

COMING UP AT ST. JOHN'S

THE CALENDAR

Sunday, May 24

- 9:15 am Choir Practice, Choir Room
- 9:45 am Nursery open through 10:00 service
- 10:00 am Baptism, Confirmation, and The Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Reception to follow in the Parish Hall

Monday, May 25 Memorial Day, Church Office Closed

- 5:00 pm Cursillo Reunion Group, Library

Tuesday, May 26

- 10:00 am Staff Meeting

Wednesday, May 27

- 12:10 pm The Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing and Anointing, Chapel

Thursday, May 28

- Thursday-Sunday, Kairos, Parish Hall
- 9:30- Beans and Rice Distribution, Gordon Drive
- 11:00 am Covered Entrance

Friday, May 29

- 7:00 am Men's Cursillo Reunion Group, Library
- 9:00 am Yoga, Contact Carol Hancock

Saturday, May 30

Sunday, May 31

- 8:00 am The Holy Eucharist, Rite I
- 9:15 am Nursery open through 10:30 service
- 9:15 am Choir Practice, Church
- 10:30 am The Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Cookies and Lemonade on the patio following service
- 11:15 am VBS volunteer meeting, Nave



Sunday School

Sunday School Classes are out for the summer and will resume when school goes back.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE DAY OF PENTECOST



BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, AND THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Reception in the Parish Hall
following service

PLEASE TAKE NOTE

The church office is closed
on Monday, May 25
for Memorial Day.

If you need help seeing the print in the prayer book and hymnal, large-print, spiral-bound Books of Common Prayer and magnifiers for hymnals are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.



Registration



HERO ACADEMY VBS: SERVING LIKE THE SAINTS

Monday, June 22 – Friday, June 26

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

There is no cost to attend VBS

Inspired by the lives of saints like Francis, Martin, Therese, and Catherine, Hero Academy VBS invites children to consider how following Jesus' call to love and serve others is the most heroic thing of all. Children will create projects, play high-energy games, hear stories of the faithful, and relax with treats. All the while, they will discover that we can indeed serve like the saints!

VBS Supply Drive

There's still LOTS to acquire prior to the best week of the summer, and you can help! Go to the link below and take a look at Amazon lists curated just for St. John's VBS. If you'd like to purchase any of these items, please ship them to the church or bring them to the church office by June 15!

Please note that shopping lists for snacks will be compiled and distributed when as close to final numbers for participants becomes known.

Got to bit.ly/sjvbssupplies for list links.

VBS Volunteer Meeting

Sunday, May 31

Immediately following 10:30 am service, Nave

Our final pre-VBS meeting before decorating and set-up week will be on Sunday, May 31, immediately after Holy Eucharist, Rite II in the Nave! Come and receive your VBS bibles (prepped with everything you need for the big week), see example crafts and snacks, get your name tags, tentative group lists, and more! Please contact Sam with any questions.

MAY SUPPLY DRIVE FOR

P A C T

P A R E N T S A N D

C H I L D R E N T O G E T H E R

PACT is a dynamic organization committed to preventing child abuse and neglect in Morgan County, Alabama.

Our May outreach project will be helping our neighbors at PACT collect needed supplies. PACT provides parent education, direct services, public awareness, and school programs for children and their families in Morgan County.

Their list of needs:

- cleaning supplies (laundry detergent, etc.)
- hygiene supplies, toiletries
- toothpaste, toothbrushes
- toilet paper
- baby wipes

Please leave items in the brown boxes outside of the church offices or in the Narthex. Thank you!

OUR PRAYERS AND THANKSGIVINGS

We pray for family and friends who are ill or distressed, especially Marella Adams, Russell Barr, Jenny Berry, John Bolton, Kase Bradford, Walt Chenault, Jessica Kelly, John R. Johnson, Jr., Anne Ledbetter, Tommy Loyd, Rip Nance, Heidi Ross, Nick Roth, Robert Schafer, Melissa Schafer, Steve Smith, Glynn Tubb, Carolyn Tweedy, Gretchen Willis, and Ashton.

We pray for those who serve in and with the Armed Forces, especially Michael Blair, Steven Blair, Jonathan Easter, Garrett McElroy, Eston Rogers, and Austin Wallace.

We pray for the departed.

We pray for persecuted Christians and refugees around the world; for an end to poverty, addiction, and violence of all kinds; for the students, families, teachers, and administrators of Banks-Caddell Elementary School; for our Companion Diocese of Honduras and their bishop, Lloyd; for Cursillo #240, pilgrims and staff; and for Parish and Diocesan Communications and their work to keep us connected to one another and the needs and hopes of the world.

**The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
and in celebration of Wendi and Joe Miller's 18th anniversary by David and Sherri Rahm**