

WELCOME

If you would like someone to follow up with you please fill out the information below and place in the offering plate.

- I am just visiting today.
- I am new to the area and am looking for a church home.
- I would like more information about the United Methodist Church and St. John's.
- I am interested in Baptism or Confirmation.
- I am interested in Children's Ministries.
- I am interested in Youth Ministries.
- I am interested in College/Young Adult Ministries.
- I would like to receive email communications about church life.
- I would like a call from a pastor.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Children (Names & Ages): _____

VBS VOLUNTEER TRAINING

TODAY!! Anyone interested in helping during VBS should come to the training session scheduled for 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the Gym. Volunteers are needed in all areas: set-up, crafts, snacks, decorating. Contact Deacon Sarah if you have any questions OR if you want to volunteer!

WELCOME ALEX!! OUR SUMMER INTERN!!

Alex Martin is joining the staff of St. John's today as our 2015 Summer Intern; she will be working primarily with our children's and youth ministries for the next three months. She was raised in the Collierville UMC in Collierville, Tennessee, is entering her third year at LSU, and is active at the LSU Wesley Foundation. We are happy to welcome her to our St. John's family.

A TASTE OF ST. JOHN'S

Registration for *A Taste of St. John's* ends on Friday, May 22! Get those favorite recipes in, folks! Forms can be found online, in Sunday School portfolios, and in the church office. The contest will take place on **Sunday, May 31** at 6:00 p.m. in the gym, so start cooking! Everyone is invited join us at that time to congratulate the winners and to enjoy ice cream sundaes.

BABY GRAND PIANO TO BE AUCTIONED OFF

In conjunction with *A Taste of St. John's*, the baby grand piano in the sanctuary will be auctioned off by **SEALED** bids on Sunday, May 31. Minimum bid is \$1,000. All sealed bids must be received in the church office no later than **Thursday, May 28**, at 4:00 p.m. Bids will be opened on May 31 after the judging for A Taste of St. John's is completed.

FOOD BANK DELIVERY

The Shepherd's Market will be receiving a delivery of food from the Baton Rouge Food Bank and needs volunteers to help stock shelves on **Friday, May 22**, around 9:00 a.m. in the gym. If you are able to help just come on by.

FLOWERS! FLOWERS!

There are several openings in July and August on the Flower Chart! If you have a special occasion coming up or something or someone to remember, a wonderful way to commemorate it is with flowers on the altar. Come by and sign up for July 12 or 26, or August 2, 9, 16, or 30.

HOLY FOLDERS

If you are available for 1 hour on Thursday mornings, we need you! Our contingent of Holy Folders has need of help to fold our Sunday bulletins -- no experience necessary! Come to the Library between 8 and 8:30 a.m. and we will put you to folding! You don't have to commit to a certain week, just come when you can.

SPONSOR BOARD-YOUTH SUMMER TRIP 2015

St. John's Youth will be attending the Youth 2015 Conference in Orlando, Florida from June 24 - 29. To help defray costs of the trip, a Sponsor Board will be in the gym on **May 17, 24, and 31**. Sponsorships are \$20 per square.

SERMON NOTES

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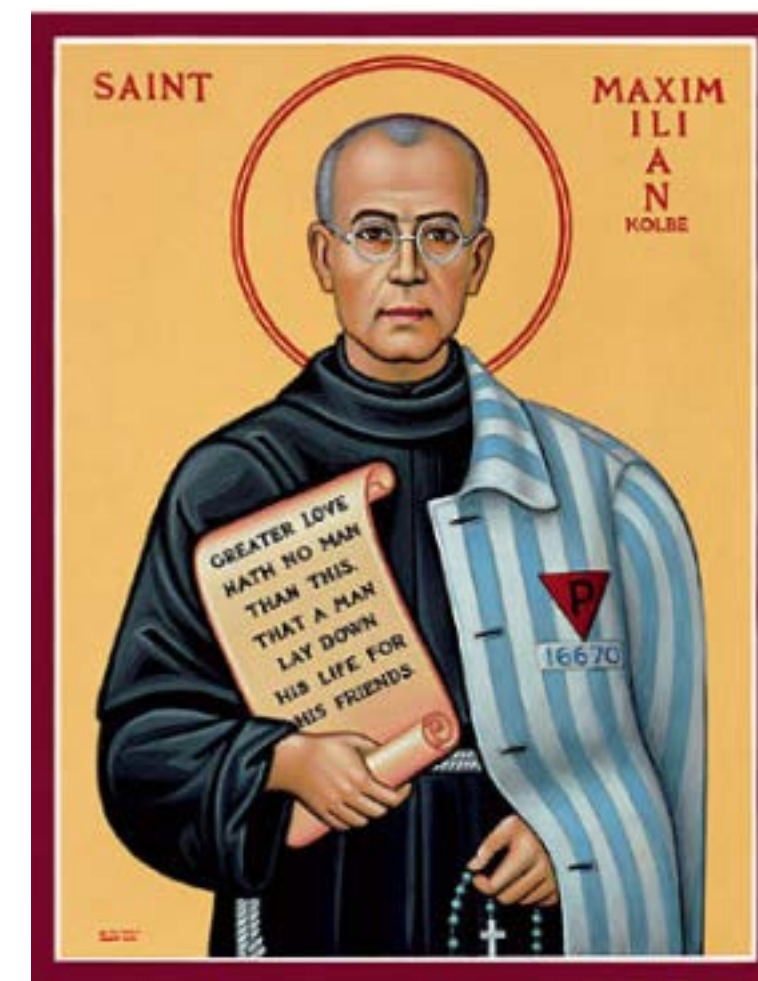
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Glorifying God. Feeding People. Making Disciples.



Icon of St. Maximilian Kolbe
Saint of Auschwitz

11:00 Worship Service
May 17, 2015
Seventh Sunday of Easter

Mission Statement

We are a Christian community called to share our gifts through worship, witness and service so that others will know God and become disciples of Jesus Christ.