

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 – Apr. 10 Menu:

Chicken Spaghetti, Fried Okra. Purple Hull Peas, Salad, Roll, Beverage & Yummy Dessert

Doors open at 5 pm, service begins @ 5:15 pm in Christian Life Center (CLC)

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

Volunteers Needed to Help Serve & Assist w/ Cleanup!

All Welcome!

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT: 3/31/2024		Yr. 2024
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET		\$ 1,573,165.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD		\$285,836.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD		\$344,356.00
OFFERING FOR 3/31/2024		\$17,499.00

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
Ryan McGough..... Associate Pastor
Sandra Thomas Pastor for Worship & Music Arts
Stephen Craig 11th hour Worship Leader
Jeanne Chapman..... Director of Youth Ministries
Anna McGough Director 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, APRIL 7

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)
12:00 pm Children's Council (3-Parlor)
4:00 pm DRIVEN Band Practice (5-CLC)
5:30 pm MERGE (4+5)
5:30 pm Tween Night (3)

Monday, APRIL 8

10:00 am Women's Bible Study (1-Choir Rm)
6:00 pm Disciple Fast Track Workshop (1-Robe Rm)
7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

6:00 pm Cursillo Secretariate Meeting (1-Robe Rm)
6:30 pm Supper Com. Meeting (3-Parlor)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

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 (5-CLC)
6:00 pm Bible Study (2+3+4)
7:00 pm 11th Hr. Praise Team Practice (5)
7:00 pm Choir Practice (1)

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

7:00 pm AA (2)

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

9:15 am Walking with Joy (5-CLC)

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

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)
1:00 pm Depart - Youth Day Away @ Timber Creek (bus departs)
8:00 pm Return - Youth Day Away (bus returns)

KEY:

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

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

am John 20:19-31
pm Acts 3:1-11

MONDAY, APRIL 8

Acts 3:12-16
Luke 24:1-12
Psalm 4

TUES., APRIL 9

Acts 3:17-26
Luke 24:13-35

WEDS., APRIL 10

1 John 3:1-3
Luke 24:36-43

THURS., APRIL 11

1 John 3:4-10
Luke 24:44-53

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

Micah 4:1-5
1 Peter 1:1-9

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

1 Peter 1:10-16
Peter 1:17-25

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

am Luke 24:36-48
pm 1 John 3:11-15

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Second Sunday of Easter

April 7, 2024

+Please stand if you are comfortable doing so

ENTERING INTO WORSHIP

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude

Acknowledging the Light of Christ in our midst

+Opening Hymn *He Lives* # 310

+Opening Prayer

+Act of Praise *He Is Lord* # 177

Presentation of Bibles

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Anthem *All Because of God's Amazing Grace* Choir

+Hymn *Just a Closer Walk with Thee* # 2158

Sermon *Dust Bunnies and Such* Rev. Coile
1 John 1:1-2:2

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

Morning Prayer

Confession and Pardon

Offertory

+Doxology *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* # 94

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

+The Great Thanksgiving # 15

The Lord's Prayer

Holy Communion

Communion Music Ben Thomas

Prayer after Communion

GOING INTO THE WORLD

+Closing Hymn *Trust and Obey* # 467
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:

Margie & Dunbar Bell	Bob & Carol Grigsby	Jim Readell
Trish Champney	Samuel Hamrick / Hamrick Family	Clarene Reynolds
Carleen Driver	Jane Honnet	Gene Reynolds
Bernie Drowne	Lisa Nicholson	Rick Robertson
		Susan Weatherholt

Family & Friends --- Jan.- Apr. 2024:

Dorothy Ashby (Clyde Payne)	Aubry Hayes (Sandra Bates)
Mally & Ian (Katie Baker)	Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee)
Dodd Brister (Polly Brister)	Lisa Jeffcoat (Chuck Jeffcoat)
Jerry Lynn Browner (Mike Yakstis)	Jerry Kirkland (Lois Minchew)
Larry & Margie Case (Lynette Conklin)	Susan Menchoral
Ed Coile (Warren Coile)	Chris Menhard (Katherine Long)
Lindsey Clark & Baby (Karen Reed)	Danita Menhard
Baby Chet (Corrine & Eric Carpenter)	Rachel Pettus (Arlene Pettus)
Monica Craig (Stephen Craig)	Abby Porter (Stephen Craig)
Francine Dachs (Arlene Pettus)	Carol Shadoin (Gary & Martha Hand)
Debbie Fesmire (MaryBeth Fesmire)	Kay Warren (Anna McGough)
	Paul Young (Betty Wheat)

Long Term Prayers:

