

**Signifies that we stand in praise to the Lord as we are able.*

Prepare to Hear the Word

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship

L: We ask for the gift of persistence, O God,

P: When we believe in the rightness and integrity of the cause,

L: We ask for the gift of persistence, O God,

P: To carry on even when the doubters and mockers make their presence felt.

L: We ask for the gift of persistence, O God,

P: To counter low self-esteem and strong opposition.

L: We ask for the gift of persistence, O God.

P: A persistence applauded by Jesus, a persistence in opposing evil, a persistence that Jesus life's pattern showed so clearly.

*Opening Praise

**“Your Grace Is Enough”
“Breath Of God”**

*Prayer of Confession

Create peace within us, O God. When emotions swirl, when memories haunt, when decisions do not come easily. When indifference rules, when situations test us, when injustice is clear, when action is called for, be our will for peace O God. When we need to support each other, when we serve the wider church, when we face the hurts of a suffering world, be our inspiration for peace. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

“We Are One In The Bond of Love” (vs 1&2) see screen

Children's Time

Pastor Lee

Activity bags are available for young children at the table in the back of the sanctuary. If you need assistance, please ask the ushers.

Hear the Word

Scripture Reading

Luke 18:1-8

Sermon Song

“What A Friend We Have in Jesus”

#526

Sermon

“Autumn & Prayer”

Pastor Lee

Respond to the Word

Hymn

“Something Beautiful”

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Announcements

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

After each prayer request, please respond...

“Lord hear our prayer.”

A Moment for Silent Personal Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Offering (ushers)

The blue mission envelopes in the pew are for Mission Offering contributions. The offering today goes to **Salvation Army**. The white envelopes are for regular offerings.

*Doxology

see screen

*Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

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*Benediction

*Sending Forth

*Postlude

Worship Notes:

Full lectionary scripture for this week...

Jeremiah 31:27-34; Psalm 119:97-104, Timothy 3:14-4:5; Luke 18:1-8

Thank you for worshiping with us today. Next week Pastor Lee will be presenting the message. We hope you will join us. Have a blessed week.



Honoring Our Veterans

Jenn Ridderbush would like to put together a ppt to celebrate our Veterans on Sunday November 10th. She is asking that if you, or a family member has served our country, to please send a photo to her of them (or yourself) in uniform. Please send to Jenn at the email address below by October 20th.

Her email address is:

ridderbush262@hotmail.com

You can screen shot your pics and send them or scan them or copy them or however. You can also bring them to church to be scanned and sent to Jenn.

Pastor Lee's Normal Office Hours

St James: Monday & Wednesday, 9 a.m. -12 p.m.

Oneida: Tuesday & Thursday, 9 a.m. -12 p.m.

If you are in need of pastoral care, please call Pastor Dongsu directly.

Pastor's cell phone number is 715-254-5328


Pastor Lee's home number: 920-364-9059

(Please note: Phone messages left on the office voicemail after 1 p.m. on Thursday are not answered until after 9 a.m. on Monday.)

Thank you

Did you know?

Did you miss a Sunday sermon? We post them on our website.

Go to www.umcsj.org on the home page and click on this link. 



Also, while on the website, go to the music section and you will be able to hear select pieces of St James music.

OCTOBER 20

8:10 a.m. Praise Team Practice
8:45 a.m. Worship
9:45 a.m. Fellowship Time
10:15 a.m. GCC Worship
10:30-1:00 Salvation Army

MONDAY

6:00 p.m. Ladies Nite Out

TUESDAY

6:45 p.m. Praise Practice

WEDNESDAY

1:30 p.m. Bible Study

THURSDAY

FRIDAY
Office Closed

SATURDAY

OCTOBER 27

8:10 a.m. Praise Team Practice
8:45 a.m. Worship
9:45 a.m. Fellowship Time
10:15 a.m. GCC Worship

Next Week's Helper Schedule

GreeterTBA
Sound & Proj.....Ed Ramsaroop
Usher Captain... Wayne DeGrand
FellowshipJill Featherwolf
Liturgist.....Cal Christenson
CountersRich Stewart & Carol Carlson



Wherever you see **GCC**, it refers to **Generation of Champions C**ongregation

Announcements

- Please get your November **Aware articles** in by Monday morning.
- Please check your church mailbox for the **3rd quarter giving statements**.
- See today's inserts, and the weekly E-News for up-to-date church news. Don't forget to check the website at: umcsj.org and 'like' us on **Facebook**.

