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## THE CARILLON

### Welcome Rev. Cassandra Granados

## Pastor's Desk

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We are excited to welcome Rev. Cassandra Granados, and her husband Jatin Kashyap, to St. John's. She will begin her role as Senior Minister on July 24 with her first worship service on Sunday, July 30. We are pleased to bring them into the St. John's family and look forward to a new chapter in our church history with her energy, experience, and new perspectives on ministry.

Following a successful Trial Sermon weekend in April, Cassandra traveled to upstate New York where she has been covering a sabbatical leave for another UCC pastor.

In her twelve years of ordained ministry, Cassandra has gained an array of education, experience, and ministerial skills to meet the needs of our congregation. She holds a Bachelor of Science, *summa cum laude*, from Southwestern Assemblies of God University; a Master of Divinity from Yale Divinity School at Yale University; a Master of Arts in Theological Studies from Emmanuel College and has recently completed a Doctor of Philosophy from Knox College at the University of Toronto.



Cassandra & Jatin

The focus of her studies has been Church Ministries, Homiletics/Preaching, Technology & Social Media. Cassandra believes that offering church services online is a gracious gesture of hospitality, like adding more chairs to the Lord's table. In this age of Facebook and Twitter, sermons must move us, make us feel something, remind us of our own social network, and compel us to action. She believes a good message should leave the hearers longing to hear more.

Rev. Cassandra has served UCC churches in Lakeville, NY, and Dallas, TX. She has also served ministry intern positions in Mobile, AL and in Texas, particularly in the cities of Fort Worth, Grand Prairie, Grapevine, and Waxahachie. Additionally, she has served as a chaplain and completed Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) at a children's (Level 1 Trauma) hospital in Dallas, TX.

Cassandra's husband, Jatin, recently graduated from the New Jersey Institute of Technology (NJIT) with a Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering and joined NJIT's Dept. of Biomedical Engineering as a Postdoctoral Research Associate. His expertise is computational modeling in material science (nano-systems) and drug designing for the pharma/biomedical industry.

Please plan to join us on **Sunday, July 30** to welcome Cassandra & Jatin to St. John's!

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United Church of Christ**  
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Dover, OH 44622

**Rev. Cassandra Granados**  
*Senior Minister*  
Call for an appointment  
after August 1

**Pastor Dotty Hartzell**  
*Pastor of Visitation*  
Call for an appointment.

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## A Story

Regina and I were talking about what to put in the Carillon this month since there is no Senior Minister message. She told me to just tell you a story. So, here's my story. ***Once upon a time, there was a man named Carl.***

Carl was a quiet man who didn't talk much, but he would always greet you with a smile and a friendly hello. However, the people in his neighborhood said even after 50 years no one knew him very well. Before his retirement, he took the bus to work each morning. He had a slight limp from a bullet wound received in World War II. Watching him, the neighbors were concerned that although he had survived the war, he may not make it through the changing neighborhood with its ever-increasing random violence, gangs, and drug activity.

When Carl saw the flier at the local church asking for volunteers to care for the gardens behind the minister's residence, he responded in his uncharacteristically unassuming manner. Without fanfare, he just signed up.

He was well into his 87<sup>th</sup> year when the very thing we had feared finally happened. He was just finishing his watering for the day when 3 gang members approached him. Ignoring their attempt to intimidate him, he simply asked, "Would you like a drink from the hose?" The tallest and toughest – looking of the three said, "Yeah, sure" with a malevolent little smile. As Carl offered the hose to him, the other two grabbed Carl's arm down. As the hose snaked crazily over the ground, dousing everything in its way, Carl's assailants stole his retirement watch and his wallet and then fled.

Carl tried to get himself up, but he had been thrown down on his bad leg. He lay there trying to gather himself as the minister came running to help him. Although the minister had witnessed the attack from his window, he couldn't get there fast enough to stop it. "Carl, are you okay? Are you hurt?" the minister kept asking as he helped Carl to his feet. Carl just passed a hand over his brow and sighed, shaking his head. "Just some punk kids. I hope they'll wise up some day." His wet clothes clung to his slight frame as he bent to pick up the hose. He adjusted the nozzle and started to water again.

