

WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY

The Women's Book Group is taking a break for the summer and will be resuming on Sunday, September 11 at 8:00 AM. We will also be offering a **second Book Study Group on Monday's, starting September 12 at 11:30 AM** (you are welcome to bring your lunch). These groups are open to all women of the church. Please see the weekly email for more details.

MEN'S MINISTRY

If you are interested in being part of a new men's ministry at St. John's, you are invited to an informational meeting after worship on Sunday, September 11. You are not committing to anything...just come hear more about it! Our hope is to gather a group of men who, through conversation and study, can support one another and grow in faith and friendship. More information will be coming soon!

SUPPER AT ST. JOHN'S RETURNS!

After more than two years, Supper at St. John's will resume on Wednesday, September 14 and run through November 16. This is a wonderful time of food, fellowship, and education. It is a great chance to slow down in the middle of the week, enjoy a delicious meal that you do not have to cook, and catch up with your church family!

We begin each week at 6:00 p.m. with dinner, followed by a class starting at 7:00 p.m., concluding promptly at 8:00 p.m. You can still come to eat, even if you do not stay for the class. We are also looking for volunteers to help clean up each week. Look for sign-ups during coffee fellowship after worship, or email Ginger Black. Childcare is available with one week's notice.

We will be offering one class this fall, and you can participate in person or by Zoom – although we encourage you to join us in person!

What We Believe: Foundations (featuring Timothy Keller)

The Apostles' Creed is one of the oldest summaries of the basic beliefs of Christianity. This course is a video-based program of lectures by Timothy Keller on What We Believe Foundation. The first lecture is an introduction to the Creed followed by video lectures on what Christians believe about sin and salvation, resurrection and eternal life, the Church, the Holy Spirit, the incarnation, and God. There will be a discussion after each video, moderated by Carla Chieffo, Kris Graham.

Upcoming Youth Events

**Youth Advisory Council Retreat
Today 11 am – 12:30 pm**

Members of the Youth Advisory Council are invited to meet in Pastor Ridgley's office at 11 AM for a planning retreat for this coming year's youth group. Please let her know if you are not able to attend.

ST. JOHN'S CALENDAR

Sun, August 28 9:30 am Worship
11:00 am Youth Advisory Council Retreat
Wed, August 31 9:00 am Companions in Prayer (Kean Room)
Sun, Sept 4 9:30 am Worship & Communion
Mon, Sept 5 Office Closed for Labor Day

Reminder

Friday is both 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 Roseann Christian is in the office Monday through Friday, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 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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