

MAKING AND MATURING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST



Kingdom Kids Kickoff

Kingdom Kids Club KickOff: October 4 from 2-4 in the parking lot. We will need volunteers to help run the games and pass out information and sign kids up. If you are interested, please let Janie know.

Sunday Schedule

- 9 am Women's Bible Study - FH
- 10 am Service

Ministries for Kids

- Oct. 4: Kingdom Kids Club Kickoff, 2-4 pm
- Oct. 14: Kingdom Kids Club Begins, 5-7 pm

Ministries for Adults/Families

- Oct. 2: Friday w/ Friends - Western Sizzler-Lima, 11:30 am
- Oct. 3: Dinner Club- Hibachi Dash-Marion, 4:00 pm (meet at 3:15 pm)
- Oct. 16: Friday w/ Friends - Coonies-LaRue, 11:30 am
- Nov. 1: Memorial Sunday during worship
- Nov. 8: Denominational Affiliation Congregational Mtg.
- Nov. 19: Women's Celebration- FH, opens at 5 pm with dinner at 6 pm

Ongoing:

- Sundays - Pickleball - Time TBA Boy Scout Lake Courts
- 2nd & 4th Sunday: MomCo at 6:30 pm
- Daily Walking Group (M-F): Boy Scout Lake at 7am - meet at the Big Pavilion
- First Tuesday of the Month (Nursing Home Ministry) - Blanchard Place, 1 pm
- 2nd Tuesday of the Month - Total Wellness Tuesday, 11 am -12 pm
- 3rd Tuesday of the Month- Community Meal, 5-6:30
- Thursdays: Bible Study, 6 pm - FH
- 2nd Thursday of the Month - Eurchre, 1-4 pm - FH
- 2nd & 4th Friday - Prayer at Noon in the Sanctuary
- Saturday Men's Bible Study: 7:30 am- FH
- Sat. Bible Recap Bible Study: 9 am in the church library



**October is
Pastor Appreciation Month &
Pastor Randall's Birthday
(October 14)**



Council Needs in 2027

The Board is looking for 2 new members to fill positions coming open in January. Pray about how you can serve.

Operation Christmas Child

Box Correspondence:

The church received an email from recipients of last year's boxes:

We thanks for the occ gifts, here in Malawi, Dedza District (Golomoti Charismatic Redeemed International Ministries Church).

On the Gifts we Find your address and we all happy with your Gifts.



Thank you to everyone who supports this project in any way!

Women's Celebration Dinner

Women's Celebration Dinner is November 19 at St. John's Church. The doors will open at 5 pm with dinner served at 6 pm. Watch the bulletin and newsletter for updates and ticket information.

MomCo Meeting:

meets the 2nd and 4th Sunday evenings at 6:30. If you are interested in helping with childcare or helping with the Moms, please let Janie know.

Thank You

St John's Family and Friends: Thank you for your Kindness, Compassion, and Unwavering support as Raetta went through health problems that ended with her returning to her Lord Jesus Christ. I know that is what families and friends do, but those prayer, the love and caring you gave us provides a warm encouraging feeling, and we thank you.

Tom Maurer and Family



Upcoming Outreach Events

Total Wellness Tuesdays

Tips on Aging

Event Schedule

- August 11 - 11am-12pm
Hardin County Council on Aging
- September 8-13
Meet us at the Fair!
Community Building - St. John's Booth
- October 13 - 11am-12pm
ONU Pharmacy Vitamin Program & OSU Extension Gen RX Program
- November 10 - 11am-12pm
Medicare/Medicaid Area Agency on Aging
- December 8 - 11am-12pm
Silver Sneakers YMCA
- January 12 - 11am-12pm
10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's

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Empowering seniors to live healthy, fulfilling lives.

Helpful Information

- Health & Wellness
Tips for healthy aging
- Community Resources
Local Programs and support
- Caregiver Support
Resources and guidance

- Nutrition & Fitness
Information for a healthy lifestyle
- Benefits Assistance
Help understanding your options

Caring today for a better tomorrow

Please RSVP

A TIME FOR FELLOWSHIP, PRAISE & COMMUNITY. COME IN A STRANGER & LEAVE A FRIEND

St. John's Evangelical Church Community Dinner

3rd Tuesday of each Month

Schedule

Tuesday Sept 15	Tuesday Oct 20	Tuesday Nov 10 2nd Tuesday
Tuesday Dec 15	Tuesday Jan 19	Tuesday Feb 16

All Are Welcome!

