

Enlightener

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As Things Draw to a Close

Over the course of the past few months, I have used the front page of *The Enlightener* to do a bit of reflecting on my 42 years among you at St. John's, looking back and looking forward. As I write for the last time (the front page in June will be claimed by Pastor Addie as she reflects on the time of transition in the midst of which the church now finds itself), I have decided to share with you the sermon messages I consider to be most important. It has been said that preachers who spend many years in the same ministry setting have a way of lifting up a handful of important themes in their sermons, no matter what the scripture reference might be, and that has certainly been true of my preaching at St. John's over the years.

The messages that have mattered most to me include: 1) Ours is a God who will never abandon or forsake us, no matter what. Because of God's undying love for us, there is nothing we can do that would cause God to love us less, or more. 2) We are our sisters' and brothers' keepers, called to be in community in good times and in bad. 3) Living in community as people of faith, we learn that being in relationship is almost always far more important than being right. 4) Although God holds us accountable for the way we live and the decisions we make, our God is not primarily a God of judgement who metes out punishment when we make mistakes. Ours is a God of grace, mercy, and forgiveness ~ a God whose deepest desire is to draw us near, as a hen gathers her chicks under wing. 5) How we say what we say matters. As followers of Christ, we are called to speak the truth in love, to be slow to speak and slow to anger, quick to listen and learn.

While these messages are not the only ones I have sought to instill in those I have been called to serve, they are truths that are near and dear to me. The apostle Paul's words in Romans 12 are also near to my heart, reminding us of the importance of rejoicing with those who rejoice and weeping with those who weep, living in harmony with one another, as much as it is possible for us to do so. As my ministry among you draws to a close, my prayer is that you will continue the good work we have begun together. May the light of Christ shine brightly through you as individuals and through the wonderfully motley crew that is St. John's. You are the best!

Rev. Sue



May 2022

NEWS FROM CHURCH COUNCIL



Financial Report: Matt Carson:

March was not as good as prior months this year. Our income of \$43,852.14 was less than our expenses of \$51,228.00, a monthly shortfall of 14%. However, we're still in good shape; year-to-date we remain positive by about 1% thanks to a great January and February.

Monthly tithes and offerings fell short of our goal by over 12%, with \$30,280 received. Operating expenses also exceeded the budget by around 7% in March due to expenditures to heat the building and for snow removal.

Our 2022 commitment to OCWM is \$3,364/month. March donations were \$3,102, just shy of the monthly goal. We are still ahead of the budgeted amount year-to-date by about \$4,000. The congregation has donated \$6651.11 toward Ukraine Relief.

Please feel free to share your questions or concerns with Matt Carson, Treasurer.

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Staff Reports:

Rev. Dr. Sue Bertollette, Senior Pastor:

Sue explained that her absence on Palm Sunday was due to medical testing.

Rev. Addie Stong, Associate Pastor:

Kim Stryjak and Addie are finalizing the May Carry-Out Connection. Discussions are ongoing about the appropriate date for children to again attend the Children's Message in the Chancel.

Andrew Paulson, Minister of Music:

The past two Artist Series were attended by over 200 people and viewed by over 100 people on YouTube. *The Seven Last Words* will go live at 9:00 AM Good Friday on YouTube.

Abbie Lampe, Minister of Music for Children and Youth:

Children's Choir and Friends will sing anthems at the Easter Sunrise Service and in worship on April 24. A date in May is also planned.

Lisa Delp, Office Administrator:

St. John's has donated \$1,507 in grocery, rent, and utility assistance this past month. Lisa noted there has been an increase in requests for help. *Giant* gift cards are sufficient; \$50 has been the average assistance given.

Board Reports:

Deacons

- The upcoming picnic will be discussed when the Deacons meet in person.

Educators

- VBS (*Volunteer. Believe. Serve.*) was discussed. It is hoped that there will be opportunities in July and August to volunteer with Cradles to Crayons (a nonprofit organization that provides school supplies and clothing to homeless and low-income children).

Elders

- Elders will begin assisting pastors on Sunday mornings.