Confused and a little concerned, the minister asked, "Carl, what are you doing?"

"I've got to finish my watering. It's been very dry lately," came the calm reply.

A few weeks later the 3 returned. Just as before, their threat was unchallenged. Carl again offered them a drink from his hose. This time they didn't rob him. They wrenched the hose from his hand and drenched him from head to foot in the icy water. When they had finished their humiliation of him, they sauntered off down the street, throwing catcalls and curses, falling over one another laughing at the hilarity of what they had just done. Carl just watched them. Then he turned toward the warmth giving sun, picked up his hose, and went on watering.

The summer was quickly fading into fall. Carl was doing some tilling when he was startled by the sudden approach of someone behind him. He stumbled and fell into some evergreen branches. As he struggled to regain his footing, he turned to see the tall leader of his summer tormentors reaching down for him. He braced himself for the expected attack.

"Don't worry, old man, I'm not going to hurt you this time." The young man spoke softly, still offering the tattooed and scarred hand to Carl. As he helped Carl get up, the man pulled a crumpled bag from his pocket and handed it to Carl.

"What's this?" Carl asked.

"It's your stuff," the man explained. It's your stuff back. Even the money in your wallet."

"I don't understand," Carl said. "Why would you help me now?"

The man shifted his feet, seeming embarrassed and ill at ease. "I learned something from you," he said. "I ran with that gang and hurt people like you. We picked you because you were old, and we knew we could do it. But every time we came and did something to you, instead of yelling and fighting back, you tried to give us a drink. You didn't hate us for hating you. You kept showing love against our hate." He stopped for a moment, "I couldn't sleep after we stole your stuff so here it is back." He paused for another awkward moment, not knowing what more there was to say. "That bag is my way of saying thanks for straightening me out, I guess." And with that, he walked off down the street.

Carl looked down at the sack in his hands and gingerly opened it. He took out his retirement watch and put it back on his wrist. Opening his wallet, he checked for his wedding photo. He gazed for a moment at the young bride that still smiled back at him from all those years ago.

He died one cold day after Christmas that winter. Many people attended his funeral in spite of the weather. In particular, the minister noticed a tall young man that he didn't know sitting quietly in a distant corner of the church. The minister spoke of Carl's garden as a lesson in life. In a voice made thick with unshed tears, he said, "Do your best and make your garden as beautiful as you can. We will never forget Carl and his garden."

The following spring another flier went up. It read: PERSON NEEDED TO CARE FOR CARL'S GARDEN. The flier went unnoticed by the busy parishioners until one day when a knock was heard at the minister's office door. Opening the door, the minister saw a pair of scarred and tattooed hands holding the flier. "I believe this is my job, if you'll have me," the young man said. The minister recognized him as the same young man who had returned the stolen watch and wallet to Carl. He knew that Carl's kindness had turned this man's life around. As the minister handed him the keys to the garden shed, he said, "Yes, go take care of Carl's garden and honor him."

The man went to work and over the next several years he tended the flowers and vegetables just as Carl had done. In that time, he went to college, got married, and became a prominent member of the community. But he never forgot his promise to Carl's memory and kept the garden as beautiful as he thought Carl would have kept it. One day he approached the new minister and told him that he couldn't care for the garden any longer. He explained with a shy and happy smile, "My wife just had a baby boy last night and we're bringing him home on Saturday."

"Well, congratulations!" said the minister as he was handed the garden shed keys. "That's wonderful! What's the baby's name?"

"Carl," he replied.

That's the whole gospel message simply stated.



