


*In Remembrance of our Service Men & Women
Memorial Day ~ Monday, May 30th
We thank you for your service.*

Notes

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT: 5/22/2022	
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET	\$1,430,906.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD	\$502,438.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD	\$521,724.00
OFFERING FOR 5/22/2022	\$ 17,880.00
Thank you for your continued support of St. Mark's UMC Ministries!	

St. Mark's has added Shelby Giving as a tool for contributions. Please click on the QR code to the right with your smartphone in order to access the **Shelby Giving** application on your mobile phone.

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Jeanne Chapman..... Youth Director
Janet Langley.....Director of Nurture & Outreach
Darlene Baker..... Music Assistant/Pianist
Jason Boyd..... Music Assistant/Organist
Stephen Craig 11th hour Worship Leader
Thelma Lorentz..... Administrative Assistant

Mark Your Calendars...

SUNDAY, MAY 29
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 (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)
NO CURSILLO POTLUCK – Will Be Rescheduled
5:00 pm Handbells (1)
No Evening - Youth Activities

MONDAY, MAY 30
Memorial Day – Observed – Church Office Closed
10:00 am Women's Bible Study (1-Choir Rm.)
7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, MAY 31
1:00 pm Ladies Prayer Group (1-Robe Rm.)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1
7:00 am Men's Prayer Group (2)
9:00 am Trendsetters Trip (depart from church)
11:45 am Noonday Hour of Prayer (1)
5:30 pm Family Night @ MS Braves' Baseball Game
(bus departs church)
No - Men's Bible Study tonight
6:00 pm Women's Bible Study (2)
7:00 pm Choir Practice (1)

THURSDAY, JUNE 2
7:00 pm AA (2)

FRIDAY, JUNE 3
5:30 pm Trendsetters Trip (return to church)
8:00 pm – HS/MS Girls' Sleepover (4+5)

SATURDAY, JUNE 4
8:00 am – HS/MS Girls' Sleepover (4+5)

SUNDAY, JUNE 5 – Pentecost Sunday
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 (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)
12:00 pm Centrifuge Parent / Participant Camp Meeting (4)
2:00 pm GriefShare (2-w105)
5:00 pm Handbells (1)
6:30 pm SumMERGE (4+5)

- 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, MAY 29
am John 17:20-26
pm Ezekiel 11:17-20

MONDAY, MAY 30
Genesis 11:1-9
Acts 2:1-11, Psalm 104:24-35

TUESDAY, MAY 31
Romans 8:1-11, Acts 2:12-21

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1
Romans 8:12-17,
John 14:8-17, 25-27

THURSDAY, JUNE 2
Romans 8:18-27,
John 15:26-27; 16:4-11

FRIDAY, JUNE 3
1 Corinthians 12:1-13,
John 7:37-39

SATURDAY, JUNE 4
Galatians 5:16-26, John 20:19-23

SUNDAY, JUNE 5
am Acts 2:1-21
pm Genesis 1:1-5

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Ascension Sunday

May 29, 2022

+Please stand if you are comfortable doing so

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude

Prayer for Memorial Day

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

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

+Act of Praise *Majesty* # 176

Special Music *I'll Fly Away*
Chip Jones and Mike Kennedy

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Anthem *Once Upon a Tree*

Offering Prayer

Offertory

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

+Hymn *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* # 158

Sermon *Divine Rewards Program* Rev. Coile
Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

+Closing Hymn *This Is My Song* # 437

+Benediction

Postlude

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...

As part of our daily prayers, we want to include our future blessings and their parents. Please remember the following couples in your prayers:

Mackenzie (Carney) & Trevor Bradford
Lauren & Chuck Crenshaw
Russell & Liz Dumas
Sarah Beth & Cody Mayo

In Sympathy to Family & Friends of:

Ruth Lenoir, on her passing, May 23rd (Mother of Jan Jones)
Allison Graves Coho, on her passing, (Family Friend Rodney Meeks)

Members Needing Prayers:

Marian Crawford	Tonda Riley	Pat Teer
Steve K. Kowalski	Will Rogers	John Wheat
Janice Larson	Brad Sessums	Honduras Mission Team
Fred Price	Larry Sullivan	



Family & Friends:

Week of: 5/22/22
Connor Johnson (Linda & Scott Watson) Mrs. Renae Tatum (Sadie & Sophie Tatum)

5/8/22
Chester Dilday (Linus Coile) Pat Kelley (Lynn Kelley)
Ann Ellett (George & Amanda Doby) Sarah Lundy (Jon & Stefanie Rogers)
Christy Watson (Rob Watson)

4/24/22
Victoria Farr (Carolyn Farr) Tanya Lofton (Megan Howe)
Andrea Helm (Jeannie Melton) Oscar McGough (Ryan McGough)
Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee) Niece & Family (Elaine Owens)
Hitselberger Family (Chris Zachow) Kimberly Oakes (Jane Oakes)
James Walker Hodge (Charlinda Hall) Sarah Walker (Sister of Jerry Klomprens)
Kathy King (Ed Lancaster) Albert White (Thomas Coleman)

Long Term Prayers:

John Adair	Joanne Humphreys	Jonnie Norton
Eva Brown	Bill Hutto	Janette Thomas
Tinker Colwell	Edith Laird	Linda Thomas
Minnie Franklin	Dot Legate	Frances Upchurch
Martha Gower	Melba Lichte	Mike & Connie Weaver
Jean Gunnell	Dixie Miller	Jane Wilkerson
	June Miracle	

