St John Church of Christ

Bulletin

December 4, 2022



From The Elders at the St John Church of Christ

When we have faith in God as the one and only God, the Creator, as described in Genesis, and the Loving Father in Heaven that sent His one and only son who had NO sin to die for OUR sins so we don't have to stand trial for our sins --- well, it changes our lives! It changes EVERYTHING!!! Our whole perspective on life changes! We no longer see things the same way as the world does. Instead, we see things through a different lens, we see things the way God sees them, or at least we should or at least we begin to. That should be our greatest goal in life. And that makes all the difference ("we live by faith, not by sight" 2 Corinthians 5:7) If we watch for God we can see Him acting in our lives and in the lives of others. In difficult times, trust in God! In good times, trust in God! He is always there for us and He loves us. That does not mean He gives us everything we want. When you were a child, sometimes your parents said "no", sometimes "not now", sometimes "yes". You can count on Him to be there for you and He always is loving you. Romans 8:28 tells us He works in all things for the good of those who love Him. If God is for us who can be against us! We will win, spiritually! Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God. Study God's word. Let it sink into your thoughts and your actions. We encourage you all to come to Sunday morning Bible class. It's a great time to soak up more of God's word. Hearing others talk and share thoughts about God's word sometimes shines a light on something we may have overlooked. Please pray for those of our church family. Some have specific needs we know about, who we pray for specifically, but we all need the prayers of our brothers and sisters in Christ. We pray we all draw nearer to God and feel His Presence in our lives. Have a great week!! - The Elders

In Our Prayers

Joe Cornwell
Don Hornbaker
Rick Rodness - Vanessa Marks' father
Emersyn Milton
Stan Aldrich
Shilo (Marilyn's Granddaughter)
Chris Ortego

Brent (Carol's Son-in-law)
Dennis Rosenbaum
Kay Kinnamon
Denise Bailey (Meagan's Mother)
Hadley Bright
Shannon Bauer
Carl Hicks

Upcoming Events

Stocking Stuffers Lunch [Today]

Go support Hannah Sallee and the Stocking Stuffers for their 11th Annual Soup Luncheon today at the I.O.O.F. Lodge. The event goes until 1:30 PM. They will have good food and raffles for many great prizes. All the proceeds go to purchase local children's gifts.

Ladies Night Out [Wednesday, Dec. 7]

For the Ladies: You are invited to the home of Janet Feril on Wednesday, December 7th, at 6:30 pm, for a Ladies Night Out hosted by Janet and Cami Long. Please bring a wrapped gift to exchange (white elephant or \$10 purchase limit). Finger foods and drinks will be provided. No RSVP necessary. There will be a prize for the craziest holiday outfit!

Potluck [Dec. 11]

The December potluck is moved to December 11 because the Stocking Stuffers Soup lunch fundraiser is on December 4. We would like to encourage everyone to go participate in that fundraiser for a great cause. It goes until 1:30 pm that day.

CORE meal [December 12]

We are in charge of providing the meal for CORE on Monday, December 12. If you would like to help please contact Pam or Zeb.

Worship Order

Greeters and Welcome Table: Carl and Janet Feril

Song Leader: Gary Hornbaker

Sound System: Orrin Feril

Gathering Song: #15 - Step by Step

Welcome: Chris Mansel

Scripture Reading: Jayce Feril (James 1:2-3)

Prayer: Carl Feril

Song: #234 - Worthy is the Lamb

Song: #382 - Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

Communion: Richard Brensing

Song: #608 - He Gave Me a Song

Lesson: Zeboriah Carter

Song: #851 - I'll Fly Away (vs. 1 and 2)

Closing Prayer: Orrin Feril

Sundays: Blble classes for all ages @ 10:00 am

Worship service for everyone @ 11:00 am

Elders: Tom Turner, Richard Brensing, Terry Sallee,

Carl Feril

Deacons: Jerry Kinnamon, Chris Mansel, Orrin Feril

Minister: Zeboriah Carter