

The Feast of All Saints observed Holy Eucharist: Rite II

November 6, 2022 10 a.m.

### Welcome to St. John's!

Welcome and thank you for worshiping with us today! Whatever your religious background (if any) and however you have come to be here with us, we welcome you. Whether you are online or inperson, we are glad that you have found us and we invite you to return here any Sunday so that we may continue to worship with you. Please visit us on the web at stjohnsmlb.org where you can also sign our Virtual Guest Book, and, if you are in-person, please use the welcome cards in the pew racks.

## Precautions in place during this pandemic:

Based on Diocesan guidelines face coverings are no longer required. Unvaccinated persons should continue to mask as an expression of concern for others as well as their own safety. It is strongly encouraged to use the available hand sanitizer. Communion is at the altar rail, and wine will be by intinction only (see note at that point in the bulletin).

## **Preparation for Worship**

The organ's chimes are a signal that it is time to take your seat in a pew, refrain from talking, and be in prayer and meditation as preparation for our worship together. The organ voluntary is an opportunity when, if we are properly prepared, we may hear the voice of the Holy Spirit in the confines of our mind.

## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Congregation joins in the portions printed in **bold italics**.

Hymn 287, "For all the saints"



Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

## **Collect of the Day**

The Lord be with you, *And also with you.* Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

The Lessons All sit

## Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the

truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever – for ever and ever."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

### Psalm 149

Recited by all in unison

Hallelujah! Sing to the Lord a new song; \* sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; \* let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

Let them praise his Name in the dance; \* let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

For the Lord takes pleasure in his people \* and adorns the poor with victory.

Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; \* let them be joyful on their beds.

Let the praises of God be in their throat \* and a two-edged sword in their hand;

To wreak vengeance on the nations \* and punishment on the peoples;

To bind their kings in chains \* and their nobles with links of iron;

To inflict on them the judgment decreed; \* this is glory for all his faithful people. Hallelujah!

## **Ephesians 1:11-23**

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your

heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power.

God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Luke 6:20-31 All stand, as able

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. *Glory to you, Lord Christ.* 

Jesus looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to

the prophets.

But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies,

do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes

away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon All sit

The Nicene Creed

All stand, as able

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## **Prayers of the People**

Form III

All kneel, as able

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church; *That we all may be one.* 

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest. *Let light perpetual shine upon them.* 

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. Francis of Assisi Church, Bushnell and St. Matthias Church, Clermont.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the bishops and clergy of The Church of England.

Heavenly Father, watch over and protect our nation's military members and their families, especially David, Luke, Jeremy, Craig, Dobson, Murray, Joel, Mack, Sergio, Ryan, Jimmy, Carl Jr., Matthew, Julian, Andrew, Jim, Brandon, Kyle, Nate, Stephen, Evan, Patrick, Clay, Ian, and Marsha.

We pray for our brothers and sisters who cannot be here with us today especially *Barbara*, *Jan*, *Bryan*, *Lilian*, *and Brenda*. *Silence* 

God of peace and justice, we pray for all those who live under armed conflict in Ukraine, Sudan,

Iran and other places around the world. We pray for those with power over war or peace and those commanded to fight, for wisdom, compassion and restraint to guide their decisions. We pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. In the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. *Amen.* 

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Holy Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.* 

#### The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

**Announcements** All sit

**Birthday and Anniversary Prayer** 

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

(Eucharistic Prayer B)

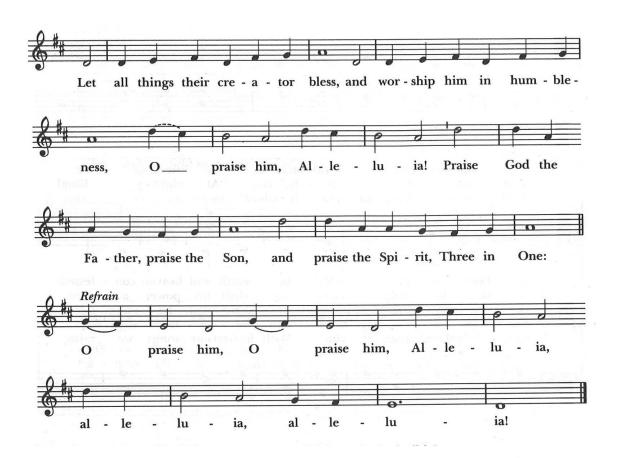
At the Offertory, Hymn

Their bodies are buried in peace ...but their names live forever more.

