



# ST. MARK'S BETHANY NEWS NOTES

## JOIN US THIS SUNDAY FOR WORSHIP!

Pastor Randy will be continuing the sermon series, "How Firm A Foundation," the foundation upon which we build our church and our lives this week. His sermon is titled, "Prayers to God."

### 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 Rm 5  
R.O.C.K. Rm 19  
Understanding God's Word Rm 17  
Epistle of Romans



The scripture reference for the sermon is 2 Chronicles 7:11-16.

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



## PC WEST FOOTBALL DINNER

St. Mark's will be serving dinner to the PC West football team on Thursday, October 24 and October 31 at 5 p.m.

Help is needed to cook and clean up. Please sign up on the sheets in the Narthex to help.

AND it's time to start baking cookies for the boys! The cookies need to be at the church by OCTOBER 20th in order to get them packaged to give out!

If you have any questions, please contact Shab Jupiterwala!



## THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR PREVIOUS HELP!

# FALL FEST AT OVERHOLSER ELEMENTARY - NOVEMBER 1ST

Volunteer on the sign-up board in the Narthex as well as the "trunk" sign-up sheets!

Bring your friends and family and participate in this year's Fall Fest! There will be something for everyone to enjoy!!!

The fun takes place at Overholser Elementary on Friday, November 1st, from 5 - 6:30 pm.



## Men's Breakfast October 19th

You won't want to miss out on the great breakfast the men serve! Make sure to be in Barnett Hall at 8:00 am on Saturday morning, October 19th!



## Wrapped in Love Update!!!

Wrapped in Love meets the 3rd Monday of each month in Room 18 to knit and crochet for babies. This past month they delivered 16 baby caps, 15 baby caps/booties sets and 11 baby blankets.

They will be meeting again on October 21st in Room 18. All are welcome!!!

## Lessons & Carols

December 8  
6:30 - 8:30 pm

If your child wants to participate in preparing music for the Lessons and Carols event in December, please contact Kelly Poss.

Children and Youth rehearsals will alternate weekly and take place Wednesday afternoons from 4:30 - 5:30. A dress rehearsal is scheduled for Saturday, December 7 from 9:00-12:00.



### Bell Choir Rehearsals

October 27  
November 10

Open to  
Anyone who  
wants to  
participate



Check with Kelly Jo Poss for more information or questions.

# WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE

October 16  
5:30 pm

 **Taco Bar**  
Wednesday Night Dinner

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6:15 pm

    
Sm Kids      STUDENT MINISTRY      BIBLE STUDY

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6:30 pm

 **CHOIR PRACTICE**

Come join us this Wednesday!!!

There is something for everyone and for all ages.

Food - Fellowship - Prayer - Bible Study - Singing  
COME JOIN IN!!!

Hope to see you here!!!

**Lend your smile to Sunday Morning!**



**Greeters Needed**

Can you think of a better way to meet everyone at your church?

Contact Fred or Carol Dalton to Volunteer

**Pickleball & Tacos!!!**  
October 25  
6-9 pm



**ALL YOUNG ADULTS!**  
COME TO THE CHURCH FOR TACOS FROM EL SAZÓN AND PICKLEBALL IN THE GYM!

**CDO Spaghetti Dinner**  
November 14

Mark your calendars for the CDO Spaghetti Dinner on November 14th from 6-7. All you can eat! Adults \$10 / Children \$5

Have you thought about joining the tech team?



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](mailto:KellyJo@stmarksbethany.com) or see her after church.

**Local Missions In Need of Help**

  
REACHING OUR CITY

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!!!

  
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PREGNANCY SUPPORT

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!

**Pumpkin Derby 2024**  
November 3  
12:30-2:30



It's time to get excited about St. Mark's hosting another Pumpkin Derby. The event is open to all ages.

There are 2 Divisions this year:

- PUMPKIN PRO SERIES**  
(Wheel kit or other integrated wheels)
- PATCHWORK GRAND PRIX**  
(Prefab racers with a pumpkin on a toy truck base or something similar)

REGISTER TODAY IN CHURCH CENTER!