St. John's Fellowship Hall
211 E. Carroll St, Kenton, OH 43326

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MOMCO SCHEDULE 2026-2027

SEPTEMBER 20 Good Company 27 Be Interruptible	OCTOBER 11 True Self Care 25 BEYOND THE BIRDS & THE BEES	NOVEMBER 8 When life feels like a snow globe 22 STAY TRUE
DECEMBER 13 Interrupt Your Comfort 27 CHRISTMAS Savor the Season	JANUARY 10 Style with Confidence 24 Word over Worry	FEBRUARY 14 How to Pray 28 Decoding Desire
MARCH 14 Raising Capable Kids 28 MOTHERHOOD LEADERSHIP	APRIL 11 Easter: He Made a Way 25 Make Things Beautiful	

MORE INFO WWW.STJOHNSKENTON.ORG

August Board Highlights

- Linda Zeigler was approved as new council member
- A motion was made to increase Janie's scholarship out of the Lotz fund to \$2400.00 a year for 3 years with the stipulation that she stay on for at least a year after she gets her masters.
- The janitor requested a raise & riding lawn mower.
- Motion was made to replace 3 phones with a lease for 24 months then they will belong to the church.
- Richard wants to teach a class on evangelism use on Facebook
- Meeting Sunday for congregation to vote for removal of chimney. Money coming out of Mabel Zingg fund.

Special Meeting- August 16

Motion passed to remove chimney at cost of \$22,000 and \$3,855 to repair roof. Funds from church main., farm or donations.

Mission of the Month:**Safe Haven of Hardin County**

Safe Haven helps domestic violence clients and their children to get away from the abuser. They can be reached at 419-679-4147. They hold several fundraiser events throughout the year. They also hold a candlelight vigil in October, which is Domestic Violence Awareness Month, to remember those lost in the last year as a result of this senseless crime.

Denominational Affiliation:

We are thinking of joining the Churches of God, General Conference. They are located at: 700 E. Melrose Ave., Findlay, OH 45840. Phone number: 419-424-1961. Information can be found on their website at: <https://www.cggc.org>. Packets are in the back of the sanctuary. If you have any questions, please talk to Pastor Randall or Jerry. Congregational Meeting: November 8

Birthdays - 80+ years

October Birthdays on File:

October 6: Barb McQuown
18677 SR 309 E
Kenton, OH 43326

October 7: Doris Heilman
c/o Logan Acres
2739 CR 91
Bellefontaine, OH
43311

October 27: Julie Pfeiffer
10152 TR 215
Kenton, OH 43326

October 29: Shirley Bushong
7280 Township Road 120
Alger, OH 45812

If you would like to be added to the list, please contact the church office.

Card Shower for Doris Heilman's 100th Birthday

We would like to shower Doris Heilman with cards and love as she celebrates her 100th birthday on October 7. Her address is above. She is a lifelong member.

Contact Us

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New Office Hours:
Monday - Thursday: 8:30-10:30
Friday: Closed

Pastor Randall Forester, Senior Pastor:
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revrandawg@aol.com

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familyminister.stjohns@gmail.com

Kay Rush, Financial Secretary:
stjohncfinance@gmail.com

Kathy Forester, Bulletin & Newsletter information:
kathyforester.stjohns@gmail.com
Deadline: Thursdays at 8:30 am

**Preaching Series**

October 4:
Psalm 32
I John 1:5-10
Sermon: The Son Cleanes US

October 11:
Proverbs 8:1-4
John 16:4b-15
Sermon: The Searchlight of the Holy Spirit

October 18:
Matthew 26:14-16
Genesis 44:1-34
Sermon: What Have You Done?

October 25:
II Corinthians 7:8-13a
Luke 15:1-10
Sermon: Warmer or Colder?

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
				6pm - Bible Study 6:30pm - Cub Scouts	11:30am - Friday w/ Friends	7:30am - Men's Breakfast 9am - Bible Recap Small 4pm - Hibachi Dash @
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