Submitted by Pastor Dotty

***Making all things new.***

Isaiah 43:18-19



The scripture at the top of the page is on the front of my UCC Desk Calendar. It was also the scripture for the 34<sup>th</sup> General Synod Meeting of the United Church of Christ. That's where I was from June 30<sup>th</sup> until July 4<sup>th</sup>. I have been to eight of the past Synods starting with Kansas City, Kansas and always with lots of youth and adults. I volunteered in Cleveland for a day and this year, I was a delegate. As a delegate, I had to be in Indianapolis by 12:30 on Friday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. I drove to Indianapolis myself and arrived at my parking lot, hopped onto the shuttle where I met my roommate, checked in at the hotel, stashed my luggage in a room with lots of other luggage, walked across the street to the Indiana State Convention Center where we picked up registration materials and found the room for our first meeting as a delegation from the Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana Conference, now known as the Heartland Conference. Also, a small northwest corner of Kentucky and a southeast corner of Indiana are included in our conference.

Walking into that room was exciting to me as I saw many familiar faces and many new ones. We were welcomed by our conference minister, Rev. Dr. David Long-Higgins. We had met David previously at our orientation meetings in Columbus and in a Zoom Meeting. David introduced us to many people we would come to know in the next four days. We were reminded of our responsibilities as delegates and what we were to be doing. When I used to go to Synods with all those youth and adults, we could come and go into and out of the Synod gathering hall. We attended all the worship experiences and listened to the keynote speakers. I heard Barack Obama, Rev. Otis Moss and Madeleine Albright. We listened to the discussions about the resolutions, both pro and con.

This year, my job was to discuss one of the resolutions with a group of the other delegates from across the country. There were 736 delegates in attendance discussing and making decisions on 16 resolutions that had been submitted by individuals or conferences. I was assigned to a group who were discussing the resolution titled "Encouraging a Plant Based Life" which asked, "the Church to take steps toward understanding, advocating, and in ways within its purview implementing, plant-based consumption."

This was quite a controversial resolution. On the first day of gathering we listened to a man who supported a vegan diet. We heard comments from various people who could not consume only vegetables in their diet. We heard from people who talked of the evils of "factory farms". We heard from people as they described how they lived in areas considered "food apartheid" areas. We listened, we discussed, we argued, we tried to make some sense of everyone's views. And we ran out of time. So, eight members of the group volunteered to rewrite six key points of suggestions. The rest of us went to lunch and then to Sunday worship. After worship, our group returned to our discussion room to listen to the reworked and reworded six points. I must say that I was very impressed with their work. They had crafted an excellent document to go to Synod and the delegates who would decide the fate of the resolution. I received a phone call from Kim Deitrick Nagy as I was driving home on July 4<sup>th</sup> telling me the resolution had been defeated. I am not surprised. Plant based living and diets are not for everyone and for some people are a radical concept. I just felt a bit of regret for the original writers of the resolution and the eight writers of the amended six points. Perhaps they will try again in two years.

Some of the other resolutions dealt with Denouncing the *Dobbs* Decision and Proclaiming Abortion as Healthcare, Closing the Digital Divide, Urging Planning For and Implementing Electrification, Healing in Harm Reduction, Affirming Guns to Gardens and other Gun Violence Prevention



Strategies, Supporting Public School Educators, Academic Freedom, and Equity Efforts in Schools and two resolutions on Plastic Pollution. If you would like to read more about these and other resolutions, I have them all in my office. We tried to make some things new.

And now for the “elephant” in the church...

Yes, I am retiring as Director of Christian Education on July 31. I tell you this after a great deal of consideration and doubt and uncertainty and some tears. I have loved this job for the most part. Much of that is due to the youth and children that have passed through and continue to do so through this church. They have kept me young, and I have truly learned from all of them. I also have you to thank for your never-ending support of all things youth and children. You are my family and will always remain so. That being said, I am not going anywhere. St. John's is my home church, and here I will be. I may be in the balcony. I may be visiting another church. But this is where I find my spiritual guidance and much of my joy.

It has been a tough couple of years. COVID did a big number on us. We are missing many people. I know we are not the only church in this situation, but I miss so many people.

