

FEBRUARY 13, 2022 | 8:00AM & 10:30AM



Welcome to St. John's Christian Church

"The Church on the Corner Whose Cornerstone is Christ"



Emma & Leah
Nafziger



Corey, Allie,
& Russell
Walker



Lainey & JD
Holdgreve

Jesus loves you
SNOW much!

COME HEAR THE REASON WE'RE INSPIRED TO SERVE TOGETHER

*We are a community of faith founded upon God's Holy Word,
preaching salvation through believing in Christ as our Savior.
We seek to live in God's truth, being obedient to His Word and following in His ways.*

Welcome! We are so glad you are here.

Guests and Visitors

Welcome to SJCC! We are so glad you have chosen to join us as we worship the Lord together. We hope you feel God's love in a new, refreshing way. You can learn more about our church by scanning the QR code, by visiting the "New to SJCC" page on our website at www.stjohnsarchbold.org/newtosjcc, or by picking up a copy of "Getting to Know St. John's Christian Church: Visitor Brochure" at one of the literature racks.



Mother's Room/Diaper Changing Stations/Nursery Care

We have a Mother's Room located outside of the sanctuary for nursing mothers and/or mothers with young children. Diaper changing stations are located in both the Mother's Room and Nursery. Please ask an usher for locations if needed. We are striving to restart our 10:30am Nursery Care ministry, which has been affected by sporadic need for care and difficulty in scheduling volunteers. People interested in helping are asked to contact the church office.

Children's Busy Bags are located in the sanctuary narthex for children ages one-year to third grade. Bags are marked by age (**Pink** = Ages 1-2; **Green** = Ages 3-5; **Yellow** = Grades K-3). Please be sure to return bags at the end of our service today. If you would like to mark a bag specifically for your child(ren) each week, please contact the church office.

Give & Take Board

Do you need a little peace in your day? Confidence? What about self-control? Are you in need of a spiritual pick-me-up? Could you use a quick bit of kindness after a long week? Or do you have these things to spare? Then stop by the Give and Take Board outside of the Preschool Room! Give what you can and take what you need - you just might feel or fill someone's heart with the love of God and make their week brighter!

Large Print and Children's Bulletins are available at a table in the sanctuary narthex.

Hearing Assistance is provided by our system for hearing aids with a "loop system" switch position.

Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/stjohnschurcharchbold,
Instagram at @stjohnsarchbold and YouTube ("St. John's Christian Church").

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP OF GOD!

Lighting of the Altar Candles and Ringing of the Tower Bells

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

“Open the Eyes of My Heart”

Scripture and Prayer of Invocation

Psalm 86:5-12 (pg. #585)

†Opening Hymns

#4, “How Great Thou Art”
#481, “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

Scripture Reading

Luke 11:1-13 (pg. 1029)

Children’s Message

Prayer Hymn

#433, “Sweet Hour of Prayer”

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer (debts/debtors)

†Sermon Hymn

#435, “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

Sermon

“It’s a Simple Word: Prayer”

Sharing our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“You Are My Hiding Place”

†The Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

†Closing Hymn

#493, “It Is Well with My Soul”

†Spoken Benediction

†Benediction in Song

#281, verse 1, “The Bond of Love”

†Postlude

SCRIPTURE READINGS

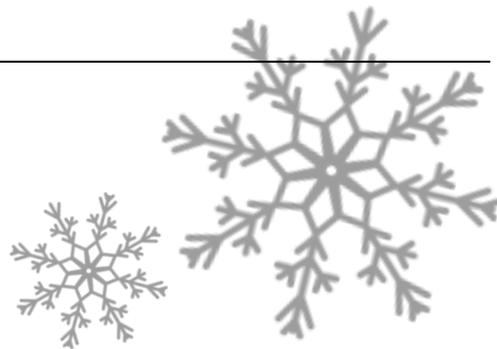
Psalm 86:5-12 ⁵ You are forgiving and good, O Lord, abounding in love to all who call to you. ⁶ Hear my prayer, O Lord; listen to my cry for mercy. ⁷ In the day of my trouble I will call to you, for you will answer me. ⁸ Among the gods there is none like you, O Lord; no deeds can compare with yours. ⁹ All the nations you have made will come and worship before you, O Lord; they will bring glory to your name. ¹⁰ For you are great and do marvelous deeds; you alone are God. ¹¹ Teach me your way, O Lord and I will walk in your truth; give me an undivided heart, that I may fear your name. ¹² I will praise you, O Lord my God, with all my heart; I will glorify your name forever.

