COUNSELING BOOKLETS

Please help yourself to the free counseling booklets downstairs in the new NHCC waiting room. Take some for you, your family, or others. A list of titles is in the coatroom.

ONLINE GIVING

Make a secure one-time donation by check, debit card, or credit card, or make a recurring donation (weekly, monthly, etc.) by debit card or credit card. Simply go to www.ilovestjohns.org and click on the green "GIVE ONLINE" button.

TEXTING COMMUNICATION

Receive schedule changes, event cancellations, ministry reminders, sermon follow-ups, prayer requests, and more! To be added to our texting list, (1) text JohnEC to 84576 and (2) follow the instructions sent to you.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Please submit your information to Pastor Jeff or Georgee Miller (contact information below) no later than 12:00 noon on Thursday

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St. John's E.C. Church

683 Steelstown Road Annville, PA 17003

(717) 838-1171 (please leave a message)

St. John's Church of Steelstown

November 2, 2025



Please remember that you have the freedom to worship with authenticity.

Please be sure to visit The Pantry downstairs after the service.

SERVICE ORDER

Welcome and Announcements	Pastor Jeff Berger
* Worship with Singing	Worship Team
Congregational Prayer	Pastor Jeff Berger
Worship with Giving	
Message - "Smyrna, the Suffering Church"	Pastor Jeff Berger
* Worship with Singing	Worship Team
Benediction	Pastor Jeff Berger

WELCOME!

- Thank you for joining us today!
- You are welcome just as you are.
- Song lyric sheets are available in the lobby.
- Visitor info and goodie bags are in the lobby. Please help yourself!
- A staffed nursery is available for ages 3 and under.

St. John's Church = www.ilovestjohns.org
New Hope Christian Counseling = www.ihavenewhope.org



The purpose of **St. John's Church** is to bring glory to God by making disciples who:

- (1) **Know Jesus** as their personal Lord and Savior,
- (2) Grow in Faith to become more like Jesus, and
- (3) Go Serve others near and far in Jesus' name.



The purpose of **New Hope Christian Counseling** is to provide Christ-centered, Biblically-based emotional, relational, and spiritual guidance to children, teens, and adults experiencing challenging life-issues.

THIS WEEK

Sunday:	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Morning Worship (sanctuary)
	12:00 pm	Vision Summit #3 (grove, until 2:00 pm)
	4:00 pm	Visitation for Sam Blauch (sanctuary)
Monday	10:00 am	Visitation for Sam Blauch (sanctuary)
	11:00 am	Funeral Service for Sam Baluch (sanctuary)
		Interment and Lunch (fellowship hall)

Tuesday: 7:00 pm PRC Meeting (Jeff's office)

Wednesday: 7:00 pm Chosen Bible Study (side sanctuary)
Thursday: 7:00 pm Worship Team Rehearsal (sanctuary)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY / ANNIVERSARY!

November 2: Travis McFeaters

November 4: John Horvath

November 6: Vikki DeLong

November 7: Kris & Crystal Turner (anniversary)

SERVING THE LORD (TODAY AND NEXT WEEK)

Greeters: Christian & Korin G TBD

Nursery: Lori C & Pat B Barb B & Cheryl G

Ch. Church: Brenda C & Kathy H MMK

Sound Tech: Travis McFeaters Jim Jefferies Video Tech: Kory Blauch Melanie H

Stewardship: John H & Travis M Carol R & Esther H

FELLOWSHIP NIGHT

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14 - Join us in the grove at 6:30 pm for a campfire (complete with hot dogs and smores) followed by board games! Please bring a favorite game. Please sign up in the coatroom.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23 - Share the love and Good News of Jesus with a child in need! Filled shoeboxes are due no later than Sunday, November 23. Boxes and information are in the coatroom. Please include the suggested \$10 per box to cover mailing and other expenses.

OCC BALTIMORE PROCESSING CENTER

MONDAY, DECEMBER 8 <u>AND</u> MONDAY, DECEMBER 15 - Serve in the new Operation Christmas Child Baltimore Processing Center! Meet at the church at 10:00 am, will return around 9:00 pm. Serving from 1:00-5:00 pm; please bring money for lunch (Chick-fil-A) & dinner (Mission BBQ). Transportation is provided. Please sign up ASAP in the coatroom to join the team!

PRAY

PRAYER UPDATES - Please see the enclosed monthly prayer guide.

PRAYER REQUESTS - When Jeff is away, please send prayer requests to Bob Sheetz at 717-926-2159 or at rhsheetz@comcast.net.

MINISTRY STATS

Worship Attendance Last Week	58
Livestream Views Last Week	17
Giving Last Week	\$ 3,802
2025 Giving Goal per Week	\$ 2,971
2025 Giving Goal *	\$ 191,500
2025 Giving Total	\$ 135,728
2025 Overage or Shortage	\$ 22,642

2025 Giving Goal = Total of Online Giving and Plate Giving (cash & checks)

MESSAGE NOTES: