

NEWS-NOTES

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, May 9, 2020

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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 visit our website, www.stjohnsmc.org for more information about our church and our activities.

ATTENDANCE: Last Sunday: 9:30, 38; 11:00 a.m., 23; 12:00: 12; Total: 73

SUNDAY - MAY 9

Happy Mother's Day!

8:30 Christianity 101
9:30 Worship (F. Hall)
11:00 Worship (Sanctuary)
12:00 Gospel service (chapel)

MONDAY - MAY 10

1:00 p.m. Preschool Board
6:00 p.m. Men's Study

WEDNESDAY - MAY 12

6:00 Scouts

THURSDAY - MAY 13

6:30 p.m. Board Meeting

SUNDAY - MAY 16

8:30 Christianity 101
9:30 Worship (F. Hall)
11:00 Worship (Sanctuary)
12:00 Gospel service (chapel)

5X5X5 NEW TESTAMENT READING PLAN

Please pick up your copy of the Navigator Discipleship Tool, "5X5X5 New Testament Reading Plan," before leaving today! Read through the New Testament in 5 days a week, 5 minutes a day! The Plan can also be accessed through a link our on our website, www.stjohnsmc.org.

SHOE COLLECTION

The Michigan City Meals On Wheels organization is having a Shoe Drive to benefit the Meals On Wheels program. Please support this effort by donating your new or gently used shoes. There is a box outside Fellowship Hall where you can drop off your shoes. *Thank you very much!!*

GOD IS GOOD . . . ALL THE TIME!

In last Sunday's bulletin the Preschool asked for help in funding a new copier/printer for our curriculum sheets for next year.

The "call for help" did not even reach the congregation on Sunday . . . a St. John's friend, Tim Murphey, learned of our need and told Pastor Bill he would donate an extra HP printer/scanner he was not using. Our friend Tim also volunteered to provide new ink cartridges and help our teacher, Amy, set up the printer. We thank Tim and our Father God for working through a fellow Christian!

The donation can remains on the entry table to accept donations which will be used for the supplies needed for this machine--namely the replacement ink cartridges which are replaced according to use. These sets can run over \$100. So, thank you Christian friends for providing for our Preschool children who will begin Year 45 with the 2021--22 school year next fall!

RED, WHITE, & BBQ!

Saturday, May 15th

12 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Rittenhouse Village is proud to announce our Armed Forces Appreciation Barbecue in honor of the veterans in our community! Please RSVP to 219.262.0267 by THIS THURSDAY, May 13th to reserve your place!

IN HONOR

In honor of their 51st wedding anniversary on May 16th, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Zepik have made a donation to St. John's UCC. *Happy Anniversary!!*

UPDATE ON OUR MINIATURE CHURCH

For the safety of the church and for all people to have an opportunity to appreciate the hard work and time that was spent on constructing this project, the church has been relocated. Its new home is at the LaPorte County Museum on Highway 35 south of LaPorte.

The museum has three floors of displays representing different areas of history in LaPorte County. Our church is on the main floor, you won't miss it, the steeple gives it away! It is the same sight when you traveled north on Franklin Street and saw the pillar of Michigan City before we relocated.

Enjoy your time visiting the museum! Any questions, please call Jean Squires, 219.778.4789.