

**Hearing enhancement devices are available in the Sanctuary Lobby.*

**Walkers and canes are also available in the Sanctuary Lobby.*

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

Softly and Tenderly
arr. Mark Hayes

Call to worship

Call: When our way seems unclear, and we are surrounded by loud and conflicting voices...

Response: God will provide.

Call: When we, like Abraham, are trying to be faithful and seem to have no good choices available to us...

Response: God will provide.

Call: When we, like Isaac, are led by those we trust into unjust and harmful situations...

Response: God will provide.

Call: Family in Christ, we gather today to worship God, who meets us in places of fear, confusion, and despair.

Response: We gather to worship God, who provides a way toward abundant life when no way can be found.

Thanks be to God! Amen.

First Hymn (please stand as you are comfortable)
Faith Is Patience in the Night

TFWS 2211

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

Psalm 13

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me
arr. Lloyd Larson

Doxology (please stand as you are comfortable)

UMH 95

Final Scripture Reading

Genesis 22:1-14

Message

God Will Provide
Rev. Matt Bridges

Closing Hymn (please stand as you are comfortable)

Lead Me, Lord

UMH 473

Benediction

Postlude

Sunshine and Joy Medley
arr. Mark Hayes

Lookin' for a Mission Trip Cook!

July 20th-24th, Shiprock, NM

Our mission team is looking for one more person to help cook for the mission trip. Duties for the week would involve team up with our other designated cook, Elizabeth Lindell, to provide breakfast and supper for the fifteen missionaries. Missioners will be assisting as well with any prep needs and clean-up. If you feel you would be a good fit in this way, we would love to have you serve! Please contact pastor Matt through the front office at 505-982-5397, or by his cell at 936-661-2843 (Call or text).

In The Life of St. Johns

School Supplies Drive Begins Today!

Another school year is in the books! That means it's time to gather supplies for the next school year! School starts in Shiprock on August 6th and in Santa Fe on August 7th. Our mission team is gearing up to gather, sort, pack and deliver 350 backpacks. Helping hands are needed at every phase. You may bring your donations from the following list to the big bin in the sanctuary lobby through Sunday, July 12th. After that, we'll sort the supplies and pack the backpacks for distribution during the mission trip July 20-24.

Note: We purchase the backpacks in bulk at super-good prices, so there is no need to pay local retail prices. We'll have plenty of those, but we do need lots of the following. Prices drop when the stores set up their school supplies sections, but some may have good prices already. Online sources are also great.

24-pack Crayola Crayons
10 or 12 pack washable markers
round point scissors (often come 2 to a pack)
small bottles of glue
glue sticks
pencils
pens
wide ruled notebook paper
composition books
1 and 2 inch binders
12 inch rulers (flexible plastic)
notebook dividers
watercolor kits
disinfectant wipes
kleenex
zip lock bags (1 gallon & 1 quart sizes)

In The Life of St. Johns

School Opera Apprentices Coming in July

St. John's UMC has a long standing practice of hosting Opera Apprentices during the summer. Special music will be provided each Sunday in July and the first two Sundays in August. If wish to support this worthwhile tradition, please make a check to St. John's UMC and note "Opera Apprentices" at the bottom.

LAST CHANCE: Foundation Grant Applications

St. John's UMC Foundation's second grant cycle of the 2026 application process for projects and programs opens for applications on Monday, June 1, 2026. The deadline for receipt of applications is Tuesday, June 30 at 5:00 pm.

Projects and programs must support specific ministry areas of St. John's UMC. Grants may be awarded in the following areas:

Program and Education
Property
Operations
Outreach and Missions

More specific information on the application process is coming soon, but now is the time to pull together your thoughts for projects in any of the four areas listed above.

Hard copies will be available during Sunday worship in the sanctuary lobby area and from Ms. Kim in the church office between 8:00 am and 2:00 pm.

This Week In The Life of St. John's

Mon. June 29, 2026

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

Tues. June 30, 2026

8:00 am-12:30 pm Bag N' Hand Food Pantry (volunteer times)
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
3:00 pm Zia Singers Choir Rehearsal, Gathering Room
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. July 01, 2026

***Soul Break is on break until late August**
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
1:00 pm Women's Book Study
6:00 pm Pickleball, Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal, Bell Room
7:00 pm Chancel Choir, Choir Room

Thurs. July 02, 2026

12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
6:00 pm AA Men's Group, Parlor
6:00 pm Adult Children of Alcoholics, Library
6:00 pm ALANON Women's Group, Bell Room

Fri. July 03, 2026

9:00 am AA Parlor
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor

Sat. July 04, 2026

Sun. July 05, 2026

9:30 am Morning Worship
10:30 am Morning Fellowship Time, Chapel
10:45 am Sunday School
Nephesh adult class: Choir Room.
Sunday Seminar adult class: Bell Room
Community adult class: Parlor
2:00 pm Scout Troop 53 Meeting, Fellowship Hall

June 28, 2026

Forming a Family, Preparing a People:

A Four Week Series following Abraham and Sarah

