

Wednesday Night Supper begins @ 5:15 pm in our Christian Life Center (CLC). Please Sign Up! Complete, tear off and place this Sign-Up Sheet in our Sunday Offering plate or scan the QR Code provided to Pre-Register by noon on Tuesday (this signup now includes an option for a recurring reservation for this semester)!

Wednesday Supper / Date: _____ Sign-Up Sheet QR Code

Please Print:

Last Name: _____

Adults: _____

Children: _____



Wednesday Night Supper – Nov. 29

Service begins @ 5:15 pm in our Christian Life Center (CLC)

Menu from: Southern Provisions Catering
Beef Tips & Rice, Purple Hull Peas, Fried Okra, Rolls, Salad,
Beverage & Dessert

Cost: Adult \$ 7 and Child \$ 5 Maximum Family Charge: \$25

Volunteers Needed to Help Serve & Assist w/ Cleanup!

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT: 11/19/2023

TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET	\$1,483,188.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD	\$1,126,593.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD	\$1,246,788.00
OFFERING FOR 11/19/2023	\$14,922.00

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
Jeff Nesbit.....Associate Pastor
Sandra ThomasPastor for Worship & Music Arts
Stephen Craig 11th hour Worship Leader
Jeanne Chapman.....Director of Youth Ministries
Anna McGoughDirector of Children & Family Ministries
Katherine Long..... Director of Nurture & Outreach
Darlene Baker..... Music Assistant/Pianist
Jason Boyd..... Music Assistant/Organist
Thelma Lorentz..... Administrative Assistant

Mark Your Calendars...

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark' FB or Saintmarksum.org)
9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+3+4)
10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark's FB page)
12 noon-3:00 pm "Hanging of the Greens" (1+5)
6:00 pm Youth Bonfire (Woods)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

10:00 am Women's Bible Study (1-Choir Rm)
6:30 pm Music Rehearsal (1)
7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

7:00 am Men's Prayer Group (1-Robe Rm.)
10:00 am Adult Bible Study (1-Choir Rm.)
3:30 pm 5th Block (4)
5:15 pm Wednesday Night Supper
6:00 pm Bible Study (2+3+4)
7:00 pm 11th Hr. Praise Team Practice (5)
7:00 pm Choir Practice (1)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

7:00 pm AA (2)

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

9:15 am Walking with Joy (5-CLC)
12:00 pm Trendsetter Trip (bus departs)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark' FB or Saintmarksum.org)
9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+3+4)
10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark's FB page)
2:00 pm Music Rehearsal (1)
4:00 pm DRIVEN Band Practice (4)
5:30 pm MERGE (4+5)

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
Order forms can be found in church
office or northside drive-thru entrance



DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26

am Matthew 25:31-46
pm Colossians 1:11-20

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Isaiah 64:1-9
1 Corinthians 1:3-9
Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

Mark 13:24-37
Isaiah 2:1-5

WEDS., NOVEMBER 29

Romans 13:11-14
Matthew 24:36-44

THUR., NOVEMBER 30

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

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

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

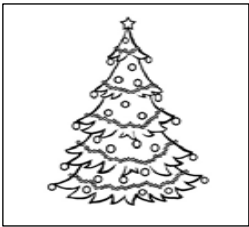
SAT, DECEMBER 2

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

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

am Mark 13:24-37
pm Isaiah 64:1-9

**Reminder ~ Please bring
your adopted Angel Tree
Gifts w/ Tags to church
by Sunday, Nov. 26th.**



Thank you!

Saint Mark's

United Methodist Church

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Christ the King Sunday

November 26, 2023

+Please stand if you are comfortable doing so

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude

Acknowledging the Light of Christ in our midst

+Opening Hymn *Crown Him with Many Crowns* # 327

+Opening Prayer

+Act of Praise *Majesty* # 176

Special Music *Behold the Man* Warren Coile

Lesson Ezekiel 34 11-16, 20-24

Psalter *Psalms 100* # 821

Epistle Ephesians 1:15-23

+Gospel Acclamation *Celtic Alleluia* # 2043

+Gospel Matthew 25:31-46

+Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* # 881

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Anthem *Come, Emmanuel* Choir

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

+Doxology *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* # 94
Children ages 3K through 5K are dismissed to Children's Church

+Hymn *Jesus Shall Reign* # 157
vv. 1, 2 & 4

Sermon *Pop Quiz* Rev. Coile

+Closing *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* # 154
vv. 1, 3, 4 & 6

Following the Light of Christ into the world

+Benediction

The flowers placed in the Sanctuary today are in celebration of the 100th Birthday of Evelyn Higginbotham on behalf of the entire Higginbotham Family; Rev. John A. Higginbotham & Evelyn Higginbotham were Founding Members of St. Mark's UMC in 1973.

