

# The Visitor

## prayer concerns

A monthly Newsletter for St. John's Christian Church  
Family and Friends

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### Please Pray For:

- Carolyn Walker, recovering from surgery on October 31st.
- Dan Light and his daughter, Deb light, as they leave from Columbus on November 4th to the Dominican Republic to participate in a Group Mission Trip helping with recovery efforts from Hurricane Irma. They will return from the DR on November 11th.
- Dorothy Miller, recovering from throat surgery on October 30th.
- Mike Henry, upon the death of his brother, Dan, who died October 15th from cancer. A memorial service will be held November 18th.
- Lynda Schnitkey, recovering from a broken lower leg and foot due to a fall on October 14th.
- Norma Fish, pray for healing, strength and peace as she endures through cancer treatments.
- Susie Enderle, who has started cancer treatments at the Cleveland Clinic. Be in prayer for her and her family and friends, as Susie will be staying in Cleveland during the treatments, and a family member and/or friend will be staying with her. Pray for encouragement and healing.
- Sharon VonDeylen, at Parkview Regional Medical Center in Fort Wayne.
- Jeremy Neuenschwander, whose treatments continue and his condition improves.
- Please continue to remember all our brothers and sisters in the armed forces, praying for their safety. Serving from our church are:

#### **Bostelman, Brenden (Army)** (Afghanistan)

PRG 6-9  
APO AE 09354

#### **AB Collins Taylor D (Air Force)**

268 Luke Ave., Box 700  
Joint Base Anacostia  
Bolling, DC 20032

#### **Kyle Ducey (Navy)** (Stationed at Fort Gordon, GA)

4050 Brownstone Dr., Apt. 919  
Evans, GA 30809

#### **Cpt. Jared R. Kuntz (Army)** (Guam)

Wife, Maria & children, Silvette & Elias

#### **Donny Richardson (Marines)**

Stationed at Camp Lejeune, NC

#### **Steven Schink (Coast Guard)**

Wife, Ashley & son Brennan  
150 Dewey Avenue, Groton, CT 06340

#### **AJ Short (Marines)** (Japan)

#### **Kyle Stuckey (Army)** (Fort Hood, TX)

#### **Kollin Woolace (Marines)** (Camp Lejeune, NC)

1120 Hardin St., Jacksonville, NC 28540

Please consider sending these people cards letting them know that we continue to lift them up to God in prayer, that He will guide, comfort and sustain them through these times.

#### **Home Bound/Care Facility Residents:**

Cards, phone calls and visits to our home bound would be a wonderful blessing:

Fairlawn Haven, 407 E. Lutz Rd., Archbold, 43502

Florence Augustine, Room #177

David Lightner, Room #138

Esther Rice, Room #116

Cathy Spiess, #153

Carolyn Walker, Room #399 (Memory Care Unit)

Fairlawn Asst. Living, 500 Haven Dr., Archbold, 43502

Lois Heer, Room #238

Jane Short, Room #208

Pauline Short, Room #205

Wyse Commons, 550 Haven Dr., Archbold, 43502

Wayne & Susanne Spiess, Apt. #309

Independent Living, 600 Haven Dr., Archbold, 43502

Rosemarie Schmidt, Apt. #112

Josephine Short, Apt. #116

Fulton Manor, 723 S. Shoop Ave., Wauseon, 43567

Robert Kuntz, Room #225-2

Bernice Rice, Room #224-2

Pauline Zimmerman, Room #223

Northcrest, 240 Northcrest Dr., Napoleon, 43545

Irene Short, Room #100

Swanton Valley Center, 401 Airport Hwy., Swanton, 43558

Marlene Nofziger, Memory Support Unit

## congregational thank you's

On behalf of our St. John's Christian Church family, the Capital Campaign Committee would like to thank the anonymous donor for covering the printing cost of the recent reorder of our Capital Campaign color brochures. Your generosity toward our ongoing building campaign is a blessing!

St. John's CC & Capital Campaign Committee



Dear SJCC Family,

Thank you all so much for the kind words, cards, hugs, prayers and thoughts on the passing of our sister, Barb. We take great comfort and are at peace knowing she is completely whole again and enjoying eternity with Jesus, our family and her friends who greeted her in heaven. Your prayers continue to sustain us, and we are so thankful for such a loving and caring church family.

Many Blessings,

Sue & Tim Grieser, Nan Neill

# pastor's letter

## Thoughts from Pastor Erich . . .

“So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness.”

Colossians 2:6-7

What a blessing it has been to serve with a team of adults in leading our JYF ministries this fall. I am so thankful for the blessings I've witnessed through the team's efforts: faith, commitment, creativity, laughter, leadership, connections, teaching and a desire to get to know each youth. On Wednesday, November 1st, the team will give a “Thankfulness Pumpkin” to each youth to decorate with markers, not cutting into it at all so that it will keep for the entire month of November. They'll take those “Thankfulness Pumpkins” home and the intended hope is that each youth and their family will add words of thankfulness to it on each succeeding day of November.

It is with this activity in mind that I included the verse from Colossians 2. Quietly, and slowly, read that verse, again. Let its message soak into your mind, into your consciousness. Consider the meaning of each phrase. “Received Christ Jesus as Lord” – let thankfulness well up within in knowing God sent Jesus to be our Lord, the Lord of every moment of life. “Continue to live in him” – let thankfulness well up within for the enduring nature of Christ's guiding hand in life which enables us to continue to live in his light and grace. “Rooted and built up in him” – established, firm, grounded, so we'll not be shaken – yes, let thankfulness well up within for the staying power of knowing Christ Jesus as Lord. “Strengthened in faith as you were taught” – growing, maturing, being strengthened through knowing the Word – let thankfulness well up from within for the strengthening of our personal faith in Christ Jesus. “Overflowing with thankfulness” – overflowing – filled with thanksgiving, praising God for the blessings of faith, grace, salvation, wisdom, hope and joy.

Find a pumpkin, use a note pad, write out your words and phrases of thankfulness – let your hearts overflow with worship and praise of our glorious and mighty God. Reflect on those words and phrases, let them guide you in offering yourself to the Lord, in adoration and thanksgiving in this month of thankfulness. Sense God's hand upon you. Express your thankfulness to Him. Continue to live in him, overflowing with thankfulness. Amen. And amen!

