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Pastor Dave Keck

From Pastor Dave

The peace of Christ be with you all as we journey together into summer with new opportunities for mission (i.e. VBS, Mission Trips) and ministry (i.e. camps, vacations, and fellowship with old and new friends and neighbors). A recent article caught my attention by Jim LaDoux from Vibrant Faith Ministries discussed 5 Ways Churches Squelch Spiritual Vitality. I share it with you for your discernment, prayers, and ponderings for our future together as St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran Church. Jim writes:

I've seen patterns emerging in faith communities this past year that seem to squelch their spiritual vitality. These patterns become road blocks or speed bumps that limit people's capacity to experience a life-shaping faith in Jesus Christ.

An overarching concern I have is the prevalence of people who do not experience authentic community within their congregations and only know other "church members" on a superficial level. These congregations may find discipleship to be a difficult process when there's a vacuum of settings for building significant relationships with people. Listed below are five squelchers of spiritual vitality that may hinder congregations from turning strangers into friends, drawing people into a life of discipleship and creating an environment that fosters lifelong faith formation. Many congregations are lacking these critical components:

1. Lack of urgency/Complacency: The longer congregations are in existence, the greater likelihood that they will become too comfortable with the way things are in their congregation. A culture of mediocrity sets in and a congregation's prophetic voice often gets lost.
2. Honoring traditions that don't lead to transformation: Congregations can become fossilized versions of themselves, losing their nimbleness and adaptability as they age, and their desire to be a transforming influence in people's lives.
3. Seeking to inform rather than transform: Congregations tend to equate discipleship with head knowledge rather than the transformation of one's heart, mind and soul. Growing churches help people live their faith, not just like their faith.
4. Maintenance-oriented rather than mission-minded: Many congregations are no longer driven by their mission, vision and values. The scorecard they use for measuring congregational vitality is much too limiting. New scorecards are needed to track individual and organizational transformation.
5. Lack of new leadership: Congregation must be infused with fresh ideas and new approaches. Too many congregations lack fresh perspectives due to lack of intentional leadership turnover.

I'm curious about what squelches your congregation's spiritual vitality? What are you currently doing to ensure that your congregation will remain vibrant for years to come?"

Fellowship Group

All members and friends, age 55 and over, are invited to join us for our monthly lunch on Thursday, June 20th at 12 noon. We will meet at a local restaurant, watch the bulletin for additional information. Join us for an afternoon of fun and fellowship!



Lutheran Men in Mission

LMM will meet at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, June 2nd. All men are invited to a hearty breakfast, fellowship and devotions. Join us to help plan some fun summer activities!

Yours in Christian Discipleship,
Don Mease
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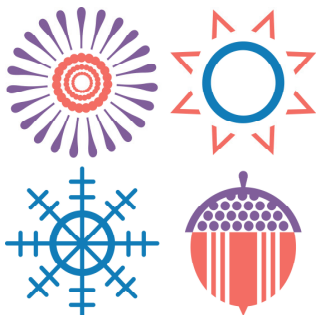


Upcoming Dates

- May 2 National Day of Prayer
- May 12 Mother's Day
- May 27 Memorial Day
- June 17 Father's Day
- June 17-21 VBS
- July Unify in July, one worship at 10:00 a.m.
- July 7-13 Sr LYNCs Mission Trip
- July 7-13 Music Week @ Lutheridge
- July 14-20 Confirmation Camp @ Lutheridge
- July 28 ~ The Lake Norman Big Band @ 10:00 a.m.
- November 24 Thanksgiving Feast



Perfect Order



By the time the summer solstice occurs, it feels as if the season has been in full swing for weeks. It's bittersweet that just when summer officially starts, the length of daylight begins decreasing. Before we're ready to let go of the season, summer marches toward fall, and then winter with the year's shortest day.

Yet that is our Creator's plan: "You have fixed all the boundaries of the earth; you have made summer and winter" (Psalm 74:17, ESV). God fashioned the world to be beautiful, good and perfectly symmetrical. With concise order, he ordained seasons, rhythms, orbits and natural boundaries. As God's beloved children, we're blessed to enjoy the intricacies and patterns of this magnificent universe.

—MaryAnn Sundby

**Congratulations 2019
High School Graduates**

*Lake Norman High School
June 8, 2019*

Aubrey Carpenter

Aubrey will attend The Paul Mitchell School.

Olivia Clark

Olivia will attend UNC Greensboro where she will study Interior Architecture.

Sarah Uzarski

Sarah will attend East Carolina University. She plans to major in Exercise Physiology and pursue a career as a Physical Therapist.