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:

Carol Grigsby	Pequita Lattimer	Will Rogers	Merriam Smiley
Keith Jenkins	Robert Lott	Emily Grace Shields	JeanAnn Suggs
George Kendrick	Garner Peacock	Misty Simmons	

Family & Friends --- Aug. – Nov. 2023:

Carol Baker (Katie Heard)	Austin Lee (Pete Williams)
Tara Blessinger (Coile Family)	Detrick Macnair (Susan Weatherholt)
Billy Boyd (Betty Wheat)	Olivia Mann (Branigin, Nguyen, Lapiere)
Briggs Family (Samantha ‘Briggs’ Nguyen)	Larry Marguez (Karen Reed)
Ed Coile (Warren Coile)	Patricia Martin (Janet Langley)
Sam Darnell (Rick Darnell)	Jennifer Roberts (Misty Simmons)
Jan Frady (Charlie Crenshaw)	Sandra Rogers (Mayita Price)
Gary Golden (Joey Hibbert)	Darrell Sartin (Louise Sartin)
George Haydu (Linda Finley)	Effie May Smith (Josh & Lauren Allen)
Cindy Hooks. (Carla Cascio)	Ben & Leslie Toombs (Robby Toombs)
Cindy Horton (Dick & Susan Weatherholt)	Heather Trotter (D.W. & Katherine Long)
Guy Jackson (Louise Dove)	Ike Watkins (Susan Weatherholt)

Long Term Prayers:

Mike Blackwell	Jerry Klomparens	Brad Sessums
Tinker Colwell	Sara Meeks	Janette Thomas
Martha Gower	Dixie Miller	Linda Thomas
Joanne Humphries	June Miracle	Ron Tisdale
Sherry Johnston	Jonnie Norton	Frances Upchurch
	Ann Saucier	Mike & Connie Weaver
Jim Allard (David Allard)	Martin Levitt (McGinnis)	
Amanda Hearn Biek (Karen Williams)	Tanya Lofton (Megan Howe)	
Jay Brantley (Bob & Carol Grigsby)	Marie Nichols (Gwen Robertson)	
Hunter Burkhalter (Amanda Doby)	Oscar McGough (Ryan McGough)	
Maxine Creel (Becky Stevenson)	Lori McLendon Parker (Charlinda & Raymond Hall)	
Danielle (Susan Weatherholt)	Martha Munsey (Jimmie Ray Gordon)	
Gina McGraw Duffy (Vicki Phillips)	Lori Parker (April & Seth Hall Richards)	
Russell Gaines (Linda Jennings)	Anna Marie Pauli (Marisa O. Martin)	
Ruby Galmore (Beverly McClure)	Jennifer McBeth Payne (Sharon Womack)	
Leon Elzey (Sandra Bates)	Tommy Pittman (Hewitt Pittman)	
Victoria Farr (Carolyn Farr)	Kerri Puckett (Cindy & Tim Puckett)	
Jason Heins (Linda Breedlove)	Russ Robbins (Beth Robbins)	
Luanne Hitselberger (Chris Zachow)	Jeannette Rodriguez (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	
Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee)	Robert Sanford (Misty Simmons)	
James Walker Hodge (Charlinda Hall)	Luke Shappley & Family (Sara & Rodney Meeks)	
Cindy Horton (Jo-Anna Ray)	Emily Grace Shields (Becka & Richard Shields)	
Don Jacks (Cyndi Morgan)	Will Sorey (Dennis O’Neal)	
Debbie Jefcoat (Janice Larson)	Danny & Melissa Stephens (Jo-Anna Ray)	
Karnowski Family (Jeanne Chapman)	Lovie Thomas (Cynthia Morgan)	
Bud Lambert (Suzan Watson)	Jim Woodson (Bob & Lois Landry)	
Gale Landry (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	Hubert & Vicki Wright (Linda Finley)	

Serving our Country:

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

Upcoming Events, Mission & Volunteer Opportunities...

