

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

All Saints lists are in the church. If you would like a departed loved ones name read on All Saints Sunday please add it to the list, or email it to Father Benjamin, rector@stmarksrva.org, no later than October 29.

Young Adults Group continues on Sundays at 1pm in the North Wing upstairs Lounge.

Worship Team meets today, October 26 at 12:15pm.

St. Mark's Reads is reading *Vanguard, How Black Women Broke Barriers, Won the Vote and Insisted on Equality for All*, by Martha S. Jones. **We'll gather on today, October 26 at 5pm to discuss.** More information on our website.

BOO! is Friday October 31 at 5pm. Fun on the Porch for Halloween!

Pastoral Care Team meets Sunday, Nov. 2 at 12:15pm. All Souls Evensong at 5pm.

November 2 is All Saints Sunday. Please bring your completed 2026 Pledge card or pledge on-line.

Community dinner is Tuesday, November 4.

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, login is guest123.

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



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. **WE NEED FOOD! Please shop for the Food Pantry—Lists are on-line and in the church entry. November 8 breakfast team is Adams, Contner, Wentworth, O'Reilly**

12-Step Ministry Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this important ministry. Wednesday evenings, 7:30—9:30pm. **October 29 host is Suzanne Long.**

Many thanks to all who helped with the PACE Center Lunch. More info and ways to interact with The PACE Center to come.

CARITAS Meal ministry continues in 2025. Our next meal is Lunch on Friday, November 14. Contact Suzanne Long to help with the meal (we prep it here and deliver it to CARITAS).

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

October 26 — November 1

SUNDAY(26) 9:00 AM Grief Group
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
1:00 PM Young Adults
5:00 PM St. Mark's Read

WED(29) 10:00 AM Bible Study
8:00 PM 12-Step

FRI(31) 5:00 PM Halloween BOO!

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

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12:15 PM Pastoral Care Team
1:00 PM Young Adults
5:00 PM Evensong

TUES(4) 6:00 PM Community Dinner

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

THUR(6) 3:00 PM Women Rowing North

SAT(8) 9:00 AM Food Pantry

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



Serving This Sunday, October 26

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Preacher: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Vergers: Elizabeth Kyser **First Reading:** Annette Spanel

Second Reading: Shannon Heady

Intercessor: Don Kyser

Chalicers: Mike Maruca, Elizabeth Kyser

Acolytes: Tess Downey, Grace McDuff

Crucifer: Elizabeth Kyser **Gospel Bearer:** Mike Maruca

Vestry Speaker: Kate Williams

Ushers: Steve and Mary Clark,
Kenn Shirley and Richard Yuk

Greeters: Fred Wayne, Dee Raubenstine

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

Nursery: Cassandra Price

Altar Guild: Mary Clark, Peter Walker,
Andrea Lofton, Jean Winne
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Altar Flowers: Douglas D'Urso

Coffee Hour: Jones, Cline, Wittel, Quinan

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Karen Franklin

Serving Next Sunday, November 2

Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Sarah Kye Price

Preacher: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Vergers: Mike Evranian **First Reading:** Karen Franklin

Second Reading: Howard Pugh

Intercessor: Jennifer McCauley

Chalicers: Annette Spanel, Mike Evranian

Acolytes: Étienne Smith, Ciel Smith

Crucifer: Mike Evranian **Gospel Bearer:** Annette Spanel

Vestry Speaker: Gaye Frugard

Ushers: Jim Contner, Anson Matthews,
Errol Somay, George Summers

Greeters: Shannon Heady, Tess Downey

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

Nursery: Cassandra Price

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

Altar Flowers: Pam Piercy

Coffee Hour: Stewardship Committee

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Paul Shane