



November 2, 2022

Join us this Sunday for worship at St. Mark's, Randy will continue his series that you don't want to miss entitled "All You Can". This week the message will be "Give All You Can" and is based off of II Corinthians 9:6-15.

Traditional services are at 9:30 am and Modern services are at 10:55 am. If you are not able to attend Worship services there will be a live streaming of worship. To watch the life stream, you can join us at 9:30 am Sunday morning at: <https://youtu.be/p8YegjZOrKg>



Commitment Sunday

This Sunday is commitment Sunday. We hope you are praying about your commitments to St. Mark's this year. You will be able to pick up your card as the tables where you fill out your name tag. They will be in 4 areas according to your last name. Please pick up your card before you enter the sanctuary.



St. Mark's Bethany

During 2023, I commit with the grace and help of God, to know Jesus better and support the ministries of St. Mark's with my prayers, presence, gifts, service & witness.

ALL YOU CAN
Gain All You Can
Save All You Can
Give All You Can

The amount I intend to give during 2023 is:

yearly ☐
monthly ☐

Prayers Presence Gifts Service Witness

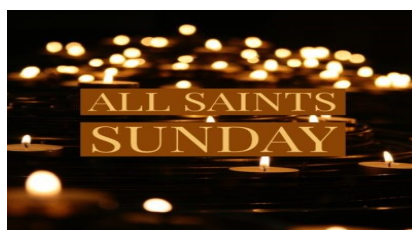
My financial commitment
to St. Marks for 2023 is:
yearly ☐
monthly ☐

Celebration Sunday

With everything else going on this Sunday we also want to celebrate the future of St. Mark's. We have an amazing heritage we have remembered, are making commitments to the coming year but also want to celebrate our amazing future as we move forward in new ways to live out our faith in our community and world. As we close our worship times we will celebrate St. Mark's Bethany.

Remembering the Saints who have gone before us this past year

Marilyn Heightly	11/2/2021
Mal Bucholtz	11/4/2021
Vic Gammill	12/8/2021
Darell Brehm	12/20/2021



Jack Martyn	01/18/2022
Beverly Weirick-Austin	02/15/2022
Derwin Jones	02/20/2022
Janice Brown	04/29/2022
Jim Brewer	04/30/2022
Pam Barnes	07/08/2022

Pumpkin Derby November 6, 2022



Now there's even more reason to be excited besides pumpkin spice everything. St. Mark's Kidmin is hosting a PUMPKIN DERBY open to all ages - kids, teens and adults.

Mark your calendars for Sunday, Nov 6th as we give those jack-o-lanterns their last hurrah! Enter the race as a **family**, a **bible study group**, or **individually** to take home the grand prize Pumpkin Derby Championship Trophy! Awards for creative pumpkin decorations will be presented as well.

The rules are simple - have your pumpkin roll down the ramp and have fun making it! Whether it be giving your pumpkin some old lawnmower wheels, affixing some roller skates, or engineering a complex frame... Let's see your coolest and fastest pumpkin! If racing as a group, only one member need sign up.



- NO electronics, NO flames, NO explosives! Pumpkins that include any of these will be smashed.
 - Pumpkin must stay on/connected to whatever wheels you design.
 - Pumpkin may be hollowed out, but careful of pre-race rotting. <blech>
 - Total weight of the racer should not exceed twenty (20) pounds and should not be more than 18 inches wide with wheels and decorations. (maximum axle length is 18")
 - Next year may get more technical - Be sure to have fun with your family.
- Want to get technical? Here's a video for reference, but this type of build is NOT required: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FCWmDl00G58>



Register on
Church Center
or Sign up in
the Narthex



Pumpkin Derby November 6, 2022

Register Today for the Pumpkin Derby.

Registering is IMPORTANT to help us plan for judging and food.

Derby weigh in and racing to begin after church. Food is available while we weigh in racers. Expect racing to start around 1:00pm



Scan the QR code for rules and registration.

CDO Spaghetti Dinner



Admit One

November 17, 6-8 PM

CDO Fundraiser

Grab your family, friends and neighbors for an all you can eat Spaghetti Dinner being put on by CDO to support the children in getting supplies and other needed items. CDO has been an important part of St. Mark's for a long time and has always been well supported. This is a great way to support it while having a great meal. All families with CDO kids have tickets available and there is a special treat in that the class that has the most sales gets to put a pie in the face of the teacher of the class with the least sales.

