

**Join us for Fifth Sunday “Hum & Sing” tonight
May 31st @ 5:00 pm in Asbury Hall / Parlor (A201)**

Come enjoy a time of singing old favorites and some praise song favorites from the 80s and 90s. Please bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Water will be provided. We look forward to a great evening!

Wednesday Adult Bible Studies

Men's and Women's Studies @ 6 pm in Wesley Center

Please note – Men's Weds., Study is recessed thru June 17.

Join our New Summer Bible Study "Messy People"

Begins: Weds. June 24th at 10:00 a.m. in Robe Room and 6:00 pm in Wesley Center. Pastor Jon invites you to Messy People: Life Lessons from Imperfect Biblical Heroes by Jennifer Cowart – a six-week study. Study books available sign up in church office.

Children's Ministry

VBS Sign Ups have BEGUN! We want Jesus to build the Kingdom of God in us and through us to the WORLD! Take up the quest and join us for Kingdom Quest 2026 @St. Mark's UMC

Training Date: June 14th - 5-7:30 pm

VBS Dates: June 15-18th 5:45 pm - 8:15 pm

[SIGN UP >>> https://vbspro.events/p/smkbvs2026](https://vbspro.events/p/smkbvs2026)

For details and all sign-ups contact Anna McGough at
anna@saintmarksum.org

Caregiver Support Study Group

Tues., June 2 @ 6 pm in Robe Room

All Welcome!

Youth Ministry

May 31 – Youth Summer Kick-Off Party @ 5:30 pm in (4+5);

June 3 – Youth Wednesday Night @ 5:30 pm (4);

June 7 @ 12 pm Youth Parent Meeting re: Summer Camp (4)

and Youth Outing at Party Safari – meet outside SWH at 5 pm

For details email us at youth@saintmarksum.org

Trendsetter Opportunities *for anyone 50+...*

Bingo, Concerts, Live Theatre, Movies & Trips...Join the fun!

Sign up in church office. For details text Sandra Thomas at

601-940-5120 or email Info@saintmarksum.org

SUNDAY, MAY 31- Trinity Sunday

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)

9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+3+4)

10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)

10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)

3:30 pm SPRC Meeting (1-Choir Rm)

5:00 pm Fifth Sunday Hum & Sing (3-Parlor)

5:00 pm Handbell Practice (1-Robe Rm)

5:30 pm Youth Summer Kick-off (4+5)

MONDAY, JUNE 1

8:00 am Walking with Joy (5)

10:00 am Joyful Connections Respite (5)

10:00 am Women's Bible Study (1-Choir Rm)

7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, JUNE 2

8:00 am Walking with Joy (5)

10:00 am Chair Yoga (5)

10:00 am Trendsetters Mahjong (5)

6:00 pm Caregiver Support Group (1-Robe Rm)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3

7:00 am Men's Prayer Group (1-Robe Rm)

8:00 am Walking with Joy (5)

10:00 am Chair Yoga (5)

6:00 pm Bible Studies (2)

5:30 pm Youth Wednesday Night (4)

No Choir Practice Tonight

7:00 pm 11th Hr. Praise Team Practice (5)

THURSDAY, JUNE 4

8:00 am Walking with Joy (5)

5:30 pm Pickleball (5)

6:00 pm “Journeyman” Fellowship Group (2)

7:00 pm AA (2)

FRIDAY, JUNE 5

8:00 am Walking with Joy (5)

10:00 am Chair Yoga (5)

SATURDAY, JUNE 6

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)

9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+3+4)

10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)

10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)

12 pm Youth Parent Meeting re: Summer Camp (4)

5:00 pm Handbell Practice (1-Robe Rm)

5:00 pm Youth Outing at Party Safari (Meet outside SWH)

KEY:

- 1 – Sanctuary building
- 2 – Wesley – adult education
- 3 – Asbury – children's ed.
- 4 – SWH – youth building
- 5 – CLC – Christian Life Center



***“Authentically Imperfect Christ Followers
Uniting all seeking Grace and Belonging.”***

May 31st, 2026

Trinity Sunday

Contact Us:

