

**St. John's at Worship**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday After Pentecost**

Welcome and Announcements

Introit "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder" *arr. Hayes*

\*Call to Worship From Psalm 42 & 43

One: As a deer longs for flowing streams,  
so our souls long for you, O God.

**All: Our souls thirst for you, the living God.**

One: For you are the God in whom we take refuge.

**All: Send out your light and truth; let them lead us.**

One: Let them bring us to your holy hill; to your dwelling.

**All: We will go to the altar of God, our exceeding joy,  
and we will praise the Lord!**

One: Let us worship God!

\*Hymn **57, vss. 1-4** "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

\*Prayer of Invocation and The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Unison Prayer of Confession From Romans 7

**I do not understand my own actions.**

**For I do not do what I want,  
but I do the very thing I hate.**

**I can will what is right, but I cannot do it.**

**With my mind I love God,  
but with my body I am captive to sin.**

**I do not do the good I want,  
but the evil I do not want is what I do.**

**Who will rescue me from this body of death?**

Silent Confession

**Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**Christ, have mercy upon us.**

**Lord, have mercy upon us. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

\*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed

**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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried.**

**He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,**

**and sitteth on 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 Ghost, the holy catholic church;  
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Scripture Reading Psalm 22:19-28 (pg. 501, OT) Avery Hillier

Children's Time Rev. Marshall

*As Pre-K - 4<sup>th</sup> grade leaves for Sunday School, we send them with this liturgy:*

Pastor: Now we go our separate ways to worship and learn about God.

Cong: **May God be with you there!**

Children: **May God be with you here!**

Anthem "Oh, How He Loves You and Me" *arr. Hayes*

Scripture Reading Luke 8:26-39 (pg. 68, NT)

Sermon CASTING OUT DEMONS Rev. Marshall

\*Presentation of Offering & Doxology

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*Prayer of Dedication and Prayers of the People

\*Hymn **294 (GREEN)** "Go to the World"

\*Benediction

\*Postlude "Shine, Jesus, Shine" *arr. Hayes*

**ENRICHING OUR WORSHIP OF GOD**

**Music Director** Iris Blanco-Urgelles

**Ushers** Jim Netter, Jim Little

**Flowers** Given by the Women's Fellowship Board in recognition and appreciation to Ridgley, as we celebrate the fifth anniversary of her ministry with St. John's. We continue to hold her in prayer as she faithfully serves God, St. John's, and our community.

**Coffee Servers** Linda Duncan, Barb Beucler

**Guest Musicians** Myanna Harvey (violin), Cassia Harvey (cello)

**WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S!**

We are so happy that you have joined us for worship this morning! We hope that you experience the presence and love of Jesus Christ here with us today. If there is anything we can do to help you feel more at home, please feel free to ask one of the ushers located at the sanctuary doors. We would love for you to join us for refreshments downstairs in the Fellowship Hall following worship. We are glad that you are here and hope you will worship with us again soon!

**COVID PROTOCOL**

Masks remain optional but welcome. We do ask that if you are not feeling well or experiencing any symptoms such as a sore, scratchy throat or cough (even if you think it is just allergies or a cold), please worship from home via the livestream to ensure the wellbeing of your church family. If you find that you test positive for Covid within 2-3 days after attending worship or a church event, please contact the church office, so that we can notify the congregation about a possible exposure. Your privacy will be maintained.

**PASTORAL UPDATE**

Ridgley is returning today from a retreat in Virginia with our Middle School youth. Beginning tomorrow, Patrick will be on a two-week Continuing Education leave, resuming work on his doctorate. He will be unavailable by email or phone during this time. Ridgley will be available for any pastoral care needs. You can call the church office Monday-Friday (9 AM-4:30 PM), or the pastoral care line after hours or on the weekend (484-604-0499).

**ENRICHING OUR MEMBERSHIP**

Are you personable, friendly, blessed with the gift of gab? If so, then the Membership Enrichment Committee could use your help!

Even if none of those words describe you, consider joining the work of the committee, which involves being a greeter at worship, a buddy to a new member, or sharing flyers about church events.

The Membership Enrichment Committee has ample opportunities for all members to nurture strong bonds within the St. John's church family, show support for each other, and attract new members to the congregation. Those opportunities include:

- \* Worship greeter
- \* Visitor outreach
- \* New member support
- \* Program publicity
- \* Member engagement

If you are interested in serving the church in any of these capacities, please contact Wanda Odom at wmodom@verzion.net or 610-470-5115.

**WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP - SUNDAYS AT 8:00 AM**

Our women's book group meets in person and by Zoom on Sundays at 8 AM, and anyone is welcome to join them for one or all sessions. They are currently reading *Making Sense of the Bible* by Adam Hamilton. It is casual and wonderful conversation, and the reading each week is short. If you have questions, or to get the Zoom link, please email Carolyn Repke.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT: SUNDAY, JULY 10 (NOON - 2:00 PM)**

The Outreach Committee will host a Hygiene Kit assembly project in Fellowship Hall to support the Church World Service's national and global community service efforts. These kits will go to communities devastated by natural disasters, entrenched violence or grinding poverty, and can mean the difference between sickness and health for struggling families. We are seeking 10-15 volunteers to help with the assembly of 300 hygiene kits; no special experience required. Please email Lisa Pool at lisa.pool@verizon.net if you are interested in participating.

### 2022 SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

The Outreach Committee will once again be providing 48 backpacks filled with the requested supplies for children who are served through Gemma Services' Community-Based Programs. We are inviting you to participate in this effort by contributing toward the cost of this effort. The price of many of the supplies has increased significantly, so the committee will buy everything in bulk, and then in mid-July, our youth will meet to fill the backpacks with the purchased supplies. If you would like to help, please send a check (payable to St. John's Presbyterian Church) with "School Supplies" on the memo line.

Gemma has also expressed a need for "fidget toys" such as Pop-Its (Fidget Poppers) or Rubik's Cubes. If you would like to contribute small toys like this, there is a plastic bin on the Carriage House Porch where you may drop them off.

Gemma Services offers mental health services, education, and specialized support for vulnerable and at-risk children, teens, and families throughout the Philadelphia area. You can learn more about their programs by visiting their website: [www.gemmaservices.org](http://www.gemmaservices.org). Please contact Nancy Higgins with any questions ([nrhiggins76@gmail.com](mailto:nrhiggins76@gmail.com)).

### SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Spring Sunday School concludes on Sunday, June 26. Children in Pre-k through 4<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join us for Summer Sunday School July 10–August 7!

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: AUGUST 15–19 (9 AM – NOON)

This year's VBS will be a Compassion Camp, where kids will explore what it means to have compassion for others, themselves, and the world. VBS registration opens on June 15 and closes on June 30. The cost is \$45 per child with a maximum of \$100 per family. Scholarships are available! If you are in need of one, please contact Ridgley. You can register for VBS on our website.

### SUMMER ART CLASSES AT ST. JOHN'S

This summer, St John's will be hosting art classes for adults. This is a great chance to learn something new, hone your natural skills, or just have fun with your church family. The following classes will be offered:

**Mixed media:** Explore the abstract in you! Learn to develop original creative artwork and concepts. Unwind and unburden your soul in self-expression.

*Beginner Level – 2 Lessons*

*Cost of materials:* \$36.00 (made out to St. John's Presbyterian Church)

*Dates:* Wednesdays, July 20 and 27 at **5:00 PM (change in start time)**

**Watercolor:** Have fun with one of the most fluid mediums and learn a little about water techniques in the process.

*Beginner Level – 2 Lessons*

*Cost of materials:* \$38.00 (made out to St. John's Presbyterian Church)

*Dates:* Wednesdays, August 3 and 10 at **5:00 PM (change in start time)**

On Sunday, August 14 there will be a small display of the students' work during coffee hour, so that we can all enjoy the talent our church has to offer. Seats are limited, so if you are interested, please email Darien Irizarry at [di501industries@gmail.com](mailto:di501industries@gmail.com). The deadline to sign up is July 13.

### YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

Youth in grades 5–12 are invited to join us on Sunday nights for Youth Group as we learn, serve, and share in fellowship! Some upcoming events:

Youth that are rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders are welcome to join both children and youth events this summer.

**June 29:** Tubing Trip (9:00 AM to 5:00 PM) \$25 PayPal or check (includes lunch). A Youth Group summer favorite is back! Join us for a day of floating down the river to kick off summer. RSVP to Ridgley by Friday, June 24.

### ST. JOHN'S CALENDAR

<b>Sun, June 19</b>	8:00 am	Women's Book Study
	9:30 am	Worship & Sunday School
<b>Wed, June 22</b>	9:00 am	Companions in Prayer (Kean Room)
<b>Sun, June 26</b>	8:00 am	Women's Book Study
	9:30 am	Worship & Sunday School

Reminder: Friday is Patrick and Ridgley's sabbath day, and the church office is closed on Saturday. If you email or call on those days, you will not get a response until they are back in the office. Our Church Administrator is in the office Monday through Friday, from 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM. **If you have a pastoral emergency when the office is closed or on a Saturday, you can call 484-604-0499.**



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A CHURCH FAMILY, A FAMILY CHURCH

Silence, Lord, the unclean spirit  
in our mind and in our heart;  
Speak your word that when we hear it,  
all our demons shall depart.  
Clear our thought and calm our feeling;  
still the fractured, warring soul.  
By the power of your healing,  
make us faithful, true, and whole.

– From the hymn, "Silence, Frenzied, Unclean Spirit"  
by Thomas H. Troeger

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