When I was nearing the end of my public school teacher gig, I asked many teachers, “How do you know when it is time to go?” Their response was, “You will know.” They were correct. I knew at 35 years that it was time to end that part of my life. I loved teaching, but it was time. Today I can tell you that it is time. On July 8<sup>th</sup>, I celebrated 15 years of Christian Education. Fifteen years and 35 years equals 50 years of spending large amounts of time with children and youth. I have been blessed.

I am proud of the work I have done...Live Nativities, Advent Festivals, Youth Worship Services, Relay for Life Walks, so many Lock-Ins, Homeless Awareness, Super Bowl Subs, Haystacks, The Blessing Box, FLOCK, Children's Messages, Sunday school and Youth Groups all with the help of so many members of this church.

I have had the opportunity to work with many ministers. I have learned so much about the church and the Bible from all of them. Their lessons to me have come in many ways from a kayak on Zoar Lake to lunches during Lent to Group Openings on Sundays to Confirmation lessons to long casual conversations to their sermons on Sundays.

Thank you all for your love and care and kindness. I am doing a new thing.



Blessings. Breathe,  
*Belinda*

### Altar Flower & Bulletin Sponsors



Did you forget to reserve your special date by sponsoring altar flowers or bulletins this year? It's okay...we still have **many open dates** during the summer and fall!!

Stop in the office soon and remember or honor your loved ones or celebrate a special occasion with your church family!

### Holiday Closing



The Church Office & Building will be closed on **Monday September 4**  
For the Labor Day Holiday

## Elder of the Month

In an effort to better meet the needs of the congregation, we will be printing the contact information for the Elder of the month. The purpose of doing this is to provide another contact person, in addition to Rev. Cassandra and Pastor Dotty, should you have a personal or family emergency.

Jean Paddock  
9728 Konrad Kohl Rd. NW  
Bolivar, OH 446123  
30-987-8608

## June Financial Report

No report available

Average Worship  
Attendance  
81

## Save the Date (LOL)



This summer, the Board of Christian Education has decided to take our **Laugh on the Lawn** program on the road. **EVERYONE IS INVITED TO ATTEND!!**



### Tuscora Park

Our final LOL event of the summer will be on **Sunday, August 13** with a picnic at Tuscora Park. Everyone is invited to join us at Lakeside Pavilion 1 (close to the pickleball courts by the lake) for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship. (Note: It is a flat walk from the street parking to the picnic shelter). CE will provide hot dogs, drinks, and table settings. We are asking everyone to bring a covered dish to share. Make plans to eat around 5, then sit back, relax, and enjoy the evening! Please sign up in the office no later than **Wednesday, August 9th**. We hope to see you there!!

## FLOCK (Free Lunch fOr Christ's Kids) & Blessing Box



St. John's is providing free brown bag lunches for children and adults in the church neighborhood and beyond, **we will continue each Monday through August 21 from 11:00am through 1:00pm**. The need is still there, and we will be out there helping feed those in need this summer.

You can help by making donations of bags of carrots or fruit, small bags of chips, applesauce or pudding cups, granola bars or bottled water. Cash donations are also accepted.

Also, the Blessing Box will continue to be filled with food. As I am sure you all know, groceries are much more expensive these days. Costs for the box have risen dramatically. The box is being used daily. Donations of laundry soap, peanut butter and jelly, cereals, granola bars, canned spaghetti-o's, spaghetti sauce and noodles, canned fruit and vegetables, bread and applesauce cups would be appreciated. Please, no bags of beans.

***These are two important missions of St. John's.  
Let's continue our good works.***

## St. John's UCC Church Council Meeting July 11, 2023 at 7:30 pm

The meeting of St. John's United Church of Christ Church Council was called to order on July 11th, 2023 at 7:30 pm by President Dan Dummermuth. There were 11 council members in attendance, including Rev. Dotty Hartzell. Rev. Dotty lit the Christ candle and offered an opening prayer.

