



ST. MARK'S  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

**May 17, 2026  
7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
Worship Service 9:30 AM**

# ST. MARK'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Jen Beamsley

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**NURSERY** – *is staffed today and is located across from the Children's Clubhouse.*

**NURSING NOOK** – *A private room for nursing mothers is available on the upper level of the sanctuary to the right of the elevator.*

**NOAH'S ARK FOR CHILDREN** – *There are books, puzzles, lacing and tracing cards, and weekly activity packets for use during the service for children. Reusable items are returned to the ark at the end of the service.*

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## PRELUDE

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Please stand as you are able.*

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who looks upon us in compassion, forgives our sin, and heals our lives. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sins in the presence of God and one another.

Holy and gracious God, **we confess that we have sinned against you. Some of our sin we know—the thoughts and words and deeds of which we are ashamed—but some is known only to you. In the name of Jesus Christ we ask forgiveness. Deliver and restore us, that we may be at peace. Amen.**

As tender as parent is to child, so deep is God's compassion for you. As high as heaven is above earth, so vast is God's love for you. As far as east is from west, so far God removes your sin from you, renewing your life through Jesus Christ. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

## GATHERING SONG

*"Gather Us In"*

Hymn #532

## GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God of glory, your Son Jesus Christ suffered for us and ascended to your right hand. Unite us with Christ and each other in suffering and in joy, that all the world may be drawn into

your bountiful presence, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

*The congregation may be seated.*

## **INVITATION TO CLUBHOUSE**

*All children in Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to the Clubhouse with Ms. Shannon for a portion of the worship. They will be dismissed back into the sanctuary after the Sermon.*

## **THE READING: ACTS 1:6-14**

<sup>6</sup>When the apostles had come together, they asked Jesus, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" <sup>7</sup>He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. <sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." <sup>9</sup>When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup>While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. <sup>11</sup>They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

<sup>12</sup>Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day's journey away. <sup>13</sup>When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying: Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. <sup>14</sup>All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God!**

## **THE PSALM: Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35**

*Read responsively.*

<sup>1</sup> Let God arise, and let God's enemies be scattered; let those who hate God flee.

<sup>2</sup> **As smoke is driven away, so you should drive them away; as the wax melts before the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God.**

<sup>3</sup> But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; let them also be merry and joyful.

<sup>4</sup> **Sing to God, sing praises to God's name; exalt the one who rides the clouds; I AM is that name, rejoice before God!**

<sup>5</sup> In your holy habitation, O God, you are a father to orphans, defender of widows;

<sup>6</sup> **you give the solitary a home and bring forth prisoners into freedom;**

**but the rebels shall live in desert places.**

<sup>7</sup> O God, when you went forth before your people, when you marched through the wilderness,

<sup>8</sup> **the earth quaked, and the skies poured down rain, at the presence of God, the God of Sinai, at the presence of God, the God of Israel.**

<sup>9</sup> You sent a bountiful rain, O God; you restored your inheritance when it languished.

<sup>10</sup> **Your people found their home in it;**

**in your goodness, O God, you have made provision for the poor.**

<sup>32</sup> Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth; sing praises to the Lord.

<sup>33</sup> **You ride in the heavens, O God, in the ancient heavens;**

**you send forth your voice, your mighty voice.**

<sup>34</sup> Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over Israel; whose strength is in the skies.

<sup>35</sup> **How wonderful you are in your holy places, O God of Israel, giving strength and power to your people! Blessed be God!**

*Please stand for the Gospel.*

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *"Celtic Alleluia"*

The image shows two staves of musical notation for the Celtic Alleluia. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 8/8. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes with various rests. Below the staff, the lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!" are written, with hyphens under the syllables. The second staff continues the melody and lyrics, ending with a double bar line. The lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!" are again written below the staff.

## GOSPEL: John 17:1-11

The holy gospel according to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup> After Jesus had spoken these words to his disciples, he looked up to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, <sup>2</sup> since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. <sup>3</sup> And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. <sup>4</sup> I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. <sup>5</sup> So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

<sup>6</sup> "I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They

were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. <sup>7</sup> Now they know that everything you have given me is from you, <sup>8</sup> for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you, and they have believed that you sent me. <sup>9</sup> I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. <sup>10</sup> All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I have been glorified in them. <sup>11</sup> And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one."

