

News and Service Opportunities - Please Take Note:

Please join us in the responsibility to safeguard God's children by making sure no child is unaccompanied while in the building. **Our Nursery** is staffed from 10:15am—noon. **Children's Worship** is offered during our service. Best for children ages 4-11ish. We leave after the Gospel and return at the Peace. **"Soft-spots" for families with young children** offer toddler friendly seating. **We love having children in worship.**

COVID SAFETY: Masks are optional. We ask that you remain mindful of other's health.

Worship Team meets today at 12:15pm in the Library. **Pastoral Care Team** meets next Sunday at 12:15pm.

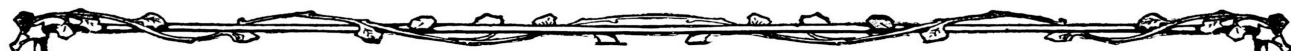
St. Mark's Reads for Lent: The Murder of Emmett Till. We are using two main books, *The Blood of Emmett Till* by Timothy Tyson and *The Barn* by Wright Thompson. Other resources on our website. We'll gather in the next couple of weeks to discuss.

Rector's Forums continue in May on the 2nd Sunday at 9am in the Library. **Parish Pastoral Conversations** continue on the 4th Sunday at 9am in the Library.

Diocesan Day for 3rd, 4th & 5th Graders, St Christopher's Lower School, Saturday, May 10 from 10am - 2pm. For more information talk with Malinda. Sign up link in the emails.

Electronic Bulletins! Save a tree by scanning the QR code in the Parish Hall or downloading it from the Friday email to view the bulletin on your phone or device. Ushers have the QR code and it is on the other side of this insert.

Bike Day! May 31, Noon—4pm in the Parking Lot! Celebrate International Bike day by getting your old or new two wheeler inspected by Rag & Bones Bike Collective and ReCycles Bike Shops. Bike safety instructions and Lullabelle's Pop-Up Café Food available for purchase. Info on Richmond Bike Lanes. Fun for the whole family! Questions? Chat with Kent Slonaker, our Minister of Bicycles!



Outreach:

Food Pantry service on 2nd and 4th Saturdays! We distribute bags, offer a meal and time to relax and use the bathroom. If you have donations or questions about the pantry, contact our Food Pantry Coordinator, Karen Franklin, forpop247@gmail.com. **Please shop for the Food Pantry— Lists are on-line and in the church entry.** We need canned meats, hearty soups, chili & stews and Chef BoyArDee pasta products with pop tops. May 10 breakfast team is Adams, Contner & Wentworth families.

12-Step Ministry Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this important ministry. Wednesday evenings, 7:30—9:30pm. **April 30 host is Leslie Weatherford.**

CARITAS Meal ministry continues in 2025. Our next meal is **Dinner on Wednesday, April 30.** Contact Suzanne Long to help with the meal (we prep it here and deliver it to CARITAS).

Many thanks to all who donated items for our PACE Center Exam Goody Bags!

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

April 27 — May 3

SUNDAY(27) 10:30AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
 12:15 PM Worship Team Meeting

WED(30) 10:00 AM Bible Study
 4:00 PM CARITAS Dinner
 8:00 PM 12-Step

THUR(1) 3:00 PM Women Rowing North

Morning Prayer Monday—Friday at 8am via Zoom
 Compline Sunday—Thursday 8pm via Zoom

NEXT WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

May 4 — May 10

SUNDAY(4) 10:30AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
 12:15 PM Pastoral Care Team

MON(5) 6:00 PM Sacred Ground

TUES(6) 6:00 PM Community Dinner

WED(7) 10:00 AM Bible Study
 8:00 PM 12-Step

SAT(10) 10:00 AM Food Pantry

Morning Prayer Monday—Friday at 8am via Zoom
 Compline Sunday—Thursday 8pm via Zoom



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Serving This Sunday, April 27

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Deacon: The Rev. Dr. Sarah Kye Price

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Sarah Kye Price

Verger: Douglas D'Urso

First Reading: Cameron Cutro

Second Reading: Jennifer Kaufman

Intercessor: Jim Contner **Chalicer:** Amy Strite

Acolytes: Jackson Neal, Feild Pennington

Crucifer: Douglas D'Urso **Gospel Bearer:** Amy Strite

Ushers: Steve and Mary Clark,
Nick Roberts

Greeters: Malinda Collier, Kent Slonaker

Nursery: Cassandra Price

Altar Guild: Mary Clark, Peter Walker,
Andrea Lofton, Jean Winne

Altar Flowers: Sandy Steele

Coffee Hour: Clark, Stanley, McDuff, Delva, Badgett

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Nora Thompson, Malinda Collier

Serving Next Sunday, May 4

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Deacon: The Rev. Charles "Buck" Aiken

Preacher: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Verger: Paul Shane

First Reading: Karen Hardison

Second Reading: Karen Franklin

Intercessor: Mickie Jones **Chalicer:** Mike Maruca

Acolytes: Tess Downey, Hunter Marie Boschen

Crucifer: Paul Shane **Gospel Bearer:** Mike Maruca

Ushers: Anson Matthews, Jim Contner, Errol Somay

Greeters: Kevin and Cameron Cutro

Nursery: Cassandra Price

Altar Guild: Ivy Burnes, Mickie Jones,
Emma Churchman, Mary Mock

Altar Flowers: Pam Piercy

Coffee Hour: Cutro, Boschen, Matthews, McTier

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Nora Thompson, Malinda Collier