ERICH

## preschool corner

Although it still feels like summer almost every day lately, the preschool was busy with fall activities in October! The first week of the month we were learning all about apples—red, green and yellow! The Tuesday-Thursday classes made “sun catchers” with black paper and tissue paper, which we hung on the east entrance doors. The Monday-Wednesday-Friday classes learned about the life cycle of the apple tree, and did a related art project with hand prints and various media. Some of the books we read included Annie the Apple Pie Fairy, by Tim Bugbird; I Am An Apple, by Jean Marzollo; and Ten Apples Up On Top!, by Theodore LeSieg. The second week of the month was all about Fire Safety, as we learned about “two ways out – crawl low when it's time to go, and stop, drop and roll.” We had a fire station play set in the Block Area, “fire extinguisher” water bottles, water, foam “flames” and firefighter ducks in the Sensory Table, and the younger children painted with red and yellow paint (making orange!) to make a fiery picture. We ended the week with field trips to the Archbold Fire Station, where we learned SO much more! The last two weeks of the month we celebrated Halloween, and also learned quite a bit about bats and spiders, including body parts of each, eating and sleeping habits, and about why God created these amazing creatures! Our Halloween parties were held on October 30th and 31st, with costumes and yummy treats! Our Bible verse for October was “I am with you always.” – Matthew 28:20.

Sue MacDonald & Joan Wyse

# congregational thank you's cont.

In honor of all the worker bees and paint supply donors under the leadership of Duane and Linda Hayes, Bob and I were humbled by your gifted hands of help.

Gratefully,  
Connie Bostelman



Dear Christian Friends,

Thank you, thank you for hosting and furnishing more than your share of the community meals. I'm 90 years old and greatly enjoy eating food I didn't prepare, and fellowshiping with friends as well as meeting new people. The meals have been excellent and served with a smile. It's good to know area churches and organizations work together to make such an enjoyable evening for so many of us. I realize that you do a lot of work to prepare the meal by setting up and taking down tables and chairs, and helping wherever help is needed. May God bless you abundantly with his peace and joy as you continue to serve him.

Doris Yoder



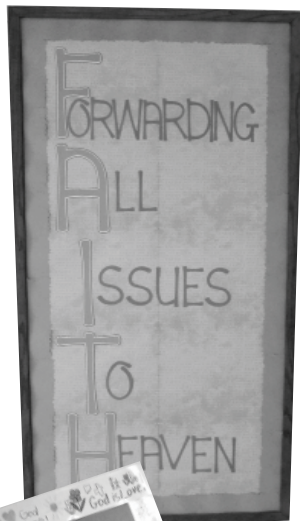
Dear Pastors and Faithful Prayer Team,

I wanted to let you know your prayers were answered. God is still in the business of healing. My family, Jed and Jenn Grime, are so blessed to be part of a church like yours.

Cancer was a surprise when I got that diagnosis after what was to be a simple surgery. Staged at 2.9/3, I was told I needed chemo and 35 radiation treatments. Two weeks later my cancer became Stage 2 and only radiation. Last week I saw the x-ray scans - NO MORE CANCER and no need for 35 treatments. I'm coming home.

Sheila Whitlock

# THANK you to all WHO keep our MAIN HALLWAY BULLETIN BOARDS LOOKING SHARP AND updated!!



## mission corner

### Thank You Notes From Mission Partners & Friends:

- Altlink (Tom & Megan), for our gift of \$1,035.
- Back Bay Mission, for our gift of \$295.
- Church World Service, for our gift of \$749 (blankets).
- Crossroad, for our gift of \$500.
- Cru (Matt & Paige Waanders), for our gift of 825.
- Defiane Area Youth For Christ, for our gift of \$50.
- Hands of Grace, for our gift of \$500.
- Reliant (Kyle Chase), for our gift of \$620
- Toledo Gospel Rescue Mission, for our gift of \$675.
- World Team (Franks), for our gift of \$1,672.



### Thank You Notes From Mission Partners & Friends:

We are beyond grateful for your continued partnership with our ministry. Your prayer and financial support are truly making an eternal impact at Ohio State and around the world.

Love, Matt & Paige Waanders



Hello dear friends,

I am thankful for you; more than a few words could ever express. October was crazy and in lieu of a formal prayer letter, I'm going to give you a few prayer highlights.

1. At She Has A Name (SHAN), we have 8 women in our Strategies for Success course, the Night of Hope is October 19th, and I'm coordinating multiple events to raise awareness for human trafficking. I could use prayers to rest well and trust Jesus; I need Him to help me pull off these responsibilities.
2. At H2O, please pray for Molly and Courtney, for their hearts and for them to love Jesus deeper and more intimately.
3. Again at SHAN: The 8 women going through our Strategies for Success course. This is their first time experiencing college; pray for perseverance, strength, and that they will enjoy the class.
4. Pray for the Night of Hope on October 19th; this is SHAN's largest event. We hope to have record-breaking attendance and raise awareness for human trafficking.

Thank you all for your support. Knowing you are praying keeps me encouraged in the midst of the chaos.

Love, Whitney Varnau, Reliant Ministries



Chasing Grace - October 2017 Issue:

Melissa and I celebrated 10 years of marriage in June of this year. We enjoyed a wonderful time together

exploring in and around Boston.

When I first heard a call from the Lord to enter vocational ministry, I believe He said, "It's worth it. I promise it's worth it." Those words have been both a challenge and a comfort to me in my first 10 years of ministry. I received no promise of ease, nor of predictability, nor of wealth, nor success. But He is with me, and all has indeed been worth it. I am so blessed to be a husband to Melissa, a father to Jaden (3rd grade) and Brennan (Kindergarten), and a pastor in God's Church for as long as He ordains it.