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*The Congregation may be seated.*

## **SERMON**

Pastor Jen Beamsley

*Please stand as you are able.*

## **SONG OF THE DAY**

*"A Mighty Fortress"*

Hymn #504

## **THE AFFIRMATION OF HOLY BAPTISM - Rite of Confirmation**

People of God, do you promise to support our confirmands and pray for them in their life in Christ, if so, please answer "we do, and we ask God to help and guide us."

**We do, and we ask God to help and guide us.**

*The pastor addresses the confirmands and the congregation:*

I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church.

Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God? If so, please answer, "I renounce them."

**I renounce them.**

Do you renounce the powers of this world that rebel against God? If so, please answer, "I renounce them."

**I renounce them.**

Do you renounce the ways of sin that draw you from God? If so, please answer, "I renounce them."

**I renounce them.**

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

### PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

**OFFERING**      *Our gifts extend God's hope to others through the church's ministry.*

**OFFERTORY RESPONSE**      *"Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing"*

#389

**Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.  
The cross stands empty to the sky.  
Let streets and homes with praises ring.  
Love, drowned in death, shall never die.**

### OFFERING PRAYER

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

### PREFACE

### SANCTUS (HOLY)

#144

Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of pow'r and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The gifts of God for the people of God! **Thanks be to God!**

## COMMUNION AT HOME & IN THE PEWS

*The congregation may be seated.*

## COMMUNION SONGS

Praise Band

*"Sanctuary"*

*"Revelation Song"*

*Please remain seated.*

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

### MILESTONE CELEBRATION – HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

Your journey is not only in the learning of your mind but the growing of your heart. Today, we celebrate this joyous milestone in your life and the effort you have given to accomplish this. We give blessings for all that you have achieved, the gifts you have already discovered and shared with this congregation and the world, and we ask God's blessing for the journey ahead of you.

**May God always give you gifts of curiosity and compassion, and the courage to explore new things.**

May you find new relationships and activities that strengthen your faith and love for God and God's people. **May you be filled with great joy in your journey!**

May the Spirit work in you that in all you do you may serve God and others.

**May the Spirit give you grace to do justice, to love kindly, and to walk humbly with God.**

May you always know that Christ and the love of this congregation go with you.

**We will hold you in our prayers and look forward to hearing from you.**

## BENEDICTION

*Please stand as you are able.*

## SENDING HYMN

*"Blessed Be Your Name"*

Praise Band

# DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Christ is risen. **Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**  
 Go in peace. Serve the Lord! **Thanks be to God! Alleluia!**

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<b>WORSHIP HANDS</b>				
	<b>May 17</b>	<b>May 24</b>	<b>May 31</b>	<b>June 7</b>
<b>Ushers</b>	Dee Mertens Mike Larson Sandy Larson	Bret Shuckford Bryan Yocum Cathy Leach	Dee Mertens Quentin Scherr John Spring	Glen Calvert Cindy Calvert Bruce Mathes
<b>Deacons</b>	Beth Bradley Bill Flowers Mark Heiser Lori Tigue Pat Wagner	Mike Griffith Mike Larson Sandy Larson Pam Marcoline Gary Uftring	Roger French Paulette Hartmann Diana Lindahl Margaret Swanson Dean Zobrist	Margie Ary Roger French Annette Heller Deb Morse Pat Wagner
<b>Readers</b>	Bill Flowers	Abby Swanson	Roger French	Lisa Uphoff
<b>Nursery</b>	Bobby Radtke Maureen Radtke	Tami Saunders Haley Whitaker	Mason Gilmore Elise Moore	Beth Bradley Denise Brinker
<b>Sound Slides Camera</b>	Barry Moore Elise Moore Quentin Scherr	Barry Moore Pam Marcoline Bobby Radtke	Mike Griffith Pam Marcoline Nate Fleming	Barry Moore Elise Moore Nate Fleming
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	Lori Fuller Pam Marcoline	Judy Fleming Brian Thomason	Cathy Leach Diana Lindahl	Swanson Family Teresa Wright
<b>Bread Bakers</b>	Paulette Hartmann	Janet Mooney	Beth Bradley	Larson Family
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Larson Family			Sandy Jackson & Kathy Jefford

## ST. MARK'S CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2026

Justin Crawford is graduating from Washington Middle School this month and will attend Washington Community High School in the fall. Justin enjoys playing baseball, watching other sports, and hanging out with friends. His parents are Matt and Jen Crawford. Justin's brother Andrew is graduating from high school today. God's blessings abound!

