

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. **“Soft-spots”** for families with young children offer toddler friendly seating. **We love having children in worship.**

Children's Worship. We leave just after the Gospel and return during the Peace. Best for ages 4-10ish

Young Adults Group continues on Sundays at 9:30am in the North Wing upstairs Lounge.

Grief Group continues on 1st & 3rd Sundays at 9am, Aiken Meeting Room. Walk In Love: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices meets 2nd & 4th Sundays at 9am February - May.

Pastoral Care Team meets TODAY - Sunday, April 19 at 12:15pm.

Choir and Youth Group meet next Sunday, 12:15pm

Community Dinner is Tuesday, May 5 at 6pm. It's Cinco de Mayo! Build your own burrito or bowl

Women Rowing North is Thursday, May 14 at 3pm. We are currently reading *On our Best Behavior: The Seven Deadly Sins and the Price Women Pay to be Good*, by Elise Loehnen.

NEW St. Mark's Birthday Tees! Come down to the Parish Hall after church to order your 16th birthday tee or polo. Short sleeve tee—\$15.00, Long sleeve tee—\$20, and Polo for \$25. Cash, check or card

St. Mark's Reads is currently reading *See No Stranger: A Memoir and Manifesto of Revolutionary Love* by Valarie Kaur. Called by Rev. Willima Barber a “revolutionary for justice” her text draws on her own Sikh wisdom, lived experience as a brown person in a white world, and non-violent practice to continue the fight for justice in challenging times. We will gather in late May to discuss. More info and resources on the website. Malinda has two loaner copies.

Electronic Bulletins! Save a tree by downloading the bulletin on your phone or device. The QR code is on the other side of this insert. St. Mark's Guest Network, no password required.



Outreach:

Food Pantry service on 2nd and 4th Saturdays! WE NEED FOOD! 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. **May 9 breakfast team is the Adams Contner, Wentworth & O'Reilly families.**

We could use a few more Breakfast volunteers for our 2nd & 4th Food Pantry. Breakfast foods can be as simple as muffins and donuts, or if you're up for it casseroles & bacon! Talk with Karen Franklin for more information.

12-Step Ministry Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this important ministry. Wednesday evenings, 7:30—9:30pm. **May 6 host is Douglas D'Urso.**

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

May 3 — May 9

SUN(3) 9:00 AM Grief Group
 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
 12:15 PM Pastoral Care Team

TUES (5) 6:00 PM Community Dinner

WEDS(6) 10:00 AM Bible Study
 8:00 PM 12-Step

SAT(9) 9:00 AM Food Pantry

NEXT WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

May 10 — May 16

SUN(10) 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
 12:15 PM Choir
 12:15 PM Youth Gathering

TUES (12) 5:00 PM Executive Team
 6:00 PM Scared Ground

WEDS(13) 10:00 AM Bible Study
 8:00 PM 12-Step

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

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Serving This Sunday, May 3

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Preacher: Karen Hardison

Verger: Paul Shane **First Reading:** Karen Franklin

Second Reading: Elam Jarrells

Intercessor: Amy Strite

Chalicers: Carter Strite, Paul Shane

Acolytes: Hunter Marie Boschen, Fielding Boschen

Crucifer: Paul Shane **Gospel Bearer:** Carter Strite

Vestry Speaker: Jennifer McCauley

Ushers: Jim Contner, Errol Somay, Howard Pugh, Steve Clark

Greeters: Malinda Collier

Children's Worship: Malinda Collier, Monica Lewis,
Blaine Rubenson

Nursery: Cassandra Price

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

Altar Flowers: Pam Piercy

Coffee Hour: Adams, Contner, Kennedy, Somay, Spica

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Nancy O'Reilly/Nora Thompson



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Serving Next Sunday, May 10

Celebrant: The Rev. Charles "Buck" Aiken

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Verger: Paul Shane **First Reading:** Peter Walker

Second Reading: Jennifer McCauley

Intercessor: Jane Elbert

Chalicers: Ryn Kennedy, Paul Shane

Acolytes: Frosty Owen, George Spica

Crucifer: Paul Shane **Gospel Bearer:** Ryn Kennedy

Vestry Speaker: Kate Williams

Ushers: Steve Clark, Sherman Gifford,
Annette Spanel, Nick Roberts

Greeters: Scott Pennington, Feild Pennington

Children's Worship: Malinda Collier, Monica Lewis,
Blaine Rubenson

Nursery: TBD

Altar Guild: Sanford Eberly, Annette Spanel, Jackie Bitler

Altar Flowers: Sanford Eberly

Coffee Hour: Heady, Roberts, Moore, Kats

Alter Guild Zoom Host: TBD