As we venture into the next 10 years, I expect to encounter trials and miracles far greater than I have yet seen. Our 10 year vision (visible on our web site - www.reliant.org) is no less than a declaration of war on the kingdom of darkness. In the authority and power of Jesus Christ, we are setting out to make His gospel known, make disciples in His name, and shine a light of justice in Ann Arbor where all other light seems to have perished. There is no greater end than to know and love Jesus forever; and to this end we toil so that others might know Him too. Take courage, for He has overcome the world!

Kyle Chase, Reliant (Univ. of Michigan)



### November Mission-A-Month – Christmas Cheer:

December 6th and 7th are the dates of this year's Fulton County Christmas Cheer, our November Mission-A-Month. St. John's will be offering welcoming smiles, a spirit of hospitality, hot beverages and refreshments to the people who will be blessed through this year's Christmas Cheer ministry on Wednesday, December 6th. A team of volunteers is needed to once again offer this blessed ministry support.

- Ron and Karen Rice will be arriving at 5:00AM at the Junior Fair Building at the Fulton County Fairgrounds to perk the coffee and prep the hot chocolate, as well as unlock the building to open up the restrooms.
- 4 people are needed to arrive at 5:45AM to offer and serve beverages and refreshments to the people standing in line, serving every 10 minutes or so.
- 2 people are needed to arrive at 6:30AM to continue the process and pack up items and bring them back to the church at 8AM or 10AM.
- We're looking for donations of coffee cakes or cookies to serve with the hot beverages.

Please let Sue in the church office or Ron and Karen know if you'd be willing to help!

### Mission Experiences:

Upcoming opportunities to engage in aspects of our congregation's mission ministry include:

- TGRM Chapel & Meal – November 19
- Christmas Cheer Hospitality – December 6th

**St. John’s Has Talent Night / Silent Auction Recap:**

A great time of food, fellowship, talent and laughter was had by the 100+ people who attended this fun-filled event held in our storage building on Sunday, October 22nd. Numerous tables surrounded the staging/seating area with items that were donated for the silent auction, netting proceeds of just over \$2000, divided evenly between Shepherd’s Circle and the Friendship House, both local ministries we support. St. John’s continues to be blessed with many people willing to share their time and talents in an effort to help support the important mission work of God’s people.



**April 21 – May 1, 2018 – Mission Trip To Brazil:**

The mission committee has been working to set up a trip to Brazil, to spend time with Tony & Leila Frank, missionaries we support who live in the city of Ivoti. The fourfold purpose of this trip is 1) Support and encouragement of Tony & Leila; 2) Learning of the culture and situation in which they live and teach; 3) Developing further insight in to missionary ministry; and 4) Increasing our sense of awareness of the church in the world. We are hoping to have up to six people make this trip, one in which some of the group will stay in the home of Tony & Leila and some of the group will stay in the homes of some of their friends – a neat cultural opportunity. Cost of the trip, not including passport or any immunizations, will be about \$1,500 to \$1,600. Be thinking and praying!

An orientation meeting, in which we’ll look to share all about the trip, is scheduled for Sunday

afternoon, November 12th at 1:30PM. Come and ask your questions!

**A Friendship Event in Support of the Kajiado Children’s Home, Kajiado, Kenya:**

St. John’s Christian Church is holding this special Friendship Event on December 3rd, 2017 with gathering and refreshments at 2:00PM and a presentation by Larry Rupp at 2:30PM. Area churches and Evangelical Association Churches in our region have been invited to attend. We also invite anyone reading this – inviting you to come to this for the purpose of learning about the ministry of the Kajiado Children’s Home so that you might consider becoming an individual sponsor of the home.

**Further Hurricane Relief:**

Puerto Rico Recovery Efforts – including short and long term efforts – as Morgan Ducey was living in Puerto Rico prior to the hurricane, she has provided some specific information on how people can participate in on-going relief efforts. In the coming months there remains a need for volunteers to help with construction and rebuilding, but the organizing of those opportunities is still being put together.

Through Morgan’s connection with Calvary Chapel, here are some ways to donate:

1. Easiest Way to Donate Items:
  - a. Purchase on-line or by phone at Costco or Sam’s
  - b. Send your order to be picked up at one of their MIAMI BASED STORES by “Dan Crespo – Hurricane Relief Fund Representative” – at one of these three stores:
    - i. 8300 Park Blvd., Doral, FL
    - ii. 7795 W. Flagler St., Miami, FL
    - iii. 13450 SW St., Miami, FL
  - c. Email a copy of your receipt to [prhurricanerelief@gmail.com](mailto:prhurricanerelief@gmail.com) for pick up
  - d. Current needs include pallets of water, rice and canned chicken or tuna
2. Or Mail Donations To:
  - a. Calvary Chapel Miami, ATTN: For Puerto Rico, 11975 SW 2nd Street, Miami, FL, 33184

**Thank Offering Containers:**

Thank Offering containers are available for pick up on a table in the sanctuary or chapel narthex. The suggestion is to save your loose change for the next several months in this coin container. This special offering is collected at the end of this month and will be divided equally between The Sparrow’s Nest and The Foods Resource Bank.

## mission corner cont.

### **Missionary Contact/Prayer Request Information:**

#### Shobha & Ravi Arole, CRHP

web site - [www.jamkhed.org](http://www.jamkhed.org)



#### Robert & Jenni McMahan, CRU (BGSU)

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#### Matt & Paige Waanders, CRU (Brazil)

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#### Whitney Varnau, Reliant

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#### Tony & Leila Frank, Sapiranga, Brazil

web site - [www.worldteam.org](http://www.worldteam.org)

e-mail - [tony.frank@worldteam.org](mailto:tony.frank@worldteam.org)



#### Tom & Megan, The Islands, Africa

web site - [tmislands.blogspot.com](http://tmislands.blogspot.com)

e-mail - [tmislands@fastmail.net](mailto:tmislands@fastmail.net)

#### Robert Rogers - Mighty in the Land Ministry

web site - [www.mightyintheland.com](http://www.mightyintheland.com)

e-mail - [hello@mightyintheland.com](mailto:hello@mightyintheland.com)

#### Larry & Linda Rupp, Kajiado Children's Home

website - [www.hope4kajiado.com](http://www.hope4kajiado.com)

e-mail - [kajiadochildrenshome@gmail.com](mailto:kajiadochildrenshome@gmail.com)

