

**Hearing enhancement devices are available in the sanctuary in the lobby.
Walkers and canes are also available in the Sanctuary Lobby.

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

Morning Has Broken
Arr. Mark Hayes

Call to Worship

Call: We gather today to worship God, who listens when we call.
Response: We gather to rest in the shadow of God’s wings.
Call: We gather to pray to God, who answers us when we call.
Response: We gather to lift our voices in the shadow of God’s wings.
Call: We gather to praise God, who rescues us when we call.
Response: We gather to rejoice in the shadow of God’s wings.
Call: Beloved, come! Let us worship God, who covers and delivers us in Love.
Response: We gather to worship in the shadow of God’s wings.
~ Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, April 2025.

Opening Hymn (please stand as you are comfortable)
I want Jesus To Walk With Me
UMH 521

Morning Prayer

We will conclude this prayer by reciting “The Lord’s Prayer.” If you are unfamiliar with this prayer, you are invited to follow along up on the screens.

First Scripture Reading
Amos 6: 1, 4-8

Offertory Prayer
Offertory
At The Name of Jesus
By Craig Curry

Doxology (please stand as you are comfortable)
UMH 95

Series Song
I Will Call Upon The Lord (With Echoes)
TFWS 2002

Final Scripture Reading
Luke 16: 19-31

Message
Safety in the Shadow of the Lord
Rev. Matt Bridges

Closing Hymn (please stand as you are comfortable)
All Who Love and Serve Your City
UMH 433

Benediction

Postlude
Near the Cross
Setting by John Carter

In The Life of St. Johns

Meet Our New Bookkeeper!

We are excited to announce and welcome Amy Worcester, our new bookkeeper. Below is a little bio. Amy serves also as the bookkeeper of First United Methodist Church in Los Alamos and will be working remotely. While this is a new perspective of staff and ministry in the life of St. John’s, we have found this transition to work very well! If you would like to welcome Amy and introduce yourself, you can send her a message at bookkeeper@sjumcsantafe.org.



A wife and mom of two, I recently traded the familiar high desert of my hometown, Santa Fe, and Los Alamos for the Florida coast. Now based in Sarasota, I balance my professional life with enjoying the beaches and sunshine alongside my husband. When I'm not exploring new areas in Florida, you can find me pursuing my passion for cooking. My heart still holds a strong connection to New Mexico, but I am fully embracing this exciting new chapter.

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Faith Coalition Updates and Donation Opportunities

The Collections Committee of the Faith Coalition is still for donations of personal hygiene supplies such as soap, shampoo, toothpaste, etc. as well as diapers and baby hygiene items. Donations for now benefit Gerard's House and Los Cumbres. There are boxes available for donations in the lobby or at the church office Thanks for your generous support of migrant families.

Pumpkin Patch News and Upcoming Events

We have plenty of events around our Pumpkin Patch this year. Take a look below at some of the fun ways we're going to be connecting with our community in addition to selling pumpkins.

-Our **Fall Carnival** will be next Sunday, October 19th from 3:00-6:00 in the Fellowship Hall. All are invited to dress up and bring candy to pass out to trick or treaters. We will have tables to decorate, bounce houses, and additional activities.

-**Reading Time with Rebecca Heindel:** On Wednesdays and Fridays from 3:00-5:00 pm, Rebecca will be in the patch doing children's readings. Come stop by!

Our sign-up to staff the pumpkin patch is ready and you will find it in the Sanctuary Lobby. This is a great way to serve the community with St. John's and make new friends in the process.

This Week In The Life of St. John's

Mon. Oct. 13, 2025

12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
6:00 pm Pickleball, Fellowship Hall

Tues. Oct. 14, 2025

8:00 am-12:30 pm Bag N' Hand Food Pantry (volunteer times)
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
4:00 pm-6:30pm Bag N' Hand Food Pantry (volunteer times)
6:00 pm Alcoholics' Anonymous, Men and Women Group, Parlor
6:00 pm Adult Children of Alcoholics, Bell Room
7:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall

Wed. Oct. 15, 2025

12:00 pm Soul Break, Sanctuary
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
1:00 pm Women's Book Study
3:00-5:00 pm Reading with Rebecca, Pumpkin Patch
6:00 pm Pickleball, Fellowship Hall
6:30pm Bell Choir, Bell Room
7:00 pm, Chancel Choir, Choir Room

Thurs. Oct. 16, 2025

12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor

Fri. Oct. 17, 2025

9:00 am AA Parlor
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
3:00-5:00 pm Reading with Rebecca, Pumpkin Patch

Sat. Oct. 18, 2025

9:00-6:00 pm, Pumpkin Patch Sales

Sun. Oct. 19, 2025

9:30 am Morning Worship:
10:30 am Morning Fellowship Time, Chapel
2:00 pm Scout Troop 53 Meeting, Fellowship Hall
3:00-6:00 pm Fall Festival, Fellowship Hall

Pumpkin Patch Sales: Daily, 9:00 am-6:00pm

October 12, 2025

I Will Call Upon The Lord: Week 4