The June 2023 minutes were approved as submitted.

The complete financial report was not available for the meeting. Contributions for the month of June were approximately \$13,500. The budgeted amount for June is \$18,000. We are lagging behind the budget by a little more than usual. \$30,000.00 was transferred from investments to the general fund to cover expenses and scholarships. Full reports covering both June and July will be presented at the August council meeting.

**PASTOR OF VISITATION REPORT-** Pastor Dotty performed a worship service on June 25<sup>th</sup> at Hennis Nursing Home. She has been making her rounds visiting nursing home bound patients. She reported that the office staff have been doing a great job covering all that needs to be done during the gap between our interim minister leaving and the arrival of our new senior minister.

**DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION -** There is no report. Belinda is on her annual mission trip to Kentucky.

### **BOARD REPORTS**

**ELDERS REPORT** - Jon McIlvaine reported that there will be communion on Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup>. Prepackaged communion elements will be used for this service. The Elders are looking forward to Rev. Cassandra coming and working with her.

**DEACONS REPORT** - Jen Conkle reported the ushers for August are secured.

**TRUSTEES REPORT** - Rob Gump reported that Shoup's cleaned all the carpeted rooms in the church, including the pre-school rooms. (The pre-school is going to pay for their rooms.) The A/C in the church secretary's office is not working properly. They are in the process of getting that checked out. Some sensors were replaced in the main chiller unit for the old part of the church, and it seems to be working now.

### **COMMITTEE/TASK FORCE REPORTS**

**SEARCH COMMITTEE** - Dave Gingrich reported that Rev. Cassandra has informed the church that her first official day in the church office will be July 24<sup>th</sup> and her first Sunday will be July 30<sup>th</sup>.

**CONGREGATIONAL SOLICITATIONS -**  
NONE

**OLD BUSINESS** - NONE

**NEW BUSINESS** - NONE

**UPCOMING EVENTS** - Bev Smith reported the following events at Fourth & Faith:

**July 16<sup>th</sup>** - Retirement Brunch for Belinda

**August 12<sup>th</sup>** - Cruise-In

**July - August (date to be determined)** - Welcome event for our new Senior Minister Cassandra Granados and husband Jatin.

**November 4<sup>th</sup>** - Holiday Craft and Bake Sale

**ADJOURNMENT AND LORDS PRAYER** - Dan led the council in the Lord's Prayer and the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 pm.



## Cruise-In

August 12, 2023

5:00p - 8:00p

*St. John's UCC 409 N. Wooster  
Ave., Dover*

Food

Spike Man DJ

50/50

Door Prizes

Benefits Cancer Care Bags  
for the community



## Holiday Craft Show and Bake Sale at Fourth & Faith

401 N Wooster Ave., Dover, OH

### Saturday November 4, 2023

### 10am-3pm



**St. John's UCC Fourth & Faith  
Community Outreach Center**

There is no charge for tables.

Just bring all your crafts to sell.

Set up is on **Friday, November 3, 2023 @  
10am for all vendors.**

If you know of anyone who makes crafts and would like to  
do this, please call Bev Smith @ 330-343-2231 to let her  
know how many tables you would like by  
**Friday, October 1.**

\*\*\*There will be a food stand\*\*\*





## Secretariat, American Pharaoh, Seattle Slew



Add another name to the above list of famous winning horses. Lexington was foaled in 1850 and, with his enslaved young groom, went on to a spectacular racing career. Switch to 2019 and the Smithsonian scientist who discovered an intriguing skeleton of an unknown horse. Horse by Geraldine Brooks weaves a story of high-stakes horse racing with the lost history of unsung black horsemen. Join the Bad Girls on **Monday, September 11 at 6:30** in the Conference Room to discuss this historical fiction offering.



Dear St. John's Family,

I wanted to take a moment to say thank you for the recognition and presentation of this year's St John's Scholarship Award.

