

# St. Mark's

## UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

March 9, 2022



### **Worship at St. Mark's, March 13, 2022**

We invite everyone to join us for worship this Sunday. This Sunday Randy will continue his series, "Come to the Table". This week's message will be on "Purim". Our Classic service will begin at 9:30 am and our Modern service at 10:55 am.

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

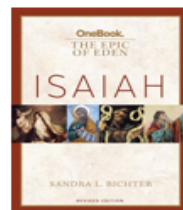
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### **DAWN - Dinner & Worship Night** **Wednesdays 5:30 pm Returns January 5th**

#### **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**



# Lent

## Calendar Events



**Communion will be served each Sunday morning at each service in remembrance of Christ.**

**Maundy Thursday Service Thursday, April 14th, 7:00 pm**

**Good Friday Services Friday, April 15th, 7:00pm**

**Easter Sunrise Service Sunday April 17th, 6:45 am (on the shores of Lake Overholser)**

**Easter Services Sunday April 17th 9:30 am & 10:55 am**

## EASTER LILIES



There is a sign-up sheet on the counter outside the church office for ordering Easter Lilies. You can also sign up on the Church Center app (Just go to registrations and sign up). These lilies will decorate our sanctuary Easter Sunday, April 17. Please indicate on the sheet if you are donating the lily in honor or memory of your loved ones. Orders and payment of \$20.00 is due by Sunday, April 10th, for each lily you donate. You may take your lilies home after services on Easter Sunday.

## CHURCH CENTER

An exciting new opportunity is kicking off for St. Mark's. 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. You don't have to imagine it anymore. Church Center will make it so you won't have to imagine it anymore. On your phone, pad or computer you will always be up to date. This Sunday we will be giving a quick overview of it. In the meantime we would love for you to download the app and then bring your phone with you to church on Sunday.

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 few minutes.

If you have questions call the church office. Feel free to look at the app and test it out. You will probably figure it most of it's features on your own.

 **church center**  
**DOWNLOAD TODAY**





# KIDMIN NEWS

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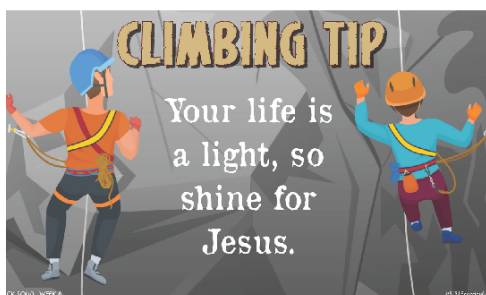
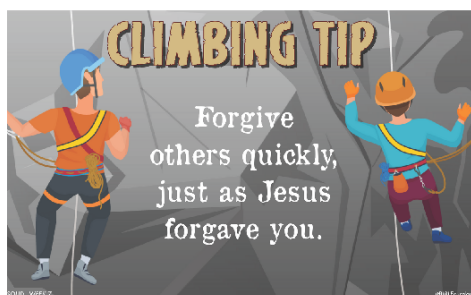
## Sunday Mornings

Climbing Upward and Onward with Jesus!

An 8-week rock climbing themed series that teaches kids how to climb spiritually with Christ!

**March 6th**

**March 13th**



## Connected Easter



## Wee Worship

A place for our 2 to 5 year olds to come connect and engage through play while learning about Jesus



Sunday mornings during second service, every Sunday except 1st Sunday of the month.

## SMKids Summer Camp

Friday, June 24th - Sunday, June 26th, Denton, TX

Why: To connect and engage with Jesus, to step into their own relationship with God

Cost: \$150 per camper

Scholarships: \$50 per kid camper



Please register for Camp on Church Center app under signups, a deposit of \$30 is due with registration. If you have a problem - contact Sharon. **Please register by March 15th!**

Connected Easter - Exodus to Easter is coming

Lent Bible Buddy Readings will connect with Exodus to Easter

Sunday Lessons will begin March 27th

**Memory Verse:**  
**Isaiah 40:28-31**

\$5 Bible Buck\$ for reciting to a KidMin leader by March 27th!





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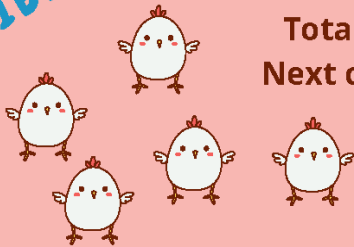


## reMarkable Kids Day Camp

Tuesdays/Thursdays in  
June and July, 9:30 am -  
2:30 pm  
Sign-ups coming soon!