Mark Your Calendars

December 18th, 7:30 to 1:30

AMERICAN RED CROSS



BLOOD DRIVE



A quick look back at a Great Fall Festival

Thanks for everyone who helped make it happen!



Wednesday Night Fall Programming

Fall programming is in full gear at St. Mark's. The prayer team will meet at 6 pm in the prayer room. The choir will be having rehearsal starting at 6:30 pm. All other programming has also begun. Children, Youth and adult studies will follow our meal together which kicks off at 5:30 pm. Check below for more information about our adult Bible Studies

DAWN - Dinner & Worship Night
Wednesdays @ 5:30 pm

Schedule:

5:30-6:15 Meal (family style)
6:00-6:30 Prayer Team
6:15-7:30 Children's & Student Ministry
6:15-7:30 Adult Bible Studies
6:30-8:00 Choir Practice



Adult Studies on Wednesday



Armor of God

6:15 pm Room 17

Beverly Ray & Casey Cassidy leading.



Bible Study, Letter to the Romans

6:15 pm Room 18

Clayton Croy leading the study.



Epic Of Eden Jonah Study

1:30 pm Room 28

Kathi Fisher leading the study.

New Bible Study - The Real Heaven November 2 thru December 14

1:30 pm Room 18

Kathi Fisher Leading

Sign up on church counter
or contact Kathi Fisher

Heaven is a hot topic on today's bestseller lists. But what does the Bible tell us about the after-



life? What happens the moment after we die? And what will our redeemed relationships be like? Ingram digs into Scripture to reveal what God wants us to know about

the hereafter—and how it affects our decisions today. Come join us for some great fellowship and study.



SECOND WINDERS November 10

Second Wonders will be having their monthly gathering.

You can come around 11:30 am to visit and catch up/ The meal will be served at noon. This



month we will be having a Turkey Lunch. We will provide the turkey and fixings. We are asking everyone for \$3 plus a side dish or dessert.



Following the meal we will have a special program as Susan Howard joins us to portray 1st lady Helen Herron Taft, wife of our 27th president William Howard Taft. She will share stories about many of the less-

er know 1st ladies.

Come enjoy a great program and then feel free to hang around afterward for an extended time of fellowship and games.

Prayer Needs November 2 - 8

Scripture reading: 2 Chronicles 20: 1 – 12

Join others in praying for our community and our nation :

O Lord our God, You have called us to govern our land and so we pray that, in this time of midterm elections, You would move upon the hearts of Americans to vote and put righteous men and



women – with backbones of steel – in government positions. We ask that these men and women are people who will say with our founders, “We pledge our lives, fortunes, and sacred honor toward seeing America fulfill all she was destined for.” We ask that God’s people will rise up and vote.

Prayers that we would consider how we can save all we can so that we can support ministry all we can.

Prayers for the Global Methodist Church as they receive many churches from around the world.

Prayers for other churches still going through a time of discernment.

Ministry Highlight



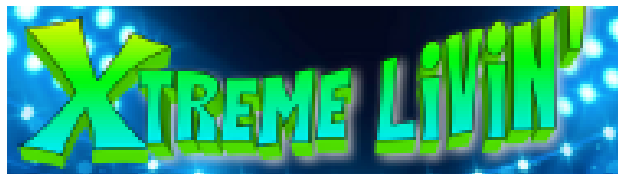
There is an active AA group taking place weekly at St. Mark's. The group kicked off last month and is being held each Thursday morning. It is great to have a healthy AA group meeting here as a way to provide support to the community around us. If you would like more information on the group feel free to contact Fred Dalton and he will get you up the information you need.



KIDMIN NEWS

Staying Up to Date with the Latest Happenings

Sunday Mornings: Children's and Wee Worship



Discovering the Fruit
of the Spirit

Wednesday Evenings:



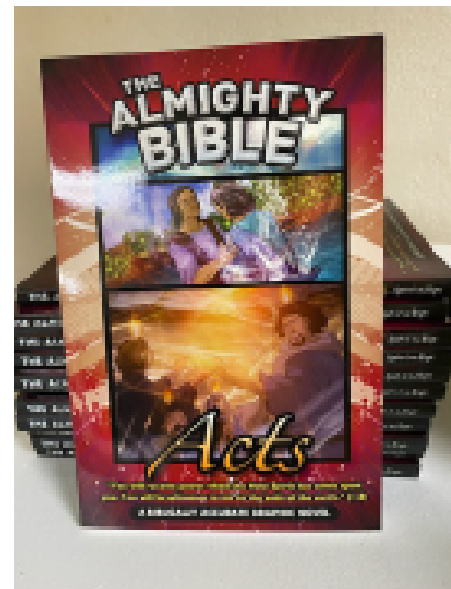
"Put on the full armor of
God, so that we will be
able to stand firm against
the schemes of the devil."

