

St. John's Baptist Church

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2017

Church Schedule



CHURCH MOTTO:

"Entering to Worship, Leaving to Serve"

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Ministry Standard Meeting Dates

Dates and time are subject to change

Anointed Steps for Christ	Each Monday	06:45 P.M.
Culinary Ministry	1 st Saturday of each month	09:00 A.M.
Eleanor Easley Floral Ministry	2 nd Sunday of each month	12:30 P.M.
Gospel Choir	2 nd and 4 th Tuesday of each month	07:30 P.M.
Health and Wellness Ministry	2 nd Sunday of each month	12:30 P.M.
Hospitality Ministry	3 rd Sunday of each month	12:30 P.M.
Missionary Ministry	1 st Sunday of each month	12:30 P.M.
Progressive Ushers	2 nd Tuesday of each month	07:00 P.M.
Pulpit Search Committee	Every Monday	07:30 P. M.
Scotch Plains Orators	Every Thursday	06:30 P.M.
	(No meetings July and August)	
Senior Citizen Fellowship	Every 3 rd Wednesday	10:00 A.M.
	(No meeting in August)	
Senior Ushers	3 rd Tuesday of each month	07:00 P.M.
Scholarship Ministry	1 st Tuesday of each month	07:00 P.M.
Sorority Leader	3 rd Saturday of each month	01:30 P.M.
Union County Club	3 rd Thursday of each month	07:00 P.M.

Changes subject to SJBC priorities i.e.: Funerals, Weddings, Etc.

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Church Calendar of Events for 2017
(Tentative Schedule and subject to Change)

1. **Worship Service** every Sunday starting at 10:00 A.M.
2. **Holy Communion** is served every first Sunday at the close of the 10:00 A.M. Worship Service.
3. **The Ordinance of Baptism** is preformed every other fourth (4th) Sunday, at the close of 10:00 A.M. Worship Service.
4. **Baby Blessing** are performed on the fourth (4th) Sunday during the 10:00 A.M. Worship Service.
5. **Bible Study** is held every Wednesday at 7:00 P.M.
6. **Prayer, Praise and Worship** is held every Wednesday at completion of Bible Study.
7. **Special Intercessory Prayer** is held every Saturday morning at 7:00 A.M.
8. **Church School** is held every Sunday starting at 8:30 A.M.

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January

1 st	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
7 th	Saturday	08:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
8 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Installation of Officers
15 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Martin Luther King Memorial Service
16 th	Monday		Martin Luther King Day of Service
18 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizen's Fellowship
19 th	Thursday	7:00 P.M.	Cabinet Meeting
19 th	Thursday	8:00 P.M.	Joint Board Meeting
21 st	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
22 nd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism
26 th	Thursday	7:00 P.M.	Church Membership Meeting

February (Black History Month)

4 th	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
5 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
5 th	Sunday	TBD	Men's Fellowship - Super Bowl Game Fellowship
11 th	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Congress of Christian Education Macedonia O.F.W. Baptist Church, Piscataway, NJ
12 th	Sunday		Progressive Ushers - Pre-Valentine's Day Bake Sale
15 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizen's Fellowship
15 th - 17 th	3 Days		Middlesex Central Baptist Association Semi-Annual Session Macedonia O.F.W. Baptist Church, Piscataway, NJ
15 th	Wednesday	06:45 P.M.	Women's Auxiliary
16 th	Thursday	06:45 P.M.	Men's Ministry
17 th	Friday	06:45 P.M.	Parent Body
18 th	Saturday	04:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
19 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	International Ministry Black History Service
24 th	Friday	07:00 P.M.	Youth Ministry Black History Presentation
26 th	Sunday	12:30 P.M.	Union County Black History Event

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March

1 st	Wednesday		“Ash Wednesday” Beginning of the Lenten Season
3 rd	Friday	TBD	MCBA - Youth Ministry Activity
	Friday	TBD	MCBA - World Day of Prayer
4 th	Saturday	08:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
5 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
12 th	Sunday	TBD	Inspirational Choir Anniversary Event
	(Daylight Savings Time Begins, set clocks 1 hour)		
15 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizens' Fellowship
18 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
18	Saturday	TBD	MCBA - Ushers/Nurses/Greeters Honoree Luncheon
19 th	Sunday	12:30 P.M.	Union County Club - Women's History Month Event
24 th	Friday	06:00 P.M.	Youth Ministry - Pasta Night
26 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism

April

1 st	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
1 st	Saturday	11:00 A.M.	Audrey P. Kaufman Missions Luncheon
			Pines Manor, Edison
2 nd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
8 th	Saturday	TBD	Gospel Chorus Activity
9 th	Sunday	12:30 P.M.	Youth Ministry – Pre-Easter Bake Sale
14 th	Good Friday	11:30 A.M.	Missionaries – Seven Last Words
15 th	Holy Saturday		
16 th	Easter Sunday		
		6:00 A.M.	Sunrise Service
		7:15 A.M.	Hospitality Ministry – Easter Breakfast
		8:30 A.M.	Church School Activity
		10:00 A.M.	Worship Service
19 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizens' Fellowship
23 rd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Annual Officers Day

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May

3 rd – 5 th (Wednesday thru Friday)		6:30 P.M.	Spring Institute- Congress of Christian Education Sharon Baptist Church, New Brunswick
4 th	Thursday		National Day of Prayer
6 th	Saturday	TBD	MCBA-Annual Youth Conference, Location TBD
6 th	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
7 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
13 th	Saturday	12:00 P.M.	Hospitality Ministry - Mother's Day Activity
14 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Mother's Day – Special Tribute to Mothers
17 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizens' Fellowship
20 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
21 st	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	108 th Church Anniversary
22 nd – 24 th	(Monday thru Wednesday)	7:30 P.M.	Spring Revival
28 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism
29 th	Monday		Memorial Day

June

3 rd	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
4 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion Combined Ushers' Anniversary
5 th thru 10 th			Hampton Minister's Conference, Hampton Virginia
10 th	Saturday	12:00 P.M.	Outreach Ministry – Fish Fry
11 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Sunday School – Music & Liturgical Dance
14 th	Wednesday		Senior Citizen's Fellowship
17 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
18 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Father's Day – A Special Tribute to Fathers
22 nd	Saturday	TBD	Pre-Women's Day Activity
23 rd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Annual Women's Day Service

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July

2 nd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
4 th	Tuesday		Independence Day
8 th	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
8 th -14 th			Middlesex Central Baptist Association Annual Session – Location TBD
8 th	Saturday	TBD	Congress of Christian Education
10 th	Monday	TBD	Youth Ministry
11 th	Tuesday	TBD	Ushers/Nurses/Greeters
12 th	Wednesday	TBD	Women's Auxiliary
13 th	Thursday	TBD	Men's Ministry
14 th	Friday	TBD	Parent Body
9 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Youth and Scholarship Ministry Special Service
15 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
23 rd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism

August

6 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
12 th	Saturday		Youth Ministry - Outing
26 th	Saturday	12:00 P.M.	Church Picnic Jerseyland Park, Richmond St., Scotch Plains

September

2 nd	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
3 rd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
9 th	Saturday	12:00 P.M.	Back to School Community Fair
10 th	Sunday	8:00 A.M.	Sunday School Promotion Day
16 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
20 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizen's Fellowship
23 rd	Saturday	11:00 A.M.	Annual Missionaries Day Service
23 rd	Saturday		MCBA-Fall Institute, Location TBD
24 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism

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October

1 st	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
7 th	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
8 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	International Ministry Day Service
		12: 30 P.M.	International Ministry Brunch
18 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizen's Fellowship
21 st	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
22 nd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Annual Men's Day Service
23 rd – 25 th		7:30 P.M.	Fall Revival
	(Monday thru Wednesday)		
29 th	Sunday	12:30 P.M.	Union County Club – Fall Activity

November

1 st – 30 th	All Month		Missionary Coat Drive
4 th	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
5 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
12 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Annual Senior Citizens Day Service
	(Daylight Savings Time Ends, set clocks back 1 hour)		
17 th	Saturday	TBD	Scholarship Ministry Banquet
15 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizen's Fellowship
18 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
18 th	Saturday	TBD	Pre-Anniversary Gospel Chorus Event
19 th	Sunday	TBD	Gospel Chorus Anniversary
23 rd	Thursday		Thanksgiving
26 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism

December

1 st – 10 th			Outreach Ministry Toy Drive
2 nd	Saturday	8:30 A.M.	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
3 rd	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Holy Communion
			First Day of the Advent Season
16 th	Saturday	4:30 P.M.	Culinary Ministry - Game Night
20 th	Wednesday	10:00 A.M.	Senior Citizen's Fellowship
24 th	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Baptism
31	Sunday	10:00 P.M.	New Year's Eve – Watch Night Service