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March 2022 Attendance			
Date	8:00 AM	10:15 AM	Total
3/6	27	147	174
3/13	16	76	92
3/20	37	110	147
3/27	36	113	149
Average per Week = 140			562

- o Total attendance for March was 640, including Ash Wednesday.

Trustees

- o I. T. Landes has all but one part to complete the boiler replacement.
- o Carpets for the school building, Montessori rooms, hallway, and stairs will be replaced. The estimate is \$18,000, to come from the Immediate Needs Fund, with Montessori contributing approximately \$7,000.

Old Business:

Church Security Update

Mark Bruen attended a security meeting with local police and approximately 100 faith-based organizations. There were three speakers:

- 1) NTAC (National Threat Assessment Center) gave an overview of world incidents and attacks.
- 2) LCBC Church leader. This organization has 16 locations throughout Pennsylvania, one located in Harleysville. Mark suggested their head of security be contacted for further discussion.
- 3) PEMA, a nonprofit security grant program for security updates.

OCWM/GEM

The congregation has donated \$6,651.11 to date, not including the GEM Fund donation from Council. An additional \$4,000 from the GEM Fund was designated to support Ukraine Relief.

New Business:

Online Donations

Grace Bruen presented details regarding online giving. (See article on page 4.)

Search and Call Update

The Transition Team has accomplished a number of milestones since our last Council meeting:

- We have eight energetic and engaged members.
- We finalized the Position Posting for our Interim Pastor with support from Pastor Addie, Andrew, and Lisa, as well as Rev. McLemore and Brea from the PSEC. The posting can be viewed by anyone: oppsearch.ucc.org/id/5055.
- Rev. McLemore will be posting through his network to publicize and proactively reach out to potential candidates. He assured us that our posting is an attractive one.
- We are hoping to get five or more candidate profiles for the Transition Team to interview. We have received one profile already!
- Please reach out to any of the Transition Team members with your questions, concerns, or suggestions.
- We are planning to host Q&A/feedback opportunities between Sunday services, location TBD, targeting April 24 for the first session.
- We have put a box in the elevator lobby for people to submit questions, concerns, or suggestions. We are working on an organized way to address these, either individually or summarized to share.
- There will be updates on Interim and Settled Pastor Search via announcements at both services, articles in the Herald, and posting on Facebook. (See Search and Call Update on page 8 for details.)

Volunteer for May Council Minutes

A volunteer is needed for May 9 Council to take minutes. Contact Bill, Liz, or Wendy if you are able to help. Specific details will be provided.

Corrections to 2022–2023 Council Member List

Francis Fraelich 484.250.2966 (no email)
 Dan Panachyda is Trustees Finance Representative
 Rick Fanciulacci is Deacons Finance Representative

Online giving is now available!

We have exciting news! St John's is now offering online giving services. This option is an alternative to cash or check donations. You can still give through traditional methods, but you can now make one-time or recurring gifts online with a credit/debit card or electronic check. To give online through our secure platform, visit app.easytithe.com/app/giving/stjohnsucc. A link to this giving site will be available on our website soon. You can also scan this QR code to open the online giving portal:

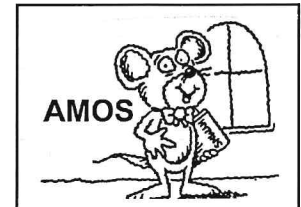


1. Choose the fund name from the dropdown list. Some of the funds are categories, which will allow you to select a subfund name as well.
2. Add the amount you'd like to give.
3. Click "Recurring" on the right side of the form if you wish to enable auto donations.
4. If you do not have a profile set up, it will prompt you to register.
5. Select how often you'd like to give under frequency and select the start date.
6. Enter your method of payment (Visa, Mastercard, Discover, AMEX, or ACH).
7. Click "Give Now" if the amount and frequency are correct. An email will be sent confirming the information of your gift as well as a separate email with your login information.

There is a processing fee to St. John's for this service that you can choose to add to your donation, allowing St. John's to make full use of your contributions. Processing fees using a credit card are higher than direct bank withdrawals (ACH). If you wish to donate electronically to St. John's without these fees, check with your bank for online banking options. Depending on your bank, the option to send a check to St John's via online banking may not have fees.

