

# St. John's Chapel Walk

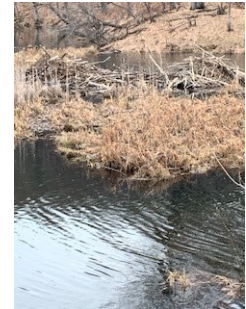
Just west of town on I 94 is St. John's University. While it is acknowledged as a first class Liberal Arts College with an always excellent football program, what is less well know is the absolute abundance of stunning walking trails. The Chapel



Trail will take you around beautiful Lake Sagatagan to the [Stella Maris Chapel](#). On the one and a half mile hike you'll cross one small stone bridge and two floating bridges and depending on the time of year you will encounter many types of wildlife, including small mammals, birds, ducks and more turtles than you've seen in your life. The trail is mostly unimproved, meaning not paved and difficult going for strollers. The Chapel, which was built in 1872 and destroyed by lighting in 1903 and was rebuilt in 1915 and most recently renovated in 2007, is an excellent resting place for the return 1 ½ mile return trek. Without too much trouble you will notice the work of beavers and woodpeckers.



Although the community is zealous in it's protection of the natural environment, it can always use some help. Why not bring a plastic bag and see if you can find some litter to pick. Leaving the trail even better than when you found it. Dogs are not allowed on or off leash.



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