Luke 11:1-13 One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples." ² He said to them, "When you pray, say: "Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. ³ Give us each day our daily bread. ⁴ Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation. "" ⁵ Then he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and he goes to him at midnight and says, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread, ⁶ because a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have nothing to set before him.' ⁷ "Then the one inside answers, 'Don't bother me. The door is already locked, and my children are with me in bed. I can't get up and give you anything.' ⁸ I tell you, though he will not get up and give him the bread because he is his friend, yet because of the man's boldness he will get up and give him as much as he needs. ⁹ "So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. ¹⁰ For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. ¹¹ "Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? ¹² Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? ¹³ If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, 2022

Sermon - "Four Lessons Learned"

Scriptures - Luke 10:38-42



CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

God, we pour out our hearts to you for this world, for all its people with many and changing needs. We yearn for violence to cease, and for justice and peace to become real in every community. We desire poverty and homelessness to be abolished and disease to be eradicated. We covet a society where the youth are not corrupted and the elderly not neglected. Lord, help each of us to respect and cherish every person, both in the church and in the world. Make us flag bearers for your kingdom of integrity, hope, faith, compassion, and joy. Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer we pray. Amen.

SERMON NOTES

Sermon - "It's a Simple Word: Prayer"

Scriptures - Luke 11:1-13

FEBRUARY MISSION-A-MONTH: ARCHBOLD FISH PANTRY

It is the goal of the Archbold FISH Pantry to assist low-income families on a short-term basis, particularly those in a crisis situation, and to share God's love and grace. In addition to the food pantry, they help families with rent, utility payments, car repairs, or prescriptions. All of the households receiving assistance have an Archbold mailing address, live in the Archbold school district, or attend a church which supports the FISH Pantry. The FISH Pantry is completely reliant on the donations from generous people in our community. Currently needed items at the pantry include: canned potatoes*, peas*, mushrooms, pineapple, mandarin oranges, and meat; Rotel diced tomatoes with green chilies; Canola oil; spaghetti sauce; Velveeta (or off-brand) cheese blocks*; sugar-free items; gluten-free items; toilet paper and facial tissue; toilet cleaner; and dish soap. Items can be dropped off to the white box in the Chapel narthex, or monetary donations can be made to FISH on Line 6 of your offering envelope. Thank you for your support of this important local mission!

**Desperately needed item*

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 13TH AT ST. JOHN'S

Sun	8:00AM	Worship (Sanctuary)
	8:30AM	Pause for Praise (96.1 WMTR)
	9:15AM	Sunday School, Faith Village, Confirmation
	10:30AM	Worship (Sanctuary and YouTube Live)
	12:00PM	GIF Gals (Fireside Room)
Mon	11:00AM	Staff Meeting (Office Closed)
Tue	9:15AM	Bible Study (Fireside Room)
	5:00PM	Community Meal - Central Mennonite Church (Parish Hall)
Wed	8:30AM	Moms in Prayer (Fireside Room)
	5:50PM	LOGOS Meal (Parish Hall)
	6:45PM	LOGOS/JYF
	7:00PM	SYF (Youth Room)
Thu	11:30AM	Senior Luncheon (Chapel)
	6:00PM	Girl Scouts (Chapel)
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	6:00PM	Seekers (Kuntz's Home)
	6:00PM	Couples Small Group (Youth Room)

