

Wishing Ya'll a Happy Father's Day!

Goodbye & Farewell...

Please join St. Mark's UMC in wishing a fond Farewell to our Senior Pastor Rev. Warren Coile and his wife Linus on Sunday, June 16th with a Goodbye Lunch in our Christian Life Center (CLC), at Noon

All Welcome!

The Main Dishes Poppy Seed Chicken + Beef Tips will be provided
 Please bring a Side Dish or Dessert to share
 (food donations can be brought to CLC during SS or after Services)

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT: 5/31/2024		Yr. 2024
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET		\$ 1,573,165.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD		\$529,387.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD		-\$614,407.00
Revenue Over/Under Expense		(\$85,020.00)

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 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, JUNE 16 – Father's Day
 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 Goodbye Lunch for Rev. Warren Coile & Linus Coile (5)
 5:00 pm Handbells (1-Robe Rm.)
 No Evening Youth Activities

MONDAY, JUNE 17
 10:00 am Women's Bible Study (1-Choir Rm.)
 7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, JUNE 18
 9:30 am Tabitha Circle (1-Robe Rm.)
 6:00 pm Cursillo Secretariate Meeting (1-Choir Rm.)
 6:30 pm Ruth Circle (1-Robe Rm.)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19
 7:00 am Men's Prayer Group (1-Robe Rm.)
 10:00 am Adult Bible Study (1-Choir Rm.)
 6:00 pm Bible Study (2)
 6:00 pm Handbells (1-Robe Rm.)
 7:00 pm 11th Hr. Praise Team Practice (5)
 7:00 pm Choir Practice (1)

THURSDAY, JUNE 20
 7:00 pm AA (2)

FRIDAY, JUNE 21
 8:30 am Youth Grand Paradise Water Park (Board Bus)
 9:15 am Walking with Joy (5-CLC)

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

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 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)
 5:00 pm Handbells (1-Robe Rm.)
 5:00 pm VBS Training Day (3)
 5:00 pm Youth – VBS Training

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUNDAY, JUNE 16
 am Mark 4:26-34
 pm 1 Samuel 15:34—16:13

MONDAY, JUNE 17
 1 Samuel 13:23—14:23
 Galatians 6:11-18

TUES., JUNE 18
 1 Samuel 15:10-23
 Revelation 21:22—22:5

WEDS., JUNE 19
 1 Samuel 15:24-31
 Luke 6:43-45

THURS., JUNE 20
 1 Samuel 16:14-23
 Acts 20:1-16

FRIDAY, JUNE 21
 1 Samuel 17:55—18:5
 Acts 21:1-16

SATURDAY, JUNE 22
 1 Samuel 18:1-4
 Luke 22:25-28

SUNDAY, JUNE 23
 am Mark 4:35-41
 pm 1 Samuel 19-23

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

The 2024 Mississippi Annual UMC Conference
 Will be held at Millsaps College Campus, Jackson, MS
 June 20-22

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Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
 Father's Day
 June 16, 2024

+Please stand if you are comfortable doing so

- Gathering and Announcements
- Prelude *Acknowledging the Light of Christ in our midst*
- Call to Worship
- Opening Prayer
- +Opening Hymn *Faith of Our Fathers* # 710
- +Affirmation of Faith *The Apostle's Creed* # 881
- +Act of Praise *Gloria Patri* # 70
- Anthem *A Loving Father* Choir
- Prayer Concerns
- Morning Prayer
- The Lord's Prayer
- Offertory Prayer
- Offertory
- +Doxology *Children ages 3K through 5K are dismissed to Children's Church*
- +Hymn *Children of the Heavenly Father* # 141
- Sermon *Heavenly Casting Call* Rev. Coile
 1 Samuel 15:34-35; 16:10-13
- Special Music *Shepherd Boy*
- +Closing Hymn *Hymn of Promise* # 707
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:

