

The Week Ahead

Sun., Jun 18	9:30 am - 10:30 am	Contemporary Worship Service
	9:30 am - 10:30 am	Treehouse Kids Sunday School
	10:30 am - 11:00 am	Fellowship Time
	11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Traditional Worship Service
	4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Youth Group
Wed., Jun 21	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Chancel Bells Rehearsal
	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thurs., June 22	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Brown Bag Lunch Bunch - Eat Out at - Bayou Bistro
Fri., June 23	7:00 am - 8:00 am	Community Garden work

Sermon Notes:

1. Continuing to read the Acts of the Apostles, read Acts 11-13.

2. Have you ever experienced a time when the people in your church argued and didn't get along? How did you handle it? Did you take sides, avoid the issue, or try to bridge the schism?

3. Read John 9 and take some time to reflect on the story. Where do you fit in the story?

Lord hear our prayers...

- 5-21 Linda Johnson Adams, Amy Allgood, Debbie Collins, Debbie Cullen, Rusty McClellan, Brian Wasson, Rebecca Wright
- 5-28 Lupe Aguilar, Richard Alvarado, Nezzie Blair, Michael Cooper, family of William Everett, Pat Fletcher, Rick Harman, Barb Holt, Christian Kopeck, Ronnie Reegan, Louann Thompson, Sandy Vinardi
- 6-4 Bruce Austin, Ron Collins, Alice Darlington, Aaron Doss, Joan Hutchinson, Linda Janlicsck, Edna Loudermilk, Allison Morgan, Tim Morgan, Jessica Potter, Pam Scoggin
- 6-11 Denny Alsip, Hazel Dillard, Bobby Edrozo, Dan Koster, Trish Santrock, Gary Scoggin

Those in Care Facilities: Richard Alvarado (Bayou Pines), Grace Boyd (Heartis Clearlake Senior Living), Mary Jenkins (Sodalis), Carol Spealman (Magnolia Crossing), Pam Syers (La Vita Bella), Barbara Williams (Regal Estates)

Those Who are Homebound: J.T. Agregard, Dolores Boatman, Joy Holder, Mozelle Lubojasky, Mildred McLemore, Louise Ovesny, Tommye Pitman

Our church, nation and those serving in our military. Those recovering from natural disasters.



ST. JOHN'S

A United Methodist Congregation

Third Sunday after Pentecost June 18, 2023



Welcome to worship at St. John's! May your worship experience be one of blessing and encouragement! While you are here, CDC guidelines are encouraged. And please silence your phone, so that you won't be distracted to hear God's call! Now, take a few slow breaths and relax. You've made it through the hardest part – you walked through the door and found your seat. Make yourself at home. Worship will start in a few minutes.

Got kids? There will be a children's moment early on in the service and then they will go to the Treehouse for their own worship time. There are activity bags for your children at the Welcome Center to help you keep them engaged while in worship. Simply return the bag and supplies after worship. Nursery is also provided for children 5 and under. The ushers & greeters are friendly and will be happy to show you around or answer your questions.

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Church office hours: Monday 9 AM - 4 PM / Tuesdays-Thursdays 9 AM - 4 PM

Pastor - Rev. Stephanie Hughes
Minister of Discipleship & Connections - Rev. Cindy Riddick
Director of Missions and Administration - Ingrid Clark
Director of Traditional Worship - Dr. James Heffel
Praise Band Leader - Aassiah Windom
Accompanist - Sophie Chapman
MDO Director - Melissa Patrick
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9:30 AM Contemporary Worship

Welcome		Praise Band
Welcome and Announcements		
*Worship Songs:	<i>I Speak Jesus</i> <i>Run to the Father</i>	Praise Band
Children's Moment		Sharon Webb
Generosity Moment		Rev. Cindy Riddick
Prayer		
Tithes & Offering	<i>Here As In Heaven</i>	Praise Band
Scripture		Acts 13:1-12
Sermon	"The Ministry Begins: Antioch and Cyprus"	Rev. Stephanie Hughes
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		
*Reflection Song	<i>Who You Say I Am</i>	Praise Band
*Benediction		

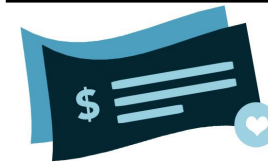
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11:00 AM Traditional Worship

Prelude	<i>What Wonderful Love Is This</i>	arr. Smith	Sophie Chapman, piano
Welcome, Announcements & Greeting			
Congregational Introit	<i>I Come With Joy</i>	vs. 1	UMH #617
*Hymn of Praise	<i>Faith of Our Fathers</i>		UMH #710
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles' Creed, Traditional Version		UMH #881
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy *catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.			
			<i>*catholic means the church universal</i>
*Gloria Patri			
Generosity Moment			Rev. Cindy Riddick
Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer			
Offertory/Anthem	<i>Rain Down</i>	Cortez	Chancel Choir; John Mitchell, Conductor
*Hymn of Preparation	<i>Dear Lord and Father of Mankind</i>		UMH #358

Scripture		Acts 13:1-12
Sermon	"The Ministry Begins: Antioch and Cyprus"	Rev. Stephanie Hughes
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		
*Closing Hymn	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	UMH #387
Benediction		
*Benediction Response	<i>I Come With Joy</i> vs. 5	UMH #617
Together met, together bound, we'll go our different ways, and as his people in the world, we'll live and speak his praise, we'll live and speak his praise.		
Postlude	<i>Victory In Jesus</i>	arr. Austin Sophie Chapman, piano

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Craft Day at St. John's!!

TUESDAY, JUNE 27TH
Kids ages 6-12 10:00 am-12:00pm
Lunch will be served!
We will have 7 craft stations.
Your kids can do all of them,
or just some of them!

1. Rock or Canvas Painting
2. Tie Dye- You need to bring a WASHED shirt, socks, pillow case etc. for this.
3. Slime Making
4. Paint Pouring
5. Bird Feeder Making
6. Faux Stain Glass Project
7. Bracelet Making



KIDS
Register Here!

REGISTER NOW!!!
KIDS Pre-K4
through 5th grade
Volunteers
Needed!!!
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