

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.**

This is our Rededication Sunday! We are celebrating the repair and renewal of our worship space. Musical prelude begins at 10:15. Reception in the Parish Hall following the service.

Parish Photo Update! Sunday October 5 at 9:30am. Talk with Frosty Owen after church to sign up and check the emails for on-line links. We'll gather on the porch for a professional photo shoot.

Gathering With Our Grief Group: A facilitated conversation using the book, *Good Grief: A Companion for Every Loss* by Granger E. Westberg, the group will meet Sunday mornings from 9:00 –10:00am starting Sept. 14 for 5 weeks. More info in the emails and from Father Benjamin.

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

New program year activities start in September and October! Be on the lookout for more info in the emails.

Community Dinner is Tuesday, September 9, 6pm. It's Back to School night.

Parish Picnic is Sunday, September 28 after church at Bryan Park Shelter #1.

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. More information on our website.

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. **Please shop for the Food Pantry— Lists are on-line and in the church entry. August 23 breakfast team is Young Adults and the Heady-Downey family.**

12-Step Ministry Contact Suzanne Long to learn more about supporting this important ministry. Wednesday evenings, 7:30—9:30pm. **September 3 host is Steve Clark.**

PRIDE is Saturday, September 27 at the MidTown Green on Leigh Street. Sign-ups are pretty much full so just come by and say hello. We will let you know when we have a booth number. **PRIDE Eucharist is Friday, September 26 at 6pm, Grace & Holy Trinity Church.**

PACE Center Lunch is Wednesday October 22. Talk with Ed Street to learn more about how you can help.

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:

September 7 — September 13

SUNDAY(7) 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II

TUES(9) 5:00 PM Executive Team Meeting
6:00 PM Community Dinner

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

FRI(12) 11:00 AM Kent Slonaker Service

SAT(13) 9:00 AM Food Pantry

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

NEXT WEEK AT ST. MARK'S:

September 14 — September 20

SUNDAY(14) 9:00 AM Grief Group
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:15 PM Choir
1:00 PM Young Adults

TUES(16) 6:00 PM Vestry

WED(17) 10:00 AM Bible Study
12:00 PM Curmudgeon's Luncheon
8:00 PM 12-Step

Morning Prayer Monday—Friday at 8am via Zoom
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Serving this Sunday, September 7

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Preacher: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Verger: Elizabeth Kyser **First Reading:** Jennifer McCauley

Second Reading: Buck Aiken **Intercessor:** Mickie Jones

Chalicers: Amy Strite, Elizabeth Kyser

Acolytes: Étienne Smith, Ciel Smith

Crucifer: Elizabeth Kyser **Gospel Bearer:** Amy Strite

Banners: Ryn Kennedy, Nick Roberts

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

Greeters: All greeters

Children's Worship: Malinda Collier, Blaine Rubenson

Nursery: Cassandra Price

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

Altar Flowers: Pam Piercy

Coffee Hour: Parish Life

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Nora Thompson, Malinda Collier

Serving Next Sunday, September 14

Celebrant: The Rev. Benjamin R. Badgett

Preacher: Karen Hardison

Verger: Penny Adams **First Reading:** Ryn Kennedy

Second Reading: Jim Contner **Intercessor:** Nick Roberts

Chalicers: Don Kyser, Penny Adams

Acolytes: Jackson Neal, Feild Pennington

Crucifer: Penny Adams **Gospel Bearer:** Penny Adams

Paten II: Karen Hardison

Ushers: Elam Jarrells, Harold Wright,
Annette Spanel, Nick Roberts

Greeters: Kevin and Cameron Cutro

Children's Worship: Malinda Collier, TBD

Nursery: Cassandra Price

Altar Guild: Sanford Eberly, Annette Spanel, Jackie Bitler

Altar Flowers: Sanford Eberly

Coffee Hour: Heady, Roberts, Moore, Kats

Alter Guild Zoom Host: Karen Franklin, Malinda Collier