Caleb Earle is graduating from Washington Middle School this month and will attend Washington High School in the fall. Caleb is an athlete who enjoys soccer and cross country. His parents are Kevin and Kim Earle. Caleb's brother, Colin, is graduating from high school today. What an exciting day for the Earle family!

Karlee Gehringer is graduating from Central Junior High and will attend Washington Community High School in the fall. Karlee enjoys sports (volleyball and softball) and spending time with her friends and family. Her parents are Mike and Mark Kay Gehringer. Karlee has 3 siblings: Kayden, Kami, and Kage. Karlee's grandparents, aunt, uncle and cousins are also members of St Marks!

Liv Moehling is graduating from Metamora Junior High this month and will attend Metamora High School in the fall. Liv enjoys track and basketball, and serves on her student council at school. Her parents are Luke and Molly Moehling and Jamie Moehling. Liv has one younger brother, Jonaton, (Joni), and her grandparents are also members of St Marks!

Brady Nightingale is graduating from Morton Junior High this month and will attend Morton High School in the fall. Brady enjoys cross country, soccer, and basketball. Brady's parents are Graham and Joni Nightingale and he has older sister, Harper.

Graham Roxworthy is graduating from Central Junior High this month and will attend Washington Community High School in the fall. Graham enjoys soccer, running and drawing. His parents are John and Michelle Roxworthy. Graham has one younger sister, Ella, who is active in our Cross-Trainer's program.

Mya Stanfield is graduating from Metamora Junior High this month and will attend Metamora High School in the fall. Mya enjoys playing volleyball for her school. Her parents are Hayley and Mike Uzelac.

Reed Stoecker is graduating from Metamora Junior High this month and will attend Metamora High School fall. Reed enjoys track (shot put & discus) and playing football. Reed's parents are Brad and Lyndsay Stoecker. Reed has one older brother, Luke, and one younger brother, Grant.

Rylan Sutter is graduating from Morton Junior High this month and will attend Morton High School in the fall. Rylan enjoys playing the trombone and playing soccer. His parents are Josh and Laura Sutter. Rylan's sister, Paige is active in our Cross-Trainer's program.

Beck Westphalen is graduating from Eureka middle school this month and will attend Eureka High School in the fall. Beck enjoys cross country and recently competed on the school's Scholastic Bowl team which placed 2nd in their Regionals. Beck's parents are Mark and Amity Westphalen. Beck has one older sister, Norah, and one younger sister, Ellery.

**BLESSINGS AS YOU AFFIRM YOUR BAPTISM...**

**ONE STEP ON YOUR LIFELONG JOURNEY OF FAITH!**



CONGRATULATIONS  
*Graduates*

### **Andrew Crawford**

Andrew Crawford will graduate from Washington Community High School. For the past 4 years, Andrew has been involved in many clubs at school. He co-founded the Football Tech Team and was an active member of the Robotics team, Mechanical Monarchy. He participated in field events for track and was a member of the Fitness Club, Fellowship of Christian Students, Washington Leadership and Community Service and helped backstage at the school plays and musicals. He was inducted into the National Honor Society his junior year. Andrew was baptized and confirmed at St. Mark's and enjoys youth group activities and outings. He has participated in Quake and Leadership Lab for the past several years and was a member of the Audio Visual Team at church. Andrew works at Freddy's in East Peoria as a hot line trainer. This fall, Andrew will attend Southern Illinois University in Carbondale to major in Aviation Technologies with a specialization in Aviation Mechanics. Andrew's parents are Matt and Jen Crawford.

### **Colin Earle**

Colin Earle will graduate from Washington Community High School. Colin has been involved in the school soccer team for the past 4 years in which the team broke multiple records and placed second at state. He has also been involved in several clubs at the high school including Washington Leadership and Community Services, Fellowship of Christian Students, National Honor Society, and Superintendent Advisory Council. Colin was baptized and confirmed at St. Mark's and has been an active member of the audio-visual team. He also volunteers regularly at WHIP and works at Dozer Park for the Peoria Chiefs. This fall, Colin will attend the University of Iowa to major in Biomedical Engineering. Colin's parents are Kevin and Kimberly Earle.