Billy Bates	Raymond Hall	Sandra McGee
Margie & Dunbar Bell	Linda Hodges	Rodney Meeks
Trish Champney	Paquita Latimer	Merriam Smilley
Charlie Crowell	Watson Martin	Jim Thomas
		Hazel Townsend

Family & Friends --- May - June 2024:

Dorothy Ashby (Clyde Payne)	Vergie Daniels (Darlene Baker)
Mally & Ian (Katie Baker)	Debbie Fesmire (MaryBeth Fesmire)
Asley Butler	Hannah Hayes (Sandra Bates)
Larry & Margie Case (Lynette Conklin)	Jerry Kirkland (Lois Minchew)
Baby Rainer Clark (Karen Reed)	Tommie Pittman (Hewitt Pittman)
Ed Coile (Warren Coile)	Abby Porter (Stephen Craig)

Long Term Prayers:

Mike Blackwell	Jerry Klomprens	Brad Sessums
Tinker Colwell	Sara Meeks	Janette Thomas
Bernie Drowne	Dixie Miller	Linda Thomas
Martha Gower	June Miracle	Ron Tisdale
Joanne Humphries	Jonnie Norton	Frances Upchurch
Sherry Johnston	Ann Saucier	Mike & Connie Weaver

Amanda Hearn Biek (Karen Williams)	Gale Landry (Vicky & Kim Rohr)
Hunter Burkhalter (Amanda Doby)	Tanya Lofton (Megan Howe)
Larry Case (Lyn Smith)	Larry Marquez (Karen Reed)
Ed Coile (Warren Coile)	Marie Nichols (Gwen Robertson)
Monica Craig (Stephen Craig)	Anna Marie Pauli (Marisa O. Martin)
Danielle (Susan Weatherholt)	Jennifer McBeth Payne (Sharon Womack)
Sam Darnell (Rick Darnell)	Garner Peacock
Gina McGraw Duffy (Vicki Phillips)	Tommy Pittman (Hewitt Pittman)
Leon Elzey (Sandra Bates)	Kerri Puckett (Cindy & Tim Puckett)
Victoria Farr (Carolyn Farr)	Russ Robbins (Beth Robbins)
Davis Fox (Kathy Roberts)	Jeannette Rodriguez (Vicky & Kim Rohr)
Russell Gaines (Linda Jennings)	Darrell Sartin (Louise Sartin)
Ruby Galmore (Beverly McClure)	Luke Shappley & Family (Sara & Rodney Meeks)
Renea Griffith (Russ & Beth Griffith)	Emily Grace Shields (Becka & Richard Shields)
Jason Heins (Linda Breedlove)	Will & Marti Sorey (Dennis O'Neal)
Luanne Hitselberger (Chris Zachow)	Danny & Melissa Stephens (Jo-Anna Ray)
Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee)	Lovie Thomas (Cynthia Morgan)
James Walker Hodge (Charlinda Hall)	Leslie Toombs (Robby Toombs)
Cindy Horton (Jo-Anna Ray)	Temple Tynnbaris (Clarene Reynolds)
Don Jacks (Cyndi Morgan)	David & Mimi Watts (Melissa Bolland)
Karnowski Family (Jeanne Chapman)	Lane West (Betty Wheat)
Bud Lambert (Suzan Watson)	Hubert & Vicki Wright (Linda Finley)

Serving our Country:

Jason Attaway, Ethan Avent, Cameron Barr, Justin Cox, Leon Davis, Noah Duncan, Jay Ellzey, 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...

Stewpot Mission Week is June 24-28 Please Note—we need volunteers to take food donations and assist at Stewpot during each of our scheduled service weeks.

St. Mark's is scheduled to work in the pantry the week of June 24-28 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 3-4 volunteers are needed each day.

June 24 (Monday) –
June 25 (Tuesday) –
June 26 (Wednesday) –
June 27 (Thursday) – **Serendipity Class**
June 28 (Friday - Stocking shelves only) –

Please contact me if you or someone you know would like to serve or if you have any questions or concerns.