If you have questions or need assistance, please contact the church office.

News From The Pews



As I write to you on this beautiful spring day, I am perched on one of the bookshelves in the church Library, basking in the light and warmth coming in through the windows. The Library is one of my favorite places at St. John's—other than in the pews of our beautiful sanctuary—for a multitude of reasons. I just love books, and I love being in spaces where folks gather on a regular basis to engage in Bible study, participate in meetings of all sorts, and go about the work of the church.

Recently, an addition was made to the Library that I must tell you about, just in case you missed the announcement in worship on Palm Sunday. You may already know that one entire wall of the Library is filled with photos of St. John's six previous Sr. Pastors, going all the way back to the late 1800s. With Rev. Sue retiring in June, it was decided her photo needed to be added to the mix, but the dilemma was that the photo gallery wall was already full. Not to worry! Thanks to the handiwork of Leroy Horst, a space was created to match the gallery wall, and a photo chosen by Rev. Sue was beautifully matted and framed by Dan Panachyda, who had seen to it that the photos of the church's six previous Sr. Pastors were nicely matted and framed after having been rescued from the archives several years ago. As you will see when you stop by the Library to check out the new addition, everything about the framed photo captures the spirit of Rev. Sue, and that makes this little church mouse smile!

Although some things at St. John's tend to wind down at this time of year, there are many things just beginning to unfold in the life of the church. As an interim Sr. Pastor is sought; as VBS takes on a new approach this year, emphasizing the importance of Volunteering, Believing and Serving; and as St. John's Creation Stewards host a number of exciting new projects, there is plenty to keep this little church mouse busy and involved in the life of the church. I hope you'll join me because it's always better when you are here!

Chancel Flower Donations

Below you will find the chancel flower donation list for May 2022. Please review this list and contact the church office if you would like to remove, add, or update any information on the list.

Reminder: requested donation for the chancel flower listing is \$35.

May 1

In memory of George and Dorothy Knipe and John and Diane Skibbe from Wendy and Phil Hunt and John Skibbe III

May 8 MOTHER'S DAY

In memory of their mothers, Ruth Ekberg and Mae Brown, from Sandy and Scott

In memory of Marie Evans from Jeane, Robert, and Beth Fritz

In memory of Mary Fritz from Robert, Jeane, and Beth Fritz

In memory of Lillian Wurster's birthday and Mother's Day from her daughter, Christine Wiley

In memory of Nancy Schultz on Mother's Day from her daughter, Merle Anne Morcom, and Walter Hawkins

In memory of Sue Wilson on Mother's Day from her daughters

In memory of Mary Franks from her parents, Donald and Suzanne Franks

In loving memory of her sister Bonnie Stott from Nancy Roberts

Happy 94th Birthday on May 13 to Lorene K. Ahrens from her loving family

In memory of Robert and Marion Gilbert from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson and Family (second weekend in May)

May 15

In memory of George Ruth's May 15th birthday from Chriss Bodde and family

In honor of the 101st birthday of Grace Ehly on May 15th from her daughter, Dean Meacham

In memory of Daniel Elliott on our May 15th wedding anniversary from his wife, Elizabeth

In memory of Paul and Betty Fehnel from Jean Fehnel

May 22

Congratulations to Sandy and Scott Brown who will celebrate their 47th wedding anniversary on May 24

May 29

In memory of Michelle Snyder on her 34th birthday, May 29. Love, Mom, Dad, Jackie, and Jimmy

In memory of Philip Richart Jr.'s May 30th birthday, from Holly and Ken Fisher and the Kim and John Milliron family

From Edna McGinley in memory of her mother Edna's June 3rd birthday

In memory of June Hendricks's June 1st birthday from her nephew, John, and Susan Hendricks



Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Diane Butt; George Richardson, husband of Phyllis; Harry Bingham, husband of Sylvia; Paul Zirkel; Bob Williams; and Tom Crawford, cousin of Alan Malachowski, who passed away recently.

