## May 2, 2021





More info and registration at stjohnmansfield.org/vbs

Paray May Challenge Talk to God in different locations each day throughout the month of May to strengthen your prayer life. Scan the QR code to see the calendar kids will be given to bring home as well as daily prayer tips.

<sup>1</sup><sup>‡</sup>ollow us on social media for daily reminders about
<sup>26</sup> prayer location.
<sup>25</sup> stjohnlcmansfield

### MAY CONNECTION CAFE

Thanks to your generosity in April, the cafe raised \$187.43 for CASA. Proceeds for May go to Metroplex Women's Clinic, a free clinic that provides

medical services, education, and counseling to women at no cost to them.

Thank you to all who donated towards our hand sanitizer plea on behalf of Belize Mission Society!



Join in prayer with

others across the

Thursday, May 6

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Help your family build a God-honoring home by celebrating

mom the entire month of May! Stop by the Connect at Home Center to grab Family Fun Questions with Mom and the Faith at Home booklet to find ways

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

**ST. JOHN PRAYER VIGIL** 

Time slots for prayer

are available in 30

minute increments

from 6 AM to 6 PM

To claim a time slot, email Linda Lewis at

Ikaylewis@gmail.com

that you can pray for mom and spend extra time caring for her this month.

> CONNECT Home

Pray at home, at

St. John from

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

or at City Hall during

he St. John time slo 12-12:30 PM

Why do the vast majority of us live out unremarkable days in spite of our God-given hunger for significance? UnNamed will introduce you to unsuspecting heroes from the Bible. What is God wanting to write for you in His story? Transforming



# YOUR LIFE MATTERS Pastor Jet || Luke 18: 9-14 | 5.2.21



### YOU MATTER TO GOD. YOU MATTER TO US.

## NEW HERE?

#### FREE GIFT

We would love to get to know you. Text CONNECT to 833.440.0137 to connect with us and stop by our Connection Counter in the lobby for a free gift.

#### FIRST STEP

Be our quest for a one-hour introduction to St. John taught by our pastors. There is a new class every month. Sign up online, at the Connection Counter, or just show up!

#### **NEED PRAYER?**

We would love to pray for you! Visit our website StJohnMansfield.org. fill out a Prayer Request Card, or text PRAY to 833.440.0137 to request prayer or have someone call you to pray with you.

#### WHAT ABOUT MY KIDS?

We love children to worship with us at any service! During all services, we have worship folders located in the back near the entrance for your children to enjoy! We have a Sunday School Small Group time for all ages at 9:30a. Our nursery is available during all service times.

#### CONNECT AT HOME

Connect at Home is a strategy to help you become more intentional about building a God-honoring home one step at a time. You can do it! We are here to help. Visit our Connect at Home center in the lobby!

#### CONTACT US

Church 817.473.4889 | connect@stjohnmansfield.org | Text CONNECT to 833.440.0137 Preschool 817,473,0303

With God, the \_\_\_\_\_\_ are rejected but the \_\_\_\_\_are \_\_\_\_

To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everyone else, Jesus told this parable: Luke 18:9

"Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector." Luke 18:10

The Pharisee stood by himself and praved: "God, I thank you that I am not like other people-robbers, evildoers, adulterers-or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get." Luke 18:11-12

Our inability to \_\_\_\_\_\_ our own sin doesn't mean it's \_\_\_\_\_\_:

It reveals our

"But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, 'God, have mercy on me, a sinner.' Luke 18:13

"I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.'" Luke 18:14

"But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace to me was not without effect. No, I worked harder than all of them—yet not I, but the grace of God that was with me." 1 Corinthians 15:10

\_\_\_\_\_\_ : In what ways can I let go of \_\_\_\_\_\_?

\_:Lord, grow me in \_\_\_\_\_