NEWSLETTER

JOIN US THIS SUNDAY FOR WORSHIP!

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 Rm18
Good News Rm5
R.O.C.K. Rm19
Understanding God's Word Rm17
Epistle of Romans

This Sunday Pastor Randy will be continuing the sermon series, "Excuses" - Looking at the Call of Moses. His sermon is titled, "What if?", "I Can't", & Honesty at Last.

The scripture reference for this week's sermon is Exodus 4:1-17.

We look forward to seeing you this Sunday and in sharing the joy of worship together! Come to refocus your heart and mind and get equipped with new strength for this coming week!



Traditional services begin at 9:30 am and the Modern service begins at 10:55 am. If you are unable to attend Worship services in person, there will be a live streaming of each service.

To watch the live stream, please join us at:

9:30 am Sunday morning

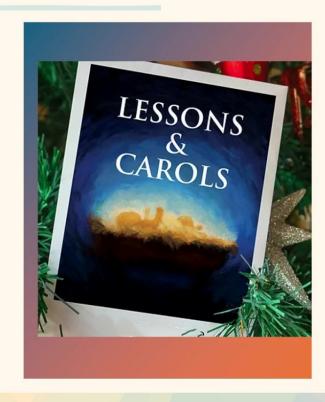
10:55 am Sunday morning

Lessons & Carols December 8 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Make sure to mark your calendars to attend the Lessons and Carols presentation on December 8th from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm.

Everyone has worked so hard to make this a fun evening, be sure to be there! You won't want to miss it!

Refreshments will follow!



WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE



There will be no Wednesday night programs next week due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Also, the church office will be open Monday, Tuesday and close at noon on Wednesday. Happy Thanksgiving!!!



WILL MEET AT THE CHURCH AND CARPOOL TO THE DIFFERENT LOCATIONS.

CONTACT KELLY JO POSS OR KATHI FISHER FOR MORE INFORMATION.



The tree is up! St. Mark's will be taking part in CareShare for students at Overholser School again this year. There are still a few names left! You can do it as a family, a Sunday School class or anyway you want.

Each child will have a maximum of \$75 for their gifts. Please follow the wish lists on the child's card. Gifts need to be turned in by **Sunday, December 8th.**



Poinsettias help decorate the sanctuary for this coming Advent Season. You can give one in memory of or in honor of someone and you will be able to take it home with you following Christmas Eve Services.

Please sign up for your poinsettias on the church counter, in church center or call the church office. The price of the poinsettias this year will be \$20 apiece.





You can help to make a child's Christmas special -- drop by the tree and find a child just for you! There are still a few left!

Thank you for all your support in making Strive 24 a success!



We were able to bless two families with our work!



YOUTH WINTER RETREAT 24



The Youth Winter Retreat is coming up February 14-16 at Sky Ranch in Peoria, Oklahoma.

Use the QR code to sign up!

The group will leave St. Mark's on Friday at 5:00 PM and return to OKC around 4:30 PM on Sunday.

Cost of the retreat is \$135 and includes a t-shirt and meals!





The Tech Team needs volunteers for camera, sound, online streaming, etc. CONTACT KELLY JO POSS for information. You can email her at KellyJo@stmarksbethany.com or see her after church.

Local Missions Need Our Help

Check out the LOCAL MISSIONS on the wall across from the sanctuary!!!



ROC can always use our donations of canned and boxed food, especially cereal. A Grocery Basket is in the narthex for your donations!

Thank you!!!



Willow Pregnancy Support can always use our donations of newborn - 6 clothes, shoes to size 13, diapers size 4, 5, and 6, bottles, bath wash and lotion and Good Start Formula. Thank you so much for your donations!







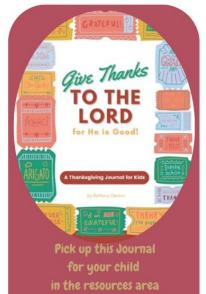
Don't forget to turn your signed reading for Bible Bucks









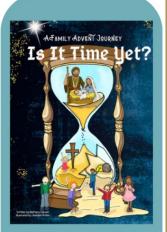


- Practice gratitude daily
 See the goodness of God all around
 Ground gratitude in scripture









A storybook and family worship guide designed to walk your family through the storyline of the Bible in anticipation of the birth of Christ

Perfect for families with little ones.



Family devotional and memory making journal pages engaging families with Biblical truth as they wait for the arrival of the Christ.



These books are available for your to preview in the resource area. Contact Sharon for more information or pre-register your family option on church center.

Sunday Mornings **Kidmin**

9:30 - 10:45 ages 4-5th grade

Nursery

9:30 - 12:00 ages 6mo - 4

Wee Worship

10:45 am ages 2 1/2-kindergarten



Giving Thanks

- Psalm 118
- Eccl. 4:9-10
- 1 Thess. 5:18
- 1 Chronicles 16:8



Wee Worship

- Specially Given Families
- **Caring Family**
- Families Share
- Loving our Family



Train up a child in the way he should go, even when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6





COMING UP!

November 20 - Wednesday Night Meals 5:30 EGGS & BISCUITS

6:15 6:15 6:15 KidMin

Youth Ministry King Jesus Bible Study Choir Rehearsal

6:30

November 24 - Team ION

November 27 - NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT

PROGRAMS / MEAL

NOVEMBER 28 - THANKSGIVING

December 1 - Beginning of Advent

December 7 - Lessons & Carols Dress

Rehearsal

December 8 - Team ION

- Lessons & Carols Program

December 9 - St. Mark's Bethany Women

December 12 - Second Winders

CDO Christmas Program

December 13 - Kings & Queens Combined Group

December 18 - Caroling

December 24 - Christmas Eve Services at 4, 7 & 11 PM

December 25 - CHRISTMAS

December 29 - Combined Service



Stephen Ministry is a confidential ministry. If you know someone who could benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister contact our church office



Prayer Tools Intercessory Prayer

Pray Alone Be Prayed For/With

Come & Go EXPERIENCE GOD

Wednesdays 5:00-6:00 pm Prayer Team meets 5:00-5:30 pm

Prayer team will be meeting in Room 5 on November 20th & December 4th.



Prayer Board

2024 Annual Budget

603,578

Rec'd toward Operating 11/16/2024 11,686 Year to Date 2024 Rec'd toward offering (thru 11/16/24) 518,986 Expenses (11/16/24) 519,517

FACTS & FIGURES

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, November 17 Total 379

Traditional Worship 213

Pautsch) Jan Bolton's son (friend of Frankye Flemins) Michelle (co-worker of Sara Votaw Mike Nail (Jerry Grady's stepdad) Larry Grady (Jerry Grady's brother Laurie Buckholtz **Evelyn Moore** Cindy Wilkerson (DIL of Frank & Nadine Wilkerson)

Arno Pautsch (father of Roger

Ian Greve

Dennis Bratcher Melissa (neighbor of Bob Kanary)

Fisher Marchant (Daughter of len Marchant and Granddaughter of Kathi & Mike Fisher) Lief Hill (son of a friend of Wayne Barnes) lim Brown Beverly Clark Fred Dalton David Quick (son of Sandy Rutherford) Winn Lusk Dianna Davidson Judy McMinn Cheryl Andrews Tiffany Montesano

Kelli Pavelko