

# 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 support we will soon undertake the repair and renewal of the church interior. The obvious need is to plaster and paint, but erecting the scaffolding to do so presents exceptional opportunities to upgrade wiring, lighting, and sound. In addition to we hope to renovate and repair the entry way.

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 are hoping for 100% participation and just as we do in our annual giving campaign hoping to have a total of 100 pledges (we currently have 64). Every pledge counts no matter the amount!**

**Happy Memorial Day!** The Church and Office will be closed Tuesday, May 28.

**Coffee Hour Teams Needed!** We begin another year of the Coffee Hour Ministry schedule in June. Each team provides the vittles for four or five Sundays throughout the year. The schedule is worked out for the entire year, so dates are clear, and teams can and do trade off to accommodate individual schedules. This is a wonderful way for newer members of St Mark's to meet and get to know people in the community. If you have any questions or would like to join in, please contact Penny Adams, [nbfinc@aol.com](mailto:nbfinc@aol.com).

**Pastoral Care Team** meets next Sunday, June 2 at noon.

**June 9 is Sundaes Sunday!** Join us for ice cream and cake on the porch to celebrate the end of school and the beginning of Summer!



## 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](mailto:forpop247@gmail.com). **Please shop for the Food Pantry—lists are on-line and in the church entry. June 8 Breakfast team is Mickie Jones & Mandy Cline**

**12-Step Ministry** Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this important ministry. Wednesday evenings, 7:30—9:30pm. **May 22 host is Mark Barth.**

**CARITAS Meal ministry continues Wednesday May 29, 2024 with a CARITAS After WORKS dinner** 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! More information to come!

**THIS WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:**

May 26 —June 1

SUNDAY(26)      10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II

TUES(28)      Office Closed

WED(29)      10:00 AM Bible Study  
4:00 PM CARITAS Works Dinner  
8:00 PM 12-Step

SAT(1)      11:00 AM Kutteroff Service

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

**NEXT WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:**

June 2 —June 8

SUNDAY(2)      10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II  
12:00 PM Pastoral Care Team  
1:00 PM Sacred Ground

TUES(4)      6:00 PM Community Dinner

WED(5)      10:00 AM Bible Study  
8:00 PM 12-Step

SAT(8)      9:00 AM Food Pantry  
2:00 PM Bad Faith:  
Christian Nationalism  
2:00 PM Gender Affirming Service

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

**Serving This Sunday, May 26**

**Celebrant:** The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

**Deacon:** The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

**Preacher:** The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

**Verger:** Douglas D'Urso

**First Reading:** Elam Jarrells

**Second Reading:** Elizabeth Kyser

**Intercessor:** Beth Wentworth **Chalicer:** Frosty Owen

**Acolytes:** Eleanor Herman & Tess Downey

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

**Greeters:** Don and Elizabeth Kyser

**Children's Worship:** Malinda Collier & Kent Slonaker

**Nursery:** Cassandra Price

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

**Altar Flowers:** Douglas D'Urso

**Coffee Hour:** Hartman, Clark, Stanley, McDuff, Delva

**Alter Guild Zoom Host:** Nora Thompson

**Serving Next Sunday, June 2**

**Celebrant:** The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

**Deacon:** The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

**Preacher:** The Rev. Dr. Sarah Kye Price

**Verger:** Penny Adams

**First Reading:** Karen Hardison

**Second Reading:** Jim Contner

**Intercessor:** Kate Williams **Chalicer:** Carter Strite

**Acolytes:** Étienne and Ciel Smith

**Ushers:** Tommy Clifton, Howard Pugh,  
Jim Contner, Anson Matthews

**Greeters:** Nick Roberts and Blair McDuff

**Children's Worship:** Malinda Collier & Kent Slonaker

**Nursery:** Cassandra Price

**Altar Guild:** Ivy Burnes, Mickie Jones

**Altar Flowers:** Pam Piercy

**Coffee Hour:** Hardison, Strite, Maruca, Spanel

**Alter Guild Zoom Host:** Nora Thompson