



ST. MARK'S BETHANY

NEWSLETTER

JOIN US THIS SUNDAY FOR WORSHIP!

This Sunday Pastor Randy will continue the sermon series, "To Be Reborn" with the message "Dead to Sin, Alive to God." He will be speaking from Romans 6:3-11.

We look forward to seeing you this Sunday and in sharing the joy of worship together. Don't forget to invite a friend this week!

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

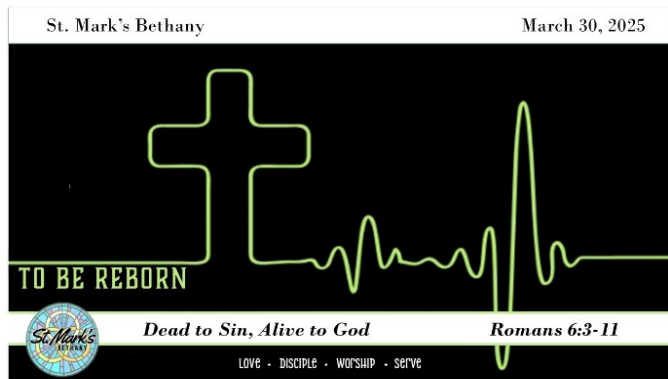
- 8:30 New Life Rm 18
Sonshine Rm 17
- 9:30 Books of the Bible Rm 17
Disciple Rm 18
Young Adults Rm 5
- 10:45 Faithbuilders Rm 18
Good News Choir Room
R.O.C.K. Rm 19
Understanding God's Word
Rm 17 - Epistle of Romans

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



EASTER LILY

St. Mark's will be adorned with beautiful flowers on Easter Sunday -- April 20. You can purchase an Easter Lily in honor of or in memory of a loved one or friend. The lilies will be available for pick up after Easter services. There is a sign-up sheet on the counter and the cost is \$17.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

HOLY WEEK & EASTER EVENTS

PALM SUNDAY - APRIL 13	9:30 / 10:55 AM
MAUNDY THURSDAY - APRIL 17	7:00 PM
GOOD FRIDAY - APRIL 18	7:00 PM
EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 20	
SUNRISE SERVICE 6:45 AM	9:30 / 10:55 AM
EASTER EGG HUNT - APRIL 20	10:40 AM

EASTER EGG HUNT

We need candy to put in the plastic eggs. Bring by church or donate (mark "candy for Easter Egg Hunt").

Thank you!!



Gardening on Monday Mornings

- Would you like to help in keeping the gardens around the church a place of beauty?
- Beginning Monday, April 7th and each following Monday, Leslie Sipes will be in the garden from 10 am until 12 noon. Please come join in with planting, watering, weeding or whatever else is needed.
- Any age is welcome! Come when you can! No commitment required.



Is the Holy Spirit calling you? Become a Prayer Team Member

The Sanctuary Prayer Team meets every Wednesday from 5 PM to 6 PM. You are invited to come pray out loud or sit quietly in unity.



Prayer is available with and over people as they come in. Prayer over a specific list of people, situations requested, events happening, and a list of St. Mark's attendees is prayed over together every week. All prayers are confidential and approached respectfully.

If you feel the Holy Spirit's urge, come join us and become a member of our Prayer Team. Help us make God's house a house of PRAYER.

Difference Makers Needed

Want to make a difference in a child's life? Difference Makers are needed for smKids on Sunday mornings at 9:15 to 10:45 or 10:45 to 12:00 noon.

Contact Sharon Hunt to find out how YOU can make a difference!



thanks!

From the Nurse's group that was here last week...





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We are hiring for paid children/youth 2025 summer internships now!

Apply Here!



Slide Presenters Needed

Due to some unforeseen circumstances, we are needing help in the sound booth for Sunday morning worship. If you feel like you would be able to assist on Sunday mornings in either service, please contact

Kelly Jo Poss or call the church office

**SAVE
The
DATE**

**SMBW
Arts &
Crafts Fair**

Requests for applications for the 2025 Craft Fair are already coming in! Applications will be available at St. Mark's this coming Sunday! Be sure to get yours and get your booth reserved!

Not having a booth???
Mark the date ...
Saturday, October 4th!

You don't want to miss it!!!



WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE

March 12
5:30 pm

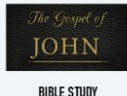


Biscuits &
Gravy

6:15 pm



6:30 pm



Our Local Missions

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

Are you able to volunteer?



ROC can always use our donations of canned and boxed food. While they can use other donations, our church provides food. Right now, they have a need for canned meat such as tuna or chicken. They can also use your empty egg cartons. A Grocery Basket is in the narthex for your FOOD donations!



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!

Thank you!

2025 YOUTH CAMPS

Get ready for an unforgettable summer filled with fun, friendships, and growth!

