

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 in the church. **We love having children in church.**

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

Raise to Renew Campaign! With your continued support we will soon be in position to undertake the repair and renewal of the church interior.

Thank you to all who have pledged! Thank you to all who plan to pledge!

And thank you to all who are praying about a pledge!

We currently have 72 pledges. Every pledge counts no matter the amount!

We are very close to having cash in hand to begin scheduling Phase 1 & portions of Phase 2 work!

St. Mark's Reads summer book is *James* by Percival Everett—grab a copy and start reading.

Mid-week Eucharist is Wednesday, June 26 at noon

Justice & Advocacy Team meets Thursday, June 27 at 6pm.

Summer Fun & Learning Days—July 13 & 20, 2-4pm. Sign up with Malinda today!! Best for ages 4-10ish. **Teen activities are being planned as well**—check in with Ryn Kennedy.

Young Adults meet 12:30pm at the Beer Bingo Hall on Broad Street.

A Service in Celebration of the Life and Ministry of the Rev. Dr. Pauli Murray is June 30 at 5 pm, St. Mark's. Please join with members of the region and community as we celebrate Rev. Murray's many contributions to the church and to the world.

Parish Retreat! October 18-21 at Shrine Mont. We'll be joining Holy Comforter for a weekend of play, prayer and rest! Sign up on-line or with Mickie Jones!



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. July 13 Breakfast team is Ed Street, Robert Lett, Trey & Virginia Damron.**

12-Step Ministry Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this important ministry. Wednesday evenings, 7:30—9:30pm. **June 26 host is Douglas D'Urso.**

CARITAS Meal ministry continues Friday August 16th, 2024 with a CARITAS After WORKS lunch. Contact Suzanne Long to help with the meal (we prep it here and deliver it to CARITAS).

Got an old bike you've been wanting to get rid of? Well we have an opportunity for you! We are collecting used bikes for Rag & Bones, a community organization that repairs bikes and gives them to those who need them. Please bring in your old bike during the month of June. Talk to Kent Slonaker for more details.

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

June 23 —June 29

SUNDAY(23) 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:30 PM Young Adults Group
3:00 PM Bike Ride

WED(26) 12:00 PM Mid-Day Eucharist
8:00 PM 12-Step

THURS(27) 6:00 PM Justice & Advocacy

Morning Prayer Monday—Friday at 8am via Zoom

Compline Sunday—Thursday 8pm via Zoom

NEXT WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

June 30 — July 6

SUNDAY(30) 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:30 PM Young Adults Service
5:00 PM Pauli Murray Service

MON(1) 5:00 PM Bishop Stevenson

WED(3) 8:00 PM 12-Step

THURS(4) OFFICE CLOSED

Morning Prayer Monday—Friday at 8am via Zoom

Compline Sunday—Thursday 8pm via Zoom

Serving This Sunday, June 23

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Deacon: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Preacher: Karen Hardison

Verger: Paul Shane

First Reading: Carter Strite

Second Reading: Mike Maruca

Intercessor: Jennifer McCauley **Chalicer:** Frosty Owen

Acolytes: Eleanor Herman & Tess Downey

Ushers: Steve Clark, Mary Clark,
Kristin Herman, David Herman

Greeters: Beth Wentworth and Fred Crowley

Children's Worship: Malinda Collier & Kent Slonaker

Nursery: Cassandra Price

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

Altar Flowers: Sanford Eberly

Coffee Hour: Collier, Kyser, Sargent, Fite

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Nora Thompson

Serving Next Sunday, June 30

Celebrant: The Rev. "Charles" Buck Aiken

Deacon: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Preacher: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Verger: Douglas D'Urso

First Reading: Mickie Jones

Second Reading: Rob McTier

Intercessor: Kent Slonaker **Chalicer:** Don Kyser

Acolytes: Fielding and Hunter Marie Boschen

Ushers: Steve Clark, Howard Pugh, Anson Matthews, Dan
Hartman

Greeters: Penny Adams and Jim Contner

Children's Worship: Malinda Collier & Kent Slonaker

Nursery: Cassandra Price

Altar Guild: Ivy Burnes, Sanford Eberly,
Liz Smith, Mary Clark

Altar Flowers: Sandy Steele

Coffee Hour: Franklin, Wentworth, Burnes, Steele

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Nora Thompson