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"No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here."

Mrs. Marg Scott Honored for 50 Years Teaching Sunday School

On Sunday, May 23, the Board of Christian Education and the Church Council honored Marg with a special litany, special music, and gifts during morning worship.

St. Johns is so blessed to have a wonderful, dedicated, Christian teacher like Marg!



UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, June 6: Holy Communion during Morning Worship

Wednesday, June 9: Church Board meeting at 6:00 pm

Sunday, June 13: Penny Sunday and Benevolence Offering

Monday, June 14-Friday, June 18: VBS from 9:00-11:30 am

Sunday, June 20: VBS Sunday

Thursday, June 24: Newsletter articles due

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Notes from the May 5, 2021 Church Council Meeting

Members present Scott, Ed, Linda, Vicki and Pastor Jim were present. Jared was absent.

Cooper Health Department asked us to post an information flyer about the WIC program.

Rev. Damien Lake our Associate Conference Minister will have the June 13th service at 11am, he will be also at EUCC earlier to get to know the Congregations and find a good fit for a new Minister.

We will be having 3 new members join our Church in the near future.

Marg will be honored for her 50 years of being a Sunday School Teacher on May 23rd.

July 4th, Labor Day and 9/11 will be recognized.

Respectfully submitted, Vicki Hilden, Secretary

Dear Church Family,

THANK YOU to the Christian Education Board and the Church Board for my wonderful SURPRISE celebration on May 23rd. I felt so honored and loved! Special thanks to Abby, Kamrynn, Linda and Dave for the beautiful music, prepared for me. It was so nice and inspiring! I am grateful for the special cross, plaque, and shoebox postage gifts. I will cherish those always. Blessings to Melissa for her kind words and organizing this. Thank you to Pastor Jim for the meaningful litany.

Teaching Sunday School all these years has been so interesting and inspiring. I wish I could remember all the cute things the kids have said! What a blessing all of these children have been!

I am so fortunate and honored to call St. Johns my church family! May God richly bless each of you. Love in Christ, Marg Scott

HEALTH FACTS

HEART ATTACK

A heart attack generally causes chest pain for more than 15 minutes. This chest pain is a pressure or tightness or a squeezing or aching sensation in the center of the chest. Pain can spread to the left shoulder, arm, back, neck, jaw, teeth, and even upper abdomen. Other symptoms are nausea, indigestion, heartburn, difficulty breathing, lightheadedness, dizziness, fainting, and sweating.

Don't ignore these symptoms. If it is you, have someone drive you to the nearest health center or call 911. If it is happening to your companion, stay calm and call 911. An aspiring can be chewed while waiting, if not contraindicated. It could reduce heart damage by keeping the blood from clotting. Also, nitroglycerin tablets, previous prescribed, can be taken.

Should the companion become unconscious and stop breathing, CPR will be needed. Push hard and fast on the center of the person's chest in a fairly rapid rhythm, about 100-120 times per minute. If an AED (automated external defibrillator) is available, follow the device instructions for using it. Our church is blessed to have an AED located on the downstairs wall to the right of the women's bathroom door.

Wonderful Promises from the Bible

JOSHUA 1:5 "... I will not fail you or abandon you."

JOSHUA 23:10 "... the Lord your God fights for you, just as He has promised."

ISAIAH 54:17 "... no weapon turned against you will succeed."

LUKE 10:19 "And I have given you authority over all the power of the enemy..."

THANK YOU

To Leola Schler for her donation to the Schler Educational Endowment Fund in memory of Paula Darling.

To Ed & Lynnd Schler for their donation to the Schler Educational Endowment Fund in memory of Paula Darling.

To Mary, Jon, Matt, Phil & Stan Schler for their donation to the Schler Educational Endowment Fund in memory of Paula Darling.

To Kenneth & Janet Stegner for their donation to the Cemetery Fund in memory of Paula Darling.

To Rhea Helmreich for her donation to the Cemetery Fund in memory of Paula Darling.

CONGRATULATIONS CORNER

Thomas Grathwohl graduated from Northwest Missouri State University on May 7 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture Business. Congratulations Thomas!

Congratulations to Kevin and Heather Simmons on the birth of Remington Leola Simmons, born on May 25th. Proud grandmother is Linda Simmons and proud great-grandmother is Leola Schler.

	MAY STATISTICS											
	Offering	ring Benevolence Attenda										
02	\$2650	\$25	60									
09	\$505	\$80	23									
16	\$680	\$0 Penny Sun: \$46.33	31									
23	\$1305	\$25 Stren. the Church: \$30	35									
30	\$1225	\$25	25									

While I sat in the reception area of my doctor's office, a woman rolled an elderly man in a wheelchair into the room. As she went to the receptionist's desk, the man sat there, alone and silent. Just as I was thinking I should make small talk with him, a little boy slipped off his mother's lap and walked over to the wheelchair Placing his hand on the man's, he said, "I know how you feel. My Mom makes me ride in the stroller too."

