

St. John Mennonite Church

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Outreach Opportunity

Putnam County Hospice Volunteer Opportunity

Putnam County Hospice is seeking volunteers to offer companionship to patients, respite to the caregivers, assistance with administrative tasks, as well as assistance with special events and fundraising projects. Following training and orientation, volunteers can choose their area of involvement. For more information, please contact the Putnam County Hospice Volunteer Coordinator at 419-523-4449.

Focus for Prayer

Tom Clymer Jolene Rausch Jedd Emans
 Margaret Basinger Search Committee

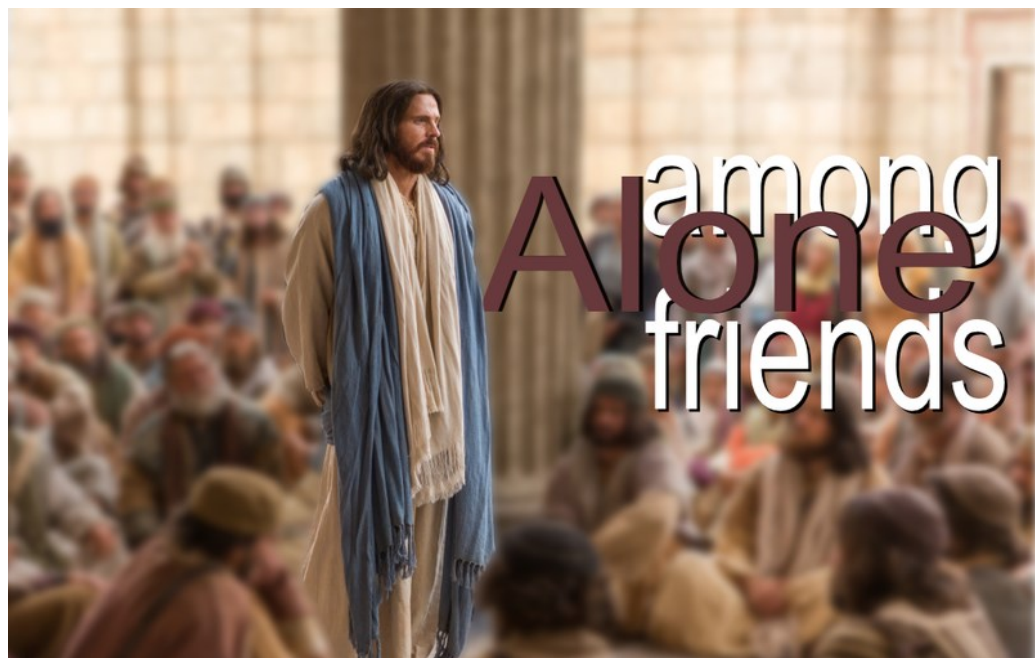
This Week Please Remember Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF)

Please be praying for CEF in our area. We are partnering with two missionary families in this area; the Todd family and Elsea family. Their focus is bringing the gospel to elementary school students in after-school programs and also having back yard "Good News Clubs" in the summer. Please continue to pray for these families and the volunteers that faithfully serve children in the surrounding counties. Pray that many children will come to know Christ and grow in Him.

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E-mail: office@stjohnmennonite.org | Web: www.stjohnmennonite.org
 (our website is mobile friendly)



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.

March 11, 2018

Worship Service

Welcome & Greeting
 Praise & Worship
 Prayer
 Offering
 Message
 Communion
 Response
 Sending

Today

Kids Worship
 11 am • Sr. High Room
 (MP Room 420)

Service Times

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



A community of believers striving to know Christ and to make Him known through word and deed.

A Few Family Matters

Easter Choir

You are ALL invited to be part of the choir this Easter Season. St. John Mennonite is the host church for the Pandora Community Good Friday Service on March 30 at 7 pm. We will be inviting area choir members to join us for a Good Friday Community Choir. We will also be singing praises to our Risen King on Easter Sunday, April 1. The rehearsals will be on the following **Monday evenings at 7:00 pm** in the SJM Choir Room: **March 12; March 19; March 26.** Mark your calendars and plan to join us!

