

Advent begins Sunday, November 27th

A special St. Mark’s UMC 2022 Advent Devotional guide will be available for families the 1st Sunday of Advent. Pick up a copy for your family to enjoy!

Please send any questions or concerns as they relate to our UMC Pathways moving forward to our Administrative Council at:

Questions?



- Use the QR code to submit questions
- Email the admin council: saintmarks.admcouncil@gmail.com

Submit Questions

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT: 11/13/2022

TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET	\$1,430,906.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD	\$1,121,747.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD	\$1,170,489.00
OFFERING FOR 11/13/2022	\$10,010.00

St. Mark’s Shelby Giving --- Please click on the QR code to the right with your smartphone to access the **Shelby Giving** application on your mobile phone.
Thank you for your continued support of
St. Mark’s UMC Ministries!



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Warren Coile..... Senior Pastor
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Stephen Craig 11th hour Worship Leader
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Anna McGoughDirector of Children & Family Ministries
Janet Langley.....Director of Nurture & Outreach
Darlene Baker..... Music Assistant/Pianist
Jason Boyd..... Music Assistant/Organist
Thelma Lorentz..... Administrative Assistant

Mark Your Calendars...

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+4)
9:30 am Kid’s Worship (3 - A102/A104)
9:30 am Youth SS / Rush Hour (4-SWH)
10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
5:00 pm Sunday Handbells (1)
No - Evening Youth Activities – No Merge

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

8:00 am Thanksgiving Basket Delivery Day / Meeting (1)
10:00 am Women’s Bible Study (1-Choir Rm.)
7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

7:00 am Men’s Prayer Group (1-Robe Rm.)
No - Youth Activities
No - Wednesday Night Supper (5-CLC)
No - Kids Workshops (3-Big Rm./A201)
No - Adult Bible Study (2)
No - Men’s Bible Study (2)
No - Women’s Bible Study (2)
No - 11th Hr. Praise Team Practice (5-CLC)
No - Choir Practice (1)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 – Happy Thanksgiving!

7:00 pm AA (2)
Church Office closed in observance of Thanksgiving

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25

Church Office closed in observance of Thanksgiving Holiday

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27

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(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
5:00 pm Sunday Handbells (1)
5:30 pm Kids Ministry - Tween Nite (3-Big Room)
6:00 pm Youth ~ Bonfire w / Food, Fire & Friends (4-Outside)

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUNDAY, NOV. 20

am Luke 23:33-43
pm Revelation 1:4-8

MONDAY, NOV. 21

Isaiah 2:1-5
Romans 13:11-14
Psalm 122

TUESDAY, NOV. 22

Matthew 24:36-44
Isaiah 64:1-9

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 23

1 Corinthians 1:3-9
Mark 13:24-37

THURSDAY, NOV. 24

1 Thessalonians 3:9-13
Luke 21:25-36

FRIDAY, NOV. 25

Deuteronomy 30:11-14
Romans 10:8-18

SATURDAY, NOV. 26

Matthew 4:18-22
John 1:35-42

SUNDAY, NOV. 27

am Matthew 24:36-44
pm Jeremiah 33:14-16

KEY:

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

Poinsettia & Lights of Love
Donation forms can be found in
church office or at the northside
Sanctuary drive-thru entrance

Saint Mark’s

United Methodist Church

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Sunday of Christ the King
November 20, 2022

+Please stand if you are comfortable doing so

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude

Acknowledging the Light of Christ in our midst

+Opening Hymn Rejoice the Lord Is King # 715

+Act of Praise Now Thank We All Our God # 102
v. 3

Special Music Shine, Jesus, Shine Handbells

Lesson Jeremiah 23:1-6

Canticle Song of Zechariah # 208

Epistle Colossians 1:11-20

+Gospel Acclamation All Hail King Jesus # 2069

+Gospel Luke 23:33-43

+Affirmation of Faith from 1 Corinthians and Colossians # 888

Prayer Concerns

Morning Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Anthem Crown Him with Many Crowns Choir

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

+Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow # 94

+Hymn All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name # 154
vv. 1, 3, 4 & 6

Children ages 3K through 5K are invited to Children’s Church

Sermon Is He Ours? Rev. Coile

+Closing Hymn Jesus Shall Reign # 157
vv. 1, 4 & 5

Following the Light of Christ into the world

+Benediction

Holy Communion immediately follows 8:20 service except on first Sundays.
We are always pleased to welcome new members. If you wish to unite with our church family today, please come forward during the singing of the last hymn; or you may speak to one of the ministers following the benediction.