Jonathan Upshaw



*Mooresville High School
June 8, 2019*

Lily Elkin

Lily will attend Appalachian State University where she will study Biology. She has been chosen to be a member of the Cheer Team.

Haley Gill

Haley will attend Lehigh University where she will study Political Science and Finance. She plans to attend Law School.

Landon Webb

Landon will attend Appalachian State University.

West Rowan High School

Zach Brawley

Zach will attend UNC Wilmington.



The Woodlawn School

June 6, 2019

Mary Van Horn

Mary will attend UNC Charlotte where she will study Operations and Supply Chain Management at the Belk Business School.

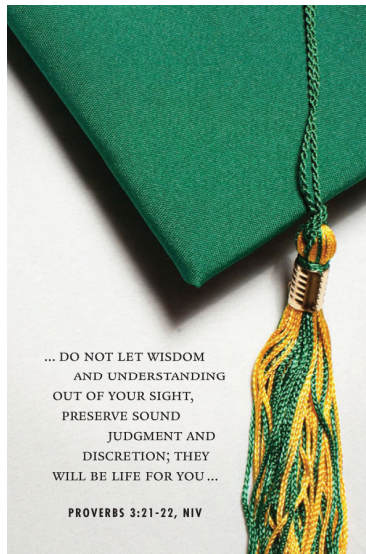


St. Mark's
Graduates

*Walter M. Williams
High School*

Collin Walsh

Collin will attend UNC Chapel Hill.



... DO NOT LET WISDOM
AND UNDERSTANDING
OUT OF YOUR SIGHT,
PRESERVE SOUND
JUDGMENT AND
DISCRETION; THEY
WILL BE LIFE FOR YOU ...

PROVERBS 3:21-22, NIV

Connecting the Dots

Commencement speeches and greeting cards are full of advice for graduates, yet good intentions and careful plans can't guarantee a perfect life — whatever that might mean.

“You can't connect the dots looking forward,” said Steve Jobs. “You can only connect them looking backwards. So you have to trust that the dots will somehow connect in your future. You have to trust in something — your gut, destiny, life ...”

As Christians, we can do more than that: We can trust in God. Yes, he may speak to us through a “gut” feeling, and our eternal “destiny” is assured. And we know that life, not death, will win out. But recent grads — and all of us — need not just sit and wait to see how the dots of our lives will someday connect. God has shown us through Scripture, the church and, above all, Jesus that the dots connect this way: from God's heart, to Jesus' sacrifice for us, to our entry into relationship with God, to our heart and finally to our own loving outreach to others.

Whatever shape your education, work and family take through the years, “commence” with this: God has drawn your life to connect with him and your neighbors. If you follow those Spirit-etched lines, you'll be fine.

—Heidi Mann



Sympathy

We extend our Christian compassion and prayers to:



Sabrina Fesperman in the death of her father, Ted Mills, on Sunday, May 5th.



Bill Hadlock and Debbie Rice in the death of Bill's sister, Bev, on Monday, May 6th.



Former St. Mark's members, Brenda Harvey and her daughter, Laura Stout, in the death of their husband/father, Robert (Bob) Harvey on Monday, May 6th.



Laura Barringer in the death of her brother, Jim Rogers, on May 4th and her niece Rebecca Rogers on May 5th.



Carol Feiste in the death of her brother, Mike Mittler, on May 10th.



Cindy LeBaron in the death of her mother, Pat Winstanley, on May 12th.



Martha Scruggs in the death of her husband, Lyle, on May 15th.



Stewardship for All Seasons (also known as SAS)

In May, we shared an introduction to a new program, Stewardship for All Seasons (SAS). We outlined the basics of this upcoming journey by sharing we will participate in a year of classes, consulting and guidance from experts in stewardship. We will learn tried and true basic principles and effective methodologies to carry out productive stewardship programs at St. Mark's. Our goal is year-round, on-going stewardship resulting in a more energized congregation with a renewed culture of abundance and generosity.

We attended the first session of SAS on May 15th. Here is what we learned: There are 8 NC churches participating in SAS, 4 of which are 2nd year participants. These 4 churches shared their successes from one year of participation- all significantly improved their ministries which led to increased giving commitments. The take-away message:

Extravagant generosity happens when significant ministry takes place.

As we embark on this journey, we must ask ourselves, "What does significant ministry look like at St. Mark's?" We may ask each other and of course, we ask our leaders for guidance. The first real step is for us to state our vision, core values or continue the development of a strategic plan. Our St. Mark's Council is working on this now. As a result, Council and the SAS team will establish 3 goals which will be the focus of ministry development for the upcoming year. We will share these goals soon. Get excited! These goals will be full of "WOW"!