ARTICLES DUE FOR JUNE ISSUE DEADLINE: MAY 8

Leaders: Please provide articles for these coming events for the next *Enlightener* issue:

- o Graduates
- o Pentecost
- o Confirmation
- o Juneteenth
- o Father's Day
- o 65th Anniversary of the UCC

All submissions must include your name and phone number and be typed or printed. Submissions can be placed in the *Enlightener* bin in the Church Office (top bin) or emailed to erickinsey46@gmail.com. If you have questions, please call Eric Kinsey at 215.513.2237.

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Chancel Flower Ministry

Thank you for being a part of this important ministry. Many lives have been touched by your efforts.

Flowers should be delivered after the 10:15 AM church service or on Monday. Feel free to deliver the flowers to whomever you want—anyone who is celebrating a birthday or an anniversary, people who are ill, people who are in the hospital, people who need a little extra care. The people you deliver to do not need to be members of St. John's. They can be your friends, loved ones, and neighbors. The flower ministry is part of our outreach.

The flower room is through the door on the left side of the chancel—the side where the pastor preaches. All the supplies you will need are in this room:

- ≈ Plastic vases
- ≈ St. John's address directory
- ≈ Cards.

Please take the flowers out of the brass vases and put them into the plastic floral containers located on the shelves in the flower room. Return the liners back into the brass vases. Please include a card for each bouquet. There will be a copy of these instructions in the flower room. If you are out of town on your assigned Sunday, please switch with someone else. Again, many thanks for being a part of St. John's flower ministry. Please leave the plastic liners in the brass vases, they belong to the florist.

Lisa

May 1	Bonnie & Ken Hales
May 8	Judy & Bill Zoll
May 15	Tracey & Mark O'Neill
May 22	Peter Conver
May 29	Audrey Hahn



Summary Of Last Month And YTD Income And Expense	Mar 2022	Jan-Mar 2022
Ordinary Income/Expense		
Income		
Current Tithes/Offerings	30,280.52	109,612.55
Flowers	475.00	1,330.00
Rental Income	3,050.00	9,150.00
Use of Building Income	40.00	1,290.00
Miscellaneous Unrestricted Income	187.00	698.23
Interest Income, Savings Accounts	1.08	3.16
Total Income	34,033.60	122,083.94
Gross Income	34,033.60	122,083.94
Expense		
Salaries and Benefits	35,866.78	107,703.78
Elders Expenses	464.45	708.66
Deacons Expenses	309.00	1,026.50
Educators Expenses	156.75	325.21
Trustees/Building Expenses	1,528.35	3,385.64
Building Operation Expenses	6,371.87	19,828.09
Operating Expenses	6,350.30	17,835.77
Miscellaneous Expenses	180.50	351.46
Total Expense	51,228.00	151,165.11
Net Ordinary Income	-17,194.40	-29,081.17
Budgeted Transfers From Investments	9,818.54	29,455.62
Net Ordinary Income Plus Transfers	-7,375.86	374.45
Other Income/Expense		
Other Income		
Artist Series Income—Special	100.00	800.00
Benevolence Offerings	10,882.11	27,937.95
Special Accounts	2,169.84	13,698.95
Total Other Income	13,151.95	42,436.90
Other Expense		
Artist Series Fund Expenditures	2,100.00	2,643.80
Benevolence Disbursements	11,774.34	33,086.84
Special Fund Expenditures	4,593.77	6,362.77
Total Other Expense	18,468.11	42,093.41
Net Other Income	-5,316.16	343.49
Net Income	-22,510.56	-28,737.68
Net Income Plus Transfers	-12,692.02	717.94

From the Creation Stewards

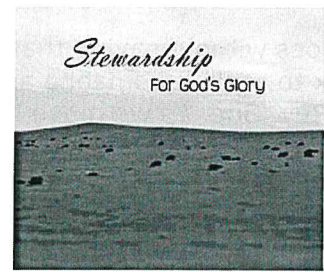


"OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF
BABES"
(Told to me by a friend about her
granddaughter's activism.)

