

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Valentine's Par-Tea



Our On the Way Friends, Children, and their Families are invited to join us for our annual **Valentine's Par-Tea** on **Sunday, February 15, 2026**, immediately following worship, in **Broach Hall**. Our guests will be treated to a lavish high tea catered by The Garden Party Charlotte. Afternoon festivities include entertainment, games, and more! The cost is \$10 per person.

Brotherhood of the Biscuit: February 20

On Friday, February 20th, at 6:30 am in the church lounge, **Don Gordon** will be our speaker and will share about his work with **Creation Care**. Please email Lee Gray at LGray@sjcharlotte.org if you plan to attend so that this month's biscuit master, Stephen Davis, can have the appropriate amount of biscuits.

Women of the Church Events:

Bake Sale TODAY! – immediately following worship today in the Main Entrance Lobby. Everything is \$1, cash only.

Wreath Making Workshop Rescheduled to February 22



It's not too late to sign up for the Women of the church Wreath Making workshop. Now scheduled for Sunday, February 22. Cost is \$20 which includes lunch and materials. Sign up by Friday, February 20th.

Women of the Church Retreat – Saturday, March 14

The Spiritual Growth Committee invites all women to a one-day retreat led by Stephanie Massey. Together, we'll explore returning to altars of compassion through stillness, community, and shared growth.



Date: Saturday, March 14, 2026

Time: 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Location: Broach Hall

Fee: \$20 (includes materials, lunch, and refreshments)

Registration Deadline: March 9, 2026

The Season of Lent & Easter

- St. John's Ash Wednesday Service: February 18 – 6:00 PM
- Elizabeth Communities of Faith (EOC) Lenten Services
 - o EOC Ash Wednesday Service at St. Martin's Episcopal – February 18 at 12:30 PM
 - o All other EOC Lenten services will be hosted by Caldwell Presbyterian: February 25 – April 1 at 12:30 PM
- Palm Sunday Service: March 29
- Easter EGGstravaganza: March 29 – 11:30 AM
- Maundy Thursday Service: April 2 – 7:00 PM
- Easter Service: April 5

FBC Raleigh Youth Choir @ St. John's

Join us in welcoming the FBC Raleigh Youth Choir as they lead us in worship on Sunday, March 1. The choir is directed by former St. John's staff members Maureen and Warren Howell.

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The St. John's Pulpit

Worship: February 15, 2026

Scripture: Matthew 6:9-13

Sermon Title: *Forgive us Our Trespasses*

Proclaimer: Rev. Dr. Don Gordon

This Week at St. John's

Sun., Feb. 8	8:00 am	Church Council (Conference Room)
	9:15 am	Sunday Growth Groups Children/Youth/Adults
	10:30 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
	10:30 am	Together in Christ International Ministries (Chapel)
	11:30 am	Women of the Church Bake Sale! (Main Entrance Lobby)
	11:30 am	Worship Resource Team (Conference Room)
Mon., Feb. 9	10:00 am	Adventures in Learning (Broach Hall)
	11:00 am	Faith Journey Book Study (Lounge)
	6:30 pm	Deacon Panel Meetings
	7:30 pm	All Deacon's Meeting (Broach Hall)
Tues., Feb. 10	5:30 pm	CrownsGate Homeowner's Assoc. (Lounge)
Wed., Feb. 11	5:45 pm	Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Suite)
	7:15 pm	Choir Rehearsal (Choir Suite)
Thurs., Feb. 12	10:00 am	Needle Ministry (Lounge)
Fri., Feb. 13	8:00 pm	Eastway AA (Lasater Hall)
Sat., Feb. 14	8:00 pm	Together We Rise NA (Lasater Hall)

Membership and Ministry

If you would like information about the church or on how you can become a member of St. John's, please call the church office (704.333.5428), or fill out one of the "For Our Guests" cards found on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate. You can also scan the included QR code to fill out the guest card online. One of our ministers will be happy to reach out to you and answer any questions you may have. Visit our website to find out more information regarding the many ministry opportunities available in the life of St. John's.



Ministers

Every participant in God's Servant Church

Equipping Ministers

Interim Senior Minister.....Rev. Dr. Don Gordon
Minister for Congregational CareRev. Lee Gray
Minister for Children and Their Families.....Rev. Kheresa Harmon
Minister for Worship and Music.....J. Noel Lance

Church Staff

Stratus Custodians.....Pray & Thomas Chanwal
Office Assistant.....Stephen Davis
Interim Weekday School Director.....Kristina Hartzell
Church Administrator.....Amanda Morrison
Custodial/Maintenance Associate.....Herb Parrott
Children's Music DirectorChloe Salmeron
Media Coordinator.....Liza Wade



Sunday, February 8, 2026
10:30 AM Worship
St. John's Baptist Church