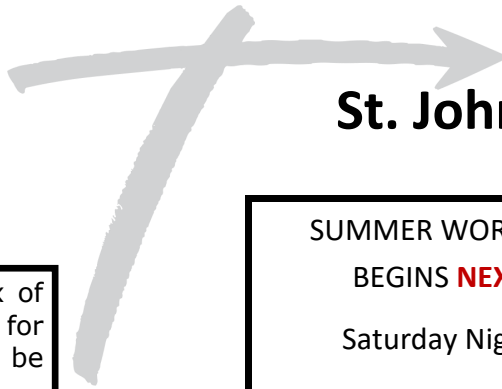


Matthew 18:20 For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.

THE GATHERING



St. John's Weekly



Come see the display in the Narthex of the "Wall of Possibilities" Fundraiser for the Capital Campaign. The Wall will be up during the month of May.

Holy Baptism: (9:30am) We celebrate with Samuel Klenske and Baleigh LaSota on the Baptism of Juniper Fey Klenske. The Godparent's are Jake LaSota and Deanna Scott Klenske. May God's Blessings continue with this family.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE BEGINS NEXT WEEKEND
Saturday Night @ 5:30pm
Sunday Tailgate Fellowship @ 8:30am
Sunday Worship @ 9:30am
\*\* Remember your lawn chair\*\*
If you would like to host or sponsor fellowship contact Vickie Hughes @ 815-482-7745



DO YOU PREFER PAPER OVER TECHNOLOGY?

The BiMonthly newsletter is sent out by email every other month. If you would prefer a paper copy mailed directly to your home, simply contact the church office. It is important that we share exciting news with our church family and we don't want you to miss it!



Prayer Calendar May 12-19
May
5 Adult Confirmation
5 Joy Group Concert Trip
12 Mother's Day Hymn Sing
17 Joy Group House Tour
19 Outdoor Worship begins!
June
8 Men's Faith Builder Breakfast
16 Father's Day CAR SHOW
24-27 Vacation Bible School
July
13 Joy Group Nonsense Trip
Aug
11 CHURCH PICNIC



Prayer Calendar May 12-19

- Adam, Laura Joy, Mason, Abel, Hutch & Della Borhart
Doug & Lori Borhart
Lanny & Peggy Sue Brasile
Abbi & Michael Brock
Jeff & Lori Burno
Jim & Judy Burno

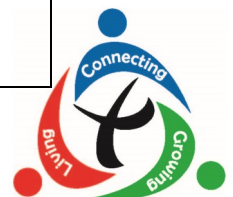


MARK YOUR CALENDAR/TELL YOUR FRIENDS

June 16th

St. John's Annual Car Show

General Fund Offerings Last Week \$10,607
Attendance Last Weekend 183





**SIGN-UP SHEET LOCATED IN THE LOBBY**

# The Scoop On Joy GROUP



**Join us! Daily Bible Reading Plan**

|        |            |  |
|--------|------------|--|
| 13-May | 2Ch 34-36  | <i>Please pick up a<br/>printed reading<br/>schedule at church</i> |
| 14-May | Ezr 1-4    |  |
| 15-May | Ezr 5-8    |  |
| 16-May | Ezr 9-Ne 1 |  |
| 17-May | Ne 2-6     |  |
| 18-May | Ne 7-10    |  |

**The Story of Redemption**



Join us for a tour of  
the Laurent House in Rockford  
on Friday, May 17.  
Tour begins at 10:00 am  
and the cost is \$18.  
Lunch will follow the tour.



Groups  
**Hometown Nazareth**  
Where Jesus was a Kid™  
**June 24-27**

**VBS Volunteers Needed**  
in the following areas:



**adult crafters & helpers:**

- Synagogue School (scrolls) Pottery Shop (clay)
- Carpentry Shop (wood crafts) Dye Shop (painting)
- Loom Shop (weaving) Farmer's Field (planting)
- Bead Bizarre (jewelry making)



**crew leaders**

escort groups of kids to activities



**snack distributors**

prep & hand out the day's snack



**preschool teachers & helpers**

wrangle the littles

**Anyone 12 years and up can sign up!**