

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

501 E Main Street, Evans City, PA 16033

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St. John's UCC is a small but energetic community of believers who demonstrate that in Christ all things are possible. We are a welcoming church, striving to be more progressive and inclusive in Evans City, a town of about 1800 people located in southwestern Butler County. Centered in one of the fastest

growing regions in Pennsylvania, St. John's is a ten minute drive to Cranberry Township and a 40-minute drive to downtown Pittsburgh. We have 96 active members with an average of 45-55 in attendance at the Sunday morning worship service.

Our ministry is supported by a competent and dedicated part-time staff: a church secretary, treasurer, sexton, and professional music director. Our congregation has an active church council (Consistory) and Outreach, Worship, and Christian Education committees. Our church choir sings in all services September through May.

Our congregation is actively involved in mission work which includes serving the Evans City Food Cupboard, Meals on Wheels, The Neighborhood Academy and Jubilee Soup Kitchen in Pittsburgh, and Christmas tree gifts for needy children and seniors. We sponsor several community events including an annual rummage sale, a corn roast, Cookies from the Heart at Christmas, Breakfast with the Easter Bunny, Trunk or Treating in October, and spaghetti dinners. We take our turn hosting community VBS.

St. John's beautiful, light-filled sanctuary was recently re-modeled and air-conditioned along with the choir room, narthex and offices. The restrooms and kitchen also are updated. An elevator makes all three floors handicapped accessible.



Our members feel that God is calling St. John's to continue to engage in community outreach, to share our faith, and to put our faith into action. We anticipate that our pastor will be an effective preacher sharing biblically-based sermons that illustrate, how *"God is Still Speaking"* to us in our daily lives. S/he will also have a positive attitude, be a good listener, and show compassion.