In June of 2021 Momo (the grandmother) gifted Jules with a book about Earth Day for her seventh birthday. The child has a penchant for reading everything she can, and quickly absorbed the book, taking its message to heart. Jules's parents are very environmentally conscientious, modeling concern for the Earth as well. September rolled around and Jules came home from second grade disturbed that the lunchroom offered only plasticware. She knew that was bad for the Earth and said to her mom "I guess I will have to become President to solve this problem." Her mother explained that one doesn't have to become President to solve problems and encouraged her to find out why they use plastic. Wasting no time, Jules asked a cafeteria lady why, and found that they did not have a dishwasher. Asking her best friend, Katie, to illustrate a letter, Jules wrote to her teacher with possible solutions to the problem: get a sink, bring utensils from home, get a dishwasher. Imagine the teacher's surprise when she was handed this letter! In late October, after helping the girls "put it in grown-up words (edit it)," the teacher suggested Jules take it to the principal. Jules was nervous but remained determined. Bravely she took it to the principal, who read it and said she thought she could solve the problem and would get back to her. Christmas came and went, and Jules was not seeing any improvement. In February Jules decided to go to school early one day to ask the principal why she had not heard from her. Perhaps the principal was too busy. Jules offered to help her. The principal promised to get back to her this time. The very next week the principal sought Jules as she came into school. They walked to the cafeteria, and there was a brand-new dishwasher! The perseverance of this child is heartening. This may be one small instance of Earth care but it shows how every step we take helps. I am happy there are people like Jules in this world. It seems the youth are taking on the problem past generations are leaving them. Before I leave this world I hope I can be brave like Jules and not only do my part but encourage others.

Marie Carota

More from the Creation Stewards



As you all know by now, things happen at St. John's that reinforce that God is with us on our journey. And so it is with the Creation Stewards. Events are coming to us that are exciting, and perfectly aligned with our priorities. Here is what has happened in the last several weeks:

Liz Vanderburg put us in touch with **PAR Recycles**, which is a nonprofit organization that employs formerly incarcerated citizens to run local electronics recycling events (see table on page 10). If you have ever gone to the North Penn High School recycling event (which they run), you know it gets very crowded with long waiting lines. So we have signed up with PAR Recycles to have a St. John's electronic recycling event on Saturday, September 24, from 10 AM to 3 PM. They take care of organizing the event, but we may need to supply some volunteers to help direct traffic and unload items. This fits perfectly with our goals of helping protect the environment and addressing income inequality.

Pat and Ken Rieker mentioned that Lansdale is having a **Garden Tour** on July 9 and suggested including St. John's Gardens on the tour. When I contacted the organizer, it happens that she walks her dog every day past our gardens and was planning to contact us to see if we would be willing to participate! So we will be included on the garden tour. We will need a few volunteers to be present just to help answer questions and show visitors around. The garden tour will include information on the **Garden of Health in Harleysville**, which provides locally grown produce to area food banks.

As if that's not enough, Marie Carota is publishing a children's book about nature. She is in the process of getting it copyrighted and printed. She has agreed to do a book signing at the Garden Tour and donate any net proceeds to the Garden of Health.

SEARCH AND CALL UPDATE

It goes without saying that it is an impossible task to replace someone as talented and beloved as Rev. Sue. As we move into the next chapter in the life of St. John's, we will keep you informed about our progress.

We have started the process of identifying candidates for Interim Pastor, who will perform ministerial duties and support our transition while we search for a "Settled" (permanent) Pastor. The goal is to have the Interim Pastor in place immediately after Rev. Sue's last Sunday.

A small **Transition Team**, led by Liz Rivett (Council Vice-President, lizrivett@verizon.net 732.604.4180), is responsible for the search for an Interim Pastor voted on by Council. Team members are Dan Panachyda (ncwyeth1@verizon.net 215.368.6873), Grace Bruen (grace.bruen@gmail.com 215.518.4768), Jessica Carson (jessrice301@gmail.com 301.254.1311), Don Atkiss (datkiss@comcast.net 215.872.7487), Mark Bruen (markwbruen@gmail.com 215.872.6189) and Sally Atkiss (basketsal@yahoo.com 215.872.6168). Feel free to reach out to any of them with questions, concerns, or suggestions. We have also set up a **Celebration Team**, led by Pat Rieker, Amy Faga, and Sally Jarinko, to coordinate activities to recognize Rev. Sue leading up to her last Sunday. Please contact them with questions or comments.