DISCOVERY DAILY DEVOTIONAL

Discover Daily Devotional Guides are available in the hallway literature rack in the narthex (suggested donation \$6 each). You can also access the guide online at <https://scriptureunion.org/discovery/>. Below is the list of daily readings for this week:

February 13 – Stop, Look, and Worship ----- Psalm 134
February 14 – Seeing the Bigger Picture-----Exodus 13:17-14:9
February 15 – The Fight ----- Exodus 14:10-31
February 16 – The Gospel Rocks-----Exodus 15:1-21
February 17 – A New Age -----Romans 1:1-7
February 18 – A New Outlook ----- Romans 1:8-17
February 19 – False Gods-----Romans 1:18-32

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVANTS

Accompanist	(Both) Lynne Christman	
Song Leader	(Both) Elaine Winzeler	
Acolytes	(8:00) Cagney Grime	(10:30) Brie Grime
Easy Worship	(Both) Mark Nofziger	
Sound Techs	(Both) James Grime	
Live Stream	(10:30) Ryan Christman	
8:00 Usher	Linda Heer	
Head Usher	Greg Walker	
Ushers	Eric, Sarah, Emma, & Leah Nafziger	

CONSISTORY CONTACT INFORMATION

President Linda Heer (419-324-6536)

Elders Ryan Christman (419-551-2124), Norm Fether (419-205-7776), Jon Lindsay (419-591-6153), , Betsy Redd (419-551-1843), David Stuckey (419-446-4686), Nici Wyse (419-572-0626)

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PRAYER JOYS, CONCERNS, AND REQUESTS:

Please pray for...

- ◆ Nancy Lightner, who moved to the Columbus area yesterday, near her daughter, Lisa.
- ◆ Dean Beck, Tim's father, who had a heart attack last Sunday and had some stents inserted on Wednesday and his home recuperating.
- ◆ Buffy Wyse and family, upon the passing of her father, Merle Wyse, on February 6th.
- ◆ Tracey Warren, Sodie's husband, who will be having heel and Achilles surgery on 2/17, and after six weeks recovery, will have the other foot operated on too.
- ◆ Larry Robinson, who is home recovering from kidney stone surgery.
- ◆ Leah, Eric, Sarah and Emma Nafziger, as they work through treatment for Leah.
- ◆ Jodi Beltz, who is out of a cast and now wearing a boot, with still no weight on her left ankle for two more weeks.
- ◆ Michael Hartman, father of Jen Hurst, as he continues in treatment for severe burns, going through multiple skin graft surgeries and battling infections and fevers.
- ◆ Matt Pardi, who was discharged and is now back at home! Continue to pray for his time of recovery and physical therapy.

Those serving in the Armed Forces...

- ◆ Brenden Bostelman, Oak Grove, KY (Army) (Grandson of Bill & Kathy)
- ◆ Kali Collins, Washington, DC (Air Force) (Granddaughter of Nan Neill)
- ◆ Kohl Collins, Ft. Myers, VA (Army) (Grandson of Nan Neill)
- ◆ Kyle Ducey, Suffolk, VA (Navy) (Son of Kelly & Betsy)
- ◆ Brayden Hall, Newton Falls, OH, attending Kent State (OANG) (Son of Vond & Mary)
- ◆ MAJ Jared Kuntz, Washington, DC (Army) (Son of Keith & Kelli)
- ◆ Eric Maag, Port Clinton, OH (Coast Guard) (Son of Joe & Sheryl Short)
- ◆ Taylor Pitts, Albuquerque, NM (Air Force) (Granddaughter of Nan Neill)
- ◆ Shayne Pitts has been deployed to Qatar (Air Force) (Husband of Taylor)
- ◆ David Richardson, Okinawa, Japan (Marines) (Son of Shannon and Yesi)
- ◆ Joshua Richardson, Kaneohe, HI (Marines) (Son of Shannon and Yesi)
- ◆ Steve Schink, Chesterfield, MI (Coast Guard) (Son-in-law of Ed and Julie Ruffer)

ST. JOHN'S CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Sunday Worship at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

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