All that is good at St. Mark's will become more "WOW" and will grow in fullness with the possibility of expanding the kingdom of God. We will grow in abundance and in generosity.

In what ways can our generosity make an impact in service to God?

with hope and gratitude,
Jan Wagoner,
Chair, Stewardship Committee/SAS

Jesus spoke of generosity more than any other topic. One story of Jesus' generosity is the feeding of 5,000 people from 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish. Matthew 14:13-21.



Thank You

*We appreciate all the prayers, cards and phone calls during my brother Mike's illness and death. It is wonderful to be part of such a loving church family. Thank you everyone!
Carol and Glenn Feiste*

Holy Baptism



Congratulations and God's blessings to Oscar Wyatt Knox, Holden Kurt Knox and Charleston Ella Knox who were baptized at St. Mark's on May 25th. They are the children of Jason and Jennifer Knox, and the grandchildren of Kurt and Cathy Quade. Godparent is Mark Davis.

We extend God's blessings to Brooks Gordon Dubay who was baptized at St. Mark's on May 26th, at the late service. Brooks is the son of Dan and Emily Dubay. Godparents are Laura Dubay, Katie and Joe Cook.

Prayer Concerns



We change the prayer list each month with updates and name changes from Pastor Dave and office staff. To be faithful, prayers should be fresh and active, and so we remind you to keep us informed of health situation changes at least every 30 days. Please notify the office of any changes or updates to the prayer list; carol@saintmarkslutheran.com or 704-664-5474.

Please remember all our homebound and nursing home residents; caregivers of those who are ill; those searching for employment; and all who serve in the military: Aaron Whitlow, Drew Jones, Erik Crowder, Matthew Barone, Michael Blinn, Charles Blinn and Thomas Blinn.

Members: Linda Folkerts (minor stroke); Laura Little (Serenity House); Ann Thomas (fall, Autumn Care); Barbara Erskine (back surgery 5-14); Diana Keck (fall); Craig Upshaw (strength & healing, heart attack); John Earnhardt (chemo); Floyd Witherspoon (Maple Leaf, strength & healing); Elaine Stevens (tests, strength & healing); Joan Ell; Julian D'Amico (chemo, strength & healing).

Friends & Family: Tara Gander & family (healing, friend of Marsha & Robert Rhyne); Kate Seely (brain surgery 5-14, friend of Catherine & Caroline Tyree); Alice Ternent (mother of Mindy Arndt); Minnie Arndt (car accident, mother of Tony Arndt); Cathy Jones (healing after several strokes, friend of Camille Jones); Borlase family; Bob Lyons (heart attack, father of Tommy Lyons); Charles Kincaid (pancreatic cancer, cousin of Barbara Erskine); Myles Preston (cancer, 6 mo. old, friend of Debby Johnson); Christine Mease Longueira (cancer, daughter of Don Mease); Mark Morton (stem cell treatment, scleroderma, brother of Greg Morton); Ernie Sides (Multiple Myeloma, friend of Suthers); Charleston Knox (terminal illness, 1 year old granddaughter of Kurt & Cathy Quade); Jon Locklin (preparation for lung transplant, son of Shirley Locklin); Phyllis Monterose (Hospice Care, mother of Tommy Monterose); David Kruk (bladder cancer, cousin of Linda Melin & Donna Enroth); Travis Schumacher (brain trauma center, friend of the Fletchers); Frank Montelongo (cancer, cousin of Kathy McLean); Stacey Montelongo (cancer, cousin of Kathy McLean).

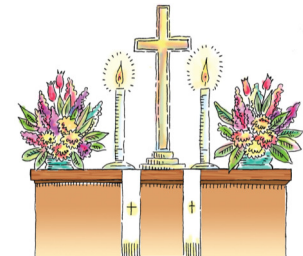
June Altar Flower

- 2 Cindy Wilkins
- 9 ** OPEN **
- 16 ** OPEN **
- 23 Doug & Susan Uzarski
- 30 ** OPEN **

The flower calendar is posted on the bulletin board in the side hallway. Open dates include June 9, 16, & 30; and July 14 .

Providing flowers on the Altar is a great way to remember or honor a loved one or special occasion.

Remember you can share the same week with someone or share flowers two weeks in a row. Sign-up on the flower calendar or call the church office, 704-664-5474.



