

# St. Mark's BETHANY



March 27, 2024

Join us this Sunday for worship at St. Mark's. This Sunday Pastor Randy will continue his Lenten Series, "The Difference". This week the message will be, "The Difference Between a Full or Empty Tomb." All Sunday school classes will be at their regular time and area. If you don't attend a class drop by one and try it out.

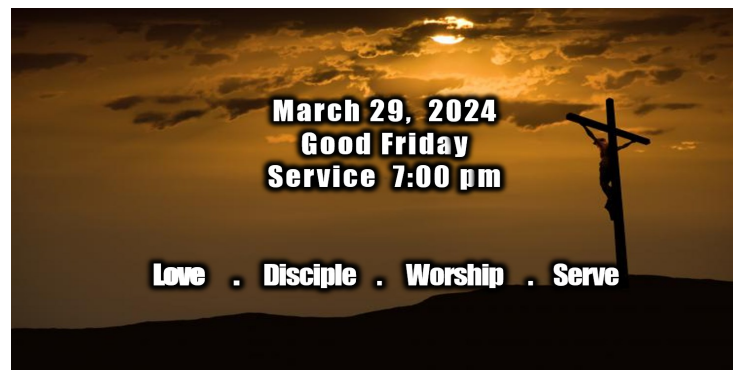
### Sunday School classes:

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



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](#) or at [10:55 Sunday morning](#).



If you cannot attend the Maundy Thursday service or the Good Friday service in person, please join us at:

[Maundy Thursday Service](#)  
[Good Friday Service](#)

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# RECEPTION FOR PAT

Please join us in a "retirement" celebration for our Office Administrator, Pat Morford.

**WHEN: Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>**

**12:00 pm, following the last service**

**WHERE: St. Marks Bethany, Barnett Hall**

## ROC Still Needs Your Help



St. Mark's you have done a great job of meeting needs. We will keep the grocery cart set up in the narthex for your donations of canned and boxed food for a couple more weeks. Ramen noodles, pasta, any type of canned beans and cake mixes have been requested. Plastic and paper bags are always needed to pack the food. Monetary donations are also gratefully accepted. Thank you!



Now Collecting Donations for:

- Newborn clothes size 6 Gently used or new
- Shoes up to size 13
- Bath wash and Lotion
- Bottles
- Diapers size 4, 5, and 6
- Good Start Formula

Collection Box  
outside of Sanctuary  
near West Entry



Thank You!

During Lent this year, we are collecting change for formula and diapers for Willow Pregnancy Support Center. Pick up an empty can outside the sanctuary, fill it up, and bring it back by Easter.

Our Lenten Offering

Change for Change



To Benefit Willow Pregnancy Support



# EASTER LILIES

St. Mark's would like to thank the following persons for donating lilies to decorate our sanctuary today.

Thank you to:

Frank & Nadine Wilkerson - In memory of Parents

Hardy & Jimmie Sears - In memory of parents, David Sears and Mike Penny

Bill & Beverly Kindred - In memory of Peggy Neill

Bruce & Sharon Hunt - In memory of parents, Jim Jones, and Steve Hunt

Loretta Wright - In memory of parents and husband

Robin Stephenson Bratcher - In memory of Matthew

Robin Stephenson Bratcher - In memory of Sarah

Katy Norman - In memory of John and Glen Norman

Dot, Lory, Brent Lyon - In memory of Jerry Lyon and loved ones

Lilly Hummell - In memory of loved ones family and in honor of the Staff

Beth Bidne and Rob Cook - In memory of Barb Bidne and Joyce Cook

Mary Hill - In memory of her son, Jerry Hill

Steve & Nancy Gray - In honor of Church Staff & Members

Wayne Barnes - Pam Barnes, Terrill Family, Jack Barnes, Viola Barnes,  
John McClelland

J. W. Brown - In memory of Janice Brown

# Sm kids NEWS



## March Happenings:

**Spring Break** - no kidmin 3/20

**Palm Sunday** - children singing in both services

**Maundy Thursday** 7:00 pm (childcare 4 and under)

**Good Friday** 7:00pm (childcare 4 and under)

**Easter Sunday** Sunrise, 9:30 & 10:55

Children 4 and over attend service with parents during 10:55 service

**Egg Hunt**

10:35 between services Easter



## 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

## MISUNDERSTOOD

### Easter Series

### Misunderstood.

Jesus was sent to earth to seek and save the lost. .

Kidmin will learn Jesus came to lead a revolution of LOVE.  
Jesus gives us LIFE.

"For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God."  
1 Corinthians 1:18 (NIV)

**Palm Sunday**  
**March 24th**  
Children meet in  
choir room at 9:25



**Maundy Thursday Practice**  
**6:00 in Sanctuary**  
**March 27th**  
Please help your kids to  
memorize their parts.

**LEVEL  
UP**

**March** 30-DAY FAMILY  
SCRIPTURE CHALLENGE

**Forgiveness**



Did you leave off in February?  
Reading scripture is learning to know God's word. Encourage your child to read the scriptures. :)



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



# Wednesday Night March 27



5:00 pm



5:30 pm



6:00 pm



6:15 pm



6:15 pm



6:15 pm



6:30 pm



## ST. MARK'S BETHANY

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

Apply Here!



Hello, St Mark's family! I just started here at St. Mark's Bethany as the new Office Assistant, and I look forward to meeting each of you and getting to know you. I hope you will stop by the office when you have a few minutes so I can meet you.

