

St. Mark's

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH July 20, 2022



Join us this Sunday in worship at St. Mark's. Randy will begin a new series this Sunday "Final Words". This week's message will be "Put Things in Order" and will come from 2 Corinthians 13:11-12.

Traditional services are at 9:30 am and Modern services are at 10:55 am. All Sunday school classes will be back at their regular time and area. If you don't attend a class drop by one and try it out.

If you are not able to attend Worship services there will be a live streaming of worship. To watch the live stream, you can join us at 9:30 am Sunday morning at:

<https://youtu.be/myo9E58QYmo>

Sunday School classes: 8:30 New Life Rm. 18, Sonshine Rm. 17

9:30 Books of the Bible Rm 17, Disciple Rm. 18, Young Adults Rm. 5

10:45 Faithbuilders Rm. 18, Good News Choir, R.O.C.K Rm. 19

UMW Collecting UMCOR Hygiene Kits (value \$10-12)

Bring back kits and
items throughout
the month of July



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SUMMER POP-UP EVENTS

July 22nd - 5:30 - Yukon Splash Pool

WHAT'S A POP-UP?

A POP-UP IS AN EVENT
WHERE ST. MARK'S
THROWS A PARTY
SOMEWHERE AROUND
TOWN!



An Invitation to all St. Markians

You are invited to a special session of the St. Mark's United Methodist Church Conference set for Sunday, August 7th at 4:00 pm in Barnett Hall. The purpose of the Conference is the receiving of information from the Oklahoma Annual Conference.



Oklahoma Conference
of The United Methodist Church

July 14, 2022

St. Mark's United Methodist Church
Rev. Randy Wade
8140 NW 36th St
Bethany, OK 73008-3526

The Crossroads District

Rev. Dr. Samuel T. Powers, Superintendent

RE: A special session of the St Mark's United Methodist Church Conference on Sunday, August 7th at 4:00 pm for the purpose of receiving information from the Oklahoma Annual Conference.

Greetings in the name and power of Jesus Christ!

The leadership of St Mark's United Methodist Church has communicated a desire to consider the possibility of disaffiliation from The United Methodist Church. Such a serious decision requires prayerful and careful preparation. To provide the membership of your church with information about many important implications of disaffiliation and to respond to your questions; I am calling for a special session of the Church Conference on August 7, 2022 at 4:00 pm. Church Conferences are called to have broad participation of the members of the congregation. I pray that you will make this gathering a priority.

I will officiate the meeting and have invited Rev. Tish Malloy, Director of Transitional Ministries for the Oklahoma Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church, to make a presentation. A vote will not be taken at this meeting. Its purpose is simply to provide information. No official action will be taken.

I look forward to this valuable time together and pray that:

"The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance toward you, and give you peace."... Numbers 6:24-26 NKJV

Grace and peace,

Sam Powers

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Memorial Services

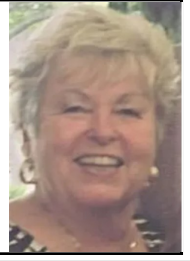


Janice Brown

A memorial service will be held on July 22, 2022 at 2:00PM, St. Marks United Methodist Church, 8140 NW 36th Street, Bethany, OK.

Pam Barnes

A celebration of life service will be held at St. Marks United Methodist Church, 8140 NW 36th, in Bethany, OK, on August 5th, 2022 at 1:00 p.m.



We have been in contact with the Willow Pregnancy Center here in Bethany and they are in need of items to help young women who are pregnant. If you would like to help out just drop off your items on the table set up in the Narthex of the church and we will get it to them. The items they need right now are:

Children's clothing sizes newborn-size 6

Wipes

Diapers sizes newborn - size 6

You can learn more about the great work they are involved with at:
willowpregnancy.org



Kidmin is looking for **Difference Maker's**.

Please sign-up to join us in making a difference in God's kingdom. Kidmin will be offering XSB (Extreme Summer Blast) from 6:-7:30 pm on Wednesday evenings in July. You can sign up through registrations on church center or in the Narthex.

<https://stmarksbethany.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1326955>



We need people to help make a difference with set-up, clean-up, preschool and elementary.

Contact Sharon Hunt or Stacey Miller for more information on how you can make a difference.