G. F. Handel

**Presentation Hymn** 

All stand as able



Words: Francis of Assisi (1182-1226); tr. William H. Draper (1855-1933), alt.
Music: Lasst uns erfreuen, melody from Auserlesene Catholische Geistliche Kirchengeseng, 1623; adapt. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

88. 44. 88 with Refrain

All things come of Thee, O Lord. And of Thine own have we given Thee.

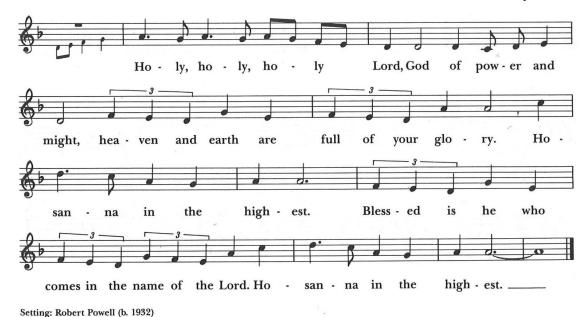
The Lord be with you. *And also with you.* 

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. *It is right to give him thanks and praise.* 

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, for in the multitude of your saints you have surrounded us with a great cloud of witnesses, that we might rejoice in their fellowship, and run with endurance the race that is set before us; and, together with them, receive the crown of glory that never fades away.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Please kneel as able

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father, *We remember his death*.

We proclaim his resurrection. We await his coming in glory;

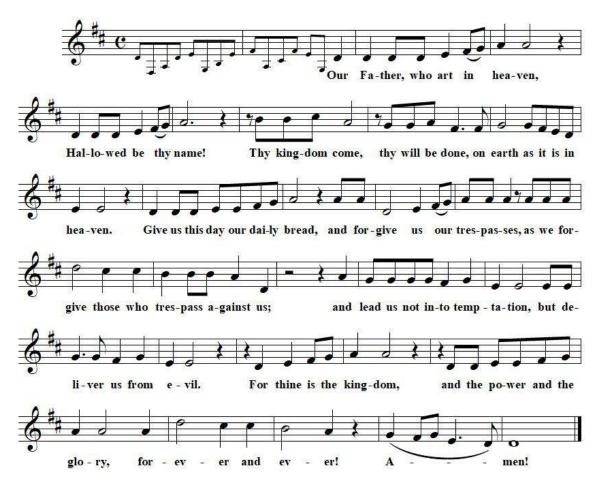
And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the

fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. AMEN.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,



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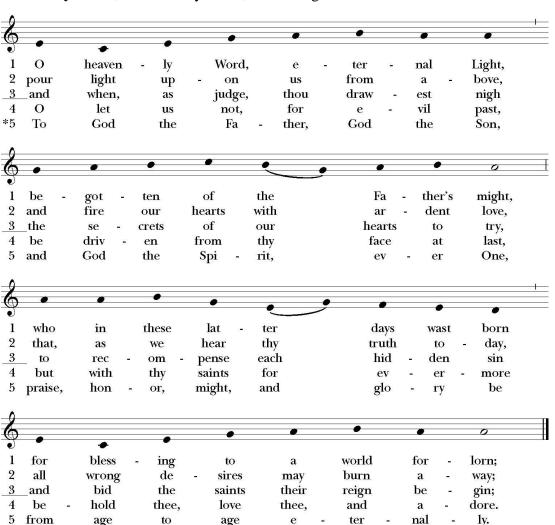
# The Breaking of the Bread Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The usher will indicate when it is time for your row to come forward to the altar rail to receive Communion. If you wish to receive Communion in your pew, please let the usher know and it will be brought to you. When you go forward, an usher will indicate where to kneel at the rail, then hold your hands in front of you, one on top of the other, to receive the bread. Due to COVID restrictions, wine is by "intinction" only. No one sips from the common cup. If you wish to receive the wine, after the clergy places the bread in your hand, just hold it out for the chalice bearer, who will dip it in the wine and place it on your tongue. If you do not wish to receive the wine, simply consume the bread and cross your arms over your chest when the chalice bearer comes by, then return to your seat.