### **Ethan Goettler**

Ethan Goettler will graduate from Washington Community High School with honors. Ethan has been a part of the high school boys soccer team for all four years, where the team finished as State Runner Up this past season. In addition to soccer, Ethan has been involved in a variety of school activities including: Washington Honor Society, Leadership and Community Services, Fellowship of Christian Students, Junior and Senior Exec Board, National Honor Society, and Fitness Club. This fall, Ethan will attend the Univ of Iowa, majoring in Biology on the pre-med track. His parents are Jon and Jenn Goettler.

### **Cade Hahn**

With grateful hearts, Brice and Robin Hahn announce the graduation of Cade Alan Hahn from Washington High School, graduating Summa Cum Laude and recognized as an Illinois State Scholar. Cade has served as an active member in the National Honor Society, the Washington Leadership Club, and the Fellowship of Christian Students, and he has shown commitment and endurance through Track and Cross Country all four years. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, and we thank God for guiding him with grace, wisdom, and purpose. Cade will attend the University of Illinois, pursuing a degree in Aerospace Engineering, as he follows the path God has prepared for him.

### **Samuel Peters**

Samuel Peters graduates with honors from Washington Community High School. While at WCHS, Sam has been an active member of the Future Business Leaders of America club. During his senior year, he served as the president of the FBLA. He also has been a member of the WCHS baseball program all four years. This fall Sam will attend the College of Lake County in Grayslake, Illinois, and he will play baseball there. Sam was baptized and confirmed at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, and we cannot wait to see the plans God has for his life. His parents are Steve and Beth Peters. He has one sibling, Gabe, who will be a senior at Eureka College.

### **Maryahna Schleich**

Maryahna Schleich will be graduating from Dee Mack High School. Maryahna was baptized and confirmed at St. Marks. Making her the 5th generation of her family to be a part of St Marks. She is blessed to be a part of St. Marks and especially grateful for having Pastor Hanson in her life. During Maryahna's time in high school she has strived hard for her honors of graduating Suma Cum Laude. She is a member of National Honors Society and recognized as an Illinois Scholar. She is the recipient of the Hopedale Medical Complex scholarship and the Deer Creek American Legion Award. In addition to her academic demands, is an avid equestrian mastering riding and driving Saddlebreds. Maryahna will continue her education in the fall at University of Illinois at Champaign. She will be majoring in Biology with the intent of pre-med/pre-vet.

### **Anson Zaiser**

Anson Zaiser will be graduating from Washington Community High School. During his time at WCHS he has been a member of the football team for 3 years as well as the baseball team for 4 years. He also spent 2 years playing Juniors hockey for the Peoria Mustangs. Next year Anson will be continuing his academics at Spoon River College in Canton, Illinois where he will also be playing baseball. Anson was both baptized and confirmed at St. Mark's Lutheran Church. His parents are John and Dari Zaiser. He has two brothers, Paxton, who will be a Sophomore at WCHS, and Hawkins who will be in sixth grade at Washington Middle School. Anson has been very blessed to be a part of the St. Marks church community.

## HUNGRY FOR HOPE

### Letters to the Church from Young Adults

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Jeremy Paul Myers & Kristina Frugé, editors

Our Young Adult Wednesday gatherings at St. Mark's have wrapped up on after a wonderful season of connection, meaningful conversations, and strong turnout each week. It has been a true blessing to share meals, grow in faith, and build community together!

As we move forward, the group will transition to meeting once or twice a month to continue fostering these relationships. Our next gathering is **Sunday, May 31, following church around 11 AM**. We'll have lunch and enjoy more time of fellowship. Babysitting services are available!

All young adults are welcome—we'd love for you to join us!

## ST. MARK'S VBS: Best. Gift. Ever!

When: June 15-18

Time: 10AM - 12PM

Ages: 3 years to 6<sup>th</sup> grade



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to register!

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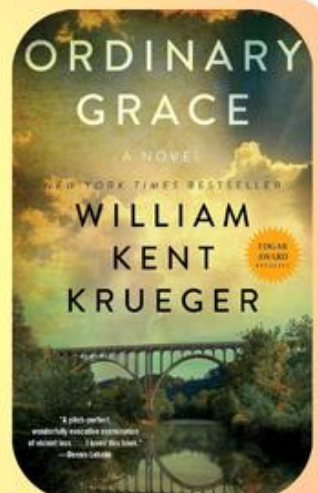
## SUMMER BOOK CLUB

### ORDINARY GRACE - WILLIAM KENT KRUGER

Join Tami Saunders, Haley Whitaker, & Jamie Powers at St. Mark's on Thursday, May 21 at 6:30 PM for our new monthly summer Book Club with snacks and fellowship! Our May book is Ordinary Grace by William Kent Kruger.

