### St John Church of Christ

# Bulletin

June 29, 2025

### For The Church



The good news that Jesus lived the life we were supposed to live and died the death we were supposed to die could be summed up in these four words: Jesus in my place.

It's a simple message to communicate, it is for the entire world no matter what your background is, or your ethnicity, or your gender, it is for the rich and it's for the poor. Jesus's work on the cross can cover any sin, it can heal any affliction, it is the message that Satan and demons fear, it is simple enough for a 6-year-old to understand and accept, but it is also deeper and more profound than all the mysteries of the universe combined.

Unfortunately, even dedicated Christians have a tendency to forget the gospel in their daily lives. We are often too busy with "life" to even think about what the gospel is in our daily walks. We have too many ball games, too many practices, too many activities, too many commitments, and far too many distractions that Christians often don't even think about the gospel. The gospel is a great thing, and we were saved by that message, but that's about as far as it goes.

Your resume (the things you do on this earth), whether it's based on religion and spirituality or it is more secularly based – either way – your resume is not taking you to God or leading you to an abundant life, it is actually leading you away from it. However, the good news is that Jesus Christ has already put a credit in your account that will cover you so you don't need a resume, but if you are truly moved and transformed by what Jesus did for you – shouldn't you live your life like he modeled for you? Yes!

### In Our Prayers

Thomas Pruitt
Zeb Carter
Juanita (Abby's Mother)
Tim Taylor
Linda Fry
Pam Aldrich

Terry Nash Vance Wendelburg Dennis Rosenbaum Brenda Reno Merry Lynn Weatherby Jack Bailey Nolan Adams Orvalee Aldrich Terry Sallee Bryce Richardson Helen Coffey

## **Upcoming Events**

#### **Youth Group [Tonight]**

The Youth Group will not meet tonight.

#### Potluck [Next Sunday]

Make plans to join us next Sunday following services for our monthly potluck fellowship meal.

#### **VBS Signup**

Our VBS this year will be held on two Wednesday nights (August 6 and 8). We will serve dinner each night and start at 5:30. We plan to be done by 8 each night. Our theme is Epic Australian Adventure. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer to sign up for tasks. We will have work nights/days on Wednesday, July 30 (starting at 6 PM), Saturday, August 2 (starting at 9 AM), and Tuesday, August 5 (starting at 6 PM - if needed).

#### Save the Date:

July 6-12 - SMC First Session
July 13 - Young Family Ministry (St. John)
July 13-19 - SMC Second Session
July 20-26 - SMC Third Session
August 10 - Young Family Ministry (Stafford)
September 14 - Young Family Ministry (St. John)

## Birthdays

Shannon Bauer - July 1

### Worship Order

<u>Welcome Table & Greeters</u>: Richard & Shelly

Brensing

Song Leader: Gary Hornbaker

Sound System: Dominic Rogers

Gathering: #435 - Come into His Presence

Welcome: Chris Mansel

Scripture Reading: Jerry Kinnamon (Matthew

26:36-44)

<u>Shepherd's Prayer</u>: Tom Turner

Song: #745 - Humble Thyself

Song: #359 - I Love the Lord

Communion: Chris Stott (Stan Aldrich, Darrel

Bauer, Shawn Batten)

Song: #337 - Hallelujah! What a Savoir!

Lesson: Zeb Carter

Song: #587 - Sing and Be Happy (vs. 1)

Closing Prayer: Darrel Willinger



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,

Zachary Marks

Minister: Zeboriah Carter