Your service to this worthy cause is greatly appreciated. Looking forward to hearing from you. See Newsletter for more details. In Service to Christ, Jane Brown (601-940-7762)

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Habitat for Humanity ~ Saturday, July 27th, St. Mark's UMC will be participating in the Faith Build, with Habitat for Humanity.

We have signed up for the 7:45am-12pm time-frame where we will be painting inside and helping with landscaping outside. We are looking for 12 people to create our team.

Please contact Leslie McGinnis or email Rev. Ryan McGough at Ryan@saintmarksum.org for further info and to sign up!

Trendsetter Opportunities for anyone 50+

Join our St. Mark's UMC Senior Adults!

Sun., July 14 – Flags from Mississippi: Emblems Through Time @ 2 MS Museums

Sat., July 20 – MS Festival Series – Cherry Creek Orchards Peach Festival, Pontotoc, MS

Mon., July 22 – BINGO in the CLC – Hot Dogs, Fellowship & Prizes & more!

Thurs., Aug. 15 – A Day in Vicksburg – Historic Church, Military Park Tours & Lunch

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

Tues., Aug. 27 – Move: "The Forge" and Ice Cream

Sat., Aug. 31 – MS Festival Series – Prairie Arts Festival, West Point, MS

November 18-21 – Branson, Missouri Trip ~ Christmas Lights Tour

Some of the shows included are "The Ultimate Elvis Christmas," "Texas Tenors Christmas," "A Country Christmas," and the highlight will be "Miracle of Christmas" at the Sight and Sound Theatre. We will also visit College of the Ozarks, enjoy the drive thru "Lights of Joy".

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.



***Note: We need adults for each of these events to make them possible. Please contact Jeanne if you are available and willing to serve!

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

No Youth Activities tonight, June 16

Next week we GO MAD @ VBS! Training is Sun., June 23 @ 5:00 pm. Please see Anna to get your place to serve!

Grand Paradise Water Park ~ Friday, June 21 ~ 8:30 am – 5:00 pm ~ \$40

All students who have completed 6th-12th grades are invited to join us for a fun day full of swimming, water slides and lazy river! Cost includes: admission, lunch meal voucher and transportation. Students can bring extra money for snacks, lockers, etc... if desired. Deadline to sign up for guaranteed spot is TODAY< Sun., June 16. (Girls: one piece or tankini...Guys: no speedos) Don't forget your towel & sunscreen!

SumMERGE N.O.W./Stephen's Farewell ~ Sun., June 30 ~ 6:00p -8:30 p

Join us for a special Night of Worship & fellowship! Free dinner, worship and Spoons Tournament! Week 2 in our "Go" series. We will also celebrate Stephen's ministry and final night with us. RSVP appreciated by June 26.

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

Children & Family Ministries...

Sunday, June 16, 2024



All activities are for PreK through 5th Grade

Acolytes @ Traditional & 11th Hr. Services &

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

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

June 16th – St. Mark's Kids will recognize FATHERS with Donuts & Coffee!

We love our amazing Dad's, Granddads and like a dad's!

SMK Choir will sing in the 8:20 am & 10:45 am Trad. Worship Services.

[VBS 2024 REGISTRATION is NOW OPEN.](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508094EA9A92CA5FF2-49999729-oasis)

Training Day - June 23 5:00-7:45

VBS DAYS - June 24-27 5:45-8:15

You can donate to VBS 2024 by dropping by the MAIN OFFICE to pick up a party hat supply to purchase and bring back OR you can go to our [AMAZON WISH LIST](#) and ship directly to the church!

VBS is fast approaching, and, as an incentive to volunteer, we will feed you dinner! If you would like to help with Oasis, please see the link below!

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Please Contact **Anna McGough** for all Sign Ups at: 601-992-2131 (Ext.109)
Or email Anna@saintmarksum.org for more info.