## BIBLE BUCK\$



**First Sunday of each month** each child will have the opportunity to use their Bible Bucks to spend on items from the treasure chest or to purchase a flock of chickens (10-15 chicks) for a family in need.

**Total Chickens purchased to date: 5**  
**Next chance to buy chickens: April 3rd**



## Wednesday Nights

**No programming, March 16th - Spring Break**

**Hey kids - Did you do your name acrostic?**  
**You earn Bible bucks for it!**

March 9th Lesson: *Rules are sometimes hard to obey, but they keep us from going astray.* (Isaiah 53:6)

Companion adult study in Room 19 in the hopes to support parents in conversations at home.



## Kids Hospitality Team

If your child is interested in serving, please contact Casey Cassidy.



This Lenten season we will again have the opportunity to make a difference in amazing kids lives. Rice bowls is an amazing organization feeding, orphaned and hungry children. You can pick up your bowls at the Ash Wednesday Service on March 2nd or anytime after that. Challenge your friends, members in your family, give up a drink a day and drop that change in the rice bowl and we will gather them all together on Easter morning and make a real difference. Watch for stories, and more information about the many ways Rice Bowls can make a difference and then start filling those Rice Bowls.



## St. Mark's is hosting our 15th annual Daddy/Daughter Dance

**April 23rd 6:30 - 8:00 pm**



This has always been a special event for dads, grandads, uncles, older brothers and others to honor daughters in the family with a special night out.

The event will feature a professional DJ, snacks and great photo opportunities. Be sure to bring your camera!

Cost is free! However, donations are accepted and appreciated.

Make your plans now to bring that special girl to this great memory making event.

## OKC Dodgers Game

**Saturday, April 30**

Join us for a great evening.

\$20 gets ticket, hat and

all hot dogs and

hamburgers you can eat.

Contact Mike Fisher for more info.



## Second Winders are Back

**March 10th, 12:00 pm**



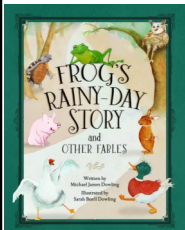
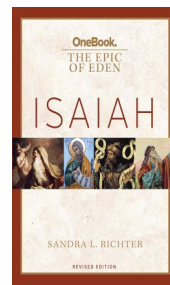
Come out and join us on Thursday, March 10th for a great meal of Turkey Tetrazzini followed by a time of fellowship and fun as we play Bingo. Cost for the meal is \$5.



Our next meeting is being re-scheduled in April from the 2nd Thursday to the 3rd (April 21st). Mark your calendar now for another great meal and fellowship.

# Adult Bible Studies in 2022

We have several adult Bible Studies going on and we invite you to join in. On Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm, a group will meet and be studying from the 'Epic of Eden' series the study on **Isaiah** (Nancy Johnson will be leading this group). An afternoon Wednesday group meets at 2 pm is also studying Isaiah.



On Wednesday evenings we also have a study called "Frog's Rainy-Day Story". The focus is to help us all struggle with how to have honest faith conversations in today's culture. This group is led by Casey Cassidy and Beverly Ray.



Faithbuilders SS class invites you to join us each week during Lent at the front of the church and at home daily for united intercessory prayer. This week our prayer focus as we are meeting at the altar to pray is for schools, educators, administrators/boards, curriculum, students.

## Men's Breakfast

Saturday, Saturday, March 12th

Hunting for some great fellowship and great food? We invite you to join us on Saturday the 12th 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 2/27/2022.....	5,607
Year to Date 2022	
Rec'd toward offering (thru 2/27) .....	77,203
Expenses (thru 1/20) .....	64,333
<b>Attendance</b>	
Sunday, February 27	Total 241
Classic Service .....	116
Modern Service .....	47
Online .....	78

## Prayer Box

Trish (sister-in-law Deb Wade)  
 Jeff & Dianna Davidson  
 Paula Galt  
 Janice Brown  
 Curtis (son-in-law of Janice Brown)  
 Lavina Bonifield (Daughter -in- law  
 Margaret Bonifield)  
 Tiffany Montesano  
 John Talbot  
 Jason Talbot

Jim McAden (Elain Talbot brother)  
 Carla Brueggen  
 Mary King  
 Esmeralda Manuel  
 Mike Kolar (son of Ruth Martyn)  
 Patsy McDowell  
 Clint Hutchison  
 Jimmy Manharth (Lisa Hutchison dad)  
 Marty Croy  
 JB King