Altar Flowers



Finance Report Update



Thru April 30	2018	2019
Offerings	179,040	192,300
Budget	201,732	201,732
Expense	176,837	181,006
Checking Acct Balance	182,581	118,108

May Attendance

Date	8:30	11:00	6:30	Total
5-5	94	167	21	282
5-12	142	120	22	284
5-19	99	100	18	217
5-26	113	106	19	238

**Shepherd of the Week
June**

- 2 Amy Elkin
- 9 Sabrina Fesperman
- 16 Judith Fletcher
- 23 Susan Haire
- 30 Brenda Joyce



WELCA Circles
June

Ruth Circle

Meets the first Monday of the month,
in the Adult I Classroom in the
Family Life Center
June 3rd at 10:00 a.m.
Program: Gwen Sink
Hostess: Carol McManus

Grace Connection

Will not meet in June

Martha Circle

Will not meet in June

www.ncwelca.org
www.womenoftheelca.org
www.boldcafe.org
www.gathermagazine.org

The Gather Magazine includes Bible Studies, articles and a newsletter. All helpful information for your circle programs. Everything you need is available online.



Ladies Lunch Bunch

Date: Wednesday, June 12th

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Place: Fresh Chef, Brawley School Road, Publix Shopping Center

Donations: Please bring donations of oatmeal (variety pack) for Food for Days.

Reply to: Brenda Joyce, 704-663-5907 or asuwf@yahoo.com by Tuesday, June 11th

The Origin of Father's Day

One Sunday in 1909, Sonora Smart Dodd listened to a sermon honoring mothers. Her mother had died some years before, so her father had raised her by himself. Dodd wondered why there wasn't a day to honor fathers, so she arranged a tribute to her father at a church in Spokane, Washington. The date was June 19, 1910. Many people believe this was the beginning of Father's Day.

Another account holds that a West Virginia church held a tribute service for fathers in 1908, following a mine explosion that killed 360 men. Regardless of which story is correct, President Calvin Coolidge was the first president to designate a special day to honor fathers. In 1924, he proclaimed the third Sunday in June as Father's Day.



Father's Day
June 16, 2019

HANDS On
Hands Are Needed for Devoted Service
 Meets Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. in the FLC

Hands continues to meet during the summer months. Tuesday's 12:30 and if we decide not to meet it will be published in the weekly bulletin.

We have finished several projects including shawls and boutonnieres for residents at Genesis. Lory Hans completed a plastic sleeping mat and it was her first one! We continue working on fleece blankets to be delivered this winter, plastic is being prepared for crocheters to make sleeping mats, thank you Dave Finger for helping us get plastic ready! A surprise project is also completed. Pricilla is gathering information on a project that turns sheets into bandages and more information on that will be coming.

We are also planning a summer trip to Cherokee. As we move through the summer we will focus on making items for winter. We welcome any new ideas or needs that members may know of.

Love One Another,
 Shelby Westmoreland
 704-662-4630
 shelbyw1952@gmail.com



Memorials/Honor Gifts

In Memory of
 Larry Baker
Memorial Fund
 Dave Finger

In Memory of
 Lyle Scruggs
Memorial Fund
 Spencer High School Class of
 1949-1950
 Spencer High School Class of
 1950
 Frances Scruggs Farris
 Sam Farris
 Shaun Farris
 Bethany Farris
 Joyce Heilig
 Jimmy & Elizabeth Arthurs
 William & Ellar Hicks

In Memory of
 Bev Hadlock
Memorial Fund
 Family Class Sunday School



What Rain Reveals

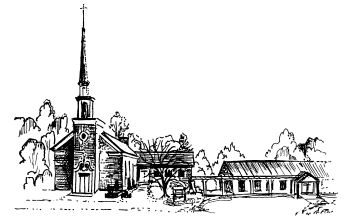


Unless you're a pluviophile (someone who loves rain), a stretch of sunshine-free days can seem drab and dreary. To make South Korea's long monsoon season more colorful, art students created murals on some Seoul sidewalks with hydrochromic paint. It's invisible on dry surfaces, but as soon as water hits, vibrant images appear. Rain transforms gray pavement into bright scenes of fish, whales and turtles.

Life's storms, whether literal or figurative, can dampen our enthusiasm and even challenge our faith. Yet adversity often reveals God's true colors — and ours. No matter what clouds pass overhead, God remains perfect, loving and steadfast. And by praising God "rain or shine," we, as his artwork, reveal that our Creator and his every brushstroke are trustworthy.

Dear St. Mark's Lutheran Church Members,

As many of you know, your Church Council has been deeply involved in making improvements to our sanctuary. We are pleased to announce that we met in April and approved the following improvements:



- New Carpet – Sanctuary, balcony and narthex.
- New vinyl floor covering under the pews.
- New pew cushions.
- Install removable handrails for the steps leading to the altar.
- Remove lectern and replace with a modular version.
- Repaint the Sanctuary.