I am very grateful that my church family is willing to invest time, money, and resources as I continue my educational journey. I am thankful for the continued support as I begin my final year of pharmacy school. I look forward to the opportunity to make an impact in our community in the near future. Your kindness and support will always be appreciated.

-Dawson Wade

Thank you for awarding me the General Trust Fund Scholarship, the Henney Scholarship Fund and the Bear Scholarship Fund. It will be used for my college tuition. St. John's UCC has meant so much to me. It has made me a better person and I am grateful to say that it has made me a better Christian. I wouldn't have wanted to grow up in any other church. Thank you for everything that the church has done for me, my family, and the congregation. I am honored to accept these scholarships because I care about the church. Thank you to everyone that has made this possible!

-Austin Gump

St. John's,

Thank you for the collective scholarships I have won. I am very grateful for the committee and other patrons' generosity. These funds will be very helpful with my journey to becoming an educator. Once again, thank you!

-Madison Cooper

Thanks a million—and that really doesn't begin to cover it. St. John's Scholarship Committee, thank you for your very generous gift!! I have thoroughly enjoyed my time at St. John's, and I am grateful for the many life lessons I have been taught during church. I would also like to thank St. John's for helping to prepare me, intellectually and financially, for the next step in my journey through life. I am very lucky to be a part of the St. John's family, and I wish everyone the best!

