

ST. JOHN'S

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

A STEPHEN MINISTRY CHURCH

October 10, 2021

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Applefest Announcements

Silent Auction

We are in need of items for the Theme Baskets and miscellaneous items. In 2019, there were over 50 baskets and 163 miscellaneous items in the Silent Auction, which totaled over \$10,000 for the charities. Some ideas for donating are: donate a week or weekend at the beach, football tickets, concerts, gardening items, artwork, baby things, and the list is endless. You can either drop off your items with Nancy Fairgrieve at the church or contact Tish Haythorn at 803-648-6471 or Linda Walters at 803-502-0455 to arrange a date to pick up your donation.

Second Hand Rose

Now is the time many people go through their wardrobe to evaluate it. Second Hand Rose of Applefest would like you to consider saving items you don't need for our November 6 sale. Please make sure all items are clean and in good condition, preferably on hangers. Any donated items that are dirty, stained, overly worn or needing repairs will be discarded. If you need hangers, please call Ginger Hudock at (803)640-4381 to arrange to get hangers or for any questions you might have.

Frozen Features

Applefest is known for its excellent casseroles, soups, and other frozen delights. It is not too early to start thinking about what you could prepare for the Frozen Features booth. All that is required is a list of ingredients for the benefit of those with allergies. More details regarding drop-off will be released soon. If you are interested in preparing an item or items for donation, please contact Camille Bailey, 803-295-2057 or cbbailey@atlanticbb.net.

Twice Loved Treasures

Items will be accepted for Twice Loved Treasures in the gym beginning Monday, Nov. 1 through Friday, November 5th. Please drop off your items no later than 2:00p.m. on Friday. As always, we happily accept household items, toys, tools, furniture, and sporting equipment. However, we are not able to accept TVs or computers. Please take your clothing items to Second Hand Rose. If you have any questions, please call Marsha Mikes at 803-644-7204. We are also in need of volunteers. If you are interested in helping please contact Marsha Mikes.

PLEASE DO NOT BRING ANY DONATIONS TO THE CHURCH UNTIL THEY ARE ASKED FOR. WE ARE NOT CURRENTLY ACCEPTING CLOTHES, FOOD, OR TWICE LOVED TREASURES ITEMS. WE DO NOT HAVE STORAGE SPACE FOR EXTRA ITEMS.

SERVING THIS WEEK

Worship Services—Dr. Tim McClendon; Rev. Butch Blackwell; Rev. Douglas Herlong; Music Director, Dr. Catherine Nance; Music Associate & Organist—Christopher Nash; 9:02 Band Leader, Jane Timmerman; 9:02 Band

Crucifer — Anna Grace Chafin Acolytes — Olivia & Sophia Overstreet

October 11:00 Ushers: Newkirk Barnes, Jeanette Isaacson, Donald Leader, Paula Blackmore, Deb Persons, Connie & Mick Pisko, Missy Poe, Penny Rue, Nola & Allen Radcliffe, and Claire & Roger Carpenter

October Worship Support—Jane Fogle, Marsha Mikes, & Sandra Shelley

You may text your gift to St. John's by texting *stjaiken* to 1-888-364-4483 and following the instructions.

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October 10, 2021

Children's Ministries

The GROVE meets tonight in the gym from 5:00-6:30 p.m. for 5K through 6th grade. Bring a friend!

Children's Choirs are BACK! Join us Wednesday, October 13 from 5:00-6:00p.m. for Alleluia Choir (1st -5th grade) room 210 and 5:15-6:00p.m. for Joy Choir (3K-5K), room 220.

Trunk or Treat is Sunday, October 31 from 4:00-5:00 p.m. in the back parking lot. If you'd like to decorate a trunk, register to reserve your parking spot today!

Foundation Student Ministries

(7th-12th Grades)

Join us THIS SUNDAY for SNY from 5-6:30 p.m. for 9-Square in the Air! We will continue our "Known" series. Invite a friend!

Youth Choir returns TONIGHT: Sunday, October 10 from 4:00-5:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

Youth Bible Studies:

CORE (Middle School girls), Dwell (High School girls) and Brotherhood (Middle and High School boys) at 7:00 p.m. CORE and Dwell will meet in the upstairs Faith Center and Brotherhood will meet in the gym. Make plans to join us and invite a friend!

St. John's Missions News

Did you know ACTS has a successful Car Ministry? The applicants participate in an interview process, financial counseling, and other requirements. Consider donating your used car to change the life of someone in our community who is employed but without transportation. To learn more, call ACTS at 803-649-3800.