With the improvements now decided and budget allocated, a committee has been formed to make material selections based on color scheme, workmanship, quality, and budget. This process should take a few weeks and installation is set to begin in July. Worship Services will be held in the FLC. We will have just one service, as we have done for the past several years. More details on this will follow.

We would like all of our members to rest assured that your Council made this decision with careful deliberation based on the feedback we received from our roundtable discussions in January. During these meetings, we heard strong support for larger renovations. After a discussion with our Finance and Property Committees, the Council felt it was more important to strengthen our overall finances at this time versus starting a capital campaign.

We have also heard concerns that these renovations would need to be torn out if we do a larger renovation in the future. After a great deal of thought, the Council still feels this is the best compromise and overall is a much-needed investment. These improvements will total approximately \$46,000 excluding the lectern and St. Mark's has these funds readily available.

Once completed, St. Mark's members will enjoy a more modern and impressive church that will be more welcoming to our visitors. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to any of our Council members.

Sincerely,

Your dedicated Church Council



WORSHIP, MUSIC, AND ARTS

"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." ...Acts 1:8



SUMMER WORSHIP 2019

JUNE: Regular worship at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. with Holy Communion; Evening Worship at 6:30 p.m.

Sermon Series ~ "The Acts of the Holy Spirit"

The new Testament book *"The Acts of the Apostles"* could also be named *"The Acts of the Holy Spirit."*

The Holy Spirit is at work in the lives of the early believers as they move from place to place, interact with others, cross national and ethnic boundaries to share the good news about Jesus and the kingdom of God. It is the fire and power of the Holy Spirit that leads them forward.

In this 8-week sermon series, beginning on Ascension Sunday, we will learn more about who the Holy Spirit is and what the Holy Spirit does in the early years of the church. We will also learn to look for that same Holy Spirit at work in our lives and be inspired to follow the Spirit's lead.

June 2 ~ Ascension Sunday ~ Acts 1:1-11 and the rest of Acts 1
The Promise of the Holy Spirit

June 9 ~ Pentecost Sunday ~ Acts 2:1-21
The Spirit inspires a new community

June 16 ~ Acts 4:1-22
Peter speaks boldly when he is filled with the Holy Spirit.

June 23 ~ Acts 8:26-40
Philip and the Ethiopian Eunuch—The Spirit guides to an unlikely interaction

June 30 ~ Acts 9:36-43
The Spirit works with Peter and Tabitha and all disciples in ordinary and extraordinary ways.



UNIFY IN JULY 2019
United in Faith and Fellowship
One Service at 10:00 a.m.

July 7 ~ Acts 13:1-12
Paul and Barnabas are chosen and sent by the Holy Spirit.

July 14 ~ Acts 15:36—16:10

Paul, Silas, and Timothy—Conflict, and the Spirit creates new opportunities.

July 21 ~ Acts 20:16-38

Paul in Ephesus—Conviction of the Holy Spirit

July 28 ~ **Lake Norman Big Band** Acts 28:23-31

The conclusion of Acts—Paul in Rome and the prophecy of the Holy Spirit. "The people's heart has grown dull, and their ears are hard of hearing" (verse 27) so we need The Lake Norman Big Band to wake us up!

PSALM 51



This Sunday (June 2nd) we will pray Psalm 51. Throughout the ages people of faith have used the words of David in Psalm 51 when calling on God for His mercy and compassion. *"Wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow"* is said to be written on a gravestone plaque overlooking the Arctic ice from an early expedition. James Nicholson recalled Psalm 51 in the following prayer: *Lord Jesus, you see that I patiently wait; Come now, and within me a new heart create; To those who have sought you, you never said, "No." Now wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Amen.*



SPIRIT CHOIR FAMILY OUTING



Spirit Choir, their families, music assistants, and I ended the choir year with baseball, food, and fireworks plus a little dancing in the stands to celebrate the wonderful job they did on their spring musical and their hard work and dedication all year to sing their faith and become giants of the faith. It was a perfect evening to watch the Charlotte Knights beat the Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs 10 - 3 and a great way to end the year!



Christian Education Leaders Appreciation

St. Mark's has many amazing leaders of Christian Education ministries who we will be recognizing for the impact of their service in both morning worship services on Sunday, June 2nd.



Roar VBS 2019

DATES: June 17-21

TIMES: 5:30-8:00 p.m.

LOCATION: St. Mark's FLC

FOR: Ages 3 (potty-trained) through Rising Grade 6

Still Recruiting youth and adults for Preschool and Elementary Crew Leaders!

