

# **St. John's Missionary Baptist Church**

**"The church where everybody is somebody  
and Christ is all."**

New Life New Focus New Ministry



Our lifestyles will change when  
our mindsets change!

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Dr. Allen D. Smith, Pastor

October 13, 2019

**Worship Service**  
**October 13, 2019      10:00 AM**

*Yes Lord*

**Scripture**

**Prayer**

**Chants**

**Prayer from the Pulpit**

**WOW Choir Selection**

Please no walking during prayer time.  
Worshippers may enter after prayer.

**Announcement/Greetings**

**Tithes & Offering**

**Proverbs 3:9-10** <sup>9</sup>Honor the LORD with your wealth,  
with the first fruits of all your crops; <sup>10</sup>then your barns  
will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over  
with new wine.

**WOW Choir A & B Selections**

Please no walking during Sermon, Invitation,  
Altar Call, and Benediction times.

**Sermon.....Dr. Allen D. Smith**

**Invitation**

**Altar Call**

**Benediction**

The Women of Worship Conference titled “Joy in Relationships” will be this coming weekend, October 18-19<sup>th</sup>. The following weekend, on October 26<sup>th</sup> will be the New Hope Annual Women’s Conference titled “Real Women, Real Issues, Real Faith”  
Please see First Lady Shalonda Smith with any questions!



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Second Missionary Baptist Church in Hutchinson has invited us to their 136th Homecoming Celebration next Sunday, October 20th! Pastor Smith will be bringing the afternoon message at 3pm. St. John's Members, Choir, Deacons, and Ushers are all invited to attend and asked to fill their rolls. Lunch will be served upon arrival.

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Preparation has begun for the Thanksgiving Dinner Outreach! There are applications in the foyer for families who would like to receive this blessing. Please fill out and return to the church office by October 31<sup>st</sup>.



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**Church Training has been rescheduled to Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 9am.**

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We need volunteers to help with Children's Church and the Nursery on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please see Minister Cliff Bunville.



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Please consider using Givelify as a resource for your giving! You can download the app on your mobile device and give from wherever, whenever!

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There cards in the pews for **Prayer Requests**. Please drop them in the Offering basket and they will be turned into the Prayer Ministry. The Sanctuary is open 8:30 - 9:00am for prayer meeting. Anyone is welcomed to join in prayer at this time.



## **GOSPEL MESSAGE**

October 13, 2019

Vision: New Life! New Focus! New Ministry!

**Sermon Title:** *“Live Your Best Life”*

**Sermon Subtitle:** “Making the Most of What God Has Promised”

**Sermon Text:** Deuteronomy 30:15-20

**Sermon Context:** Deuteronomy 29:1 - 30:20

**To live your best life, you must:**

- A. Make Good Godly Choices.
- B. Love God.
- C. Obey God.

**Application:**

- a) Care about others more than yourself.
- b) Go and do what is right in the eyes of the Lord.
- c) Commit the rest of your life to serving Lord.

**Daily Scriptures:**

October 14: 2 Peter 1:3-4

October 15: 1 John 2:10-11

October 16: 2 John 1:8

October 17: 2 John 1:4

October 18: Jude 1:24-25

October 19: Revelations 20:15

October 20: Genesis 26:24

## YOUR NOTES

*This is your space. If the Lord speaks to your heart, make a note of it. If someone asks you to pray for them, jot down their name. If something in the sermon touches your heart, write it down.*

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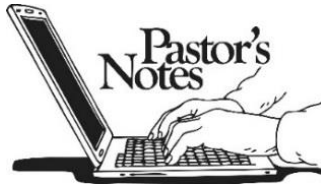
## ***Church Events for this Week***

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| Sunday<br>October 13, 2019    | Breakfast @ 8:30am<br>Prayer Meeting @ 8:30am<br>Sunday School @ 9am<br>Worship Service @ 10am   |
| Monday<br>October 14, 2019    | Open Gym @ 4pm<br>Dinner @ 5:30pm  |
| Tuesday<br>October 15, 2019   | Kid Kare @ 3:30pm<br>Meal @ 5:30pm<br>Men's Bible Study @ 6pm<br>Ladies' Bible Study @ 6pm   |
| Wednesday<br>October 16, 2019 | Bible Study @ 10:30am<br>Dinner @ 5:30pm<br>WOW @ 6pm<br>Bible Study @ 6pm   |
| Thursday<br>October 17, 2019  | Bible Study @ 6pm<br>Choir Rehearsal @ 7pm<br>Mentoring Training @ 7:15pm  |
| Friday<br>October 18, 2019    | Kid Kare @ 3:30pm<br>Meal @ 5:30pm<br><u>Women of Worship Conference</u>   |
| Saturday<br>October 19, 2019  | <u>Women of Worship Conference</u>   |
| Sunday<br>October 20, 2019    | Breakfast @ 8:30am<br>Prayer Meeting @ 8:30am<br>Sunday School @ 9am<br>Worship Service @ 10am<br>Second M.B.C. Hutchinson -<br>Homecoming @ 3pm |

### **THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:**

*"If you love Me, you will keep My commandments."*

*John 14:15*



## **Focus and Faith**

In 2019, God is calling on us to focus on Him! In 2019, it will be our challenge to fill the vision that God has for our church by focusing and having faith in Him and His Word! The year will be filled with its challenges; however, if we trust in Him with all our hearts and lean not on our own understanding then we will not fail. I believe that God has great things in store for us in 2019; but Satan will attempt to use many things and many people to distract us from our divine destination. It is my prayer for each of you, that this year we will fix our eyes on Jesus. We must let everything start and finish with our faith in the almighty God who is able to do exceedingly, abundantly, above all that we ask or think. Stay focused on Him who is able to give us the victory in all situations! Lord, we thank you in advance for what you have in store for us in 2019! Hallelujah to Him!

All praises and prayers in Jesus name, AMEN, AMEN, AMEN!

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### **Are you attending a Bible study during the week?**

We have several times and studies – just for you!  
Select a time and join us, we would love to have you!

- Men's Bible Study on Tuesdays at 6:00pm - 2 John 1:1
- Ladies' Bible Study on Tuesdays at 6:00pm – Mark
- Wednesday Morning at 10:30am – 2 Chronicles 35
- Wednesday Nights at 6:00pm – Titus 1:1
- Thursday Nights at 6:00pm – Jeremiah 22:20

## WELCOME, GUESTS!

We are delighted you have chosen to join us in worship at St. John's Missionary Baptist Church!

Please check us out on the web [www.stjohnsmbc.com](http://www.stjohnsmbc.com) for more information on all our ministries. Give us a call at the church office 785-827-7082 or email us at [stjohnsmbc@cox.net](mailto:stjohnsmbc@cox.net) and let us know how we can serve you.

### **What Does It Mean to Join?**

Joining St. John's means that you are a Christian and believe that you will be fed spiritually and socially in this congregation, and you would like to participate in the activities of the church and grow as a person that is a part of the church family.

### **How to become a member of St. John's Missionary Baptist Church?**

✝ *If you are a new Christian, you may become a member of St. John's by **Baptism**.*

✝ *You may become a member of St. John's by **Letter** from your previous church.*

✝ *If you are a former member of St. John's, you may become a member by **Restoration**.*

✝ *You can become a member based on your **Christian Experience**.*

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