St. John's Episcopal Church - Newsletter Sunday, August 16, 2026

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

To know God, love God, and serve God;

By welcoming all, loving all, and serving all

WORSHIP AND EDUCATION NEWS:

Worship: August 16, the Holy Eucharist at **10:30 am**, at St. John's Episcopal Church, with **The Rev. Canon Ryan A. Boyce**

Readings Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

Isaiah 56:1, 6-8; Psalm 67; Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32; Matthew 15: [10-20], 21-28

PASTORAL NEWS:

Please keep the following in your prayers: Jo Liddy, Sylvia Ross, Abigail Grace Fox, Patricia Gibson, Brad Storey, **Jean McCollum**, **Vivian Wright, Vic Juengel**, Donna Watson, **Neville Jones**, Steve Adams, **Gene Parker**, Jill King Lawrence, Jeff Taylor, Shannon Young, Jackson McLenden, Janet Robason, Sandra Bagley, William Capel, Pat Corder, **Bob Lee,** Peggy Webster, Georgia King Hall, **Jeannie Turley,** and Candy Brittany.

(Please let the office know if updates are needed. Thank you)

ST JOHN'S ECW is sponsoring **Bingo** at **The Manor** on **Tuesday** from 1–2, **September 8,** 2026, Contributions are welcome for the prizes. There is a small box at the back of the church for these prize donations.

Vestry Voted: St. John's Collection plate on the first Sunday of each month will be allocated to the Priest Discretionary Fund. (If paying your pledge, please note on check or envelope)

CHURCH OFFICE NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

August 12, Mid Week services will start on Wednesday in the chapel at 6:00 pm with The Rev. Canon Ryan A. Boyce

HOLY EUCHARIST, **SUNDAY**, **August 16**, 10:30 am, at St. John's, with **Rev. Ryan Boyce**

Lay Eucharist Minister & Acolyte: Ben Pittman

Ushers: Lorraine Ferryman & Tait Owens

Altar Guild: Andrea Clark & Julie Pittman

Video: Facebook Live: Julie Pittman

Organist: Hallam Roach

Vocalist: B.J. Webster

Flowers: In thanksgiving for our children and grandchildren by Anna Barry and Tap Jennings

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For those that cannot attend in person on **Sunday**, there will be live streaming on **Facebook.**
The link for Sunday service is:

Facebook Group: **St. John's Episcopal Church-Helena, AR**
https://www.facebook.com/groups/929943537685987

Temperature checks, hand sanitizer and masks are always available as you enter **if needed**.
CDC COVID-19 guidelines (Vestry approved) Complete list is on table in the back of church

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