For the month of October, we are collecting <u>blankets</u>. Please place any donated items in the box marked "Grace Kitchen" in the Narthex of each worship service. Please place <u>only</u> the requested donation items in the Grace Kitchen boxes as these are the current items needed.

Church Leadership Nominations

All current chairpersons of ministry groups, committees, boards, and councils are asked to guide their group in self-selecting either replacements or re-enlisting current persons to serve in their ministry areas. Staff-Parish and Nominations are limited in their years of service. Other groups may re-up their personnel. Please inform the church office and Jennifer Windham no later than **TOMORROW, OCTOBER 11**.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of *Harriet Shallo* by *Frank Shallo* for their anniversary.

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Wednesday Night Supper

Menu: Chicken Enchiladas, Mexican Rice, Pinto Beans, & Éclair Cake

Reservations are required and should be made by Monday, October 11, at 5:00 p.m. Make reservations by calling the church office at (803)648-6891 or contacting Juli Davis at: idavis@stjohns-umc.org. Cost is \$7.50 for 10 years old and older, and \$3.00 for children over the age of 3. You can pay online at stjaiken.org. Then go to "Give Now," next press the drop down button, then click on WNS. You may also pay in person. Checks are preferred. Please make checks out to St. John's.

News of the Family

Congratulations to:

Keisha Uhle who was recently named the "2021 Clemson University Mother of the Year."

Our Sympathies to:

Jo Ann Winslow on the death of her husband, **Don Winslow**, who passed away on October 2, 2021 in Aiken, SC.

Shirley Powell on the death of her brother, **Richard "Dick" Schneider**, who passed away on October 2, 2021 in Saginaw, MI.

In Memoriam

Mr. Donald "Don" Winslow October 2, 2021

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Mrs. Mozelle B. Flynt October 3, 2021

ACTS Monthly Collection Item

October - Canned Fruit

Collection bins are located in the Narthex and the Faith Center

Attendance—10/3/2021

8:30 | 76 | 9:02 | 129 | 11:00 | 261 | 6:00 | 46

Total in Person | 512

9:02 Online Live | 348 11:00 Online Live | 363

Our Giving Growth

Operations Budget as of 10/06/2021

Year to date offerings given for what God is asking us to do: \$ 1,662,563.78

Year to date ministry expenditures: \$ 1,464,920.08

\$ 197,643.70

Missions Budget: Year 2021/2022

Year to date offerings given for what God is asking us to do in Missions: \$142,722.77

Year to date Missions Disbursements: \$127,350.00

TRUNK OR TREAT

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PEOPLE TO HOST A TRUNK

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31 FROM 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM.

Register on Realm

CAN'T PARTICIPATE? WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR CANDY DONATIONS. YOU MAY DONATE IN THE FAITH CENTER OR SANCTUARY NARTHEX.









Children's Choir is back!

Wednesdays from 5-6 pm for Alleluia Choir (1st-5th Grade) and 5:15-6 pm for Joy Choir (3K-5K).









Dr. Tim's Bible Study is returning!

Wednesday, November 10 from 10-11:30 am in the Sanctuary.

We will study the Gospel of Matthew in preparation for Advent & the Christmas Season.

Order of Worship—8:30 A.M.

We welcome you, no matter who you are, where you come from, or why you are here. We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's place with its doors open wide. Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please silence all electronic devices.

PRELUDE

SERMON

CALL TO WORSHIP De

Dear Jesus, In Whose Life I See

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Butch Blackwell

*OPENING HYMN NO. 559 Christ is Made the Sure Foundation Westminster Abbey

*SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 10:17-31

A Schmoozer, Not a Doer

Dr. Tim McClendon

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI Meineke

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

OFFERTORY Here I Am Lord arr. Courtney

Alysa Smith, Soloist

*DOXOLOGY

PASTORAL PRAYER, LORD'S PRAYER, & CHORAL RESPONSE

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*HYMN OF DEDICATION NO. 399 Take My Life, and Let it Be

Messiah

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Please stand, as able.

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OFFERTORY From the Inside Out Hillsong

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 10:17-31

SERMON A Schmoozer, Not a Doer Dr. Tim McClendon

PRAISE SONG My Savior, My God Shust

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SENDING FORTH SONG

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OFFERTORY

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*DOXOLOGY

ANTHEM Here I Am Lord arr. Courtney

Chancel Choir

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