

St. John Mennonite Church

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Outreach Opportunity

Mennonite Memorial Home Volunteer Opportunities

The Mennonite Memorial Home is very grateful for the time and effort that volunteers so graciously give. There is a need for volunteers to help in a variety of ways. Your volunteering enhances the lives of our elders, so please consider how you can help! See the church bulletin board for details.

If you are interested, contact MMH at 419-358-1015.

Focus for Prayer

Julie Wolfe
Wayne Huber

Jean Shaneyfelt
Autumn Sprunger

Jase Vermillion

This Week Please Remember Ron & Donna Schumacher | Philippines

Please pray for Ron and Donna as they continue their work with Wycliffe Bible Translators in the Philippines. The Schumachers have been working on the Manobo language for decades. They continue to work on the translation in written language as well as translating "The Jesus Film" in the Manobo language to be used as an evangelistic tool. Pray for them as they will be traveling to Bangkok and Manila in the next few weeks, for their work. Pray for more people to hear the truth from God's Word and changed hearts.

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 (our website is mobile friendly)



**All you need to say is simply
 'YES' or 'NO'
 ...anything beyond this
 comes from the evil one.**

Matthew 5:37

Welcome to St. John Mennonite Church

We're glad you joined us today as we worship God together and learn from His Word. If you are visiting, we invite you to stop by the Welcome Center in the Fellowship Hall for a cup of coffee and pick up a welcome bag.

March 5, 2017

Worship Service

Call to Worship
 Welcome & Greeting
 Praise & Worship
 Intercessory Prayer
 Offering
 Message
 Response
 Sending

TODAY

Sr. High Lunch
 12-2 pm
 Mark & Julie Yoder's Home

TONIGHT

Congregational Meeting
 6 pm • Sanctuary
*Everyone is encouraged
 to come!*

Kids Choir
 6-7:30 pm • Choir Room

Service Times

First Service - 8:30 am
 Sunday School & ABF Classes - 9:45 am
 Second Service - 11:00 am



"Join with Christ in Building His Church"

A Few Family Matters

Congregational Meeting — TONIGHT, March 5 • 6 pm

Agenda —
Devotions • Minutes Approval • Committee Reports • Philosophy of Ministry Reports • Congregational Concerns • Closing Prayer

Daylight Savings Time Change • NEXT Sunday, March 12 *Spring ahead 1 hour!*

Ladies Bible Study • Weekly on Tuesdays

9-11 am • 2 Yr. Old Classroom
The Bible study has started but it's not too late for you to join us!
We are studying God's Word through Charles Stanley's 30 Life Principles.

Connection Card

We would like to know who you are and how to pray for you. The Connection Cards are located on the Sermon Notes page of the Bulletin. Fill one out and drop it in the offering bag.

Prayer Request Communication

If you have an urgent Prayer Request and would like the church body to pray, it is our desire to communicate your request. Call Lisa Gratz in the Office at 419-384-3680 (Office Hours are Monday—Friday, 9 am to 3 pm). After Office Hours, call or text Pastor Lynn Thompson at 419-890-6234 and the Prayer Request e-mail will be sent out as soon as possible. If it is not urgent, call or e-mail the Office (office@stjohnmennonite.org).

College Lunch

NO College Lunch Today or Next Sunday due to Spring Break. College Lunches will resume on Sunday, March 19.

College Care Packages

We are putting together care packages for our college students. See the table in the Fellowship Hall for details.

Youth Ministry details at www.stjohnmennonite.org

Note: NO Sr. High Small Groups Tonight

**Jr. High Confrontation Point Wilderness Trip
July 16-22, 2017**
More details coming soon!

Club 2 | Jr. High Bible Study
Wednesday • 7-8:30 pm • Paul Ginther's House

This Week

Monday, March 6

Elder Meeting • 7 pm • Conference Room

Tuesday, March 7

Ladies Bible Study • 9-11 am • 2 Yr. Old Classroom
PrimeTimers Fellowship • Noon • Gym

Wednesday, March 8

Awana • 6:30-8 pm • SJM
P.O.W. • 6:45 pm • Conference Room
Jr. High Club 2 • 7-8:30 pm • Ginther's

Friday-Sunday, March 10-12

Jr. & Sr. High Springhill Trip

Sunday, March 12

Gary Harpst Speaking • *Matthew 5:38-42*
Kids Worship Service • Fellowship Hall
Kid's Choir • 6 pm • Choir Room
SH Small Groups • 7 pm • Yoder's

Upcoming Events

Mission Festival 2017 • "How Big Is Your Cross"

March 18-19 • Featuring Andy LaBreche

Weekend Events:

Saturday, March 18 • 8:30-10:30 am • Gym

- Breakfast with Andy LaBreche
- Childcare Provided
- Sign-Up in the Fellowship Hall

Sunday, March 19

- 9:45-10:45 am • Joint ABF • Q & A with Andy
- Multiple Missions Displays
- Andy will be preaching in both services

Children's Ministry

sjmkids@gmail.com

TODAY

Kids Worship • K-3rd Grade

Kids will be dismissed during 2nd Service.

Parents pick up children in Fellowship Hall after the worship service.

WEDNESDAY • 6:30-8 pm

AWANA Clubs

Missions Night

Featuring: The McKanna Family

NEXT Sunday

Kids Choir/Musical Practice

6-7:30 pm • Choir Room
K-6th Grade

IGNITE

5 Day Summer Camp

June 12-16, 2017

9 am - 4 pm

Current 3rd - 6th Graders

Camp will be held at St. John.

Registration and information available at:

www.stjohnmennonite.org

Sermon Notes

March 5, 2017

Matthew

Paul Perkins

Yes or No

Matthew 5:33-37

Sermon Notes

CONNECTION CARD

NAME: _____

SPOUSE: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

KID'S NAMES (AND AGES):

WEBSITE: www.stjohnmennonite.org
FACEBOOK: www.facebook.com/sjmchurch

Please drop this card in an offering bag,
or place it in the Main Office.

SEE OTHER SIDE 

QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR NEXT STEP?

CHECK THE ONES THAT APPLY TO YOU:

- HOW DO I **FOLLOW CHRIST?**
- I'M NEW!** HOW CAN I LEARN MORE ABOUT ST. JOHN?
- I'D LIKE TO **SERVE** IN ONE OF THE MINISTRIES:
 - CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
 - YOUTH MINISTRY
 - WORSHIP MINISTRY
 - WELCOME MINISTRY

We will contact you using the info provided on the reverse side.

BAPTISM

I AM READY TO GO PUBLIC WITH MY FAITH

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

WRITE YOUR REQUEST IN THE SPACE BELOW