#### Cheryl Wyse - The Agape Family Life House

website - [www.agapeflh.org](http://www.agapeflh.org)

#### Jason & Becky Suon, Freedom International Ministries

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## ministry happenings

### **Christian Education**

#### **Mid-Week Youth Ministries:**

LOGOS – Approximately 75 youth ages 4 years old through 12th grade are participating in our Wednesday evening LOGOS meal and youth ministries. Upcoming schedule includes:

- Nov. 1st – Reformation Night; Bells/Chimes rehearse
- Nov. 8th – Veteran's Night; Bells/Chimes rehearse
- Nov. 15th – Harvest & Farm Night; Bells/Chimes reh.
- Nov. 19th – Bells & Chimes Play at 10:30 Service
- Nov. 22nd – NO LOGOS due to Thanksgiving Holiday
- Nov. 29th – Advent Night; Games

JYF (Junior Youth Fellowship) – The JYF Poinsettia and Wreath Sale is underway!

- Wreaths must be ordered by November 7th, Poinsettias ordered by November 15th.
- Three sizes of poinsettias this year – 4 ½", 6 ½" and 8 ½", with four colors available.
- Youth will be outside the sanctuary and chapel on November 5th and 12th to take your orders, or see a JYF youth, or contact the church office!
- Funds raised will be used to support the events and ministries of JYF in the coming year! Your support is very much appreciated!

November Activities Include:

- November 1st – Devotions, Lesson on Thankfulness and Game
- November 8th – Devotions, Learning about the Sunshine Group Home that's next door to the church and preparing to visit the home's residents.
- November 15th – Devotions, Game and Church Scavenger Hunt – Symbols of the Church
- November 29th – Devotions, Game and Service Project

SYF (Senior Youth Fellowship) – We enjoyed hearing the testimony of Michael Franzese on 10/25, who shared about his life in the mafia and his new life in Christ. We also enjoyed a costume party and fall festival at the Rupp's house on 11/1. This month, in addition to our regular SYF activities, and Life Planning on 11/8, we're looking forward to our "Friendsgiving" celebration on 11/22. Seniors bring desserts, juniors bring chips or sides, and sophomores and freshmen bring drinks!

Senior High Sunday School – We looked together at the book of James through the month of October, and this month we're starting a series called: "Why we believe." Adults, unless you're just an avid reader, if you're reading this section you probably care about what's going on with the youth of our church. Make a point this month to talk with a teen from our church about why you believe in God. Bonus points if you talk with a teen you don't already know! Teens, make it a goal to tell someone in our church two or more years younger than you why you believe in God.

**Events / Activities**

**Veteran's Breakfast – Sunday, November 12th:**

This breakfast is one way our congregation expresses their appreciation and honors our military veterans, their spouses and their families, for their service and sacrifice. Veterans, spouses and families, and parents of men and women from our congregation who are currently serving in the military, are invited to gather at 9:00 AM in the church's fellowship hall for a welcome, introductions and invocation prayer. The Fellowship Committee will be serving a delicious breakfast at 9:15AM. Following the breakfast, Pastor Dan Gallagher of Edon, Ohio, will share a presentation about his Vietnam service and his faith. Dan served in the Army for two years, coming home from Vietnam in January of 1968.

**Men's Prayer Breakfast – November 11, 7:40AM:**

A monthly time to gather, enjoy breakfast, fellowship, hear a testimony, share joys and concerns, and pray together. Please let Bruce Wooley, Pastor Erich or Pastor Alex know if you have any questions about what the Men's Prayer Breakfast is all about!

**small groups**

**Seekers:**

During the month of November, the Seekers will be at David & Crissi Stuckey's home at 6PM on the 5th, and then they'll meet at the home of Keith & Kelli Kuntz's on the 19th. The group welcomes any and all to join them in their study of "The Journey," a Billy Graham book about Christian living. This group of 45 to 80 year olds includes singles and couples with a variety of interests and life stories! Each gathering is an adventure of life and faith!

**Couples Small Group:**

The Couples Small Group will meet on Thursday, November 9th and Sunday, November 19th at 6PM in the Youth Room. The group welcomes couples who are interested in gathering with other couples for the purposes of fellowship, fun and faith.