Ephesians 6:11



The Christmas Experience
Sunday, Nov 27th
4-6 pm

The Manger Project
Gingerbread Mangers
Christmas Cookie
Competition



Pick up a free copy of The
Almighty Bible: Acts, a biblically
accurate graphic novel.
Located on the KidMin booth,
next to the sensory room

THE MANGER PROJECT



Coming November 27th, 2022 4-6pm

It's Christ Centered and Action Driven

Joseph's Corner

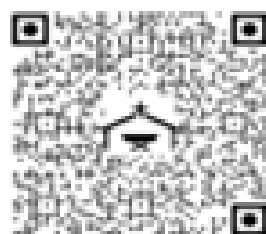
The Manger Project is a fun interactive project that helps families focus on the true meaning of Christmas while building a wooden manger.

This hands-on experience gives parents a chance to teach their kids hard work, perseverance and most importantly, why the manger (God coming to earth as a baby) is so important to their faith.

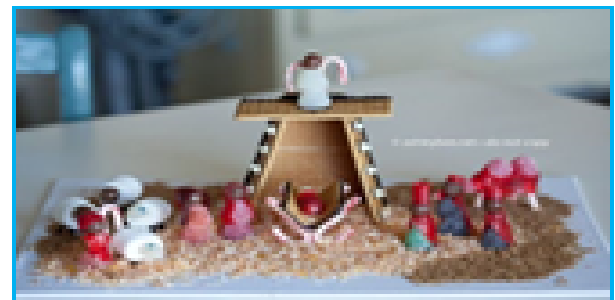
Bring your hammer and your kids or grand-kids and let your heart be captured by the wonder of the lowly manger.

Fascinate your family with Christ this Christmas.

This Experience is
FREE—Register now



Mary's Kitchen



Enjoy working together as a family building a gingerbread Nativity

Cookie Contest



8140 NW 36th Street, Bethany



St Mark's Bethany Helping Hand Project

Need a ride to the doctor? Your battery need a jump? Need a few groceries? Let us help you. Please contact Pat at St Mark's (405-789-9033) or Elle Mysinger (469-323-1560).

Requests for help will be posted on the Helping Hand Project. Notification of the request will go out to the members of the Helping Hand Project. Whoever can help with the project will notify the group that they will manage the request and then reach out to the person who needs the helping hand.

We welcome anyone who would like to join the Helping Hand Project. Please contact Elle or Pat at the Church.

Men's Breakfast Saturday, November 12th

Hunting for some great fellowship and great food? We invite you to join us on Saturday October 8th, at 8:00 am for the men's breakfast.

Along with the food there will be a devotion and a lot of fun.



Facts and Figures

2022 Annual Budget	635,934
Rec'd toward Operating 10/30/2022	15,799
Year to Date 2022	
Rec'd toward offering (thru 10/25/22)	386,901
Expenses (thru 9/25/22)	432,846

Attendance

Sunday, October 30 Total	251
Traditional (with children)...	138
Modern	67
Online	46

Prayer Box

Cheryl Andrews
Tiffany Montesano
Lavina Bonifield (DIL Margaret Bonifield)
Ina Walker (sister Bobbi Pinkerton)
Mike Kolar (son of Ruth Martyn)
George Kloss
Judy McMinn
Marty Croy
Patsy McDowell
Dianna & Jeff Davidson
Paula Galt
Esmeralda Manuel
Mary Desmukes
Barbara Byrd (sister of Dot Lyon)

David Roman
Jan Johnson
Roger Pautsch
Chris Brehm
Bill Rosenthal (BIL Elaine Talbot)
Carol Rosenthal (SIL Elaine Talbot)
Greg Spiser (brother of Mike)
Tina Logsdon (sister of Carolyn Grady)
Gerald Grady
Charlotte Hendrickson
(granddaughter Joey Pedigo)
Charlie Killman (Evans friend)
Greg Spiser (Brother of Mike Spiser)
Jason Talbot
Apple Rice