#### **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.

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## Opportunities for Service

### **Sunday December 2019**

8:30am Adult Worship Team Practice 9:30am Sunday School 11:00am Community Worship 12:00pm Children's Choir

12:00pm Adult Christmas Program Reh.

12:30pm Costa Rica Meeting

5:00pm Christmas Family Celebration

### Monday December 9, 2019

7:00pm Outreach

### Tuesday December 10, 2019

10:00am WMU

6:30pm Deacons Christmas Dinner

### Wednesday December 11, 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 12, 2019

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

## Friday December 13, 2019

5:00pm Youth Progressive Dinner/

Lock-In

## Saturday December 14, 2019

6:00pm Paint Night in Memory of Mary

Norman

### Sunday December 15, 2019

8:30am Adult Worship Team Practice

9:30am Sunday School

11:00am Community Worship

12:30pm Widows Group

# St. John's Baptist Church

December 8, 2019



Sharing Christ
Discipling Believers
Loving the World

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# Welcome to St. John's Baptist Church

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### **SERMON NOTES**

### **Second Advent Sunday**

## "Pursuing Peace"

### I Peter 3:8-12

1. The God of peace. Isaiah 9:6; James 4:1-12; I Corinthians 14:33

( ) Selfishness

- 2. Peace promotes holiness. Psalm 37:37; I Thessalonians 4:1-12; Hebrews 12:14-17;
- 3. We are called to be peacemakers. Proverbs 12:20; Romans 14:17-19; II Corinthians 10:1-6

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( ) Pretense	( ) Fear	( ) Pride
( ) Anger/temper	( ) Control	( ) Meanness
( ) Conflict	( ) Jealousy	( ) No moral compass
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( ) Rumors	( ) Quarreling	( ) Backbiting
( ) Arrogance	( ) Greed	( ) Harboring grudges
( ) Unforgiveness	( ) Ignorance	( ) Racism
( ) Injustice	( ) Gossip	( ) Worry

### **Contact Information**

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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.

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	1st Wednesday Night Dinner RSVP	
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\*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.