Volunteers and Participants can register now at bit.ly/StMarksVBS2019

NOTE: VBS Staff Training Sessions will be held June 2nd @ 9:45 a.m. + June 13th @ 6:30 p.m. IN FLC Youth Room. All volunteers should plan to attend one of these sessions to have the greatest impact at ROAR VBS!



Sr LYNCs End of Year Party



On Sunday, June 2nd, families of high school youth are invited to gather at the Elkin's lake house for a family lake day and cookout to end the year together! Please bring a side dish and drink to share. For those who would like to enjoy the water, you'll need to bring a bathing suit, towel, and float, if desired. Contact Bill or Amy Elkin or Carissa Abraham for more details!

Confirmation Sunday

On June 9th, our 2019 Confirmands will be confirmed at the 11:00 a.m. worship service. A Reception to honor our Confirmands will be held between services in the FLC, 9:45-10:45 a.m. ALL are encouraged to join us in celebrating this special milestone in the lives of our youth – Jackson Kraft, Gracie Meadows, and Cailynn Winford!



Family Picnic & Playdate Sunday, June 23rd



St. Mark's is hosting a meet 'n greet for families with kids of all ages! Bring your own lunch and stay after 11:00 worship for a fun family mixer out back at the playground!

Upcoming Events in July

July Children's Church

Children's Sunday School will not meet in the summer. This year during Unify in July, we will offer Children's Church as a breakout option for Ages 4 through rising Grade 4 to learn about each week's scripture lessons in an age-appropriate setting during the Sermon time. Children's Church will be held July 7, 14, and 21. After the children's sermon, kids will be escorted to the Old Fellowship Hall with Carissa and other volunteers who will host an interactive time of fun and Biblical learning until returning during the sharing of the peace.

Children's Church Volunteers:

Youth and adults interested in assisting with Children's Church should contact Carissa in the church office at 704-664-5474 or carissa@saintmarkslutheran.com. This would be a great opportunity for those who aren't regularly involved with our children to help share scripture with them in a fun way! Background check required. Contact Carissa by July 1 to help one Sunday!



Serve Boldly Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser

Throughout the month of June, our high school youth will be collecting donations to support their 2019 summer mission trip. Donating is simple: Take a numbered envelope from the display, follow the instructions included within the envelope to donate the amount on the envelope, and keep the prayer card to lift our youth and group up in prayer!

This year, we've connected with SERVE BOLDLY to do our mission work in Nashville, TN, where they recently received a Hunger Education and Networking Grant through ELCA World Hunger. We're excited for this experience and look forward to sharing more about it with you!

GIVE A HELPING HAND



Make this craft to show appreciation for your dad or another special man.

What you need:

- Acrylic paint
- Paintbrush
- Adult garden gloves
- Garden gloves that fit you
- Permanent marker

What you do:

1. Paint your right palm and press it on the back of the right adult glove. Lift to reveal your handprint. Repeat with your left hand and the left glove.
2. If you have younger siblings, layer their handprint(s) on top with a different color.
3. Write your name(s) and the date.
4. Repeat steps 1 through 3 on your gloves.
5. Present the gift. Offer to use your gloves to give a helping hand with chores!

Social Ministry

The Social Ministry Committee will not meet in June.

If you would like additional information contact: John Kline at jhkline71@sbcglobal.net or 704-360-4505.



Food for Days Thank You

Thank you to all you faithful, Food for Days volunteers. Our St Mark's team had another successful school year packing food for designated children attending Park View Elementary school. This important community outreach was supported by the following volunteers; Elizabeth Arthurs, Bobbi Beattie, Barbara Beidler, Marc & Louise Boggess, Meredith Brodland, Susan & Kelly Bostian, Betty Carter, Roger Castoral, Jeanette Diekman, Sabrina Fesperman, Gail & Danny Fields, Barbara & Dave Glauer, Allison Gray, Eric King, John & Harriet Kline, Shirley Locklin, Sandie Lown, Bobbie & Whitey Meadows, Delorice Powell, Judy & Gary Rains, Betsy Roseman, Gwen Sink, Allen & Teresa Sloop, Mike Schmid, Ed & Gail Walther, Liz Whitlow, Shelby & Wayne Westmoreland, Barbara Williams, Susan Uzarski. A special thank you to Ron & Marilyn Boardman for their countless hours of support in making this program the success that it is. An additional thank you goes out to Dana Meadows and her office for their support and for the monthly support of the Davidson Day students. We are also very grateful to St. Marks Church members who provided financial support and food items to the program.