Amanda Hearn Biek (Karen Williams)	Marie Nichols (Gwen Robertson)
Maxine Creel (Becky Stevenson)	Lori McLendon Parker (Charlinda & Raymond Hall)
Ruby Galtmore (Beverly McClure)	Joan Melchioris (Cynthia Morgan)
David Glasscock, (Glasscock Family)	Lori Parker (April & Seth Hall Richards)
Leon Elzey (Sandra Bates)	Jimmy Perkins (Betsy Watson)
Bill Harris (Suzanne Gural)	Jeannette Rodriguez (Vicky & Kim Rohr)
Jason Heins (Linda Breedlove)	Lovie Thomas (Cynthia Morgan)
Rich King (Karen Reed)	Jaxon Williams (Jack Williams)
Gale Landry (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	Hubert & Vicki Wright (Linda Finley)
Martin Levitt (McGinnis)	

Serving our Country:

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

Upcoming Events...

Cursillo

NO Potluck Luncheon – Will Be Rescheduled

Upcoming **Cursillo Experience** @ Camp Wesley Pines in Gallman, MS:



August 18-21 Cursillo #236

December 1-4 Cursillo # 238

Please contact Beth Griffith @ 601-564-3236 or
Helen Morrison @ 601-260-4114 or call church office for further details.

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Pentecost Sunday, June 5th

Traditional Service at 8:20 am and Joint Service at 10:45 am
In Sanctuary

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GriefShare for Adults begins: Sunday, June 5

St. Mark's UMC will be offering a grief recovery group
beginning Sunday, June 5th from 2 – 4 pm in the Wesley Center.
GriefShare for Adults is a 13 week biblically based program designed to be a
supportive caring environment for individuals experiencing the pain of loss.

To register or for further details please contact: Merriam at:

MerriamSmilley@gmail.com or call 601-452-0861

St. Mark's GriefShare Team

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Trendsetters for anyone 50+ upcoming opportunities...

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

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June 12-15: MAKE WAVES VBS WEEK - Register TODAY!
**Volunteers signed up by May 14th will receive a FREE DRINK on us from STARBUCKS!*

Our Goal is to have 200 kids & 85 Volunteers encounter the Holy Spirit and learn about Jesus at VBS. **If we have just 35% of the adults and youth who come to worship on Sunday mornings, say YES to volunteering, we will have MORE than our goal!** We think it's possible for kids and volunteers to create a ripple effect that can impact the world around them in ways they will never forget...let's MAKE WAVES!

REGISTER TODAY VBS 2022 - JUNE 12-15

Youth Ministry...

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



Youth SS (Rush Hour) meets every Sunday 9:30-10:30 am (SWH) includes cereal buffet

DRIVEN Youth SUMMER 2022! "GAME ON!" ~ Taking Summer to Another Level!
For all students who have completed 6th-12th grades (unless otherwise noted)
Summer calendars & brochures are available in the Hub, CLC & Main office.

No Youth Activities tonight, Sun., May 29.

MS Braves' Game! Wed., June 1 ~ \$5 (plus any snacks) We are joining the Kid's Min at the ballpark! Youth ARE permitted to attend without a parent and can ride the church bus. Registration is required and you must let Jeanne know if you need transportation. Bus will leave St. Mark's @ 5:30. Families are encouraged to attend and just meet at Trustmark Park. Tickets are only \$5 and will be picked up at Will Call. Bring \$ for snacks/food as desired.

GIRLS' SLUMBER PARTY! Fri., June 3 ~ 8PM-8AM @ St. Mark's

All girls in 6th-12th grades are invited for a night of fun, laughter, food, facials, movies, games, NERF Wars & surprises! **Please bring favorite 2 liter, sleep stuff, & NERF stuff!** RSVP thru June 1.

SUMMERGE (Summer Merge) ~ select Sundays in the summer ~ 6:30-8:30 pm ~
SWH/CLC, Bible study ~ Snack ~ Games ~ Fun **Sun., June 5 = Fiesta Olympics**

Go M.A.D. with VBS! (2 opportunities) SIGN UP REQUIRED

Wed., June 8 ~ 5-7 pm ~ VBS Prep in Parlor (dinner included)
June 12-15 ~ 5:30-8:30 pm ~ VBS (see Anna to register)

Geyser Falls Trip ~ Fri., June 17 ~ 9:30 am – 6:30 pm ~ \$30* + lunch

Open to all students who have completed 6th-12th grades. *Discount for those students working VBS! Work 2 nights (\$20); Work 3 nights (\$15); Work 4 nights (\$10) **Deadline to register is Sunday, June 12th!** (Please note: girls ~ one piece/tankini or dark t-shirt required...guys~ no speedos)

Centrifuge Summer Camp @ Panama City Beach, FL! June 27 – July 1~ Cost:

\$385 The best week of your summer! Bible study, Games, Worship, Friends, Track Times, Night Life, Life change and never being the same! Contact Jeanne for availability! *Note: any new cancellations incur an additional \$75 fee.

*****FUGE Participant/Parent Meeting ~ Sun., June 5 @ NOON in The Station** All participants and at least one parent are expected to attend. Important paperwork and info will be given at the meeting. (This camp is for current 6th-12th graders)

Please contact Jeanne (jeanne@saintmarksum.org) for details & to register.

Children & Family
Ministries...

*All activities are for PreK
through 5th Grade*

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

**June 1st – St. Mark's Family
Baseball Night @
MS Braves Game!**

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

