40 Days group 10:45a worship 3:00p First Communion class & bread baking 4:30p youth programming	Food Pantry Pick Up 9:45a yoga 11:00a staff mtg 11:30a Hope Center meal 6:30p Al-Anon	4 8:30a property team 5:30p Kathak dance class 6:00p quilters 6:30p handbell rehearsal	8:30a retired men's b-fast 5:15p Kids of the Kingdom 6:00p AA 6:00p TOPS 6:00p Stewardship mtg 6:30p choir rehearsal	6 10:30a Cream City Crooners 1:30p 40 Days group 6:00p Faith Alive Group 6:30p Al-Anon 7:00p AA	7 6:15a virtual men's group 1:30p Tai Chi 6:30p Chinese Christian Church	8 8:30a 40 Days group 8 8:30a men's group
9 8:30a worship* 9:30a education and fellowship 9:45a service project 10:45a worship 4:30p youth programming	10 9:45a yoga 11:00a staff mtg 11:30a Hope Center meal 6:30p Al-Anon	11 8:30a property team 5:30p Kathak dance class 6:30p HR Team Zoom mtg 6:30p handbell rehearsal	9:30a Morning Circle 5:15p Kids of the Kingdom 6:00p AA 6:00p TOPS 6:30p choir rehearsal	13 10:30a Cream City Crooners 4:30p Finance Team mtg 6:00p Faith Alive Group 6:30p Al-Anon 7:00p AA	14 6:15a virtual men's group 10:00a prayer shawl group 1:30p Tai Chi 6:30p Chinese Christian Church	15 8:30a men's group 9:30a Women of Faith book club
16 8:30a worship* 9:30a education and fellowship 10:45a worship 4:30p youth programming	17 9:45a yoga 11:00a staff mtg 11:30a Hope Center meal 1:00p Women's Bible Study 6:30p council meeting 6:30p Al-Anon	18 8:30a property team 1:00p book club 5:30p Kathak dance class 6:30p handbell rehearsal	19 12:00p Retired Men's lunch 5:15p Kids of the Kingdom 6:00p AA 6:00p TOPS 6:30p choir rehearsal	20 10:30a Cream City Crooners 6:30p Al-Anon 7:00p AA	21 6:15a virtual men's group 1:30p Tai Chi 6:30p Chinese Christian Church	22 8:30a men's group
23 8:30a worship* 9:00a Winter Farmer Market 9:30a ed and fellowship 10:45a worship	24 9:45a yoga 11:00a staff mtg 11:30a Hope Center meal 6:30p Al-Anon	25 8:30a property team 6:30p handbell rehearsal	26 6:00p AA 6:30p Thanksgiving Eve worship and pies	27 office closed 6:30p Al-Anon 7:00p AA  Happy Thanksgiving!	28 office closed 6:15a virtual men's group 1:30p Tai Chi	29 8:30a men's group
30 Advent 1 8:30a worship* 9:30a ed and fellowship 10:45a worship	*worship service/event is live streamed	To request space for your small group or ministry to meet in the building, please complete the Facility Use Form on the St. John's website. It is under the Resources tab - Documents and Forms. Contact Heidi with questions.		Coming in Dec.: 12/5 Advent Fest 12/14 Music Sunday (one 9:00 worship) 12/24 worship (2p & 4p) 12/28 one 9:00 worship		

# 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: 262-786-6887 email: to email a staff member, please click on the link by their

please click on the link by their photo on the website under Staff.

#### Preschool

phone: 262-786-4298

lrickinger@stjohnsbrookfield.org

# **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 God welcomes because regardless of race, age or culture, orientation, sexual 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 ...

We pray for those who are battling illness, are healing, or are needing extra prayers:

Marion S Connor
Carol M Doris K
Dylan H Mark A
Nancy H Terry H
Sonja B

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.

## **Council Contacts**

#### St. John's Council

President	
Paul Bulgerin	262-352-9050
Vice-president	
Brittany Larson	262-527-2404
Secretary	
Josh Werner	262-271-0639
Treasurer	
Pauline Shoemaker	262-784-1638
At Large	
Gregg Everts	414-640-9988
Mark Latus	262-784-1183
Liz Roth	847-533-4806
Patrice Krimpelbein	262-389-0014
Jack Shaffer	262-212-4240





TO LEARN MORE ABOUT MINISTRIES AT ST. JOHN'S, CLICK OR SCAN THIS QR CODE.

makedisciples.com



# **Staff Phone Extensions**

St. John's Phone Number: 262-786-6887

#### Extensions:

- 100 Heidi Bischmann, Office Coordinator
- 101 Pastor Karen Natterstad, Interim Pastor
- 102 Pam Klink, Communications Coordinator
- 103 Bill Stace, Building Supervisor
- 104 Joanna Salinas, Children's Ministry
- 105 Stephanie Broussard, Youth Ministry
- 106 Rebecca Mitchell, Bookkeeper
- 107 Becky Whelpley, Music Director
- 200 Laura Rickinger, Preschool



# Facebook Users

Evangelize with our posts, be sure

to: LIKE COMMENT SHARE

