

June 4th Worship Information

One in-person worship service @ 9:30am
available later online

on St. John's Facebook Page, Website or
YouTube Channel: [youtube.com/stjohnsucclandsdalepa](https://www.youtube.com/stjohnsucclandsdalepa)

Trinity Sunday

Sermon: Rev. Addie Stong

Scripture: Matthew 28:16-20 Psalm 8

Music: Holy, Holy, Holy, arr. Tom Trenney
Kathleen Siddall, Soprano

Worship Assistants

Hospitality: Grace and Mark Bruen, Team leaders; Mary Billy, Anne Haines, Gerry Linderman, Rickie Lee Sands

Elder of the Morning: Bonnie & Ken Hales

CD Technician: David Douglass

Chancel Flower Ministry: Tracey & Mark O'Neill

Driver: Scott Vanderburg

Umbrella Ministry: Judy Johnston

Chancel Flowers

In memory of The Rev. Herman and Mrs. Ella Ahrens from
Lorene Ahrens



The Women's Retreat will meet in the Activity Room from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm on June 10th for their annual year-end brunch. Plans will be made for next year's retreat programs. If you would like to bring a goodie to share, please contact Sally Jarinko at sjarinko@comcast.net or at 215-421-6678 or 215-256-8289. All women are welcome!



The Church Picnic will be held on Sunday, June 25th, at Plains Mennonite Park, following the congregational meeting. Feel free to bring a side dish and/or dessert to share. We will be serving BBQ pulled pork and a vegetarian option.

Weekly amount needed for Current Income 2023	\$7,788.46
Weekly amount needed for OCWM 2023	\$865.00
A Look at the Week of May 21, 2023	
Attendance: 8:00 am	18
Attendance: 10:15 am	110
Offering For Current Income	\$4,738.00
Offering For Our Church's Wider Mission	\$469.00
A Look at the Week of May 28, 2023	
Attendance: 9:30 am	120
Offering For Current Income	\$3,393.68
Offering For Our Church's Wider Mission	\$282.00

Acknowledgements

To St. John's Music Ministry fund in memory of Herman C. Ahrens, Jr., June 12th birthdate from his loving family

To the Exterior Restoration project in remembrance of the 70th wedding anniversary of Christine & the late Edward Richhart and in memory of Barry from the Richhart family



Reminder: One Sunday morning
worship service at 9:30am
through September 3.

ST. JOHN'S PRAYING HANDS STITCHERS SUMMER SCHEDULE 2023

MEETING THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH
JUNE – JULY – AUGUST – SEPTEMBER
AT A NEW TIME 8:15 TO 9:15 AM

All knitters and crocheters are welcome whether you're just beginning, want to learn or you've been knitting and crocheting for many years. Meet us in the Church Library.



June 11th Worship Information

One in-person worship service @ 9:30am
available later online

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Second Sunday after Pentecost

Sermon: Rev. Addie Stong

Scripture: Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26 Psalm 50

Music: God of Great and God of Small, Natalie Sleeth
Children's Choir

Worship Assistants

Hospitality: Robin MacMullen, Team leader; Peter Conver, Griff Francis, Stefanie Giampa, Jenn Moyer, Matt Rivett

Elder of the Morning: Debby Hendricks

CD Technician: Robin MacMullen

Chancel Flower Ministry: Grace & Gerry Linderman

Driver: Amy Hutchinson

Umbrella Ministry: Marcia Stacy

Chancel Flowers

In memory of Polly Hartzell's June 11 birthday from her daughter, Dee Reedman and family

In memory of Sara Line's birthday from her sister, Jeane and Bob Fritz



St. John's will be recognizing graduates from high school, college, grad school, etc., on Father's Day, June 18, during the 9:30am worship service. If you would like your graduate's name to be included that day, please call or email the Church Office by June 12 with information about your grad. Thanks!

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Upcoming Congregation Visioning Sessions and engagement opportunities:

Sessions will be held in Assembly Hall following the 9:30am worship service.

- **June 4th - Worship & Faith Formation**
- **June 7th - Wednesday Evening Meeting with Younger Members and Young Families. Meal available at 5:30pm; session at 6:00pm. Additional info in June Enlightener.**
- **June 11th - Meeting with Younger Members and Families after church at 11:00am. More info in June Enlightener.**
- **Additional Weekday congregational discussions in June, dates TBD**

If you are not able to attend one of the in-person sessions, please contact any of the Visioning Team members, or send an email to exec@st-johns-ucc.org and we will work with you to gather your input. We will dedicate time at our upcoming Congregational meeting (June 25th following the 9:30 service) for this topic as well.



Children's Sunday School participants and their parents

Join us for our end-of-the-year Donut social on Sunday, June 4th, from 9:00-9:30am in the Activity Room. Includes a brief choir rehearsal.

St. John's Basket Raffle

Please stop by the Fireside Room to view the Raffle Baskets and purchase your tickets. The baskets will be on display Sundays from May 28 through June 25 and Lansdale Day on June 3. Tickets will also be available for purchase at the church picnic on June 25 before the drawing that day.



* All proceeds will benefit the exterior renovation project *

If you have questions, please contact Judy Johnston at 215-896-9381.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June	4	Trinity Sunday One Worship Service at 9:30am Praying Hands Stitchers at 8:15am Children's Sunday School year-end Donut Social at 9am, including Children's Choir Rehearsal. Fellowship and 4th Congregational Visioning Session following worship
June	5	Girl Scouts
June	6	AA
June	7	Visioning Session with Younger Members and Young Families (meal available at 5:30pm, session at 6:00pm)
June	8	Lansdale Montessori School Graduation
June	9	Chess
June	10	Women's Retreat, Lansdale Garden Tour, Lansdale Montessori School New Student Orientation
June	11	Second Sunday after Pentecost One Worship Service at 9:30am Fellowship Charitable Gift Market meeting at 11:00 Visioning Session with Younger Members & Families at 11:00



Growing in Faith ~ VBS 2023

Last summer, we reimagined VBS to stand for Volunteer. Believe. Serve. ~ an intergenerational opportunity to put our faith into action!

Once again, we will offer 3 opportunities throughout the summer to be volunteer gardeners at Garden of Health! VBS is for **ALL ages**, but children and their families are especially welcome for a time of learning, gardening, and growing our faith!

Opportunities to get your hands dirty:

Wednesday evening **June 21, 6-8pm**
Sunday afternoon **July 9, 12-2pm**
Thursday evening **July 27, 6-8pm**

*Meet at the garden—500 Fairgrounds Road, Hatfield, PA 19440

Looking ahead: Did you know that 2023 is St. John's 100th year of VBS? Join us for a special Fellowship time on August 6th to celebrate **100 years of growing in faith!**
More information to come!

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