Coat Drive ~ 2023 Cold Weather is on the way! Donations Needed and Appreciated! New or Gently Used Child & Adult Coats & Jackets. Please bring your donations to our church office now through the end of the year. Questions contact Karen Reed @ 601-940-4022

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St. Mark’s Church-Wide “Hanging of the Greens”
Today! Sun. Nov. 26th (12 Noon – 3 pm)
Join the fun in both Christian Life Center (CLC) & Sanctuary!
Great volunteer opportunity, pizza & beverage provided!

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St. Mark’s Angel Tree Gift Mission
Please return Angel Gifts & Tags by Sun., Nov. 26th.
Many Thanks!



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BABY BROTHER JESUS a Christmas Drama St. Mark’s Sanctuary
Weds., Dec. 6th @ 6:30 pm
Sun., Dec. 10th @ 3:00 pm
Join us for a modern take on the original Christmas story.
Presented by: Musicians, Sanctuary Choir,
11th Hour Praise Band & Children’s Choir of St. Mark’s UMC

Trendsetter Opportunities *for anyone 50+* Join our St. Mark’s UMC
Senior Adults! Here is a sampling of our upcoming events....

Fri., Dec. 1 – House of Fontanini @ Carmelite Gift Shop, JXN - Bus leaves @ 12 PM - World renowned makers of Italian nativities for more than 110 years! Lunch/Shop

Mon. Dec. 4– Play by: John Maxwell “A Christmas Tale” @ Galloway, JXN
Dinner at Broad Street then Show at 7 PM – Bus leaves church at: 4:30 PM,
No Cost ~ Love Offerings Accepted!

Mon. Dec. 11 - "The Trees of Christmas" at Merrehope in Meridian & lunch. Leave at 8:30am and return 4pm Cost: TBD about \$60 - tour, lunch & bus.

Mon. Dec. 18 "Magic of Lights" Driving Tour of Magic of Lights at Brandon Amphitheater @ 5pm

For further opportunities & a complete list contact or stop by the church office...
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



Fall Youth Calendars are available in the Hub, CLC & the main church office.

Sunday School/Confirmation (Rush Hour) ~ every Sunday @ 9:30 am in SWH MS Guys/Girls & HS Bible studies! Free cereal buffet provided.

5th Block ~ Wednesdays ~ 3:30 – 5:00 pm
After school hang time in the Hub...
Wed. Night Supper is available from 5-5:45 in CLC. Reservations are required by Tues. Noon.

FUEL (high octane for your soul midweek) ~ **Wednesdays ~ 6-7p ~ SWH**
Join us for MS/HS Bible study, games & prayer.

Bonfire ~ Sun., Nov. 26 ~ 6p-730p @ STM
Food ~ Friends ~ Fun (free event)
Sign up is requested so we have enough food.

“Good Grief!” DRIVEN Christmas Party ~ Sun., Dec. 10 ~ 5-8p ~ CLC ~ Free event Please bring a wrapped gift to participate in gift exchange. (No animals/pets, teeth or wrapped in duct tape.) **SIGN UP thru Dec. 6th!**

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

Children & Family Ministries...	Sunday, November 26, 2023
<i>All activities are for PreK through 5th Grade</i>	Acolytes @ Traditional & 11 th Hr. Services & Children’s Church (Does not meet on Communion Sundays.)
Sunday School @ 9:30 AM (3 - A102/A104	

Sunday, Nov. 26th ~ HANGING OF THE GREENS ~ 12 Noon – 3 pm
Families are invited to stay after worship for a pizza lunch in parlor and help decorate St. Mark’s UMC for Advent Season!

Kids Wednesday Night Workshops will resume on Nov. 29th in Asbury Hall @ 6 pm

Fri., Dec. 8 – Parents Night Out
Sat., Dec. 9 – PJ & Pancakes
Sun., Dec. 10 – Tween Night

For all Sign Ups - reach out to Anna McGough, anna@saintmarksum.org

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