Mike Blackwell	Jerry Klomprens	Brad Sessums
Tinker Colwell	Sara Meeks	Janette Thomas
Martha Gower	Dixie Miller	Linda Thomas
Renea Griffith	June Miracle	Ron Tisdale
Joanne Humphries	Jonnie Norton	Frances Upchurch
Sherry Johnston	Ann Saucier	Mike & Connie Weaver
Amanda Hearn Biek (Karen Williams)	Martin Levitt (McGinnis)	
Hunter Burkhalter (Amanda Doby)	Tanya Lofton (Megan Howe)	
Larry Case (Lyn Smith)	Larry Marquez (Karen Reed)	
Ed Coile (Warren Coile)	Marie Nichols (Gwen Robertson)	
Maxine Creel (Becky Stevenson)	Lori McLendon Parker (Charlinda & Raymond Hall)	
Danielle (Susan Weatherholt)	Lori Parker (April & Seth Hall Richards)	
Sam Darnell (Rick Darnell)	Anna Marie Pauli (Marisa O. Martin)	
Gina McGraw Duffy (Vicki Phillips)	Jennifer McBeth Payne (Sharon Womack)	
Leon Elzey (Sandra Bates)	Garner Peacock	
Victoria Farr (Carolyn Farr)	Tommy Pittman (Hewitt Pittman)	
Davis Fox (Kathy Roberts)	Kerri Puckett (Cindy & Tim Puckett)	
Russell Gaines (Linda Jennings)	Russ Robbins (Beth Robbins)	
Ruby Galmore (Beverly McClure)	Jeannette Rodriguez (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	
Jason Heins (Linda Breedlove)	Darrell Sartin (Louise Sartin)	
Luanne Hitselberger (Chris Zachow)	Luke Shappley & Family (Sara & Rodney Meeks)	
Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee)	Emily Grace Shields (Becka & Richard Shields)	
James Walker Hodge (Charlinda Hall)	Will & Marti Sorey (Dennis O'Neal)	
Cindy Horton (Jo-Anna Ray)	Danny & Melissa Stephens (Jo-Anna Ray)	
Don Jacks (Cyndi Morgan)	Lovie Thomas (Cynthia Morgan)	
Debbie Jefcoat (Janice Larson)	Leslie Toombs (Robby Toombs)	
Karnowski Family (Jeanne Chapman)	Temple Tynnbaris (Clarene Reynolds)	
Bud Lambert (Suzan Watson)	David & Mimi Watts (Melissa Bolland)	
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 Elzey, 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...

St. Mark's Stewpot Service Week is coming up April 8-12

This is a great opportunity to put faith and good works together!

We will need 3-4 volunteers each day from 9-11:30 am

Please contact Katherine Long to sign up & for more details at:

Info@saintmarksum.org

Donations are also appreciated ~ Immediate Needs ~ They are in desperate need for the following items:

- Canned salmon and tuna
- Canned chicken
- Canned greens (collard and turnip)
- Canned spinach
- Canned chili with beans
- Canned pork and beans
- Canned ravioli
- Canned fruit
- Peanut butter and jelly
- Vienna sausages
- Crackers
- Condiments (salt & pepper, ketchup, mustard, mayo)
- Boxed Cereal, oatmeal and grits

Donations can be dropped off at Church Office --- Many thanks!

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Honduras Mission / Salt & Light Ministry Team Needs:

We are once again collecting, Toothpaste, Tooth brushes, Beenie babies, as well as, Vitamins to take to Honduras in June.

We will need --- Children's Chewable Vitamins; Adult Vitamins. Absolutely No Gummies (they will melt in the heat). Please label your donations as Honduras and drop off in Mission baskets at church office.

Please bring your donations to church office by April 15th.

Our Honduras Ministry Team Mission Trip is June 6-13th, 2024.

--- **Many thanks! Karen Reed & Julie Blake**

Trendsetter Opportunities for anyone 50+

Join our St. Mark's UMC Senior Adults!

May 20-24—Painted Churches of Schulenburg, Texas ~ spoiler alert ~

these churches will take your breath away ~ a trip not to be missed!

Sat., Aug. 17 – Laura Daigle in Concert at Brandon Amphitheater @ 7 pm

November – Branson, Missouri Trip ~ Christmas Lights Tour

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



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

MERGE ~ Tonight April 7 ~ 5:30-7:30p Free dinner ~ Games ~ Worship ~ Life Groups
Theme: "Simply Amazing – Week 1" Menu: chicken nuggets, mac & cheese, drinks & dessert

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 separate MS/HS Bible studies! Video Curriculum: *Easter*

A DAY AWAY @ Timber Creek Camp! Sun., April 14 ~ 1p-8p ~ \$30

All students in 6th-12th grades are invited to join us for an afternoon of fun, food & fellowship at Timber Creek Camp! Human Foos Ball, Archery, Gagaball, 9 Square, Basketball, Ultimate, team building, canoeing, worship by the lake & more! **SIGN UP IS REQUIRED TODAY, SUN., APRIL 7!** Drop off and pick up will be at St. Mark's. Eat lunch BEFORE you arrive!

Confirmation Sunday ~ April 28 @ 10:45 am Traditional Service
Make plans to join us for this special day of worship.

GENERATE Summer Camp ~ May 27-31, 2024 ~ Bryan College, Dayton, TN
Cost: \$350. \$80 non-refundable deposit is past due. Contact Jeanne if you'd still like to go! *Don't miss the best week of your summer! Sign up today!*

... 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, April 7, 2024

Acolytes @ Traditional & 11th Hr. Services &

No Children's Church

(Does not meet on Communion Sundays.)

Wednesday Night Kids Workshops @ 6 pm in Asbury Hall/Big Room

Sunday, April 7

- **Children's Council Meets @ 12 pm in Asbury Hall / Big Room**

- **Tween Night 4th & 5th Grade Students @ 5:30 pm in Asbury Hall / Big Room**

Camp Wesley Pines - Summer Camp Registration is NOW OPEN for Camp Wesley Pines. [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD TODAY](#) or to see more information on Camp Wesley Pines Or email Anna@saintmarksum.org for more info.

Contact **Anna McGough** for all Sign Ups at: 601-992-2131 (Ext.109)

Or email Anna@saintmarksum.org for more info.

