

The Chimes

of St. John's

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

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Children's Sunday School Begins

Next Sunday

Sunday School for ages 3 through 18 begins next Sunday at 10:15am. If your child is not yet registered, please bring them directly to their classroom for registration.

Historical Tour of St. John's Today

Enjoy a fascinating tour of the church! Meet at the baptismal font after the 10:00am service.

The Feast of St. John: September 11

Next Sunday, September 11, we will commemorate St. John, our patron saint, with special readings, prayers and music during our services, which will take place at 8am, 9am, 11:15am and 5:30pm. During the 9:00 and 11:15am services, the choir will sing Haydn's *Missa Brevis St. Joannis de Deo* (St. John of God) and the Eucharistic prayer will be sung. Incense will be used during the 11:15am service. Our Prayers of the People will be for our nation and the world on the tenth anniversary of September 11. (St. John's will also be participating in an interfaith service of remembrance at 6:00pm at Temple Israel—see below for more information.) The Lay Ministry Fair (see below) takes place on September 11.

From Fear to Faith
From Grief to Understanding
 An Interfaith Observance for 9/11
 Temple Israel • 2215 Mahan Drive • 6:00 pm

Lay Ministry Fair, September 11

Our Lay Ministry Fair is a wonderful chance to check out all of the offerings at St. John's, whether they be in Christian Formation, Outreach, Pastoral Care, Music and Worship, Property or Parish Life. Join us in Alfriend Hall after each of the morning services next Sunday, September 11, to meet many of our ministry leaders and find the opportunities that are right for you.

"Quiet-as-a-Mouse" Totes

Beginning September 11, we will have "mouse totes" of activities for our younger children of the congregation to take into the pews with them. Totes will be available in the back of the nave for you to use during service and return after the service. If you have any plush toys or quiet activities that you would like to donate for the totes, please drop them by Mother Abi's office.

Parish Planner

Today	8:00am, 10:00am Holy Eucharist (Church) 5:30pm Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
Mon. Sept 5	Church/Office/Café/Bookstore closed for Labor Day
Tues. Sept 6	7:00am Men's Breakfast (Graham Lounge) 12:10pm Holy Eucharist (Chapel) 6:00pm Ordination of Mother Abi Moon (Church) 7:30pm Ordination reception (AH)
Wed. Sept 7	7:15am Morning Prayer (Chapel) 12:10pm Holy Eucharist and Healing Service (Chapel) 3:00pm Holy Eucharist (Frances Chapel, Westminster Oaks) 5:00pm Wed night dinner (Alfriend Hall) 6:30pm Visits and Visions Recap (Alfriend Hall)
Thur. Sept 8	9:00am EFM (Cobb Library) 12:10pm Holy Eucharist (Chapel) 6:30pm Safeguarding God's Children (Bishop's Common)
Fri. Sept 9	11:00am Centering Prayer (Parlor) 12:10pm Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
Sun. Sept 11	Return to 8:00am, 9:00am, 11:15am and 5:30pm Sunday services

Hardison Home for the Homeless

Preparations are in progress to welcome our new family to Hardison Home. We are still in need of a double or queen sized bed with headboard, mattress/ box springs, a twin-sized mattress, two night stands, two room-sized rugs, a few lamps and wall decor items. Pick up available. Contact Saint John's at 222-2636.

Tuesday, September 6 -- Friday, September 9 is green week in the Lively Café.

Special

Swiss, Leek & Mushroom Quiche

Panini

Grilled Eggplant with Goat Cheese, Tomatoes & Basil

Soups

Broccoli Cheddar
Chicken Creole

Desserts

Amaretto Cheesecake
Toffee Bars
Double Chocolate Chip Cookies

Wednesday Night Dinner 9/7/2011

Adults / \$6.00, Children & Seniors / \$5.00

Call 222-2636 ext. 31 for reservations.



Menu 1	Menu 2
BBQ Chicken	Chicken nuggets
New Potatoes	Chips
Broccoli	Fruit
Salad bar/rolls	Cupcakes
Cupcakes	

Lord, hear our prayer

Rupert Williams, Lucy Hadi, James Stalter, Ed DuMond, Joanne Davenport, Kathleen Hand-Knight, Ed Northcutt, Emma, Virginia Miller, Suzanne Duncan, Tam Randy, Duncan Kaklamanos and Bill Vandercreek. *Send prayer requests to carol@saint-john.org or 222-2636.*

The Village Square Considers 9/11

It has been ten years since everything changed in America over the course of a few hours on a sunny September morning. On Tuesday, September 13, 5:30pm to 8:30pm, The Village Square will sort through the implications of these changes in "Ten Years Time: 9/11, The Heart of America, The Shadow of the Middle East."