**November 2017**

| Sun   | Mon   | Tue  | Wed   | Thu  | Fri  | Sat   |
|---|---|--|---|--|--|---|
| 8:00AM Worship<br>9:15AM Sunday School<br>9:15AM Faith Village<br>9:15AM Confirmation<br>10:30AM Worship  | Mission-A-Month—<br>Christmas Cheer<br>Elder of the Month—<br>Betsy Ducey                                     |  | 1<br>8:30AM Moms in Prayer<br>5:50PM LOGOS<br>6:45PM Hand Bells/Chimes<br>6:45PM JYF<br>6:30PM SYF  | 2<br>5:00PM Basketball<br>Practice<br>7:00PM Mission Comm.                         | 3  | 4 Daylight<br>ST Ends<br>(turn clocks<br>back 1 hr.)                      |
| 5 Daylight ST Begins<br>9:15AM Membership<br>Orientation (Chapel)<br>6:00PM Seekers (Stuckey's)   | 6<br>11:00AM Staff Meeting<br>5:00PM Basketball<br>Practice   | 7<br>9:15AM Bible Study<br>1:30PM Worship Planning<br>2:30PM Pastors Meeting<br>5:00PM Community Meal (Zion)<br>6:30PM 5th Gr. B-ball Practice<br>7:00PM Capital Campaign  | 8<br>8:30AM Moms in Prayer<br>9:00AM W. Haven Bible St.<br>5:50PM LOGOS<br>6:45PM Hand Bells/Chimes<br>6:45PM JYF<br>7:00PM Life Planning<br>7:00PM SYF Remix | 9<br>7:30AM Mental Health<br>Awareness Seminar<br>6:00PM Couples Small<br>Group    | 10<br>9AM-9PM—<br>Quilting at<br>Fairlawn<br>5:30PM B-ball<br>Practice | 11 Veteran's<br>Day<br>7:40AM Men's<br>Breakfast                          |
| 12<br>9:15AM Membership<br>Orientation (Chapel)<br>9:15AM Veteran's Breakfast<br>12:00PM Private Party (Parish<br>Hall / Kitchen)<br>1:30PM Brazil Mission Trip<br>Orientation Mtg. | 13<br>11:00AM Staff Meeting<br>5:00PM Basketball<br>Practice  | 14<br>9:15AM Bible Study<br>1:30PM Worship Planning<br>2:30PM Pastors Meeting<br>4:00PM Budget & Stewardship<br>5:00PM Community Meal (Zion)<br>6:30PM 5th Gr. B-ball Practice<br>7:00PM Evangelism Comm.<br>7:00PM Property Committee | 15<br>8:30AM Moms in Prayer<br>5:50PM LOGOS<br>6:45PM Hand Bells/Chimes<br>6:45PM JYF<br>7:00PM SYF<br>7:30PM Chancel Choir Reh.                              | 16   | 17   | 18<br>8:00AM Music<br>Teachers<br>Association<br>9:00AM TGRM<br>Meal Prep |
| 19<br>9:15AM Membership<br>Orientation (Chapel)<br>10:30AM Bells/Chimes Play<br>3:00PM TGRM Chapel /Meal<br>6:00PM Couples Small Grp.<br>6:00PM Seekers (Kuntz's)                   | 20<br>11:00AM Staff Meeting<br>5:00PM Basketball<br>Practice<br>6:15PM Spiritual Council<br>7:30PM Consistory | 21<br>9:15AM Bible Study<br>1:30PM Worship Planning<br>2:30PM Pastors Meeting<br>5:00PM Community Meal (Zion)<br>6:30PM 5th Gr. B-ball Practice  | 22<br>9:00AM W. Haven Bible St.<br>7:00PM SYF Friendsgiving<br>7:30PM Chancel Choir Reh.  | 23 Happy Thanksgiving!<br>(Office Closed)<br>9:00AM Private Party<br>(Parish Hall) | 24   | 25  |
| 26<br>1:00PM Advent Decorating  | 27<br>11:00AM Staff Meeting<br>5:00PM Basketball<br>Practice  | 28<br>9:15AM Bible Study<br>1:30PM Worship Planning<br>2:30PM Pastors Meeting<br>5:00PM Community Meal (Zion)<br>6:30PM 5th Gr. B-ball Practice  | 29<br>8:30AM Moms in Prayer<br>5:50PM LOGOS<br>6:45PM JYF<br>7:00PM SYF<br>7:30PM Chancel Choir Reh.  | 30<br>3:00-8:00PM Staff<br>Reviews   |  |   |



## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

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|--|--|
| 1 Kali Lantz   | 14 Nancy Rupp, Dean & Lisa Smith   |
| 2 Jan Martinez, Caleb Wooley   | 16 Kelly & Betsy Ducey, Lindy Lantz  |
| 3 Susan & Brad Enderle, Dustin Nofziger, Mackenzie Nofziger, Gary Sears, Joel Wanemacher | 17 Mert & Sue Kinsman  |
| 4 Kay Merillat, Cale Short, Len Stamm  | 19 Doris Hull, Kris Short, Lauren Short  |
| 5 Judy Grime, Dave Walker  | 22 Emma Hall, Jon & Alice Leatherman, Kathy Layton, Luci Meyer, Curt Stamm               |
| 6 Tim Grieser, Jill Holdgreve, Alec Genter, Ames Genter                                  | 23 John Graber, Mike Meyer   |
| 7 Jim & Renee Liechty, Michael & Sarah Overmier, Ashley Schink                           | 24 Laura Johnson, Jesse Meyer, Lisa Smith  |
| 8 Ryan Bernath   | 25 Lynda Schnitkey   |
| 9 Mary Augustine, Nancy Storrer, Sharon VonDeylen  | 26 Carol DeVries, Mark & Tammy Nofziger, Casen Short                                     |
| 10 Laurie Flint  | 27 Graeme Lauber, Scott Reeb, Andrew Rohrs, Collin Walker, Corbin Walker, Michael Walker |
| 11 Norm Fether, Phil Spiess  | 28 Jed Grime, Kent Short   |
| 13 Marilyn Buehrer, Gabrielle Nafziger, Clay Nafziger, Linda Rutledge                    | 30 Lynne Stuckey   |

☀ Please let us know if we do NOT have your special day noted or correct! Thank you.

## worship

### November Worship Information:

- November 5th     Focus on Local Missions  
Scriptures – Acts 1:8, Matthew 25:31-4  
Sermon – “You Do For Me” – Pastor Erich Christman  
Special Music – Ava Genter – “You Are My All in All”
- November 12th     Focus on Missions Beyond the Local Area  
Scriptures – Acts 1:8, 2 Corinthians 8:16-24  
Sermon – “Eagerness to Help” – Pastor Erich Christman  
Special Music – Kenny Walker III
- November 19th     Thanksgiving Sunday  
Scriptures – Psalm 103:1-6, Psalm 126  
Sermon – “Sowing with Sadness, Reaping with Rejoicing” – Pastor Alex Young  
10:30AM – Hand Bells and Hand Chimes
- November 26th     Focus on Missions Abroad  
Scriptures – Acts 1:8, Acts 16:6-15  
Sermon – “The Man of Macedonia” – Pastor Erich Christman

### The Season of Advent:

The first Sunday of Advent this year falls on December 3rd and we'll celebrate the Sacrament of Communion at both services of worship that morning. The 46th Annual Sermon in Music will highlight the second Sunday of Advent on December 10th. On the third Sunday of Advent, December 17th, the Children's Christmas Program will highlight the 10:30AM service of worship. The fourth Sunday of Advent will be special this year as its December 24th. We'll have our two services of worship in the morning and celebrate Christmas Eve with our traditional service at 7PM that evening, featuring the wonder of the candlelight service.

As everyone begins to make plans for Christmas and enjoys the blessings of decorating, shopping, wrapping, baking and hosting, let's prepare our hearts and souls to worship and praise God for the peace and joy we have through Jesus!