Nursery is available ages up to and including 2 yrs.

Prayer Concerns...

Members Needing Prayers:

John Adair	Sherry Johnston	Brad Sessums
Mike Blackwell	Janice Larson	JeanAnn Suggs
Rev. Warren Coile	Garner Peacock	

Family & Friends:

November 2022

Cecil & Marie Alford (Joseph Hibbert)	Russell Gaines
Maggie James Baker (Darlene Baker)	Linda Page (Sandra Bates)
Gina McGraw Duffy (Vicki Phillips)	Lee Tingle (Vicki Phillips)
Judy McKinley (Chuck Jeffcoat)	Kip Tyler (George Kendrick)

October

Larry Fowler (Gayla Dance)	Chantelle McWilliams (Preschool)
Nelson Karnowski (Jeanne Chapman)	Sebastian Riley (Ed & Tonda Riley)
Jennie Kidder (Preschool)	Eduardo Torres (Mayita Price)
	Pam Tree (Preschool)

August

Danielle (Susan Weatherholt)	Bud Lambert (Susan Watson)
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Long Term Prayers:

John Adair	Bill Hutto	Fred Price
Tinker Colwell	Dixie Miller	Janette Thomas
Martha Gower	June Miracle	Linda Thomas
Jean Gunnell	Jonnie Norton	Frances Upchurch
Joanne Humphries		Mike & Connie Weaver
Gay Ann Abraham (Jean Lancaster)	Tanya Lofton (Megan Howe)	
Amanda Hearn Biek (Karen Williams)	Marie Nichols (Gwen Robertson)	
Maxine Creel (Becky Stevenson)	Oscar McGough (Ryan McGough)	
Ruby Galmore (Beverly McClure)	Lori McLendon Parker (Charlinda & Raymond Hall)	
Leon Elzey (Sandra Bates)	Joan Melchiors (Cynthia Morgan)	
Victoria Farr (Carolyn Farr)	Martha Munsey (Jimmie Ray Gordon)	
Jason Heins (Linda Breedlove)	Lori Parker (April & Seth Hall Richards)	
Luanne Hitselberger (Chris Zachow)	Russ Robbins (Beth Robbins)	
Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee)	Jeannette Rodriguez (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	
James Walker Hodge (Charlinda Hall)	Mrs. Renae Tatum (Sadie & Sophie Tatum)	
Don Jacks (Cyndi Morgan)	Lovie Thomas (Cynthia Morgan)	
Gale Landry (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	Jaxon Williams (Jack Williams)	
Martin Levitt (McGinnis)	Hubert & Vicki Wright (Linda Finley)	

Serving our Country:

Jason Attaway, Ethan Avent, Cameron Barr, Leon Davis, Noah Duncan, Jay Ellzey, Noah Givens, John Kibble, Boston Little, Cooper Little, Drew Little, Nathan Muirhead, Frank Porter, Casey Powell, Joshua Schmitz, Mark Sills, Brad Suggs

Upcoming Events, Mission & Volunteer Opportunities...

St. Mark's Angel Tree ~ Donations
Please return the Gifts & Tags by December 4th
Contact Sandra Thomas with questions at 601-992-2131

Thanksgiving Food Basket delivery date: Mon. Nov. 21st Contact **Pete Williams** for details at **601-259-2650** petewilliams217@gmail.com **THANK YOU!!**

2022 Winter Coat Drive
Please bring your gently used or new adult & kids winter coat / jacket donations to our church office thru January 2023.

St. Mark's Stewpot Ministry
Please contact Jane Brown to volunteer or for details regarding pantry needs at: 601-940-7762 or call church office at 601-992-2131.