The program will be moderated by Mark Schlakman of the FSU Center for the Advancement of Human Rights. Prominent attorney, Barry Richard, will examine the balance between liberty and security, followed by a discussion of domestic security with law enforcement officials from the FBI, FDLE, U.S. Attorney's Office and Department of Justice, and ending with a look at the clash or convergence of America and the Islamic World.

The evening is the kick-off event in The Village Square's new "Dinner at the Square" season: "It's the End of the World As We Know It, And I Feel Fine?" Three programs will examine the decade of tumultuous change that started with 9/11. Season tickets are available at a reduced price.

The event is catered by St. John's own Fran Doxsee and takes place in Alfriend Hall. Tickets are \$27 through Wednesday September 7 and \$35 after. For more information about the panel and menu and to buy tickets go online to www.tothevillagesquare.org or call 590-6646.

St John's Market Grant Requests

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, November 19th! St John's Market is coming and the more money we raise, the more we can give to worthy causes! Traditionally, net proceeds from St John's Market have been divided evenly between outreach (community-oriented programs) and inreach (parish-oriented programs.) This year, the Market committee has voted to donate the parish portion of the proceeds to the church's General Fund so that monies raised can be used with an overall perspective of the church's needs. Since the church portion has been designated to the General Fund, the Market committee will only be accepting grant proposals for outreach programs this year. If you are interested in securing a St. John's Market Grant for an outreach ministry, please pick up a grant request form in the St. John's front office and return it to the church office no later than Monday, October 3. If you have any questions, please contact Saint John's at 222-2636.

Are You in 6th thru 12th Grade?

Are you going to be in the 6th through 12th grade this fall? Have you ever wondered how you might be able, as a youth, to serve GOD in HIS church? You might consider becoming an ACOLYTE. Acolytes are the kids you see every Sunday lighting the candles, or carrying the crosses in the processions, or illuminating the Gospel book with the brass torches. The acolytes help the priests, the LEMs, and choir, in leading the congregation in worship. The only requirement is that you be in the 6th through 12th grade – we will train you in everything else. If you think you might be interested or would like to know more, call or email Mr. Kummer, acolyte coordinator. We will be glad to hear from you.

Taize Prayer Service at Holy Comforter

Holy Comforter has invited all parishioners of St. John's to their evening Taize Prayer Service, held the first Monday of each month at 7:00pm. The next service will be tomorrow, September 5. Holy Comforter Episcopal Church, is located at 2015 Fleischmann Road.

Gents, Get Your ACTS Together!

What does the beginning of the Christian church have to do with where you are in life? Come find out at a new men's Bible Study exploring the First Book of Acts. Whether you're an experienced student of the Bible or a beginner, this informal, interactive and reflective course can lead to surprising insights. Led by Fr. Dave, Randy Winton and fellow fellows, the class meets from 7:00am to 8:00am on Thursday mornings in Cobb Library. Drop in at 7:00am on September 15 for coffee and relaxed conversation to learn how this "class Acts" could be right for you.

Reserve Now For The Grand Foyers

Whether you have joined a Foyers Group before, are interested in joining, or just want to find out what it's all about, please join us for a Grand Foyers Italian Dinner, Friday, September 16, beginning at 6:30pm in Eve's Garden. Chef Fran is catering, and the cost is only \$10, payable that evening. As usual, the Foyers gathering is simply food, fun, and fellowship. Please contact Saint John's at 222-2636 by September 9 for reservations.

Two Heartfelt Thank Yous

... To all who bought ice cream for the Ice Cream Sunday events this summer. A special thank you to Nancy and Alan Asker for donating the ice cream. The proceeds from the Ice Cream Sundays go to our Parish Life events.

... To 25 St. John's parishioners, their families, and friends, for helping Leon County students in need! Twenty-five students, identified as least likely to have new school clothes, began the year with beautiful new outfits in their favorite colors and styles thanks to your generosity and thoughtfulness. Your fabulous fashion sense made a huge difference in the students' preparation for school.

Bookstore News

Who doesn't enjoy watching hummingbirds as they dart around flowers and feeders looking for food. We found delightful, colorful feeders at market made of recycled glass and have two different sizes in a variety of styles and colors. One of these feeders with *The Complete Book of Hummingbirds* or *Hummingbirds and Butterflies* would make a terrific gift.

The honey bee is a crucial link in America's agricultural industry. Beekeeping has become popular with many. If this is one of your interests, *The Beekeeper's Lament* by Hannah Nordhaus is a must read.

Football season is upon us. Want to add zip to your game attire? Stop in to see our Gator and Seminole beaded necklaces, bracelets, belts and small bags.

Deadline and Contact for *The Chimes*

Submit articles by noon Tuesday to carol@saint-john.org

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Pastoral Care at St. John's

Pastoral care is a priority for St. John's clergy. Please call St. John's office at 222-2636, ext. 10, during office hours.

For pastoral emergencies during other hours, please call the pastoral care phone number, 510-3812.