# Sm kids



## 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

### Pumpkin Derby

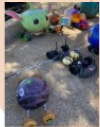
November 3rd, 2024  
12:30-2:30



TWO DIVISIONS

- Pumpkin Pro Series: Wheel kit or other integrated wheels like pictured
- Patchwork Grand Prix: Prefab racers with a pumpkin on a toy truck base or similar

Register today:



COMING TO KIDMIN

EZEKIEL AND THE DRY BONES

OCTOBER 29RD \* WEAR ALL BLACK

GOD'S BIG STORY

OCTOBER 30TH



Mommies  
He's  
Where  
the  
JOY is  
meets  
October 25th

October  
Kindness

30-DAY FAMILY SCRIPTURE CHALLENGE

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



## MEDIOCRE & MIGHTY

But He said to me, My grace is all you need. My power is strongest when you are weak. So I'm very happy to brag about how weak I am. Then Christ's power can rest on me. -2 Corinthians 12:9 NIRV

### Congratulations Duckville Crew

Selah Cassidy  
Lucas Cheatham  
Raylee Fuller  
Alexander Gannon  
Windsor Poss  
Arthur Poss  
Adam Votaw

All earned Duckville tshirt's for attendance and Memorizing Ephesians 4:4-6



### Lakeview Farmers Market field trip Oct. 16 2024

Children can eat with DOWN at 5:30pm will begin to load van and vehicles at 5:45 pm



Difference Makers  
Mark your Calendar  
November 16th  
more information to come

### Wee Worship

10/13- Deborah

10/20 - Esther

10/27 -The Fiery Furnace



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



# Kings and Queens Special Needs Ministry

Children with special needs have a special place in our hearts and in our church!



## KINGS AND QUEENS

Respite nights are on the 2nd Friday of the month from 6-9 pm.

We had a great time this month getting to know our new kids and fun sensory activities.

## KINGS AND QUEENS +

Respite nights are on the 4th Thursday of the month from 6-8pm.

We visited Celebration Station for some Putt-Putt and games! Looking forward to our next event.



Our growing ministry brings us so much JOY! We are looking forward to what next month has in store for us with our respite care nights, Wednesday nights, and Sunday mornings!



Come join us on Wednesday nights as we are participating in Duckville - a kids series on FAITH foundations!



If you are being CALLED we have so many different ways to get involved!



If you are feeling led, we are taking donations to purchase gifts for our Kings and Queens kids for Christmas. Please, reach out to Kayla Gannon to see how you can help!



# COMING UP!

October 16 - Wednesday Night Meals  
5:30 TACO BAR

5:45 KidMin - Field Trip  
Load Van and Vehicles

6:15 Youth Ministry

6:15 King Jesus Bible Study

6:30 Choir Rehearsal

October 19 - Men's Breakfast

October 21 - Wrapped in Love

October 22 - Church Council

October 24 - PC West Dinner

October 31 - PC West Dinner

November 1 - Overholser Fall Festival

November 3 - All Saints Sunday

November 5 - Charge Conference



ELECTION DAY!



November 14 - CDO Spaghetti Dinner

November 24 - Decorate the Church!

November 27 - NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS / MEAL

NOVEMBER 28 - THANKSGIVING

December 1 - Beginning of Advent

## FACTS & FIGURES

2024 Annual Budget	603,578
Rec'd toward Operating	
10/05/2024 .....	16,195
Year to Date 2024	
Rec'd toward offering	
(thru 10/05/24) .....	446,250
Expenses (10/05/24) .....	458,244

### ATTENDANCE

Sunday, October 6 Total	311
Traditional Worship .....	199
Modern Worship .....	61
Online Worship .....	51

# MEXICO CITY MISSION TRIP



Anyone interested in information on the Mexico City Mission Trip, please join the Mission Committee meeting that will be held after second service on Sunday, October 20th in Room 18.

## Come Pray With Us

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



Wednesdays 5:00-6:00 pm  
Church Sanctuary

*Prayer Team meets 5:00-5:30 pm*



## Prayer Board

Cecelia Morford (Wife of Pat)	Fisher Marchant
Larry Wade (father of Pastor Randy)	(Granddaughter of Kathi & Mike Fisher)
Sam Nimo and family	Lief Hill (son of a friend of Wayne Barnes)
Laurie Buckholtz	Becky's family and friends (friend of Robin Bratcher)
Everett Jarvis	Jim Brown
Penny & James Hay (Daughter & SIL of Barbara Homer)	Beverly Clark
Evelyn Moore	Fred Dalton
Cindy Wilkerson (DIL of Frank & Nadine Wilkerson)	David Quick (son of Sandy Rutherford)
Frankye Flemins	Winn Lusk
Jan Greve	Dianna Davidson
Dennis Bratcher	Judy McMinn
Derek Kelly (son of Sandy Kelly)	Cheryl Andrews
Cheryl Davis	Roger Pautsch
Melissa (neighbor of Bob Canary)	Tiffany Montesano
	Hank Brueggen
	Kelli Pavelko