## Communion Hymn 63, "O heavenly Word, eternal Light"

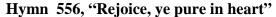


Tune: Verbum supernum

Tune: Marion

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

## The Blessing





#### Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ! Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Voluntary

Improvisation on MARION

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### THIS MORNING'S MUSIC

"For all the saints" was penned by William W. How, 1823-1897 and first published in *Hymns for a Saint's Day and Other Hymns by a Layman*, 1864. Based on the picture of a "cloud of witnesses" (Hebrews 12:1), the hymn gives thanks for the saints of old, makes a prayer that we may be found faithful, and acknowledges the unity of the whole Church in heaven and on earth in the mystical body of Christ, a picture of the church in holy warfare, and a vision of the victorious Church. Vaughan Williams' magnificent marching tune makes this a contemporary version of "When the saints go marching in."

Handel's "Their bodies are buried in peace" is a chorus from his Oratorio "Israel in Egypt." The music is unmistakably Handelian but the sharp contrast between the first and second sections is quite striking.

Our final hymn, Rejoice, ye Pure in Heart, was written by Edward H. Plumptre (1821-1891) and first found in the appendix to the hymnal Hymns Ancient and Modern (1868). Everyone enjoys a festival, and this hymn was written for a Diocesan Festival in Peterborough Cathedral in 1865. It originally contained eleven stanzas, necessary to get all of the choirs in. Based on Psalm 20:4, Psalm 147:1, and Philippians 4:4, it is a call for youth, the elderly, men, maidens – everyone to rejoice. (from Hymn Notes by Austin Lovelace)

VISITORS AND GUESTS: Welcome to St. John's! We hope you will stay after the service for an opportunity to chat. Nibbles, coffee and bottled water will be provided in our Parish Hall. If you have questions about baptisms, weddings, membership, or any other need we can respond to, please call the Church Office at: 321-254-3365. And if you wish to know more about this church or to be included on our weekly and newsletter mailing lists, please call the office or email us at office@stjohnsmlb.org.

SIGN OUR VIRTUAL GUEST BOOK! Scan the QR code at right or visit stjohnsmlb.org and click on Virtual Guest Book to let us know you were here

and pass on any comments you would like to make!

THE ALTAR FLOWERS AND SANCTUARY CANDLE may be given in memory of a loved one, or to commemorate some occasion. Contact the church office at office@stjohnsmlb.org or 321-254-3365.

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:** Sarah Kendall, Roberta Ardinger-Smith, Lee Steininger, Richard Muir.

Anniversaries this Week: David & Lisa Kaleel.

**ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:** Sunday, 9 a.m. in the Chapel. Studying the Gospel of Mark, inperson and online. Visit stjohnsmlb.org and click

on Worship Live Stream for the Zoom link.

YOUTH CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: (Middle and High School) meets in the parish hall at 9 a.m.

**TGIF:** Men's Bible study, Fridays, 8 a.m., at La Loma Coney Island, 1180 Aurora Rd, Melbourne, 32935. 321-254-8559.

St. John's Chat is a great way to keep up with St. John's news and information! If you are not subscribed to this list, please email office@stjohnsmlb.org. Note that this is separate from the weekly "St. John's eNews" which comes out every Thursday at 4 p.m. You may request a subscription to that list as well!

Music ат St. John's: Let Dr. D know that you'd like to be a part of the music in the parish. Singers and instrumentalists are welcome. There are no auditions; all that is necessary is an ability to read music and a willingness to be faithful.

#### SUNDAY MINISTRIES

	November 6	November 13
Greeters	A. Weeks	A. Weeks
Ushers	B. Chernault J. Miller	L. Fletcher J.Bond
LEM	K. Oas	J. Hamilton
Altar Guild	L. Bennett	M. Salmon
Counter	K. Wilson	G. Bradley
A/V	B. Kendall V. Mitz	B. Kendall V. Mitz

**PRAYER IS AVAILABLE** at the altar rail immediately following the service.

A PRAYER REQUEST Box is now available from the St. John's Order of the Daughters of the King in the Sanctuary beside the votive candles. We have taken a vow to pray for others and we take this vow seriously. In lieu of access to the prayer box, please give prayer requests directly to any

Daughter listed on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall.