SJM Annual Report

If you were unable to attend the Congregation Meeting, printed Annual Report packets are available in the church workroom.

College Lunch

NO College Lunch TODAY. Plan to join us NEXT Sunday.

Facilities Committee

We currently have an open position. If you are interested in serving on this committee please contact Dave Lee.

Pastor Meet & Greet

If you are new to St. John **for the past year**, Pastor Paul would love to meet you. See the Sermon Notes section of the Bulletin for details and to sign up.

Prayer Request

You may have noticed the Connection Card is not available in the Bulletin this week. If you have a prayer request or Directory update, please email the church office at office@stjohnmennonite.org.

Congratulations!

We welcome Lydia Claire Walther, daughter of Doug and Allie Walther. Lydia was born on February 28 and she weighed 8 lbs. 12 oz.

Youth Ministry details at www.stjohnmennonite.org

Club2 • THIS Wednesday • 7-8:30 pm
Home of Paul Ginther

Sr. High Small Groups

PG Guys • Sundays • 7-8:30 pm • Luke Neuenschwander's
Cory Rawson Guys • Sundays • 7-8:30 pm • Luke Neuenschwander's
BHS Girls/Guys • Sundays • 7-9 pm • Yoder's
PG Girls • Wednesdays • 7-8:30 pm • Angie Basinger's
CG Guys • Thursdays • 3:15-4:15 pm

This Week

Monday, March 12

Choir Practice • 7 pm • Choir Room
Elder Meeting • 6 pm • Conference Room
Council Meeting • 7:30 pm • Conference Room

Tuesday, March 13

Ladies Bible Study • 9 am • 2 Yr. Old Classroom
Missions Committee • 7 pm • Conference Room

Wednesday, March 14

Awana • 6:30-8 pm • SJM
Club2 • 7-8:30 pm • Paul Ginther's Home
Prayer On Wednesday • 7 pm • Conference Room

Saturday, March 17

Men's & Women's Breakfast • 8:30 am • SJM Gym

Sunday, March 18

Mission Sunday with Dan Wolgemuth
Joint ABF • 9:45 am • SJM Gym

Upcoming Events

2018 Mission Festival

THIS Saturday, March 17 & Sunday, March 18
Join us as Dan Wolgemuth, President of Youth For Christ—USA, shares about the ministry of YFC.
▪Men's and Women's Breakfast (*childcare provided*)
Saturday, March 17 • 8:30-10:30 am • SJM Gym
▪Sunday Morning, March 18
Both Services—8:30 am & 11:00 am
Joint ABF—9:45 am • SJM Gym

Rally Point Chicken BBQ

Sunday, March 25 • 11:15 am—1:30 pm • SJM Gym
Tickets are \$8—Proceeds benefit YFC Summer Camp

Children's Ministry

sjmkids@gmail.com

AWANA Wednesday Night

6:30-8 pm
Backward/Inside Out Night
Wear your clothes backwards or inside out

Kids Easter Choir

4 yr. old-6th Grade
Practice:
Wednesday, March 14 & 21
5:40—6:20 pm
We will be singing in both services on Sunday, March 25

IGNITE

June 11-15
9 am—4 pm
Current 3rd-6th Graders

Registration is NOW open online!

www.stjohnmennonite.org

We are taking the first 60 kids that register

Sermon Notes

March 11, 2018
Matthew
Paul Perkins

Alone Among Friends
Matthew 26

Sermon Notes



Pastors MEET AND GREET

OUR OPPORTUNITY TO MEET YOU
YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO MEET US

April 8th, 2018, 12 - 2 pm

Meet the Pastor

Paul Perkins

SEE OTHER SIDE 

* If you are new to St. John Mennonite Church *for the past year*, Pastor Paul would love to meet you! Our Meet & Greet is designed for you to ask questions and get to know the pastor. It is also a time to get the inside scoop on what makes St. John an exciting place to worship, grow in the Lord, and be part of community.

Join us for lunch in the Fellowship Hall following the second service.

April 8th, 2018, 12 — 2 p.m.

Let us know if you plan to join us. To sign-up, write your name below, indicate how many will be coming, tear off and drop in offering bag or the office.

NAME: _____ HOW MANY: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____