



GREETERS NEEDED

Please consider choosing an upcoming Sunday and adding your name to the Greeter sign-up sheet on the main bulletin board.

Your smile and friendly hello are needed in greeting our visitors on Sunday mornings. Please assist in this ministry of welcoming!

NURSING HOME DONATIONS

Please remember our nursing home residents. We are still collecting lotions, lip balm, and puzzle books. Also needed are sweat pants and shirts and t-shirts, all adult sizes. You may drop off your donations in the church office.

Thank you! *Missions Committee*



MAKE PURSES FOR YOURSELVES THAT DO NOT WEAR OUT, AN UNFAILING TREASURE IN HEAVEN, WHERE NO THIEF COMES NEAR AND NO MOTH DESTROYS. FOR WHERE YOUR TREASURE IS, THERE YOUR HEART WILL BE ALSO.

--Luke 12:33-34

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

SUNDAY - AUGUST 4

COMMUNION

- 8:00 a.m. Worship
- 9:00 Christianity 101
- 9:15 Prayer (chapel)
- 10:00 Worship/Sun. Sch.
- 11:10 Coffee Hour
- 11:15 Worship & Arts

TUESDAY - AUGUST 6

- 10:00 a.m. Human Choices
- 12 - 6:00 p.m. Bloodmobile

WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 7

- 6:15 p.m. Bible Study

THURSDAY - AUGUST 8

- 6:30 p.m. Consistory

SATURDAY - AUGUST 10

- 8:00 a.m. Ladies' Study

SUNDAY - AUGUST 11

- 8:00 a.m. Worship
- 9:00 Christianity 101
- 9:15 Prayer (chapel)
- 10:00 Worship/Sun. Sch.
- 11:10 Coffee Hour
- 11:20 Christian Nurture

ST. JOHN'S CABLE (Ch. 99) BROADCASTING SCHEDULE

- Wednesday - 1:15 p.m.
- Friday - 3:15 p.m. Sunday - 1:15 p.m.



NEWS-NOTES

Sunday, August 4, 2013



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As we unite in worship today, we extend a warm welcome to each one present. We are glad to have you sharing in our celebration of worship. We invite you to sign our guest book in the Narthex and take a "Welcome" brochure. The "Welcome" brochures contain more information about St. John's United Church of Christ, as does our website, www.stjohnsmc.org. Also, please read and fill out the visitor card in your pew rack. **For your convenience, childcare is provided each Sunday, 9:00 - 11:15 a.m., in the preschool playroom. During**

8:00 a.m. worship, a quiet room is available for parents, or grandparents, to comfort their children. Following worship, join us for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall. A church member will be happy to show you the way.

ATTENDANCE: Last Sunday, 8:00 a.m.: 44;

10:00 a.m.: 86; Total: 130

Sunday School: Children, 2; Adults, 1; Total: 3

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IN HONOR

In honor of **Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keres-
tury's** 50th wedding anniversary, donations
have been made to the Sunday School
Fund and to the Sound System Fund.

In honor of her birthday, **Mrs. Lois Koep-
ke** made a donation to the General Fund.

BLOODMOBILE

The next blood drive here
at St. John's will be held
this Tuesday, August 6th,
from noon until 6:00 p.m..



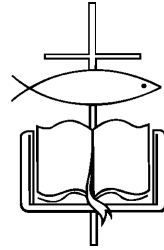
We have been notified that the Red
Cross is urging donations, as blood
supplies are down 10%. If you can do-
nate, please call 1-800-RED CROSS to
schedule your donation appointment.



MEN'S CHOIR RESUMES

Beginning Sunday, August 18th,
the Men's Choir will resume prac-
tices at 9 a.m. Sundays in the
Choir Room. New members are
always welcome!!

Questions, please call Dolores,
362-3665.



READING GOD'S STORY TOGETHER

Let's gather together in the
parlor on Wednesdays from 6:15
to 7:15 p.m. for an adventure in
reading the Bible. In just one
year we will read God's Word
cover to cover! George H. Guthrie
beautifully weaves together the Old
and New Testaments. Don't worry
if you can't come every Wednes-
day. There's a reading schedule
so you'll always know what we
will discuss each week. Bibles will
be provided, but feel free to bring
your favorite translation. Your chil-
dren or grandchildren are welcome
to join us or tutoring or quiet
study space will be available.
Questions, please call James
Steinhagen, 874-9673. **Everyone
welcome!**

MESSENGER DEADLINE

The deadline to submit information to
the office for inclusion in the September
Messenger is Tuesday, August 20th.



LEPRECHAUN HUNT--Today! Family Fun Day

Sunday, August 4, 2013

Gates open at 11 a.m. (CDT)

Hunt, 12 - 5 p.m. (CDT)

Food & Entertainment, 12 - 6 p.m.

All you care to eat: BBQ ribs, chicken, sausage,
pulled pork, corned beef, hot dogs, hamburgers,
tacos, nachos, corn, salads, beverages

~ Find one of 33 leprechauns hiding on the 185
acres and win cash prizes totaling \$5,600 ~

Between Michigan City & South Bend:
take US 20 to LaPorte CR 300 East
6357 N. 300 East, La Porte

\$50 at gate; Seniors (65+) \$45 at gate
13 & under free if accompanied by
parents/grandparents

sponsored by Share Foundation
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CALLING ALL FISH FRY CAPTAINS

For those of you who were on vacation
the last few weeks and didn't have a
chance to turn in your report, **now** is
the time! Captains, please turn in your
reports to the office as soon as possi-
ble. *Thank you very much!*

CHRISTMAS CHILD BOXES

Please keep your eyes open
for school supply sales, espe-
cially colored pencils and
pads of paper or notebooks
that will easily fit into shoe boxes. Our
prayer is that the children who receive
these gifts feel the love of Christ. They
are excited; they are in awe; they are
grateful . . . as we are in the presence of
His grace.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES DONATIONS

Please check the bulletin board outside
the library for a listing of items being
collected for our local schoolchildren.
Your generous participation in this mis-
sion outreach project will benefit both
St. John's Preschool and Michigan City
Area School students. Your donations
may be dropped off in the library.
Thank you to all those who have
already donated!!