Church Workday: Mark your calendars and plan to come out and enjoy the weather and your church family to help with cleaning up the church grounds and special projects inside the church buildings. Sat., Nov. 12, 9 AM to 1 PM. There will be a board listing the tasks/projects that need to be done posted in the Parish Hall. Please sign up to accomplish the task/project. If you cannot make it on Saturday please feel free to work on the task/project anytime during the month of November. The goal is to have St. John's church and grounds ready for the Christmas season. Questions? Deborah Miller-Caldwell, Jr. Warden, at 321-446-7208 or FARXPERT@gmail.com.

CONCERTS IN THE PARK continue NEXT Sunday, Nov. 13 with the **Eau Gallie High School Stage Band**. Hot dogs at 5:00 p.m. and concert begins at 5:30. In the park, weather permitting (in the hall in case of rain). Bring lawn chairs or blankets and invite your friends for a great time!

**FAMILY PROMISE:** is always in need of volunteers. If you can help please speak to Lee Steininger or Ben Kendall for details.

**NEED A ZOOM MEETING?** A "zoom room" is available for church zoom meetings or hybrid meetings. Please contact office@stjohnsmlb.org to set it up.

WHOLENESS TO FREEDOM FOOD PANTRY Help our local food pantry by placing non-perishable food in the basket at the back of the church. You may also leave donations in the Parish Hall or the office. Many thanks for your generous support.

**DAILY BREAD:** Additional servers would be most welcome for the first Thursday of each month, 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. The upcoming duty day is December 1. If you can help please contact Jackie Bond.

LOANING OF CHURCH ITEMS: If you would like to borrow tables, chairs, cribs, linens, etc. please

speak with Fr. Eric or Deborah Miller-Caldwell, Jr. Warden. Please contact Deborah at farxpert@gmail.com, Fr. Eric at eric@stjohnsmlb.org, or call the church office at 321-254-3365.

St. John's Outreach Focus for the month of November has been designated for Daily Bread. Daily Bread is a ministry well known to the people of St. John's as we already provide a team to serve the first Thursday of the month. But Daily Bread provides so much more in services to the homeless and needy of our community. These funds go to support the entire operation. Visit dailybreadinc.org to learn more. Jeffrey Njus will speak to the congregation today on behalf of Daily

Bread.

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY** information is available in the church newsletters, *The Good News*. Visit stjohnsmlb.org > About > Church Newsletters. More detailed reports are available from the church office.

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READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Isaiah 65:17-25, Canticle 9, 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13, Luke 21:5-19



You are personally invited to join a community of women who believe in the power of prayer, service to others, and the sharing of the gospel to expand the Kingdom of God. You can find out more about the DOK St John's Chapter by contacting Mary Highland at 321-831-2796 or mhighland?@gmail.com.

#### THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

Sun (11/6) Christian Education, 9 a.m., Adults: Chapel and online.

Youth: Parish Hall only.

Holy Eucharist, Rite II, 10 a.m., also Live Streamed.

Daughters of the King, 11:30 a.m. Chapel

Mon (11/7) Seaside Stitchers, 9 a.m. Parish Hall.

AA, 7 p.m., Parish Hall

Tue (11/8) Boy Scouts, 5:30, Parish Hall

Wed (11/9) Choir Rehearsal, 7 p.m. in the Choir Loft

Thur (11/10) Seaside Stitchers, 9 a.m., Parish Hall.

Staff meeting, Rector's office, 11 a.m.

AA, 7:30 p.m., Parish Hall

Fri (11/11) TGIF, Men's Bible Study, 8 a.m., La Loma Coney Island Restaurant, 1180 Aurora Rd.

Sat (11/12) Church Work Day, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Sun (11/13) Christian Education, 9 a.m., Adults: Chapel and online.

Youth: Parish Hall only.

Holy Eucharist, Rite II, 10 a.m., also Live Streamed.

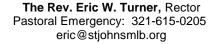
Concert in the Park, 5:30 p.m.; Hot dogs, 5:00 p.m.

All Zoom and Livestream links are available by visiting stjohnsmlb.org > Parish Life > Calendar, then clicking on the event. Or you may email office @stjohnsmlb.org and we will send you the link.

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Serving thru 1/2025 Jamie Hamilton, Mike Milner, Kathy Oas (until 1/2023)