St. Mark's Preschool is holding a "12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS" Fundraiser going towards a brand-new playground/outdoor recreation area for our students! Tickets are \$10 each, Tickets will be available from now until November 30th. We will hold 12 drawings, giving each ticket holder 12 opportunities to win! We appreciate your support of our St. Mark's Preschool. Contact Corrine Carpenter at corrine@saintmarksum.org or stop by main church office to get your fundraiser tickets. Thank you so much!!!

Sunday, Dec. 4th – Sounds of Christmas
Join us for an afternoon of Christmas music
@ 4 pm ~ St. Mark's Sanctuary ~ Calling All Musicians & Singers!
All Welcome!

Honduras Coffee is back just \$12
Support Salt & Light Ministry - pick up a gift of fresh coffee at Church Office or CLC!

TRENDSETTER Opportunities for anyone 50+ ... Join up with our St. Mark's UMC Senior Adults on these Upcoming Events...

"I Heard the Bells" evening Movie @ Tinseltown in Pearl - Fri. Dec. 2
"The Sound of Music" @ New Stage Theater, Jackson – Tues., Dec. 6
A day Trip to Cleveland, MS (w/ Christmas Lights), Tues., Dec. 13th

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Sign Up in Church Office
Contact Rev. Sandra Thomas or call Church Office for more details regarding Trendsetter & trip opportunities! 601-992-2131 or email Sandra@saintmarksum.org

Youth Ministry...

DRIVEN Youth
- For all students in 6th-12th grades.



SUNDAY SCHOOL: every Sunday morning 9:30-10:30 am
Separate Bible studies for MS & HS students. Cereal buffet provided each week.

No Youth Activities Sun. evening Nov. 20 or Wed., Nov. 23 due to Thanksgiving break.

Thank you to everyone who made our Taste of Italy Dinner and Silent Auction a success! \$8,000 raised to support our youth! Truly so many people to thank: our sponsors, guests, parents, set up crew, volunteers and our youth! Special thanks to our main kitchen crew: Kendall Adkins, Jennye Case, Edward Chapman, Stephen Daniel Craig and Michael Lowery. Thank you to our check in/out crew: Trish Champney, Bridget Hallett, Ashley May & Betsy Watson. Just an army of incredible parents, leaders, students, and partners!

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Bonfire @ St. Mark's ~ Sun., Nov. 27 ~ 6-7:30 pm (Food – Fire – Friends)
All youth in 6th-12th grades are invited to join us! RSVP appreciated!

ELEVATE Ski Conference ~ Gatlinburg ~ Jan. 13-16, 2023 (MLK Wknd)
\$300 Ski/Non-Ski ~ \$330 Board Cost includes 3 nights hotel lodging, 2 ski sessions, all worship sessions, t-shirt, transportation & all meals (except 2 on the road) Tubing session available for \$35. MUST be signed up in advanced. Very limited tickets. \$100 non-refundable deposit to reserve spot due by 11/27. Balance due 12/31.

GENERATE Summer Camp! Covenant College ~ Lookout Mountain, GA
May 29 – June 2 (Mon-Fri) leaving early on Memorial Day Cost: \$350 (includes trip to Ruby Falls) \$80 non-refundable deposit due to by Jan. 29 to reserve spot

Stay in the know!!!
Please contact **Jeanne Chapman** at jeanne@saintmarksum.org for more info!

Children & Family Ministries...

All activities are for PreK through 5th Grade

Sunday School @ 9:30 AM
(3 - A102/A104)

Sunday, November 20th

Acolytes @ 8:20 & 10:45 am

&
Children's Church today
(Does not meet on Communion Sundays.)

November Schedule

Kids Weds. Night Workshops – check in 5:45 pm Asbury / Big Room

November 23rd - NO Wednesday Night Activities due to Thanksgiving Break

Nov. 27th – Tween Nite – 4th & 5th Graders at Asbury Hall (Romans / Christians) 5:30 pm

December 10th – PJ & Pancakes @ 9:30 am in CLC

Contact Anna McGough office #: 601-992-2131
(Ext.109) or email Anna@saintmarksum.org for more information!