-Love, James Leggett



### August Birthdays

1  
John Graham  
Rebecca Liptok  
Chandler McGrath

2  
Ty Greer  
Harper Mushrush

3  
Catherine Lengler  
Makenna Rufener

5  
James Domer  
Melissa Kelly  
Fred Pongratz

6  
Renee Kaufman-Branch

7  
Madalyn Keener  
Charlee Metcalf  
Kathleen Sanders  
Andrew Steiner

8  
Charles Croy  
Diane Miller

9  
Alayna Burrier  
Heather Dotts  
Carol France  
Christa Ickes  
C. Sue Keener  
Lee Ann Miller  
Braeden Uebel

10  
Owen Hughes  
Dan Hurst  
Dennis Rubright  
Stevanna Struhar

12  
Ruth Graef  
Marion Haines, Jr.

13  
Glenna Bair  
Jennifer Hobson  
Kelly Low  
Annie Specht

14  
Michael Altier  
Jilaine Kellner  
Barbara Lengler

15  
Linda Domer  
Jim Keener  
Patricia Meryo  
Jerry Wherley  
Christin Woods

16  
Emma Huprich  
Nathan Smith

17  
Jason Wallick

18  
Barbara Hren  
Eric Kinsey  
Kimberly Parrish  
Terri Smith  
Craig Veitinger

19  
Amanda Parrish  
Duane Swinderman

20  
Jerry Graef  
Laura Lindon  
Robert McCaslin  
William Swonger

21  
Reese Brunner

22  
Cheryl Abel  
Marsha Bragg  
Judith Frutig

23  
Breanna Burrier  
Steven Ervin  
Ken Morrison  
Dale Mumma  
Robin Swonger  
Brian Whitlach

24  
Diane Altier  
Carrie Haglock  
Sherry Jones  
Mattie Judkins  
Jace McCaslin

25  
William Arnold

26  
Colton Abbuhl  
Molly Hoffman  
Larry Whitlach

27  
Riley Cook  
Millie Frum  
Faye Wallick

28  
Nikita Branch  
Gloria McGrath  
Dawson Wade

29  
Tyler Cook  
Erin Coutts  
Margaret Daley  
Cheryl Herman  
Justin Norris  
William Schumacher  
Melinda Shanklin

30  
Matthew Kinsey  
Linda Miller  
Kay Whitlach

31  
Katrina (Smith) Norris



### August Anniversaries

1  
Beth & Greg Hoffman  
Sally & Doyle McCombs  
Kristin & Brian Spurlock

2  
Deborah & William McIlvaine

5  
Amy & Christian Triola

6  
Diana & Randy Collins  
Patricia & Dan Palmer  
Jessie & Eric Swain

7  
Beth Ann & Louis Calabrese  
Stephanie & Allen Sayre

9  
Ruth & Jerry Graef

10  
Berit & Larry McMillan  
Sue & John Solvey

11  
Judy & Jerry Wherley

17  
Karen & Jeff Wallick

18  
Carol & Ken Huprich  
Kristen & Michael Smith

19  
Lynne & George Telle

20  
Paula & David Worth  
21  
Jami & Ken Morrison  
23  
Holly & Doug Klar  
24  
Nadine & Matt Russell  
25  
Nancy & David Johnson  
26  
Mina & Richard Plant  
27  
Mary Ann & Dan Becker  
Sally & Lynn Pariso  
Michele & Steve Specht  
28  
Heidi & John Dummermuth  
Susan & William Rice  
29  
Holli & Jim Keener  
Tara & Jason Myers

## Card Party

At Fourth & Faith  
**Wednesday, August 9:**  
Card Party  
1 pm - 4 pm  
\$10 includes food.  
Please contact Bev Smith  
at 330-343-2231  
Benefits the  
Cancer Care Bags

## Family Members in Nursing Homes

**Inn at Northwood**  
Norma Haglock

**Park Village Asst. Living N.**  
Marjorie Auman  
Jim Cotton

**Schoenbrunn Healthcare**  
Carol Graef



We wish to express our sympathy to the following:

- To the family of Jerry Wherley on the loss of Jerry's sister Marlene McGee. Marlene passed away on July 12.

## Hospital News

Members and friends of the St. John's family hospitalized between June 15 - present include: Larry McMillan.

**HOSPITAL NOTE:** We are no longer being notified by any of the area hospitals when our members are admitted due to policies involving patients' rights to privacy. Therefore, if you or a member of your family is admitted to a hospital and you would like the church to know and the minister to visit, you need to call or E-mail the church office with the information. Thanks for your help with this matter.



## Recycle! Aluminum Cans!



ALUMINUM CANS



When you and your neighbor recycle aluminum cans we are addressing the problem of global warming. Cans may be placed in the big brown box in the handicap parking lot. The box was built by Sawyer Thomson as part of his Eagle Scout project. Rudy Tschantz will take the cans to Speedy Salvage. The money received from the cans will go to the organ maintenance fund.

## Carillon Deadline



The deadline to get information and articles into the next regular issue of the Carillon is **Monday, August 14, 2023**. Please mark your calendar! This will be for the September Carillon. We want to continue to keep each mailing loaded with information, dates, articles, etc. pertaining to the life of St. John's. **Remember... you can now send your articles, thank you's, etc. by E-mail to: [church.secretary@doverstjohns.org](mailto:church.secretary@doverstjohns.org)**



# August



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 6:30 Cub Scouts/ Webelos	2	3	4	5
6 9:30 Worship/ Communion	7 10:00 YOGA @ Fourth & Faith 11:00 FLOCK  7:00 Boy Scouts 7:00 Barbershop	8  6:30 Cub Scouts/ Webelos 6:30 Elders/Trustees 7:30 Council	9 1p-4p Card Party @ Fourth & Faith	10	11 10:00 Fourth & Faith Reserved	12  5p-8p Cruise-In Church Parking Lot
13 9:30 Worship 5:00 Picnic at Tuscora Park (LOL)	14 <i>Carillon Deadline</i> 10:00 YOGA @ Fourth & Faith 11:00 FLOCK  7:00 Boy Scouts 7:00 Barbershop	15  6:30 Cub Scouts/ Webelos	16	17 Taco Thursday canceled until Sept/Oct	18	19
20 9:30 Worship	21 10:00 YOGA @ Fourth & Faith 11:00 FLOCK (last one)  7:00 Boy Scouts 7:00 Barbershop	22  6:30 Cub Scouts/ Webelos	23	24 	25	26 10:00 Fellow. Ctr Reserved 5:00 Fourth & Faith Reserved
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