



# St. John's Chimes

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | October 31, 2021

## Welcome to St. John's!



*I'm so glad you are here worshipping with us today. I do hope you will stick around after for some fellowship and education. At 9 AM weekly, chat with others about the week's lessons down in Killeen Hall. Then following the 10 AM service, join us in that space for our "Coffee Talk"*

*forum. Meanwhile, children in PreK-5th gather for Sunday School upstairs. Youth (6th-12th) gather on select Sundays. Listen for weekly announcements. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome at St. John's!*

**The Rev. Abigail W. Moon, Interim Rector**

## STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

### The Home Stretch of Stewardship!

The good news is that we've received 206 pledges to date. The Stewardship Committee gives thanks to all who have pledged online through Realm, mailed in pledge cards, or reached out to make a financial commitment for the upcoming year. Exciting times are ahead for St. John's and we need all hands on deck! Our goal is to return to our pre-pandemic level of 400 pledging households, so we are just a bit over halfway there! If you've been meaning to pledge but haven't gotten around to it yet, please take a few minutes to follow through today then give yourself a high five and pat on the back! The Stewardship Committee will begin follow-up phone calls and emails soon.



*This page highlights ways to get involved in spiritual formation, outreach, and fellowship at St. John's.*

*For details, and for weekly worship times, use your phone's camera to scan this code or visit [saint-john.org/events](http://saint-john.org/events)*

## SAVE THE DATE

**WED  
11/10**

**Travels with a Trappist Monk**  
Zoom Only | 7 PM

**MON  
11/15**

**Market Grant Applications Due**  
Details on the Website!  
[saint-john.org/2021marketgrants/](http://saint-john.org/2021marketgrants/)

**TUES  
11/23**

**Thanksgiving Service & Reception**  
Church & Eve's Garden | 5:30 to 7:30 PM

**SAT  
12/4**

**Quiet Day with Br. David Vryhof**  
Killeen Hall or Zoom | 9 AM to 12 PM  
*see back for details*

**MON  
12/6**

**Advent Luncheon (Julianne Clayton)**  
Registration Now Available!  
[saint-john.org/event/adventlunch2021/](http://saint-john.org/event/adventlunch2021/)



**SUN  
12/14**

**Advent Lessons and Carols**  
Church | String Recital at 5 PM

TODAY	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
31	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
<b>11:15 AM</b> <i>Coffee Talk:</i> Opening the Door to Luther  BCD in Eve's Garden (Youth)	<b>8:30 AM</b> Historic Cemetery Workday  <b>7:00 PM</b> Centering Prayer	<b>1:30 PM</b> Meditation & Contemplation  <b>4-4:45 PM</b> Joyful NM	<b>10 AM</b> Understanding Our Dreams  <b>12:10 PM</b> Feast of All Faithful Departed  <b>6:30 PM</b> Complaine at Cascades (Youth)	<b>7 AM</b> Men's Bible Study  <b>12 PM</b> Good Book Bible Study  <b>2 PM</b> Journaling for Spiritual Awareness	<b>12 PM</b> Gospel of Mark: Book Study	<b>3 PM - Open</b> Dress Rehearsal (Bach Parley)	<b>11:15 AM</b> <i>Coffee Talk:</i> 1829 Legacy Society  Youth Mission Trip Meeting (H.S.)  <b>3 PM</b> Bach Parley Concert (at SJ)  <b>6-7:30 PM</b> H.S. Youth Night

## THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S



# Highlights

## TODAY

### CAJM Commissioning

COMMUNITY COALITION TO  
CHOOSE MOST PRESSING ISSUES

We give thanks today for the St John's Capital Area Justice Ministry (CAJM) Team. During our 10 AM service, we will bless and commission these individuals for their work ahead. CAJM is a coalition of nearly 20 religious congregations from the Tallahassee area who are building a community-wide ministry that will unite faith communities across the Big Bend in answering the call to do justice. Nearly 70 St. John's parishioners have committed to do the work of justice and will gather this coming week with the entire CAJM network to democratically select the top two most pressing issues facing our local community. Then, together they will research and seek local solutions. If you would like more information, or if you are interested in joining one of our six St. John's teams, contact Laura Newton (lauranewton@comcast.net).

St. John's  
**Lively Café**

TUESDAYS – FRIDAYS; 11 AM TO 1:30 PM

SEE MENU & ORDER ONLINE:  
[the-lively-cafe.square.site/](http://the-lively-cafe.square.site/)



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Preview Party Tickets Now Available!

Get your tickets today for our St. John's Market Preview Party! This "wine and cheese" event is held the night before Market on Friday, November 19, from 5-7 PM. Childcare is provided. Come preview Market items and shop in select booths before they open to the public. Other booths are for viewing only. Note: prices are double at the preview party. Tickets: \$10/advance; \$20/door. A limited number of tickets will be sold.

CONTACT OFFICE OR PURCHASE ONLINE:  
[saint-john.org/event/marketpreview2021/](http://saint-john.org/event/marketpreview2021/)



### Memorial Sculpture Dedication – Nov. 14

When entering church today, you may have noticed a change near our Calhoun Street doorway. This weekend, a new bronze sculpture was installed on the exterior wall that previously housed a collection of cement flower boxes. The new bronze relief also features flowers, and celebrates the life of former parishioner Martha Anderson Fields. The Fields Family invites everyone to join them in dedicating the sculpture on Sunday, November 14, between our morning services. Save the date!

### Quiet Day with Br. David Vryhof – Dec. 4

What does Christmas tell us about God? What does it mean for God to take on human existence? And what does Jesus' life, teaching, and thinking reveal to us about God? The Front Porch has invited Brother David Vryhof, a monk from the Society of St. John the Evangelist, to talk about the Mystery of the Incarnation. Through reflection and prayer, Br. David will lead us on a spiritual journey that will sustain us throughout the seasons of Advent and Christmas. This Advent Quiet Day takes place from 9 AM to noon on Saturday, 12/4. Help us plan seating and refreshments by indicating if you'll attend digitally or in person.

REGISTER YOUR PREFERENCE ONLINE:  
[saint-john.org/event/adventquietday2021/](http://saint-john.org/event/adventquietday2021/)

