

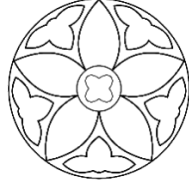
SAINT MARK

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

God's Grace Transforming Lives

Sunday, July 30, 2023
Nine O'clock

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost



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

UMH No. 98 v. 1 & 3 | To God Be the Glory

*The Passing of the Peace

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

All: And also, with you.

Let us offer each other signs of peace, reconciliation, and love.

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

Ephesians 6:10-17

One: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

God in the Movies: Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs | Spiritual Armor

Response to God's Word

Holy Communion

Sending Forth

*Hymn of Dedication

UMH No. 206 v. 1 & 2 | I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

*Benediction

Postlude

We Invite You to Stay Connected with Saint Mark

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.



Worship Team

Preaching: Sheila Stephens, Minister of Education and Spiritual Formation

Liturgists: Rev. Dr. Carolyn Stephens, Senior Pastor

Music: Jon Easter, Director of Fine Arts and Organist
Madeline Pascavage, Cantor | Hymn Leader

Communion Steward: J.W. Mozley

Usher Team: Greg Brown (Head Usher), Terry Davis, Bruce Erwin, Christian & Kristen Fuller, Robert Giacomini, Deana Hilton, Scott Lee, Betsy Moore, & Sybil Smith

Greeter: Craig Pigg

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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.

Saint Mark Welcome Statement

As a United Methodist Church, we are proud to be a congregation with open hearts, open minds, and open doors. We strive to be a congregation that embodies God's absolute love and hospitality, proclaiming Jesus as our savior and as our model of the ultimate embodiment of God's love. We believe that all persons are of sacred worth and dignity as part of God's good creation. Saint Mark United Methodist Church welcomes all persons into the full life and ministry of our congregation, regardless of race, culture, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, family, or socioeconomic status, physical or mental ability, or faith history.

Announcements & Special Events

What is your favorite hymn?

Let Jon know what's your favorite hymn: <https://tinyurl.com/mr246x5z>





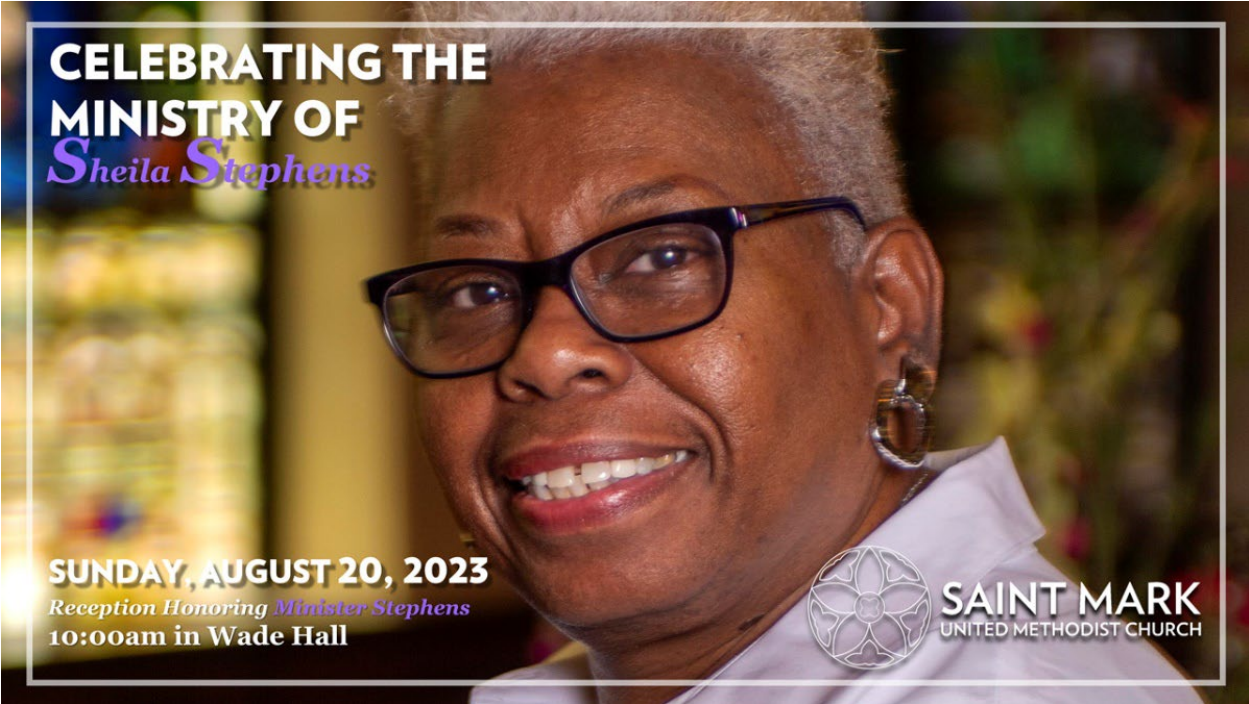
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Baby Shower

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023

805 Peachtree Street | Recreation Room



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**CELEBRATING THE
MINISTRY OF**
Sheila Stephens

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2023

Reception Honoring Minister Stephens
10:00am in Wade Hall



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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

GROOVIN' DOWN IN MIDTOWN

a neighborhood block party

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10th

5 – 8 pm

Peachtree Street & 4th Street

LIVE MUSIC @ FOOD TRUCKS @ ACTIVITIES



Atlanta Musicians Band

PRESENTS:

Marches and Rags of Atlanta

MUSIC BY:
J. ROSAMUND JOHNSON
JAMES REESE EUROPE
JOHN PHILIP SOUSA
AND MORE!

The Recording Industry's



JULY 30

4PM

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