Birthdays this Week

10/20 Shane Bahr
10/23 Paul Davies

Anniversaries this Week

10/20 Wayne & Diane DeGrand

Upcoming Events

- Oct. 20 Aware Articles due**
Oct. 21 Ladies Nite Out - Ricco's
Nov. 3 Consecration Sunday
Nov. 4 Worship committee
Nov. 10 Veteran's Service
Nov. 11 SPRC
Nov. 17 Ad Council after worship
Nov. 21 Cub Scouts

St. James UMC
Website: www.umcsj.org
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BULLETIN & E-NEWS DEADLINE

Every Monday

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

20th of each month

Thank you.

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<https://www.facebook.com/umcsj/>

Fall Stewardship Drive



On Sunday October 13th Tom Schemm kicked off our fall stewardship campaign for 2020. Soon more information will be available. Please watch your mailboxes, E-News and other publications for more information.

Music, Music, Music!!

The worship committee would like to offer everyone the chance to participate in worship by getting your ideas on what hymns and praise songs you would want to sing and hear during worship.

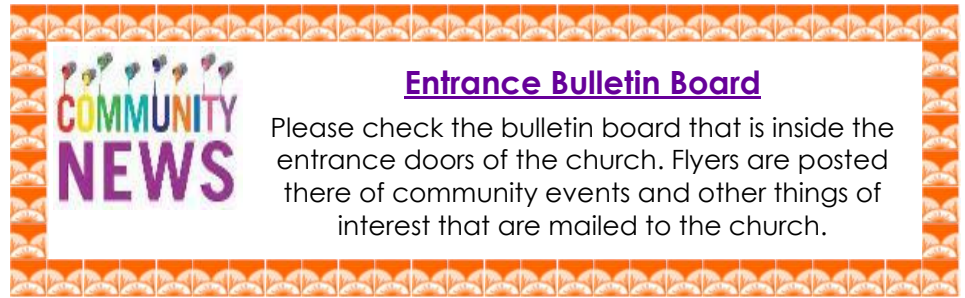


Do you have a favorite hymn or praise song that you would like to have added to our Sunday morning song choices? If you do, please let us know by dropping a note to the office, or in the offering plate. You can also talk to Sharon Ramsaroop. Thanks!

Your Song Ideas (please include hymn # if applicable): _____



There are "Daily Bread Devotionals" for September to November, at the Connection Center table, as well as other seasonal devotionals. These are free to all.



Entrance Bulletin Board

Please check the bulletin board that is inside the entrance doors of the church. Flyers are posted there of community events and other things of interest that are mailed to the church.

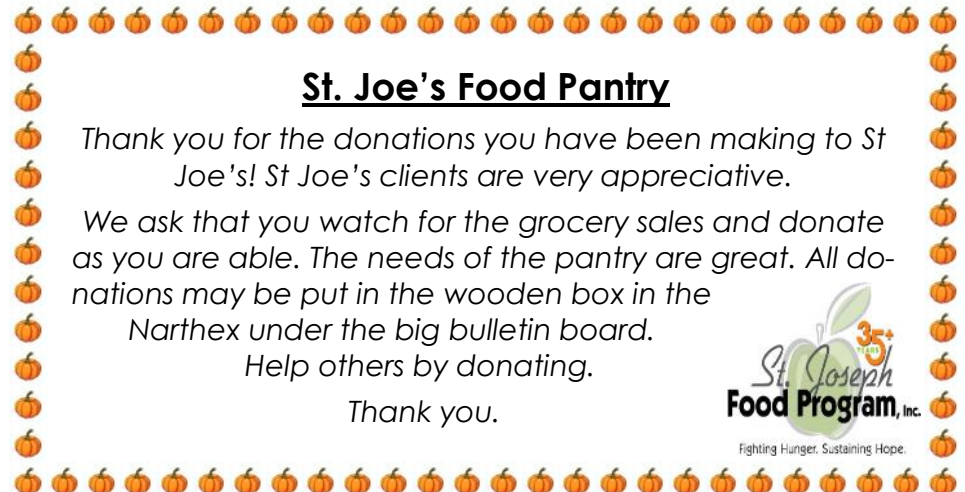
Holiday Fair Preparation Has Begun! **December 7, 2019**

Vendor space is now open to the public. Contact Michelle Price at 920-851-7531 or Mamashellzabell@att.net for additional information.

Crafters needed for the Holiday Fair. Contact Wendy Lind for information & questions (920-810-3449).

We are also looking for **soup, cookie & candy makers**.

Sign up sheets are now available at the Connection Center.



St. Joe's Food Pantry

Thank you for the donations you have been making to St Joe's! St Joe's clients are very appreciative.

We ask that you watch for the grocery sales and donate as you are able. The needs of the pantry are great. All donations may be put in the wooden box in the Narthex under the big bulletin board.

Help others by donating.

Thank you.



Fighting Hunger. Sustaining Hope.