Those interested are encouraged to get the book and read it before our first meeting in May.

Help us pick a book for June!



## Memorial Day Parade!

The Memorial Day Parade is on **Monday, May 25 at 10 AM!** St. Mark's will be setting up a tent to offer refreshments and share information with the public during the parade. We are seeking 6 volunteers to assist with setup and handing out items. Youth are encouraged to participate.

**Plan to be helping from roughly 9 - 11 AM.**

Please contact Quentin Scherr ([evangelism@stmarkswashington.org](mailto:evangelism@stmarkswashington.org)) if you would like to help and hang out! This is a wonderful opportunity to serve our community and connect with others in a meaningful way. Come join the fun!



## **St. Mark's Swag from TeamWorks!**

We have a new TeamWorks Store open with new spring colors!

We have extended the store to **May 19**. Once the store has closed, TeamWorks will let us know when all of the orders will be available for pickup at St. Mark's. Payments must be made to St. Mark's Lutheran Church before you can pickup your shirts! Paying by check? Include TeamWorks on the memo line!

**Check the link in the BUZZ to find some new St. Mark's swag!**

## **BRANCHES OF WASHINGTON**

Branches of Washington is a new initiative created by members of several Washington churches intended to help break the cycle of poverty for Washington's families. In conversations with staff at all seven Washington schools, a consistent concern is that many children struggle to make the best of their school years due to a lack of adequate housing, transportation, food, or clothing.

### HOW TO HELP

**1<sup>st</sup> Thursday & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month**

**Taking Inventory:** Go through the donated bags of clothing. Organize the clothes, wash (if needed, using the washer and dryer at Branches), neatly fold and put in appropriate bins based on gender/size. (about 2 hours per month) Those interested can contact Alisa or Kristin at

[brancheswash@gmail.com](mailto:brancheswash@gmail.com)

# Please *Pray for...*

<b>PRAY FOR HEALTH &amp; HEALING</b>	<b>REQUESTED BY</b>
Reed Fry	Joe & Carol Madden
Rodney Johnson	Sue Essig
Ed Catchings	Tom Rigg
Chenar Howard	Beth Bradley
Lily Harlan	Elaine Lucas
Jim Taylor	Sue Essig
Terry Hill	Gloria Busman
MeriJo Carnell	Sue Yocum
Shirley Gerken	Don Gerken
Harry Honings	Nancy Honings
Gary French	Roger & Jackie French
Marlene Funk	Karen Kremer
Janssen Sage	SueAnn Billimack
Nancy Sorce	St. Mark's Staff
Diane Rose	Molly Moehling
Sue Benson	St. Mark's Staff
Jackie French	St. Mark's Staff
Jeff Ledford	St. Mark's Staff
Julie Klings	Allie Vaughn
<b>PRAY FOR PEACE &amp; COMFORT</b>	<b>REQUESTED BY</b>
Family of Pat Essig	St. Mark's Staff
Family of Ed Anglin	Pastor Hanson
Family of Max Tessier	St. Mark's Staff
<b>PRAY FOR SAFE DEPLOYMENT</b>	<b>REQUESTED BY</b>
Anthony Filante	Denise Brinker

## WORSHIP HANDS

Are you looking to get involved at St. Mark's? We have many opportunities in worship each week to find your place! Our schedules are typically set for 3 months at a time, giving people enough time to switch/cover dates.

To learn more about any of the following, contact the respective leader:



**Ushers** - *Dee Mertens*

**Deacons & Readers** - *Mark Heiser*

**Audio Visual Team** - *Nate Fleming*

**Coffee Hour Hosts** - *Margaret Swanson*

**Altar Guild & Bread Bakers** - *Cindy Calvert*

**Nursery & Clubhouse** - *Shannon Hermanson*

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MAY 2026

### **17** • SUNDAY

9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30 AM COFFEE HOUR

### **18** • MONDAY

8:00 PM AA OF WASHINGTON

### **20** • WEDNESDAY

12:30 AM STAFF MEETING

6:00 PM CHILDCARE GRADUATION

### **21** • THURSDAY

6:30 PM SUMMER BOOK CLUB

8:00 PM AA OF WASHINGTON

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