

Easter Breakfast



**Join us for Easter Breakfast served
between 7:30 – 9:30 a.m.
in the Karin Johnson Hall**

Lutheran World Relief – Kits of Care

Thank you to everyone who has already donated. We are still in need of the following items to assemble the Personal Care Kits for LWR's Project Promise campaign. Our goal is 200 kits! A full list of items is available in the Narthex next to the donation box.

We still need by April 28th:

- 47 Combs (sturdy)
- 18 Toothbrushes (individual)

2019 H.S. Mission Trip Sign Up by May 1st!

Date: July 6 – July 13, 2019

Location: Rushville, IN - Rush to Serve Workcamp

Cost: \$375

Deposit: Due May 1st, \$50 reserves your spot

Sign Up: at stjohnjoliet.org

Questions: Contact Pastor Evan

Coffee with Friends



Make plans to meet up with a friendly and welcoming group of St. John women on Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m. at the Book and Bean Café in the Joliet Library, 3395 Black Road, Joliet. **All women are welcome! Feel free to bring a friend!**

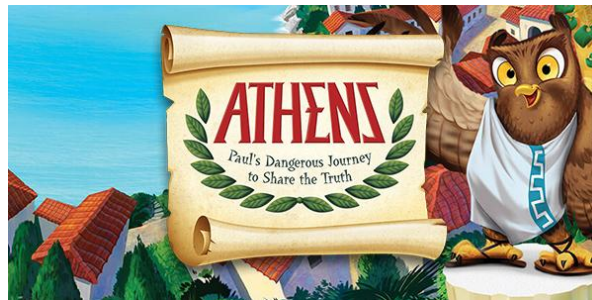
Young Adult Ministry

Pastor Evan is exploring how St. John can better serve young adults in their 20s and 30s. The first step of this process is having intentional conversations with people from this age group. If you are interested or passionate about ministry for young adults (or know someone who is), please contact Pastor Evan and he would be happy to sit down with you!

VBS SAVE THE DATE!

June 9th – 13th

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.



AGES 4 YEARS – 6TH GRADE
REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 5TH



Calling All **VOLUNTEERS**

FOR VBS ATHENS

AGES 7TH GRADE – ADULT

Sign up today!

WE NEED: Crew Leaders and Crew Helpers.

People to Set Up, Take Down, Play Games.
THE KIDS NEED YOU for fun, fellowship, song and service.

Volunteer Registration forms available in the church office or contact Sarah Wernli, Kathy Moore, or Melanie Runkle.

Mobile Food Pantry Blessings

We are very grateful for the 120+ volunteers who helped distribute food for 250 families on April 6th. Your enthusiasm for this ministry is amazing! A special thank you to First Presbyterian Church of Joliet for sponsoring this event. God bless you all! Our June 1st mobile sign up is now open at stjohnfood.org.

Special Offering this Month:

Helping Hands

Helping Hands Fund is a fund used to help the members of St. John when they are going through difficult crises, affecting their finances and ability to pay for the necessities of housing and utilities.

Throughout the past year, we've had members of our congregation experience health issues and the need for this fund was very appreciated. If you would like to be a blessing to others, please consider donating to Helping Hands. Use the gold pew envelopes for your contribution or send your donation to our church office indicating the gift is for the Helping Hands fund.

Intuitive Eating 2.0

Are You Interested?

Anyone who has already participated in the Intuitive Eating program, or who has read the book on their own and understands the 10 basic principles, is eligible to attend this Intuitive Eating 2.0 group. If you would like to join a group to continue the discussion and share experiences and ideas, please contact Diane Barnes at dianebarnes4@gmail.com or 815-685-6935. This group will meet on Thursday nights, once a month, at St. John.

Adult Grief Support Group

May 11th, Youth Room

The second Saturday of every month, Dr. Sandra Carlson leads a support group at 4:00 pm. All are invited. Stay for worship at 5:30 p.m.