For the coming school year, please prayerfully consider being a volunteer. Depending on our number of volunteers, your commitment throughout the school year would be one Thursday a month for an hour from 8:00 am to 9:00 am. It is a great way to help our local children and to have fun getting to know your fellow church members. If you are interested in helping please call or email John & Harriet Kline to sign up or for additional information at 704-360-4505 email: jhkline71@sbcglobal.net. Packing begins in September and finishes at the end of school in June.



2019 Food For Days

- January: Chewy Granola Bars
- February: Pudding Cups
- March: Juice Boxes/Pouches
- April: Beans & Franks-8 oz
- May: Ravioli (flip top cans)
- June: Oatmeal, variety pack
- July: Crackers (variety pack)
- August: Ramen Noodles
- September: Pop Tarts
- October: Complete Meals
- Nov.: Fruit & Applesauce Cups
- December: Vienna Sausages

BACK 2 SCHOOL
bash19 7.13.19
www.B2SB.org

Saturday, July 13, 2019
Mooresville Middle School
www.b2sb.org/

As a God's work. Our hands project, let's join other Mooresville Churches in furnishing sneakers to our school children. There will be a poster in the Narthex with 20 shoe tags. Each tag will have:

- Gender
- Size
- Price \$15.00 range

All purchased shoes will need to be in the Narthex by July 1st. Please attach the tag securely on the shoes. If you would like to volunteer to help with the 2019 Bash, register at the website above.

Thanks for your caring support!
Social Ministry



- 1 John Lacci
- 1 Wendy Wenger
- 1 Mary York
- 2 Anna Leonard
- 2 Rachel Relyea
- 2 Andrew Wagoner
- 3 Robert Keck
- 3 Wilma Scoggins
- 4 Jane Leatherman
- 4 Robert Rhyne
- 4 Jennifer Truesdell
- 5 Mike Beeston
- 5 B. G. Breinich Jr.
- 5 Madelyn Sursi
- 6 Ken Dalton
- 6 Daniel Dubay
- 6 Camille Jones
- 7 Dave Keck
- 7 Cole Rogers
- 8 Bonnie Goethals
- 8 Justin Litherland
- 9 Tyler Dorn
- 9 Debbie Lacci
- 10 Sara Barone
- 10 Bernie Hadeler
- 10 Gail Shoe
- 11 Duncan McDuffie
- 11 Calli Westmoreland
- 12 Will Dalton
- 12 Eric King
- 12 Brianna Yarbrough
- 13 Henry Seyller
- 13 Heather Contoro
- 14 Gail Fields
- 14 Gary Rains
- 15 Amy Gilligan
- 16 Brenda Joyce
- 16 Pamela Homick
- 17 Gina Wilkins
- 18 Lisa Harwell
- 18 Elaine Stevens
- 20 Kyle Wilke
- 21 Sarah Uzarski

- 22 Natalie Wulf
- 23 Bobbi Beattie
- 25 Chris Gilligan
- 25 Judy Rains
- 25 Allen Sloop
- 26 Martha Scruggs
- 28 Laura Sursi
- 29 Debbie Crowder-Brady
- 29 Tyler Johnson
- 29 Diana Keck
- 29 Kandice Lacci
- 30 River Goethals



- 2 Tim & Carole Truesdell, 40 yrs.
- 3 Tom & Anne Kerhoulas, 30 yrs.
- 5 Cliff & Sarah Milholland, 15 yrs.
- 5 Jim & Liz McNabb, 37 yrs.
- 7 Brian & Lori Cummins, 22 yrs.
- 7 Larry & Pat Davis, 14 yrs.
- 8 Craig & Lisa Gill, 23 yrs.
- 9 Mike & Cindy LeBaron, 35 yrs.
- 10 David & Diana Keck, 58 yrs.
- 11 Paul & Meredith Brodland, 36 yrs.
- 11 Jeff & Gail Shoe, 42 yrs.
- 11 Allen & Teresa Sloop Jr., 37 yrs.
- 12 Rob & Kristie Ward, 26 yrs.
- 12 Chris & Betsy Zangara, 15 yrs.
- 13 Brent & Lynn Nelson, 44 yrs.
- 15 Mike & Ruth Beeston, 34 yrs.
- 16 Ryan & Jennifer Truesdell, 12 yrs.
- 22 Logan & Alison Westmoreland, 6 yrs.
- 23 Kelly & Susan Bostian, 24 yrs.
- 23 Dave & Barb Glauer, 56 yrs.
- 23 James & Betty Meadows, 58 yrs.
- 24 Jimmy & Elizabeth Arthurs, 41 yrs.
- 24 David & Patty Clark, 24 yrs.
- 25 Robert & Ginger Martin, 7 yrs.
- 25 Robert & Marsha Rhyne, 36 yrs.
- 29 Milbert & Jan Kurtz, 49 yrs.
- 29 Tim & Stephanie Mattingly, 17 yrs.