¹⁹ Honor your father and mother, and, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. *Matthew* **19**

	Worship Leader	Greeters & Ushers	Scripture Readings			
June 06	Donna Kammerich	Scott Grissum & Marg Scott	2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1			
		g	Mark 3:20-35			
June 13	Jason Hundley	Abigail Pannell & Janet Stegner	2 Corinthians 5:6-17			
Julie 13	Jason nunuley	Abigali Falliteli & Jailet Stegilei	Mark 4:26-34			
luna 20	Mora Soott	Phan Halmraigh & Valuateer	2 Corinthians 6:1-13			
June 20	Marg Scott	Rhea Helmreich & Volunteer	Mark 4:35-41			
luna 07	Dhao Halmraich	Bill & Marilyn Caigar	2 Corinthians 8:7-15			
June 27	Rhea Helmreich	Bill & Marilyn Geiger	Mark 5:21-43			

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Mariah Carmichael	01
Frank Eastman	03
Shawn Riley	05
Wilbert Meyer	07
Tricia Robinson	07
Jared Kueckelhan	08
Clinton Shelton	08
MiKayla Bohlken	10
Michael Grissum	10
Donnie Helmreich	10
Gage Rold	19
Linda Burnett	20
Megan Baker	21
Brandon Burnett	21
Susan Farris	22
Josiah Searfoss	24
Connor Floyd	26
George Pannell, Jr.	27
Shawn Swalwell	27
Jenna Helmreich	29
Roger Kueckelhan	29

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Susan Forst Jim & Lori Woods Shawn & Shauna Bohlken Jason & Samie Gerhardt Don & Marg Scott Joseph & Megan Baker Bob & Mary Painter Buster & Birdie Kueckelhan	01 05 05 10 10 19
Cliff & Jenea Smith	21

🕆 BAPTISM ANNIVERSARIES 🗘

Caleb Duane Smith	01
Linda Carol Schler Simmons	02
Jennifer Jill Farris Waibel	08
Eugene Earl Painter	08
Dalton Friedrich Pannell	17
George Pannell, Jr.	17
Cindy Lou Schler Vogel	17
Mindy Lea Schler Becker	17
Abigail Frances Pannell	20
Andrew Tyler Grissum	22

Please let these homebound and nursing home friends know you are thinking about them with a visit or a card.

Arlene Friedrich Katy Manor 205 Prospect Pilot Grove, MO 65276 Rob Friedrich 1331 Lyric Court Boonville, MO 65233 Louise Overstreet (Janet's mother) Hartmann Village 615 Rankin Mill Ln Boonville, MO 65233 Shirley Schmidt (Vicki's mother) Nye Point 2700 Laverna St, Fremont, NE 68025 Marjorie Vieth Meyer Riverdell Care Center 1121 11th St. Boonville, MO 65233 Bernadine Wassmann Katy Manor 205 Prospect Pilot Grove, MO 65276

PRAYER CHAIN

Carolyn Bunton (friend of Laura), hospice Angie Carmichael, cancer Pastor Jim & Sharon Elliott Carol (Pastor Jim's sister-in-law), lung cancer John (Sharon's brother-in-law), heart issues Ethan @ ECH (SS Sponsor Child) Don Farris, recovering from pneumonia **Eula Brown Gowan** Joey Hoflander, recovering from stroke Todi Hughes (Holly's mom) Lyndall Galloway (Laura's father) Iva Mae Johnson (Vicki's aunt) Nancy Kueckelhan Ava LeCave Chris (Ann Muntzel's nephew), chemotherapy Bobbie Perry (Pat Friedrich's sister) Marilyn Rethmeyer, cancer Karen Schnetzler Carol Snyder Dorothy Vieth, recovering from broken hip & ankle

Serving in our military:

Landon Bail	Cliff
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Vacation Bible School

June 14-18 9:00-11:30 AM

Roar VBS is an African adventure for students in Preschool through 5th grade (ages 4-11). Students will learn that "God is good" and will stay with them forever.

Whether that is when life is unfair, scary, changes, sad, or good, God is good!

Bible stories for each day include:

The Israelites are slaves for the Egyptians. **Exodus 1; 5-6** God sends plagues on Egypt. **Exodus 7:14-12:32** The Israelites enter the wilderness. **Exodus 14-17** Jesus dies and comes back to life. **John 16-21** The Israelites build a memorial to remember God's goodness. **Joshua 3-4**



Please use the sign-up link to register your child for VBS by June 4, 2021: <u>https://forms.gle/9Lra98xJDbQq5YAu6</u>

Return Service Requested

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