(601) 992-2131

info@saintmarksum.org

Ministry Staff

Jon Kaufman, Senior Pastor

Ryan McGough, Associate Pastor

Sandra Thomas, Pastor of Worship & Senior Adults

Anna McGough, Director of Next Gen Ministries

Elliott Frankel, Director of Youth Ministries

Connect With Us Online:

www.saintmarksum.org

Facebook - St. Mark's United Methodist Church

Instagram – [stmarksumc_brandon](https://www.instagram.com/stmarksumc_brandon)

TikTok - [stmarksumc](https://www.tiktok.com/@stmarksumc)

Traditional Service
May 31st, 2026
Trinity Sunday

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude

+Call to Worship

+Hymn *Holy, Holy Holy* # 64

Affirmation of Faith Apostle’s Creed # 881

Response “*Gloria Patri*” # 70

Musical Offering *Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore*
Instrumental Aiden Curry

Morning Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Anthem *Lord God, Almighty* Choir

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Stewardship Moment Lee Barnhill

Doxology # 95

Passing of the Peace
Children ages 3K through 5K are dismissed to Children’s Church

+Hymn *This is the Day* # 657

Scripture Genesis 1:1-2:4 Pairs and Spares

Sermon “The Triune God Calls it Good”
Rev. Sandra Thomas

+Hymn *This is My Father’s World* # 144

+Benediction

Postlude

+Please stand as you are able.

Holy Communion immediately follows 8:20 am service, except on first Sundays.

Livestream available for 8:20 am Traditional & 10:45 am 11th Hour on St. Mark’s UMC FB or at Saintmarksum.org

Nursery is available ages up to and including two (2) years.

To Request Prayers Email: Prayerrequest@saintmarksum.org
(A complete copy of our Prayer List available at the exits doors)

(New) St. Mark’s Devotional & Prayer Line
601-487-0930

Call St. Mark’s Devotional & Prayer Line to hear a devotional message and a word of prayer. It’s available anytime you need encouragement or spiritual reflection.
The prayer message is typically updated weekly.

Mississippi Annual Conference

The Mississippi Conference of The United Methodist Church will hold its Annual Conference June 3–5, 2026, with most sessions at Millsaps College. The Ordination Service will take place on Wednesday, June 3 at 7:00 PM at St. Matthew’s UMC in Madison, where our own Joey Hibbert will be commissioned as a Deacon.

This year’s theme is “When Believers Pray…Vision is Revealed.”

All are welcome to attend worship services and business sessions. This is a wonderful opportunity to connect with United Methodists from across Mississippi and experience the leadership of our conference.

For more information and the full schedule, visit:
<https://www.mississippi-umc.org/>

Wednesday Nights at St. Mark’s

Weds. Night Supper is recessed for Summer we will resume In September!

Please scan the QR Code below to Register or call Church Office at 601-992-2131.



Reminder
Wednesday Night Adult Studies at 6:00 pm in Wesley Center
All Welcome!



St. Mark’s Online Shelby Giving
Please scan the QR code with your smartphone to access the Shelby Giving app.
Thank you for your continued support of our Ministries!

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT:	
4/30/2026	Yr. 2026
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET	\$ 1,259,835.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD	\$409,043.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD	-\$409,001.00
REVENUE Over/Under EXPENSE	(\$42.00)
UNPAID MISSION SHARES	\$11,052.00

BIBLE READINGS

SUNDAY, May 31
Genesis 1:1-2:4
Psalm 8
2 Corinthians 13:11-13
Matthew 28:16-20

MON., June 1
Psalm 29
Job 38:39-39:12
1 Corinthians 12:1-3

TUES., June 2
Job 39:13-25
1 Corinthians 12:4-13

WEDS., June 3
Job 39:26-40:5
John 14:25-26

THURS., June 4
Psalm 33:1-12
Genesis 13:1-18
2 Peter 2:17-22

FRI., June 5
Genesis 14:17-24
Act 28:1-10

SAT, June 6
Genesis 15:1-20
Matthew 9:27-34

SUNDAY, June 7
Genesis 12:1-9
Psalm 33:1-12
Romans 4:13-25
Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26