- May 27 - 31: **Dayspring Camp** - Grades 9 - 12
- June 15 - 20: **YF Tulsa** - Grades 7 - 12
- July 23 - 26: **Disciple Camp** - Grades 6 - 9

Be sure to register early for these camps!
Questions? Contact Bequer



DAYSPRING CAMP

This is our High School camp (incoming 9th-graduated seniors) May 27-31st \$300 at New Life Ranch, Adair, OK. Registration and payments (to St. Mark's Student Ministries) due May 5

YF TULSA

This is our Middle School/High School mission opportunity (incoming 7th-graduated seniors) June 15-20 \$275 at Christ Church Methodist Church, Tulsa, OK. Registration and payments (to St. Mark's Student Ministries) due May 12

DISCIPLE CAMP

This is our Middle School camp (incoming 6th-9th grade) July 23-26 \$300 @ Sky Ranch, Cave Spring, OK. Registration and payments (to St. Mark's Student Ministries) due June 22nd



June 9th - 12th
1-4 pm

1st-2nd grade
3rd-6th grade

The Return to Narnia
Prince Caspian coming
June 23rd - June 27th

Children will be participating in waving of the branches on Palm Sunday, April 13th, in both Services. Please have your children ready to go at 9:23am to move to the sanctuary. Stick around and celebrate during the second service at 10:55 am. Children of all ages will participate. Parents of our littlest, please walk and wave with your children.

THE KING OF KINGS
A Story Told by Charles Dickens
EXCLUSIVELY IN THEATERS

April 19th, 2025
11:00 am @
Tinseltown

St. Mark's Kidmin has rented out the theatre! Bring your entire family and invite your neighbors to watch the greatest story of Forgiveness.

Reserve your tickets!

Easter Egg Hunt
April 20th
Between Services
approx. 10:35

Sunday Mornings

Kidmin

Nursery

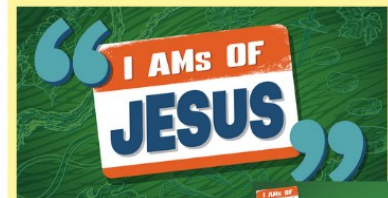
9:30 - 12:00 ages 6mo - 3

Early Childhood

9:30-10:45 ages 3-Kindergarten

Wee Worship

10:45 - 12:00 ages 3-kindergarten



Today's Wonder Truth:
Jesus Is the Beginning and the End



Today's Wonder Truth:
Jesus Wants Us to Remember His Death

Elementary

9:30-10:45 ages 1st-5th grade

A father tells his son the greatest story ever told, and what begins as a bedtime tale becomes a life-changing journey. Through vivid imagination, the boy walks alongside Jesus, witnessing His miracles, facing His trials, and understanding His ultimate sacrifice. The King of Kings invites us to rediscover the enduring power of hope, love, and redemption through the eyes of a child.



WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

MISSION MOSES

The Lord is my strength and my defense; he has become my salvation. He is my God, and I will praise him; my father's God, and I will exalt him.

Exodus 15:2

Kids Camp
July 6th-9th
Camp Victory in Mansfield OK

These Are The Days

Register NOW * check your emails

ROCK SOLID
Climbing Upward and Onward with Jesus!

Equip your kids for the ADVENTURE of a lifetime!

By Karl Bashian

An 8-Week Series on Climbing Spiritually!



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!

March 26 - Wednesday Night Meals
5:30 Biscuits & Gravy

6:15 KidMin
6:15 Youth Ministry
6:15 King Jesus Bible Study
6:30 Bible Study of JOHN
6:30 Choir Rehearsal

March 27 - Kings & Queens Plus

March 30 - Team ION

April 8 - Admin Council Meeting

April 10 - Second Winders Meeting

April 12 - Men's Breakfast

April 13 - Palm Sunday

April 13 - Team ION

April 14 - St. Mark's Bethany Women

April 17 - Maundy Thursday

April 18 - Good Friday

April 20 - Easter



Capital Campaign Update

106 Pledges 1,342,736

Rec'd toward Pledges
3/22/2025 594,267

FACTS & FIGURES

2025 Annual Budget 632,679

Rec'd toward Operating
3/22/2025 10,666

Year to Date 2025
Rec'd toward offering
(thru 3/22/25) 119,859
Expenses (3/22/25) 132,946

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, March 23 Total 344

Traditional Worship 167
Modern Worship 53
Online Worship 124



COMMUNION SERVERS March 30, 2025

Classic Service: Vicki Maynord & Sherry White
Miller & Nina Gerardy

Modern Service: Mike & Sally Kilby
Jay & Gwen Sears



Prayer Tools Pray Alone
Intercessory Prayer Be Prayed For/With
Come & Go
EXPERIENCE GOD

Wednesdays 5:00-6:00 pm

Prayer Team meets 5:00-5:30 pm



Prayer Board

Sandy Rutherford
Marcia Geis (friend of Pam Barnes)
Nathan Bremmer
Charlie White (baby son of Lorelei & Alex White)
Bob Kanary
Kathi Wagner (Dot Lyon's daughter Lory's best friend)
Carol Dalton
Kai Brimson (Joey Pedigo's niece Allie's son)
Linda Carroll (Aunt of Lori Evans)
Jenna Kidd
Bill Underwood
LaDonna Matthews
Beverly Clark

Billy Joe Watson (friend of Wayne Barnes)
Barbara Hill
Michelle (co-worker of Sara Votaw)
Evelyn Moore
Lief Hill (son of a friend of Wayne Barnes)
Fred Dalton
Winn Lusk
Ginger Fenton (daughter of Jeff & Dianna Davidson)
Dianna Davidson
Judy McMinn
Cheryl Andrews
Tiffany Montesano
Vicki Pellegrini