### **Visitor Information Card**

If you are a first time guest, or your first time in a long time, here at St. John's, we welcome you as our guest.

Please take time to fill out the information card and bring it by the Welcome Center desk. We have a small gift to thank you for being our guest today.

Date	Mr/Mrs/Ms		
Address			
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# Opportunities for Service

### Sunday December 15,2019

8:30am Adult Worship Team Practice

9:30am Sunday School

11:00am Community Worship

12:30pm Care Package Packing Party

### Monday December 16, 2019

7:00pm Outreach

## Tuesday December 17, 2019

7:00pm Church Council/Finance

# Wednesday December 18, 2019

4:00pm Homework Help 5:30pm Student Dinner 6:15pm Discipleship Groups 6:15pm Kids Activities 7:15pm Youth Activities 8:00pm AA Meeting

## Thursday December 19, 2019

6:00pm Praise Team Practice 6:45pm Adult Choir Practice

# Friday December 20, 2019

### Saturday December 21, 2019

10:00am Youth/Keenagers-Deliver Care

**Packages** 

10:30amCard-making Class10:30amModern Quilters Class3:00pmChristmas Caroling4:00pmGift Wrapping

### Sunday December 22, 2019

8:30am Adult Worship Team Practice

9:30am Sunday School 11:00am Community Worship

# St. John's Baptist Church

December 15, 2019



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Loving the World

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# Welcome to St. John's Baptist Church

Prelude

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# **SERMON NOTES**

### **Third Advent Sunday**

# Four Sources of Joy I John 1:1-5

- 1. Joy stems from unconquerable love. John 15:9-17; Romans 5:6-11; Ephesians 2:1-10
- 2. Joy conquers any and every situation.Matthew 6:25-34; Romans 8:31-39; Romans 8:28-39;
- 3. Joy is a possession to be obtained.

  Matthew 13:44-46; Matthew 19:1630; Philippians 3:7-11
- 4. Joy is maximized when you are minimized.Matthew 25:31-46; II Corinthians 8:1-15; Romans 15:1-4

What truth has God revealed to you today?

How will you put this truth into practice this week?

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### **How to Join this Church Family**

By public profession of faith in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, followed by baptism.

By transfer of church membership from another Baptist church.
By statement of the person requesting membership that he/she has been a member of a Baptist church or another church which receives members by profession of faith and New Testament baptism.

<u>Prayer Request:</u>

### 1st Wednesday Night Dinner RSVP

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### # in your party: \_\_\_\_

\*1st Wednesday of every month\*
A donation of 5\$ per person is requested at the time of the dinner to offset the cost to prepare your meal.