

God's Grace Transforming Lives

# Sunday, June 18, 2023 Nine O'clock

Third Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day

# Morning Worship

\*You are invited to stand as you are able in body and spirit.

# The Gathering

Words of Welcome and Grace

We welcome each of you to this service! No matter who you are or where you are from, you are a child of God, and you are welcome here!

\*Hymn of Praise

TFWS No. 2236 v. 1, 2, & 4 | Gather Us In

\*The Passing of the Peace

One: The Peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you.

All: And also, with you.

We offer each other signs of peace.

Ministry Moment

Eric Steverson Saint Mark Events Coordinator

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father (God), 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. Amen.

The Scripture Lesson

James 2:14-25

One: The Word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God!

#### Sermon

### **Faith-producing Actions**

# Response to God's Word

Holy Communion

## Sending Forth

\*Hymn of Dedication

UMH No. 400 | Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

\*Benediction

Postlude

Beginning July 9, 2023, the 9 AM Service will be back in 'The Chapel' for the month of July.

### Summer in 'The Chapel @ Saint Mark'

# Worship Team

Preaching: Rev. Dr. Carolyn Stephens, Senior Pastor

Liturgists: Rev. Jess Cusick, Pastor of Youth and Young Adults

**Music:** Jon Easter, Director of Fine Arts and Organist

Madeline Pascavage, Cantor | Hymn Leader

Communion Steward: J.W. Mozley

Audio Visual: Johnny Sims, Coordinator of Online Ministry, Eric Steverson, and

Julie Tootle

Usher Team: Greg Brown (Head Usher), Terry Davis, Bruce Erwin, Scott Lee,

Robert Giacomini, Deana Hilton & Sybil Smith

**Greeter:** Greg Brown

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### We Welcome You

Welcome! We are so glad you are worshipping with us today!



#### Attendance

Please sign the attendance pad located at the end of your row or scan this QR code to register your attendance and share prayer requests using our online Connection Card.

### Tithes & Offerings

Please place your offering in the plate during this morning's service, or use the Secure Giving App, or Saint Mark's assigned number for text donations is 844-703-1444 and the keyword is 'operating'. To give via text, text the word 'operating', a space, and the amount you would like to give. For example, to give \$25, text 844-703-1444 operating 25. Your generosity allows us to love, accept and serve the people of our community.

### We Invite you to stay updated on the Saint Mark community.

Visit www.stmarkumc.org and subscribe to the newsletter on the homepage. We send our Remarks newsletter every Wednesday, a message from our Senior Pastor every Friday, and a Sunday Morning at Saint Mark email.

#### Pride 2023 Online Auction NOW OPEN!

• https://smumc.travelpledgeauctions.com/event/1778

## Churchwide Fellowship Gathering

• Next Sunday, June 25, 2023 after Second Service.

### North Wall Renovation Project

- Begins tomorrow, June 19, 2023
- For more information: <a href="https://youtu.be/W9YOhyq7D50">https://youtu.be/W9YOhyq7D50</a>

#### **Church Offices Closed**

- Tomorrow, June 19, 2023 in honor of Juneteenth.
- Tuesday, July 4, 2023 in honor of 4th of July.

#### One Service

• Sunday, July 2, 2023 at 10 AM