

NEWS FOR THE PEWS

Events, Announcements, Calendar, and Prayers for St. John's and Beyond *June 21, 2026*

Welcome! We are thrilled to have you celebrating the joy of the resurrection with us today and every day. We strive to be an open community and safe place where you can receive God's grace, grow in faith, experience fellowship, and serve our world. Whether it is your first service with us or you have been attending your whole life, you are beloved in this family. Take a look at all the ways the Spirit is moving at St. John's.

ST. JOHN'S WELCOMES THE MASONS

Members of the Masonic Lodge (our next-door neighbors!) will be joining us for worship on **Sunday, June 28th** at the 10 AM service. During announcements, we will hear about their work and fellowship. Following the service, the Masons will host coffee hour in their space—make sure to come!

CELEBRATING 250 CONCERT

The St. John's Choir will perform a patriotic concert on **Sunday, July 5th** celebrating the 250th anniversary of the founding of our country. All are invited to enjoy this beautiful music at 9:40 AM in the Nave.

KIDS & FAMILY POOL PARTY

Join us for a pool party on **Saturday, July 11th at 11 AM!** We will have snacks and pizza for families with children elementary school age and below.

FELLOWSHIP COFFEE HOUR

Each Sunday following the 10:00 am service, we will have coffee and lemonade at our Fellowship Coffee Hour. It would be great to have members of the church sign up to provide snacks on some Sundays to complement the beverages. There will be sign-up sheets in the Parish Hall just waiting for you to volunteer. June is still available. Nothing elaborate is expected! Whatever you decide to provide will be most appreciated. Thank you, Pat Dvorak, Fellowship Hostess

OUTREACH

Outreach continues to collect hygiene products for Chesterfield school children who are homeless. **Current requests: deodorant and black leggings, but all donations are welcomed.** Drop off in the office lobby.

ORGAN INSTALLATION COMING ALONG

Take a peek in the choir loft and you will see major progress on the organ! The work is both meticulous and back-breaking, so we continue to ask your prayers over all those doing this important work. We are confident that St. John's will soon have a beautifully-restored organ!

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

To fathers of all kinds, thank you for your love and wisdom. We salute and celebrate you today!

FEED MORE FOOD

Chester UMC once again invites St. John's to join in the upcoming Feed More Food Distribution Event on **July 17th**. Here's the link to sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D44ACAF2CAAF5C16-64455508-july#/>



FAMILY TIME WORSHIP

Due to scheduling conflicts and holidays, Family Time Worship will take a break in June and July. We will be **back on August 1st!**

ALTAR GUILD

The flowers today are to the Glory in honor of Don and Becky Farr on their 58th wedding anniversary.

The 2026 Flower Calendar is now posted in the narthex just waiting for you to select your dates for memorials, birthdays, anniversaries, etc. for the coming year. Our recommended donation is \$50. Stop by and select the special dates important to you. Thank you.



We can't do this without your help!
Scan this QR code with your smart phone to make a donation to St. John's.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please call the church office with any changes or additions for the prayer list.

June Birthdays

1 Gabby Bergeret 3 Susan Powell, Joe Blankenship
4 Eric Moehring 6 Lauren Clark
7 Amy Clark, Peggy Wintzer 9 Craig Buckner
8 Diane Keller, Aspen Heggie 12 Denise Doyle
17 Mac Winn Sheridan 18 Marina Jean Mueller
19 Christey Gillespie, Alan Thibault
24 Llewellyn Slayton 25 Cheryl Harwell
27 Val Miser 29 Billy Johnson

Those in Need of Healing

Colleen Gentry, Dick Pittman, Linda DeBell, Tim Pahlick, Annette Blankenship, James Robinson, Steve Oeffinger, Arlene Lotti, George Starke, William (Bill) Fields, Jim Colonna, Fr. Keith Gentry, Jaydon Robinson, Jordyn Prophett, Cathy Frazer, Marguerite Alley, Britt Young & Family, Marianne Branigan, Gene Thompson, Rita & Billy Johnson, Melissa Fields, Jim Krech, Una Harrison, Joy Maughan, The Macri Family, Martha & Joe Sheridan, The Sweeney Family

Those Who Serve

Col. Ernesto M. DiVittorio, Rear Admiral Brett W. Mietus, Colonel Amalia DiVittorio, Staff Sergeant Reade Whitner Enochs, Staff Sergeant Ryan Steidel and Petty Officer 3rd Class Damien Carter, Deputy Sheriff Donald H. Farr

Those Who Have Recently Died

Gene Furness (Jim Colonna's brother)
Missely Curitomay
Michael Likavec

Parishioners @ Home

Maggi Twilley, Julie Johnson,
Sandy Weilbacher, and Millie Johnson

St. John's Vestry

Kim Courington, Senior Warden
Larry Maher, Junior Warden (Property)
John Maxwell, Junior Warden (Strategy)
Catherine Mueller, Congregational Vitality
Don Raybould, Liaison for Parish Life

Hazel Sloane, Register
Lalin Peiris, Treasurer

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR JUNE 14, 2026

The People of St. John's
Aubrey Lindsey, Organist and Choirmaster
Bryant Watson, Violinist
Michael Phaup, Cantor
Chris Day, Live Streaming
John Maxwell, 8 AM Inside Security
Alan Thibault, 10 AM Inside Security
John Maxwell, 10 AM Outside Security
Kim Courington, 8 AM LEM
Lin Corbin-Howerton, 10 AM LEM
Denise Doyle & Liz Pectal, 8 AM Readers
Lin Corbin-Howerton & Ruby DiVittorio, 10 AM Readers
Leshem Peiris, Acolyte
Pat & Hank Dvorak, Ushers
Dick Pitman & Don Farr, Tellers
Brenda Wood, Valerie Miser, Becky Farr
& Donna Horner, Altar Guild
Tamara Evans, Flowers
Rev. Allison Pace, 10 AM Deacon
Rev. Mary Margaret, Celebrant

CONTACT US

The church office is open Tuesday—Friday, 9:15 AM to 3:15 PM. Reach out to Rev. Mary Margaret directly for an appointment. Call: 804-748-2182.

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THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

Sun., June 21	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
	8:30 AM	Choir Rehearsal
	9:00 AM	Adult Forum
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
	11:15 AM	Fellowship Coffee Hour
Mon., June 22	11:00 AM	Celebration of Life for Michael Likavec
	7:00 PM	Boy and Cub Scouts
Tues., June 23	7:00 PM	AA/Al-Anon
Wed., June 24	7:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Sat., June 27	10:00 AM	Daughters of the King
Sun., June 28	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
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	9:00 AM	Adult Forum
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
	11:15 AM	Fellowship Coffee Hour