These inserts list the results of the Post-It Note exercise from the March 26th sermon series when the congregation was asked to write down their favorite experiences at St. John's on GREEN Post-It Notes, and then writing down their ideas for the next five years of St. John's on BLUE Post-It Notes. The response was wonderful and will be used to shape St. Johns' Ministry Site Profile.

Thank you!

GREEN POST-IT NOTES

(Members' favorite experiences at St. Johns)

You guys always comfort me

Everyone is so so so nice

Serving at Lunch in the Park with Karen Goy

My brother's baptism

High School Mission trips

Being a Counselor for VBS

Easter

Church on Christmas Eve

Pancake Dinner

Spaghetti Dinner

Kids Against Hunger packing event

Flag pole Christmas tree lighting

Laughter Day

2022 Youth Mission Trip to Milwaukee

Sunday School is always so nice

Doing volunteer work with the high school group

The wonderful Sunday School teachers

My first day of Sunday School

My first Communion

Sunday School with Vicar Anthony

The parade – being with the St. John's float at the 2023 SCF

Eating spaghetti

Cooking/grilling sausages for Fat Tuesday pancake dinner

Chili Cook-off

Lunch in the Park cooking next to Skip and PK

Chaperoning a high school mission

Sitting by my Dad in church

Serving at the spaghetti dinner

Grape juice

Christmas Eve services

Worship in the Park

Spaghetti Suppers

Circle Bible Study

Mission Trip

Painting the fences at the Lake

Being confirmed at St. John's

Watching our son be baptized & confirmed at St. John's

Watching Pastor Dale walk newly baptized babies and reminding us of our promises

Going on Mission Trips

Serving together at dinners

Community Clean-up

Filling dressers/bookshelves for needy families

My wedding

Coming to church with grandmother

St. John's Barnyard

Task Force Activities

Vacation Bible School

Sunday School

Litter Pick-up on Rt. 251

Wednesday morning Chapel

5:00 pm Saturday Worship

Teaching Sunday School

Farrell & Marshall's Wedding

Confirmands joining the church

Daughter's confirmation

Mission Trips

Class events

Ushering

My daughter's wedding

Singing in Praise Band

The baptism of both my boys

Teaching VBS

Subbing at Sunday School

Mission: Mendota Community

Clean-up days

Soul Sisters Bible Study

Working on/Walking with many different St. John's parade floats for

SCF

Chaperoning the HS mission trip to

Benton Harbor, MI

Feeling love, prayers and support

during tough times

Kids Again Hunger food packing

Chaperoning Poured Out mission trip and Milwaukee HS mission trip

Christmas Eve Services

Evolution of St. John's through growth, pastors, members When the organ was "renewed" with new pipes during my brother's wedding

Christmas programs with children when small

Helping with spaghetti dinner and washing dishes

Painting project in 2018, painting softball field fence

Wired Word Bible study

Adult Bible Studies/Sunday School

Choir participation

Praise Band participation

Garden bounty harvest table/produce sharing from 2022

Feed Our Starving Children/Kids Against Hunger

My children and grandchildren's baptisms and confirmations

Sewing with the quilting ladies

Monthly young couples group

Music before Christmas Eve services

Candlelight Christmas Eve services 11:00 pm

Baptism of my 2 children

Serving meals

The powerful singing of the congregation

Easter Service

Christmas Eve Service

Serving Meals

Rebecca's Circle

Working with youth

Serving food at funeral lunches

Circle

Doing treats after the church service

Watching the children's sermon time

Watching kids show up

Lighting tree in courtyard

Funeral dinners

Food packing events

Singing in Praise Band

Serving as Council President

Bible Studies

The 150th Celebration was a 2-year event for some involved in preparation for July 2008! It was time the Holy Spirit was very evident as all worked together in a common goal. It was glorious. We learned so much about us and St. John's!

Quilt sale

Quilting

Fellowship after service

My son's baptism

St. John's Choir

My faith growing through relationship at St. John's

My son took his first actual steps in the Parish Hall surrounded by some of my favorite members at the time. It felt like the beginning of his faith journey, and I knew he would be covered in prayer. I know, still, that I can call on members to lift him up and that brings great comfort.

I also loved hearing the faith stories from members when I served as a co-leader during Confirmation.

I love the special music we have had from our own gifted members.

I loved spending time in Bible study with fellow members.

I remember and loved how we were welcomed by some of the "senior" members when we first started attending.

I love when the worship is focused on the sacraments and gospel. Confirmation Class

Going to Sunday School

Easter Sunrise Services

The Singing Mothers

Christmas Cantatas

Pastor Ziebarth

The service with the painting of the art that hangs in the choir area by the live artist

The People

Songs

People

Music

Intergenerational events

Circles

My child's baptism

My first day at St. John's

Float at Sweet Corn Festival

Working with LYO Easter breakfast

Saturday Evening Services

Enjoying all the youth activities

My good memories from 1988 when I became a member of St. John's with supportive members at times when I needed help. I thank God my father-in-law and mother-in-law and ex-husband guided me to join at St. John's Lutheran Church.

Watching my 97-your-old father who had not been to church in decades be greeted, hugged, and loved by this congregation.