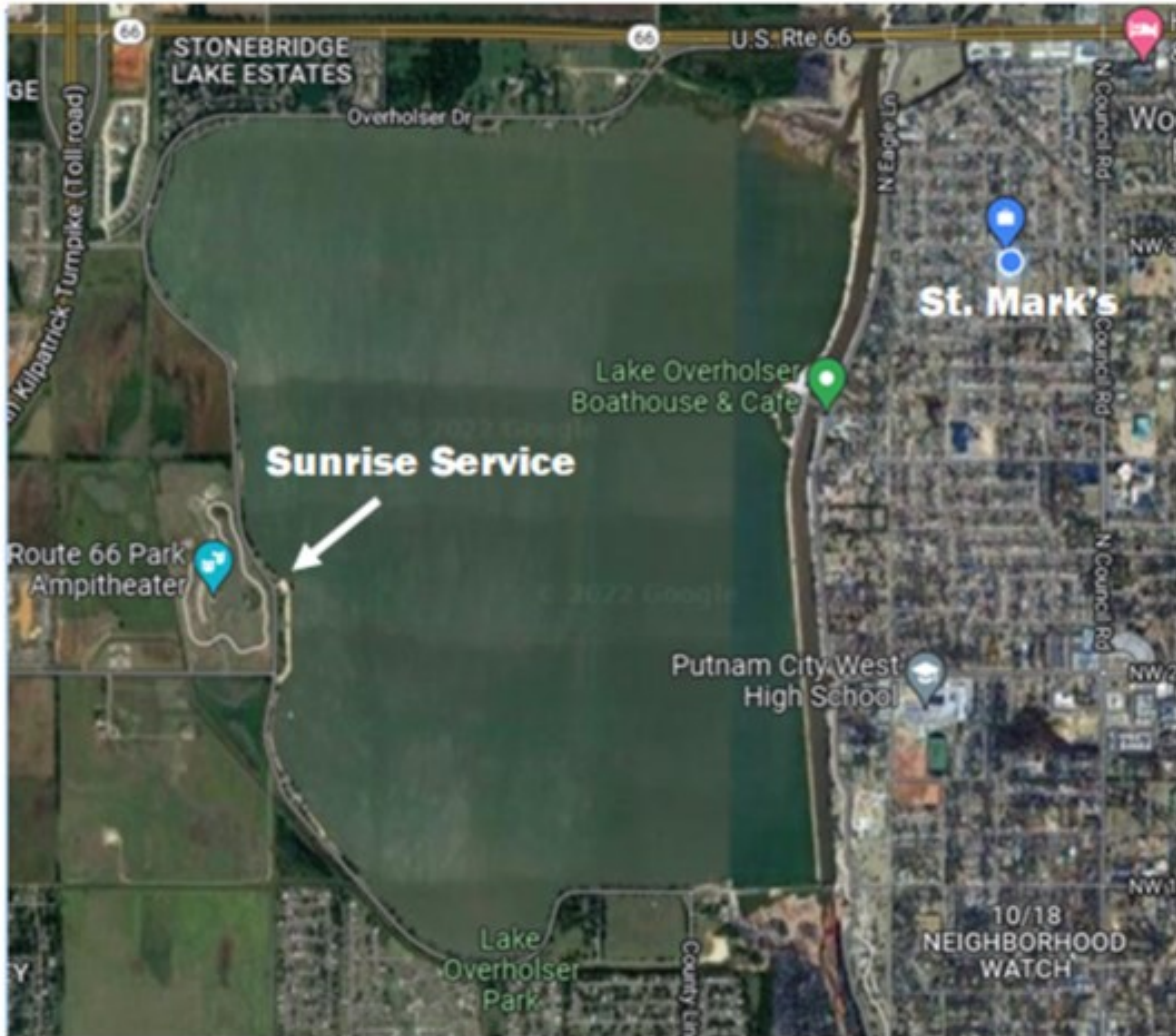
## Facts and Figures

2024 Annual Budget	603,578
Rec'd toward Operating 3/23/24	7,543
Year to Date 2024	
Rec'd toward offering (thru 3/23/24)	118,501
Expenses (3/23/24)	130,528
<b>Attendance</b>	
Sunday, March 17 Total	313
Traditional Worship	175
Modern Worship	67
Online Worship	71

## Prayer Board

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Fred Dalton                          | Dianna Davidson                     |
| Joey Pedigo                          | Judy McMinn                         |
| Sandy Rutherford                     | Jane Foreman                        |
| Annie Imel family                    | Greg Spiser                         |
| Beverly Clark                        | Cheryl Andrews                      |
| Lisa (daughter of Laurie Bucholtz)   | Brent Lawrence (nephew Mike Spiser) |
| Vivian (friend of Norma McMurtry)    | Paula Gait                          |
| Teresa Powell                        | Roger Pautsch                       |
| David Quick (Sandy Rutherford's son) | Donna Denton (SIL Sandy Kelly)      |
| Russell & Rhonda Jobe                | Tiffany Montesano                   |
| Jonas Brown (brother of Jen McCay)   | Geo Montesano                       |
| Kristen & Mike Musick                | Hank Brueggen                       |
| Winn & Ginger Lusk                   | Carol Hall                          |
| Barbara Hill                         | Beth Bidne                          |
|                                      | Cindy Wilkerson                     |
|                                      | Kelli Pavelko                       |
|                                      | John & Elaine Talbot                |

# Map to Sunrise Service



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