# College / Grad School / Military Prayer Calendar

| Day of Month | College                  | Address                        | City          | State | Zip   | School                      |
|--------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------|
| 1            | Beck, Marissa            | Apt 722<br>1127 Euclid Ave     | Cleveland     | OH    | 44115 | Cleveland State University  |
| 2            | Grieser, Bailey          | 407 W Holland St               | Archbold      | OH    | 43502 | NW State Comm College       |
| 3            | Grieser, Becca           | 407 W Holland St               | Archbold      | OH    | 43502 | NW State Comm College       |
| 4            | Hines, Brooke - 253      | Spring Arbor University        | Spring Arbor  | MI    | 49283 | Spring Arbor University     |
| 5            | Kinsman, Matthew         | 2322 Knapp St                  | Ames          | IA    | 50014 | Iowa State University       |
| 6            | Lindsay, Jennifer        | 128 Diamond Ct                 | Ashland       | OH    | 44805 | Grad School - Ashland Univ. |
| 7            | Mann, Jeremy             | 1001 Bethel Circle             | Mishawaka     | IN    | 46545 | Bethel College              |
| 8            | McCandless, Morgan       | 21488 US 20A                   | West Unity    | OH    | 43670 | Grad School                 |
| 9            | Nofziger, Delaney        | 1841 Morningside Dr SE         | Grand Rapids  | MI    | 49506 | Acquinas College            |
| 10           | Nofziger, Dustin         | 1592 Co Rd 16                  | Wauseon       | OH    | 43567 | NW State Comm College       |
| 11           | Nofziger, Jacob          | Apt 66<br>318 Campbell Hill Rd | Bowling Green | OH    | 43402 | Bowling Green State Univ    |
| 12           | Rice, Dinah              | 813 West St                    | Archbold      | OH    | 43502 | Grad School                 |
| 13           | Schnitkey, Tyson         | Apt 205                        | Bowling Green | OH    | 43402 | Bowling Green State Univ    |
| 14           | Short, Ashley            | Apt 3<br>1682 Commonwealth Ave | Brighton      | MA    | 02135 | Grad School                 |
| 15           | Short, Casen             | 530 Falcon Heights             | Bowling Green | OH    | 43403 | Bowling Green State Univ    |
| 16           | Short, Meridith          | 25515 County Rd E              | Archbold      | OH    | 43502 | Online Classes              |
| 17           | Stevens, Darby           | CPO 2675                       | Wheaton       | IL    | 60187 | Wheaton College             |
| 18           | Stuckey, Lynne           | 24556 County Rd D              | Archbold      | OH    | 43502 | Defiance College            |
| 19           | Walker, Cayla            | 409 Gibson St                  | Defiance      | OH    | 43512 | Defiance College            |
| 20           | Walker, Toby             | MVNU Box W-3398                | Mount Vernon  | OH    | 43050 | Mount Vernon Nazarene       |
| 21           | Walters, Mondesi         | Ticket 221                     | Mishawaka     | IN    | 46545 | Bethel College              |
| 22           | Warncke, Camden          | #201 Daniels Hall              | Cincinnati    | OH    | 45219 | University of Cincinnati    |
| 23           | Warncke, Ethan           | 1103 N Byrne Rd                | Toledo        | OH    | 43607 | University of Toledo        |
| 24           | Wyse, Katie              | Apt 5308D                      | Athens        | OH    | 45701 | Ohio University             |
| 25           | Bostelman, Brenden       | PRG 6-9                        | APO           | AE    | 9354  | Branch of Military<br>Army  |
| 26           | AB Collins Taylor        | 268 Luke Ave., Box 700         | Bolling       | DC    | 20032 | Air Force                   |
| 27           | Ducey, Kyle              | 4050 Brownstone Dr, Apt 919    | Evans         | GA    | 30809 | Navy                        |
| 28           | Jared Kuntz              |                                | Guam          |       |       | Army                        |
| 28           | Donny Richardson         | Camp Lejeune                   | Jacksonville  | NC    |       | Marines                     |
| 29           | Mr & Mrs Steven R Schink | 150 Dewey Ave                  | Groton        | CT    | 6340  | Coast Guard                 |
| 29           | AJ Short                 |                                | Japan         |       |       | Marines                     |
| 30           | Stuckey, Kyle            | Fort Hood                      |               | TX    |       | Army                        |
| 30           | Kollin Woolace           | Camp Lejeune                   | Jacksonville  | NC    | 28540 | Marines                     |

# consistory/committees

## Leadership / Ministry Conference:

Four members of the Consistory attended a workshop on October 28th, entitled “Engaging Our Aging.” The day-long conference was held near Grand Rapids, MI., and provided information on three main topics:

- Successful Aging – taking advantage of our later years to bring glory to God in every area of life – physical, mental, social, financial, emotional and spiritual.
- Challenges of Aging – aging is not for cowards and there are a number of challenges that await many of us. These may include pain and suffering, losses of many of the blessings we enjoy in this life, depression, disease, and death itself.
- Finishing Well – letting go of the things and values of this life as we embrace our eternal future is critical to coming to the end of life well – it also requires an appropriate use of medical care.

Four members of the Spiritual Council will be attending an introductory workshop on November 11th in exploring the Stephen Ministry. Stephen Ministry is a one-to-one lay caring ministry that takes place in congregations that use the Stephen Series system. Stephen Ministry congregations equip and empower lay caregivers—called Stephen Ministers—to provide high-quality, confidential, Christ-centered care to people who are hurting. This introductory workshop will share a vision for lay caring ministry, offer a sample of Stephen Minister training, and share the basics about Stephen Ministry—how it works, the benefits it offers, and how to bring Stephen Ministry to a congregation. Attendees should come away with a clear understanding of the difference Stephen Ministry makes and a vision for getting it started in a congregation.

## Sanctuary Pipe Organ:

The condition and maintenance of the sanctuary pipe organ has not been forgotten even though there’s been no new information shared with the congregation. The organ will be a topic of discussion at January’s annual congregational meeting. The search for an organist, and for people interested in playing the organ, continues. Pastor Erich and Lynne had a recent conversation with a very talented and experienced organist, and the hope is to have that person play the organ on an occasional basis as early as this December.