8:30 a.m. Worship Service					
	June 2	June 9	June 16	June 23	June 30
Open Church	Allen Sloop				
Usher	Mark Burzlaff, Paul Houck, Chris Isetts, Allen Sloop & Bruce Harwell				
Greeter	Jimmy & Kathy McLean	Woody & Tammy Parker	Gary & Judy Rains	Robert & Marsha Rhyne	Jeff & Gail Shoe
Acolyte	Ashlyn Mattingly Audra Nottestad	Mara McCann Charlie Cline	Alaina Sursi	Wyatt Kraft	Ashlyn Mattingly
Lector	Charlie Barone	Charlie Barone	Bobbi Beattie	Bobbi Beattie	David Keck, Sr.
Communion	Jimmy Meadows Jeff Shoe	Jimmy Meadows Jeff Shoe Lisa Locklin	Jimmy Meadows Jeff Shoe	Jimmy Meadows Jeff Shoe Lisa Locklin	Jimmy Meadows Jeff Shoe Lisa Locklin
Nursery Asst.	Tammy Wolff	Susan Uzarski	Seth Bourke	Ellen McAndrew	Allison Gray
11:00 a.m. Worship Service					
	June 2	June 9	June 16	June 23	June 30
Close Church	Guil Roy				
Usher	Dan Leone, Duncan McDuffie, Guil Roy, David Wagoner & John Roseman				
Greeter	Andy & Betsy Craig	Susan Altieri Kauko Aro	Bill Elkin	Fred & Linda Folkerts	Chuck & Cora Lee Pless
Acolyte	Jadyn Johnson Tyler Johnson	Nathan McCoy Liam Tulbert	Maggie Koehler	Cailynn Winford	Nathan McCoy
Lector	Jody Tyree	Jody Tyree	Lynn Wenger	Lynn Wenger	Mitch Abraham
Communion	Amy Elkin Catherine Tyree	Amy Elkin Catherine Tyree Kauko Aro	Amy Elkin Catherine Tyree	Amy Elkin Catherine Tyree Kauko Aro	Amy Elkin Catherine Tyree Kauko Aro
Nursery Asst.	Seth Bourke	Tammy & Jadyn Johnson	Sandie Lown	Lauren Hatch	Heather Contorno
Shepherd	Amy Elkin	Sabrina Fesperman	Judith Fletcher	Susan Haire	Brenda Joyce
Counters	Martin McCann, Amy Elkin & John Kline				
Council Dev.	John Roseman				
Altar Flowers	Cindy Wilkins			Doug & Susan Usarski	

Worship Servants are vital to the ministry of St. Mark's Lutheran Church. If you are unable to fill your worship servant roll, please arrange for a substitute to take your place and notify the office.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 7:30 Lutheran Men in Mission 8:30 Worship 9:45 Adult Sun School 9:45 VBS Training 11:00 Worship 4:00 Sr LYNCs Lake Party 6:30 Worship	3 10:00 Ruth Circle 6:30 Council 7:00 Boy Scouts	4 11:00 Prayer Group 12:30 HANDS On 6:30 Cub Scouts 7:00 Men's Bible Study	5 7:00 Basketball	6	7	8
9 Pentecost 8:30 Worship 9:45 Adult Sun School 9:45 Confirmation Reception 11:00 Worship & Confirmation 6:30 Worship	10	11 11:00 Prayer Group 12:30 HANDS On 6:30 Christian Edu	12 11:30 Lunch Bunch 7:00 Basketball	13 6:30 VBS Training	14	15
16 Father's Day 8:30 Worship 9:45 Adult Sun School 11:00 Worship 6:30 Worship	17	18 11:00 Prayer Group 6:30 Evangelism 7:00 Men's Bible Study	19	20 12:00 Fellowship Grp	21	22
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23 8:30 Worship 9:45 Adult Sun School 11:00 Worship 12:30 Family Picnic 6:30 Worship	24	25 11:00 Prayer Group 12:30 HANDS On 6:30 Worship & Music	26 7:00 Basketball Newsletter Deadline	27 6:30 Comm & Tech	28	29
30 8:30 Worship 9:45 Adult Sun School 11:00 Worship 6:30 Worship	July 1	July 2 11:00 Prayer Group	July 3 7:00 Basketball	July 4 Office Closed Independence Day	July 5	July 6

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 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
 11:00 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion

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