A larger **Search Committee** will be established to identify candidates for the Settled Pastor, to be led by the Board of Elders, with additional members from congregation, representing the full breadth of diversity that is the St. John's "Motley Crew."

We are very fortunate to have an incredibly talented and dedicated ministerial staff, as well as excellent support staff in place. They play key roles in the selection process. We are also receiving significant support from Rev. Kevin McLemore, PSEC Associate Conference Minister for Search and Call.

Selecting a new Settled Pastor can take 12 to 18 months or longer. We are embarking on an important journey; finding the right person to lead us into a new chapter at St. John's will require input, support, and patience from you, our members and friends.

Look for continuing updates regarding these search activities periodically. In the meantime, please feel free to contact Bill Leslie (jubilie1979@yahoo.com 610.416.1839) or me with any questions you may have.

Were You There?

Thirty Years Ago: The New St. John's Cookbook, a project for the benefit of the major renovation fund, was published.



Twenty-five Years Ago:

Project HOPE and St. John's Church invited the public to a display of the NAMES Project AIDS Memorial Quilt at St. John's. A memorial service was held on May 18.

Twenty Years Ago: Sunday School teachers attended a meeting to hear about the new curriculum, *Seasons of the Spirit*. The curriculum development was an ecumenical effort among many denominations.

Fifteen Years Ago: The National Association of Letter Carriers and the US Postal Service collected nonperishable food items by people's mailboxes on May 12 to be distributed to the hungry in the community.

Ten Years Ago: The Diakonia Outreach Team sponsored a letter-writing event, Bread for the World's Offering of Letters, a campaign asking Congress to protect federal funding for programs for hungry and poor people.

Five Years Ago: The Children's Choir shared a year's worth of songs they prepared for the Choristers Guild Festival in the Assembly Hall.

One Year Ago: The presentations of the 33rd St. John's Artist Series were made available on our YouTube channel.

News From Our Kids Around The World

Alyanna Jean Calumba

Dumaguete City, Philippines

Alyanna Jean is a conscientious 7th-grader who is unable to attend school due to the COVID pandemic. Since March 2020, Alyanna's father has taught her at home using lesson modules from her school. Alyanna has had little contact with her peers in the past two years. If Alyanna had a computer and internet connection, she could attend virtual school with her teachers and peers.

St. John's Outreach Team, along with Global Ministries and the Kalauman Center for Development in The Philippines, have been working diligently to obtain a computer and internet service for Alyanna. Thanks to the generosity of St. John's member Dan Panachyda, Alyanna will soon have a laptop computer and internet time available in her home.

The Kalauman Center and Alyanna's father will help her learn to use her new computer. The Outreach Team will continue to help Alyanna's family to purchase internet time as she continues through her school years. If you would like to help, please contribute to Child Sponsorship through your weekly offering envelopes.



DilliBabu

India

The Family Village Farm in India has told us that DilliBabu has completed his Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering and has entered an apprenticeship. The FVF writes, "DilliBabu's future is secured. We owe your church our gratitude for writing to him frequently and making him realise that you loved and cared about him. He is a confident young man ready to face the world. He will stay with his grandmother after getting discharged from FVF." Thanks to St. John's member Sylvia Bingham for her many supportive letters to DilliBabu.

DilliBabu has aged out of the Child Sponsorship program and is indeed "ready to face the world," thanks to the generosity and support of St. John's.

Nickole Florence Inog

Dumaguete City, Philippines

Nickole Florence was an adopted child of St. John's for 12 years (2007-2019). The Kalauman Center recently sent an update on her progress. "She [Nicole Florence] continues to participate actively in all the activities of the center and, in fact, she is one of our teacher facilitators during our weekly church school sessions and all other activities of the center for the younger sponsored children. Kalauman also continues to help Nickole in her school expenses using the funds we have saved for her through the years when St. John's was still supporting her.