## Director of Music Ministry Position:

The Personnel Committee continues the search for a gifted person to fill this position. Please continue to pray for God to send us the person He has in mind for this important aspect of our Christian worship ministry.

## SJCC Staff Position Soon to Open – Administrative Assistant:

Maybe you’ve heard that Tim and Sue Grieser will be moving to Charlotte, North Carolina, in early 2018. They have already purchased a home there, near where their son, Eric and his family live. With their move, it means that Sue will no longer be serving as our Administrative Assistant, having filled that role since 2007. Sue is being very gracious in providing us lead time in this transition. The Personnel Committee is starting to advertise this position, with hopes to have interviews in December and a new person on board sometime in January, with Sue spending time training the new person through the end of January. A job description can be obtained through the church office. Knowledge, education and experience should include: a 2-year degree in business administration / secretary, or 5 years previous experience in a business setting would be helpful; knowledge of Microsoft programs (Word, Excel, Power Point, Publisher) necessary; knowledge of Adobe InDesign software and Church Windows data base program would be helpful. Candidate needs to be technologically proficient. Let’s be in prayer for Tim and Sue, for the members of the Personnel Committee, and for prospective candidates!

### St. John’s Christian Church Leadership:

|                                   |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Congregation President.....       | Brent Winzeler  |
| Congregation Vice-President ..... | Betsy Ducey   |
| Congregation Secretary.....       | Sarah Nafziger  |
| Elders .....                      | Betsy Ducey, Ann Fether, Ann Grime,<br>Joyce Kinsman, Gloria Lauber, Paige Miller   |
| Deacons/Deaconesses .....         | Amy Baden, John Graber,<br>Josh Grime, Nate Meyer,<br>Eric Nafziger, Lynne Roth, Dean Sauder,<br>David Stuckey, Carrie Wooley |
| Church Treasurer.....             | Roger Miller  |
| Custodians.....                   | Dean Buckenmeyer, Nick Rice   |
| Security Person .....             | Richard Spiess  |
| Christian Preschool Staff .....   | Sue MacDonald,<br>Joan Wyse   |
| Administrative Assistant.....     | Sue Grieser   |
| LOGOS Director.....               | Kim M. Walker   |
| Associate Pastor .....            | Rev. Alex Young   |
| Pastor.....                       | Rev. Erich Christman  |

## St. John's Christian Church - 2017 Missions Budget Report

| As of September 30, 2017 |   | 2017 Goals    | 2017 YTD Inc | 2017 YTD Exp |
|--------------------------|---|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1                        | Beginning Balance Missions Fund (1/1/17)      |               | \$ 41.24     |              |
| 2                        | Undesignated Missions Fund Income             |               | \$ 48,867.00 |              |
| 3                        | Farm Rental / Second Mile Interest Income     |               | \$ 6,741.63  |              |
| 4                        | Agape Family Life House (Wyse/China)          | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 165.00    | \$ 665.00    |
| 5                        | Altlink (Langsdorfs - The Islands)            | \$ 4,000.00   | \$ 1,073.00  | \$ 2,073.00  |
| 6                        | Aroles - CRHP - Jamkhed, India                | \$ 10,000.00  | \$ 1,661.00  | \$ 4,661.00  |
| 7                        | Aroles - CRHP - Lenten                        | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 887.38    | \$ 887.38    |
| 8                        | Back Bay Mission - Biloxi                     | \$ 6,000.00   | \$ 1,780.00  | \$ 3,280.00  |
| 9                        | Back Bay Mission - Lenten                     | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 887.37    | \$ 887.37    |
| 10                       | Back Bay Mission - Trips                      | \$ 4,000.00   | \$ 3,057.79  | \$ 3,910.45  |
| 11                       | Cherry Street Mission - Toledo                | \$ 5,000.00   | \$ 3,233.00  | \$ 4,233.00  |
| 12                       | Christmas Cheer - Fulton Cty                  | \$ 2,500.00   |              |              |
| 13                       | Church Camp Registrations                     | \$ 2,000.00   | \$ 350.00    | \$ 3,445.50  |
| 14                       | Church World Service - Blanket                | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 739.00    | \$ 739.00    |
| 15                       | Church World Service - Clean Up Kits          | \$ 500.00     | \$ 555.00    | \$ 555.00    |
| 16                       | College Scholarship                           | \$ 6,000.00   | \$ 1,000.00  | \$ 7,000.00  |
| 17                       | Community Meals                               | \$ 4,000.00   | \$ 665.00    | \$ 3,095.66  |
| 18                       | Crossroad - Fort Wayne                        | \$ 2,000.00   | \$ 525.00    | \$ 1,525.00  |
| 19                       | Crossroad - Advent                            | \$ 2,000.00   |              |              |
| 20                       | Cru (Waanders)                                | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 75.00     | \$ 575.00    |
| 21                       | Evangelical Association                       | \$ 1,500.00   | \$ 572.00    | \$ 2,072.00  |
| 22                       | FISH Panty - Archbold                         | \$ 12,000.00  | \$ 3,542.00  | \$ 6,415.10  |
| 23                       | Foods Resource Bank - Local                   | \$ 2,300.00   | \$ 872.00    | \$ 1,872.00  |
| 24                       | Foods Resource Bank - Thank Offerings         | \$ 500.00     |              |              |
| 25                       | Freedom International Ministries (Suons - DR) | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 125.00    | \$ 625.00    |
| 26                       | Friendship House - Archbold                   | \$ 6,000.00   | \$ 2,260.00  | \$ 3,260.00  |
| 27                       | Reliant - Kyle Chase (UM)                     | \$ 2,500.00   | \$ 1,310.00  | \$ 1,310.00  |
| 28                       | Reliant - Matt Pardi (UT)                     | \$ 2,500.00   | \$ 130.00    | \$ 1,380.00  |
| 29                       | Reliant - Whitney Varnau (OSU)                | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 80.00     | \$ 580.00    |
| 30                       | Habitat for Humanity - Fulton Cty             | \$ 1,000.00   |              | \$ 645.45    |
| 31                       | Habitat for Humanity - Michigan City          | \$ 1,500.00   | \$ 750.00    | \$ 1,377.50  |
| 32                       | Hands of Grace - Fulton Cty                   | \$ 2,000.00   |              | \$ 1,000.00  |
| 33                       | Kajiado Children's Home (Rupps)               | \$ 10,000.00  | \$ 2,388.00  | \$ 4,630.00  |
|                          | a. Kajiado Sanitation Project                 | \$ -          |              | \$ 242.00    |
| 34                       | Kajiado Child Sponsorships                    | \$ 2,500.00   | \$ 1,664.00  | \$ 1,664.00  |
| 35                       | Love Fund (Members)                           | \$ 1,000.00   |              | \$ 5.95      |
| 36                       | Mighty in the Land (Robert Rogers)            | \$ 1,000.00   | \$ 900.00    | \$ 900.00    |
| 37                       | Operation Christmas Child - Fulton Cty        | \$ 1,000.00   |              |              |
| 38                       | Outback Youth Center - Archbold (YFC)         | \$ 2,000.00   | \$ 645.00    | \$ 845.00    |
| 39                       | Path Center (Souper Bowl of Caring)           | \$ -          | \$ 190.06    | \$ 190.06    |
| 40                       | Pioneers (Doriots - Chicago)                  | \$ 2,000.00   | \$ 630.00    | \$ 1,130.00  |
| 41                       | Shepherd's Circle - Archbold                  | \$ 1,500.00   | \$ 1,010.00  | \$ 1,210.00  |
| 42                       | Sparrow's Nest - Toledo                       | \$ 3,500.00   | \$ 905.00    | \$ 1,905.00  |
| 43                       | Sparrow's Nest - Thank Offerings              | \$ 500.00     |              |              |
| 44                       | St. John's Christian Preschool                | \$ 3,000.00   |              |              |
| 45                       | St. John's Evangelism Outreach                | \$ 2,500.00   | \$ 1,573.00  | \$ 1,848.85  |
| 46                       | SYF - Mission Trip Support                    | \$ 2,250.00   | \$ 400.00    | \$ 2,293.99  |
| 47                       | SYF - Next Year Trip Deposit                  | \$ 750.00     |              | \$ 750.00    |
| 48                       | Toledo Gospel Rescue Mission                  | \$ 3,000.00   | \$ 1,075.00  | \$ 2,575.00  |
| 49                       | Urgent Mission Outreach                       | \$ 3,500.00   |              | \$ 2,350.00  |
| 50                       | Walk In Assist Program (Non-members)          | \$ 2,000.00   | \$ 1,190.92  | \$ 763.02    |
| 51                       | WMTR Radio Pause for Praise                   | \$ 5,000.00   |              | \$ 3,610.00  |
| 52                       | World Team (Franks - Brazil)                  | \$ 13,000.00  | \$ 2,087.00  | \$ 5,587.00  |
| 53                       | Youth Leadership Training                     | \$ 2,000.00   |              |              |
| 54                       | Totals  | \$ 148,800.00 | \$ 96,602.39 | \$ 90,569.28 |

