

COMMUNITY DINNER FRIDAY

The Lock-In

A good old fashioned overnight lock-in. Play games, eat food, have fun.
 February 21st 8pm-
 February 22nd 8am.
 Breakfast and snacks served.



Healing Together

Pastor Roger will again be leading spiritual conversations on topics of grief and healing.

Monday Evenings
 Beginning 3/2

Thank You!

Thank You to everyone for all the donations that were sent in for the SSCDC

VOLLEYBALL MARATHON

Date is Set!
 3/27-28/20
 Mark you calendars!



LCLC

Registration is now open for the 2020 summer season! visit: lclcenter.org or speak with one of the pastors!

We would love for all the young people of St. John's to experience a week of prayer, fellowship, and fun at camp.

Financial Assistance is always available!

Today is the Baptism of Gianna Marrano!



Welcome to your new life in Christ and to the St. John's Family!

St. John's Prayer List

Take time this week to pray for our siblings in Christ:

- Joe Angelo,
- Kenneth Cendrowski,
- Rose Doster,
- Gracelyn Germano,
- Al Gulas,
- Rick Lipka,
- Sandy and Bill Marzahn,
- Sandy Noyes,
- Lowell Rothenberger,
- Walter Stankowski,
- Ron Wirth,
- Sandy Gordon,
- Diane Molnar,
- William Rackl,
- Betty Angelo,
- Bonnie Marciniak,
- John Anderson,
- Judy Tolsma,
- Mary Ann Szalanski,
- John Boldt,
- Arline Semlitsch
- Mason Molnar

Parish Social Life



The St. John's Family is going out to brunch!

POLISH VILLA II
 1085 Harlem Rd.(near Clinton)
 Sunday, Feb 9th, at 12:15

Space is limited.
 Please sign up today in the narthex.
 Prepayment is required, by 2/2.
 Menu & pricing info is available at the sign up area.

YOUTH CHOIR

Rehearsals Begin
MARCH 4th
from 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 Spring Performances:
April 9th - 7pm
April 12th - 9am
May 31st - 10am

PRE-SCHOOL AIDE

There is a need for a **substitute aide** in our 3 & 4 yr old class. For information on requirements and an interview contact Sandy Haase 668-3584 or 674-8109



"Yes, the disciples followed Jesus... but not on Twitter."

<u>The Week Ahead</u>	
TODAY	
Worship	9 a.m.
Worship	10:45 a.m.
Try Again (AA)	7:30 p.m.
MONDAY	
Men's Work Group	9 a.m.
Zumba	6:45 p.m.
Al-Anon	7:30 p.m.
TUESDAY	
Zumba	9 a.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Arthritis Exercise Class	1 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal	7 p.m.
THURSDAY	
Tai Chi	11 a.m.
Changing Our Ways (NA)	12:30 p.m.
Rock Voices	6 p.m.
FRIDAY	
Music with Mar	10:30 a.m.
Community Dinner	4 p.m.
Gardenville (AA)	8 p.m.
SATURDAY	
Worship	5 p.m.
SUNDAY	
Worship	9 a.m.
Worship	10:45 a.m.

Pray for our friends
and loved ones.

Debbie DePerno, (Paul and Georgie Napier), Debra Fischer, Joann Fischer, (Edie and Dick Fischer), Nancy Boehm (Janet Hender), Marilyn Lew, Pearl Hettinger (The Lew Family), Joe Angelo, Maria Sayers (Betty & Joe Angelo), Mark Schmidt (Donna Heine), Mark Luderma (Sandy Noyes), Stacey Gates ,Brooke Bremiller , Alycia Schaub (Maxine & Jim Steiner), Herman Schwert (Sue Koeppel), Rose Marie Puchala (The Forth Family), Keri Shaw (Donna Heine), Jon Horton (Mark Schnitzer), Mary Ann Stroka (Lexi Lang), Donald Merkel (Ruth & Norm Merkel); Bonnie Thompson (Mark and Soni Schnitzer) Jennifer Louth, Olivia Avent (Vicky Wienke)

All Victims of War, Terror,
and Gun Violence
Children and all victims of
Domestic Abuse

ALL THOSE WHO SERVE IN THE
ARMED FORCES
Shawn Jezewski, Jerry Corp, Rachel Acker, Russell Molnar, Christopher Kalinowski, Matthew Smith, Steven Schott

PRESIDING BISHOP
ELIZABETH EATON

SYNODICAL BISHOP
JOHN STANLEY MACHOLZ

CONFERENCE DEAN
LEE MILLER II

*If you or a loved one would like to be
added or removed from our
St. John's prayer list
please let us know.*

Pastor's Corner

*"Immediately they left their nets
and followed him."
~Matt 4:20*

Could you imagine it?
Letting go of it all.
Feeling the call and the love of God
so strongly that you drop
everything and follow Jesus.

You don't have to live like this
anymore. There is a better way.
A total life change.

This is the call, issued again and
again throughout our lives. A call
that is bound up in the waters of
our baptism. God has named you
and claimed you and called you as
God's own beloved child.

So how do we respond to this new
reality?The first disciples hear this
call and scripture teaches they
leave it all behind.

I wonder about this moment. The
moment we recognize *we are
caught by the nets we thought we
had been fishing with.* Wouldn't
we drop those nets too and follow?

Each one of us could share some
example of how hard it is to let go
of our attachments and to change
our way of thinking. Each one of us
has tried to get the world, our
family, and even Jesus in line with
our way of thinking.

But just imagine our church, the
larger community, and world if we
all followed Jesus' Way. In my
dreams, that looks like the
Kingdom of God come near.

ALTAR FLOWERS
In Loving Memory
of Dorothy Boniface
By Jay & Sylvia Delaney

With Thanks to St.
John's Hospitality folks
who share & provide our
refreshments between
services for us to enjoy
each week.

THE FINANCIAL REPORT

December 2019

Regular Church Donations \$31,984 +
\$15,000 RMD
(increase of \$6,917 over last year)
St. John's Benevolence
SYNOD Mission-\$1,000
World Hunger-\$100
St. John's Community Dinner-\$200
Seneca Street Christmas-\$450,
LCLC-\$250, Lutheran Charities-\$245

The Mortgage Update
December 2019 Mortgage Reduction
Fund Donations &7,169 + \$10,00 RMD
(decrease of \$3,714 below last year)

Mortgage Balance \$714,823