CHURCH CENTER

We need you to sign up if you haven't. Imagine being able to have the church calendar, directory, giving and financial records, access to latest news, live services and more available at one spot. On your phone, pad or computer you will always be up to date. This Sunday we will be giving a quick overview of it. To download the app just click on this link and it will walk you through step by step instructions.
[Download Church Center](#) The whole process should take just a





KIDMIN NEWS

Staying Up to Date with the Latest Happenings

Wednesdays in July

6-7:30 pm

Ages 5 through graduated 5th grade

This is our Xtreme alternative to VBS taking it to the next level. A great place to invite your friends and neighbors as we enjoy an XTREME time together.



Want to see Pastor Randy slimed?



Bring a friend!
Pastor Randy will get slimed if we bring 20 guests and/or 100 individual school supplies for Overholser Elementary.





KIDMIN NEWS

Staying Up to Date with the Latest Happenings



Sunday Mornings



Back to School Breakfast

Sunday, August 7th, at 9:30 am - Children, youth and families are invited to participate. No nursery during this time.

July 10th

WEEK 5
PARENTS:
This is your **TICKET** to an online learning experience with your child.

A Long Distance Miracle!
MIRACULOUS
Discovering the Miracles of Jesus
Miracles happen when we give Jesus all we have.
Jesus Provides

READ IT: Matthew 6:5-13
Brought to you by HabitatCurriculum.com

Continue the FUN online!

Point your smart phone camera and **CLICK!**

July 17th

WEEK 6
PARENTS:
This is your **TICKET** to an online learning experience with your child.

The Blind See!
MIRACULOUS
Discovering the Miracles of Jesus
Miracles happen when we believe.
Jesus Forgives

READ IT: Matthew 9:27-31
Brought to you by HabitatCurriculum.com

Continue the FUN online!

Point your smart phone camera and **CLICK!**

Weekly Activity Resource



D6 ministries offers weekly Splinks - three short family activities to keep children engaged in spiritual conversations.

<https://d6family.com/splink/>

This week: God Blesses the Righteous
(go to site for full set of instructions)

God's Blessing



Post-It note scavenger hunt

Read Psalms 119:105 to find out that God's Word is a blessing to us. Write the words on post it notes and hide around the house!

Which way do we go?

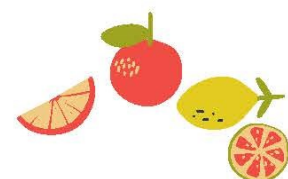
Which is better - a listener or a guide?

God wants us to follow His way. His Word is full of promises and blessings for us. Our job is to follow God's Word, produce fruit, and experience God's blessings. Following God's way is always best.

Bear Fruit in Any Season

Fruit smoothies

Read Psalm 1:2-3. When we think about and obey God's Word, we will produce good fruits such as love for others, patience for others, kindness toward others, etc.



UMW ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW



Mark your calendars for our first annual Arts & Crafts show that the United Methodist Women will be holding. There will be 22 booths of marvelous merchandise to browse through. We are beginning to sell out of booths so if you are interested in having a booth now is the time to sign up. If you are interested in reserving a booth, please see Barbara Hill. Her email is emsmom1954@gmail.com or call at 405-201-6618.

St. Mark's Garden Club

He has made everything beautiful in His Time
Ecclesiastes 3:11

If you would like to be involved in keeping the gardens of St. Mark's maintained and beautiful, please contact Leslie Sipes at 405-850-8743



Staff Emails

If you have questions please feel free to contact the staff.

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Facts and Figures

2022 Annual Budget	635,934
Rec'd toward Operating 7/17/2022	7,666
Year to Date 2022	
Rec'd toward offering (thru 6/30/22)	229,587
Expenses (thru 6/30/22)	262,113
Attendance	
Sunday, July 10 Total	261
Traditional Service	144
Modern Service	61
Online	56

Prayer Box

Dianna Davidson
Jared Fenton (Son-in-law Davidson's)
Paula Galt
Tiffany Montesano
Jeff Montesano
Mike Kolar (son of Ruth Martyn)
Phil Davis
Robbie Clark (Sharon Hunt Stepfather)
Katy Friedlander (Joey Pedigo cousin)
Jaryd (grandson of Dot Lyon)
Janice Brown family

Frankye Flemins
Kelly (daughter of Cheryl Pavelko)
Paul Miller (Evelyn York's brother)
Marty Croy
Esmeralda Manuel
Patsy McDowell
Pam Barnes family
Ina Walker (sister of Bobbie Pinkerton)
Dale & Irene Stafford
Cheryl Andrews
Lavina Bonifield (daughter-in-law Margaret)
Mary Desmukes