# November Daily Scriptures

(From "Discovery" Daily Devotional)

**Discovery®** is a daily Bible reading guide that provides clear Bible explanation, prayers and relevant application questions. You can access this guide online at <http://www.scriptureunion.org/Bible%20Reading/Discovery>.

|                                   |                          |                                     |               |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1 Gospel Family Love -----        | 1 Thessalonians 2:1-16   | 16 Kingdom Confidence -----         | Mark 11:21-26 |
| 2 True Gospel Crowns -----        | 1 Thessalonians 2:17-3:5 | 17 Right to Reign -----             | Mark 11:27-33 |
| 3 Life for All -----              | 1 Thessalonians 3:6-13   | 18 Under New Management -----       | Mark 12:1-12  |
| 4 True Gospel Lifestyles -----    | 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12   | 19 Praise Under Pressure -----      | Psalms 86     |
| 5 Longing for Home -----          | Psalms 84                | 20 When Kingdoms Collide -----      | Mark 12:13-17 |
| 6 True Gospel Hope -----          | 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18  | 21 Thin, Low and Wide Open -----    | Mark 12:18-27 |
| 7 The Great Gospel Day -----      | 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11   | 22 The One Thing That Counts -----  | Mark 12:28-34 |
| 8 Parting Gospel Wisdom -----     | 1 Thessalonians 5:12-28  | 23 Watch Out! -----                 | Mark 12:35-40 |
| 9 The Day to Come -----           | 2 Thessalonians 1:1-12   | 24 Plenty, Piety, and Poverty ----- | Mark 12:41-44 |
| 10 The Deceiver to Identify ----- | 2 Thessalonians 2:1-17   | 25 When the World Falls Apart ----- | Mark 13:1-27  |
| 11 The Faith to Stand Firm -----  | 2 Thessalonians 3:1-5    | 26 Thirsting for God -----          | Psalms 87     |
| 12 Count Your Blessings -----     | Psalms 85                | 27 Today's the Day! -----           | Mark 13:28-37 |
| 13 The Call to Work -----         | 2 Thessalonians 3:6-18   | 28 Saul, Stopped -----              | Acts 9:1-9    |
| 14 Small Things -----             | Mark 11:1-11             | 29 Recommissioned -----             | Acts 9:10-19a |
| 15 Kingdom House Cleaning -----   | Mark 11:12-20            | 30 Persecutor to Preacher -----     | Acts 9:19b-31 |

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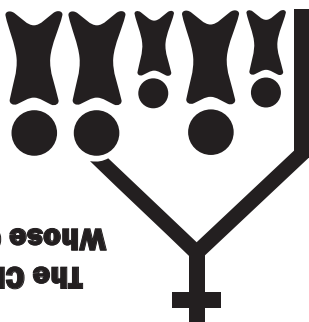
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 Sunday School 9:15AM

Holy Communion:  
 New Year (1/8), Ash Wednesday (3/1), Maundy Thursday (4/13),  
 Pentecost (6/4), Mid-Summer (7/16), 1st Sunday in October (10/1),  
 1st Sunday of Advent (12/3)

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