Nickole is also very fortunate that when she aged out [of the program], George and Patricia Kaufmann, who are members of your church, decided to continue to support her. She has been able to attend Silliman, which is a very good private university in Dumaguete City. Nickole will finish her Bachelor of Science in Social Work this coming July 2022 and, in fact, have her one-year Internship at Kalauman. She has been instrumental in facilitating the fundraising for an open-heart surgery for one of our sponsored children, which cost more than half a million pesos. There is a big possibility that Nickole will become one of the Kalauman staff, as they are now looking for someone. All of you are a big part of Nickole's success. Soon, she will be able to help her family and serve the community being a Social Worker."

Electronic Items Acceptable at PAR Recycles							
Desktop Computing	Digital Storage	Computer Peripherals	Office Equipment	Telecommunications	Media Players	The following items include a cost to ensure they are properly recycled	
Computers & Mini Towers	CDs & DVDs	Cables	Calculators	Mobile Phones	VCR/DVD Players	Older CRT Monitors and TVs: \$35-\$75 each (size varies)	
Hard Drives	Video & Audio Tapes	Digital Cameras	Desktop Copiers	Telephones (landline)	MP3 Players & iPods	Flatscreen TVs: \$20 each	
Laptops & Handhelds	External Drives	Keyboards & Mice	Fax Machines		Radios (CDs, Tapes)	Computer Monitors: \$5	
Notebooks & Tablets	Zip Drives	Printers	Scanners			Air Conditioners, Dehumidifiers & Air Purifiers: \$20	
		Speakers	Typewriters			Microwaves: \$10	

ST. JOHN'S
Artist Series

Thank you for your support!

The St. John's Artist Series is entirely funded by patron support and audience donations.
Below are only a few ways your financial gifts allow us to make a joyful noise!

Your gifts make it possible to bring professional musicians from near and far to St. John's!

- Jocelyn Crosby (Flautist from Lancaster, Pennsylvania) – October 2021
- John Pennington (Percussionist from Portland, Oregon) – March 2022
- Seven Last Words Chamber Ensemble (Instrumentalists from The Philly Pops and The Philadelphia Ballet Orchestra) – April 2022
- Svyati Duo (Cello and Organ Duo from London, England) – October 2022*

Your gifts make it possible to record and post concerts on the St. John's YouTube Channel!

- There are often additional fees paid to publishing companies to post certain pieces on YouTube.
- Your support allows us to post concerts legally, which allows composers and arrangers of pieces to be compensated for their work.

Your gifts make music a regular occurrence in an irregular time!

- Over 1000 people experienced concerts in the 2021-2022 season (either in-person or on YouTube).

Patrons of the 2021-2022 St. John's Artist Series

BENEFACTOR (\$200+)

Lynne Bartholomew, Sandy and Scott Brown, Mark and Grace Bruen, Suzanne and Don Franks, A Friend,
A Friend, David Furniss, Bonnie and Ken Hales, Leroy and Linda Horst, Phil and Wendy Hunt,
Anne and Eric Kinsey, Bill and Judy Leslie, Mark and Karen Methlie,
Wendy and Rick O'Connor, Dan and Lillian Panachyda

SPONSOR (\$100-199)

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Debby and Steve Hendricks, Ruth Kinsey, Ruth Moyer, Cynthia Overwise, Phyllis J. Patton,
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Brandi and Ryan Kinsey, Cliff Kneipp, Mary Lynne and Ray Snyder, Vada Timko

FRIEND (\$25-49)

Joe Feher

**Now that the 2021-2022 season has concluded,
consider becoming a patron for the 2022-2023 season!**

Your support is music to our ears! Consider becoming a patron at any level!

___ Benefactor (\$200+) ___ Sponsor (\$100-199) ___ Donor (\$50-99) ___ Friend (\$25-49)

Name as you would like it to appear in future programs: _____

**The full 2022-2023 season lineup will be announced soon!*

The Svyati Duo will be in concert at St. John's on Sunday, October 2, 2022, at 4pm. We hope to see you there!

