

St. Mark's this Week

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COMMUNITY

St. Mark's Reads — Fall 2026. This fall we're reading *There Is No Place for Us: Working and Homeless in America* by Brian Goldstone and *Evicted: Poverty and Profit in the American City* by Matthew Desmond. We'll gather in early November to discuss. **More information on our website.**

Evangelism Team. Meets today at 12:15 p.m.

Worship Team. Meets next Sunday at 12:15 p.m.

Small Groups to Build Discipleship! Shannon Heady will share more information during the announcements.

ACTION

Food Pantry — 2nd & 4th Saturdays. We need shelf-stable food! We distribute grocery bags, offer a meal, and provide a place to relax and use the bathroom. Questions or donations? Contact Food Pantry Coordinator Karen Franklin at forpop247@gmail.com.

August 22 breakfast team: Adams-Conter, O'Reilly, Wentworth.

12-Step Ministry. Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this ministry. Wednesdays, 7:30–9:30 p.m. **August 26 host: Douglas D'Urso.**

Anna Julia Cooper School Supplies. Please help with Expo Dry Erase Markers, Ticonderoga #2 pencils, wide-ruled notebook paper, colored pencils, and markers. Bring donations to church by Sunday, August 30.

EVENTS

Habitat Build is Saturday, August 29.

We may have one open spot - ask Ed Street about how to participate.

PRIDE — Saturday, September 12 at Mid Town Green from noon–5 p.m. One hour shifts from noon - 5pm. **PRIDE Fest** sign-ups are in the emails!

PRIDE Eucharist: Friday, September 11, 6:30 p.m. at St. Stephens. The Rt. Rev. Gene Robinson presiding.

Welcome Back Sunday — September 13

Program year information, backpack blessing, building tours, and more. Come see what's happening in the North wing!

Parish Picnic is Sunday, September 27, Bryan Park Shelter #1 **AFTER CHURCH!**
Noon - 2pm

Justice & Advocacy Team will be offering another session of ***“PROPHETIC FAITH, Exploring Social Justice Advocacy As a Congregation”*** in the early fall.

This is a seven-part workshop that examines the scriptural imperative for how church and politics can and should work together. We plan to begin the week of September 20th.

Exact date and time will be tailored to availability of the group. Please contact **Penny Adams** or **Karen Hardison** if you are interested in more information.

Get Back to the Counter.

Joan Trumpauer Mulholland

Her 1961 Jackson, Mississippi mugshot is one of the most well known photos in American history.

Arrested there for her Civil Rights activism, it was just one of over 50 sit-ins and demonstrations including the Freedom Rides, the Jackson Woolworth's Sit-in, the March on Washington, the Meredith March and the Selma to Montgomery March in which Joan participated.

Her path has crossed with some of the biggest names in the Civil Rights Movement: Martin Luther King, Jr., Medgar Evers, Fannie Lou Hamer, John Lewis, Diane Nash and Julian Bond to name a few.



Join us for a conversation with Joan & her son Loki
Saturday, October 10, 4pm
St. Mark's Episcopal Church
520 N. Arthur Ashe Boulevard
Richmond VA

Freedom Rider Joan Mulholland October 10, 4pm

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