

## OUR MISSION

Gathered around Word and water, bread and wine,  
we spread God's Word by living our faith daily  
and welcoming all with open hearts and minds.



FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

FEBRUARY 4, 2018

9:30 AM

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT ST. MARK.** Please sign our attendance pad located in each row. We are happy to have you here with us! Please join us for refreshments on the walkway following worship.

**CROSS GENERATIONAL BIBLE STUDY** - Our next Cross Generational Bible Study for people of all ages will take place on **Sunday, February 11th** at 11 a.m. in the Large Conference room. We will continue our study of the book of Acts with an amazing Jail break story about the Apostle Peter!

**DUNEDIN WALK OF PEACE** - The 2018 United Faiths Walk of Peace will take place on Sunday, February 4 at 2:00 pm. Groups from a variety of faith traditions invite you to join us! The Walk is roughly along a 2 mile route through Dunedin that begins at John R. Lawrence Pioneer Park at the corner of Douglas and Main St. in downtown Dunedin, and ends at First United Methodist Church. **Our faith communities are working together in the hope that the world can find a way to live in peace.**

**WELCA** will meet **Tuesday, February 6**, at 10:00 am in the large conference room. We will discuss the survey sheet from the annual meeting regarding future plans for St. Mark property. Everyone is welcome to join us.

**DUNEDIN CARES FOOD PANTRY TOUR** - Join our youth and families as they make donations and receive a tour of Dunedin Cares Food Pantry (1620 Pinehurst Rd, Dunedin) on **Saturday, February 10th at 12:30 p.m.** Sign up in the Narthex if you're interested in attending or helping purchase food with the grant given by Thrivent. Our youth will be purchasing food for the pantry with monies from Thrivent, but if you would like to send donations of non-perishables, they are always needed! We will have a donation bin available in the Narthex. Folks who attend the event will receive a tour of the pantry's new facility and hear about its mission and purpose from one of the directors. Dunedin Cares was started about two years ago at Faith Lutheran Church inside a 600-square-foot community room. Already volunteers have handed out upwards of 100,000 pounds of food, and each month the organization sees about 175 clients. They have outgrown their existing space and have received a donation of a building that will be moved to their site to house the pantry. Come with us and learn more!

**WELCA SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE** - St. Mark Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America has begun a mid-year project to collect school supplies for Dunedin Elementary School. The items that are collected by St. Mark and donated to the school are significant gifts in the eyes of students and teachers alike who otherwise find it difficult to manage purchasing these basics for learning. WELCA will be collecting items through Sunday, February 18th. For current needs, please pick up a short list from the table in the Narthex.

**LENTEN WORSHIP AND SOUP SUPPERS** - Mark your calendars! Lenten Soup Suppers will begin on Wednesdays starting February 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in our Fellowship Hall. Soup Suppers allow members and friends of St. Mark to share light and delicious soups as a way of enjoying Christian fellowship with one another while remembering those who are hungry and would be glad for a simple bowl of soup. Lenten mid-week worship will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary after the meal. Crock pots are available in the kitchen and you are welcome to borrow one! Please stop by the church office or pick up one on Sunday. Volunteers are needed to make soup, help with set up, and help with clean up. Sign-up sheets are posted in the Narthex and you may sign up for as many days as you like.

**HOSPITALITY HOSTS** - Your Fellowship Team would like to thank all those who have volunteered to prepare our coffee and treats for various Sundays these past months. The sign up sheet now shows all the Sundays in 2018 that are available to volunteers and we hope that others will consider being a Host one Sunday. Beverly Entwistle has graciously agreed to fill the roll of our Hospitality Host Coordinator. She is now the contact person for anyone interested in volunteering as a Host or anyone who needs to change a date they are scheduled to Host. She will also ensure that all refreshments are available in the kitchen for Hosts to put out. Beverly would be happy to answer any questions you may have about being a Host one Sunday and can be reached at [\(727\) 734-2739](tel:727-734-2739) or at [entwistlebeverly@gmail.com](mailto:entwistlebeverly@gmail.com).

**WELCA IN PARTNERSHIP WITH GRACE LUTHERAN** - The group is helping to provide men's and women's clothing as well as toiletries for their homeless outreach project at Grace called Lydia's Closet. This is an ongoing project and you are invited to donate as you are able. Please donate any extra items, including the mini sized soaps and shampoos that you may accumulate from travelling. Small baskets for toiletries and a large bin for clothing are located in the Narthex.

## IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember in your daily prayers members and friends of our congregation who are on our prayer list. If you would like to add or remove someone to or from our congregation's prayers, please call or email the church office or sign the prayer notebook in the narthex.

### **FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED OF SUPPORT:**

Jim Boyter

Cheryl Burton

Peg Weingart

Trish Kitchel

Michael Bryant

Charly Hornbrook (friend of Jared Hall)

Donita Holjes (friend of the Plasketts)

Jennifer (Nizer) Rakas (daughter of Ray and Charlotte Nizer)

Rosalin Dano (wife of Arnie Dano)

Joes and Lee Borgacz (friends of Arnie Dano)

Ethan Gottlieb (grandson of Tim and Angela Langenback)

Heather Booth (daughter of the Plasketts)

James Dano (son of Arnie Dano)

Gretchen Woodard (daughter of Debbie Woodard)

Bret R. (friend of Linda Peterman)

Jerriann VanEpern (friend of Linda Peterman)

Freddie Romani (friend of Arnie Dano)

Judy Wallschlaeger (friend of Sue and Darrell Zenk)

Efrain Roman (great grandfather of Milla Grumbling and Kaeden Delerme)

Chelle S. (friend of Jennifer Grumbling)

Jax Cunningham (great nephew of Barbara Woodworth)

Holly and Mark Downing (friends of Suzanne Bryant)

Kurt Dunn (friend of Arnie Dano)

Jeff Phillips (friend of the Chernes family)

Chris Harris (son of Dave Harry)

Sayre Froelich (daughter of Janice and Lee Froelich)

Ernie Smith, Sr. (husband of Phyllis Smith)

Marion Dunn (friend of Arnie Dano)

Frank Ollari (friend of Doris Ullestad)

Linda Grumbling (mother of Jennifer Grumbling)  
Eddie Frederick (friend of the Grumbling/Delerme family)  
Karen Aungst (friend of Debbie Woodard)  
Elizabeth K. (friend of Sue Nelson)  
Dinah Reid (niece of Constance and Henry Chapman)  
Tom Conway (brother of Mary VanHaute)  
Elaine Forestier (Emery Horvath's teacher)  
Dorothy and Otto Pollei, Jr. (parents of Doug Pollei)  
Vicki Claussen (daughter of Charlotte Claussen)  
Heather Mackin (relative of the Plasketts)  
Irene Klein (mother of Charles Klein)  
Kaycee Fowler (friend of Trish Kitchel)  
Helen Whitson (mother of Robin Klein)  
Missy Martin (sister-in-law of Suzanne Bryant)  
Carrie Leone (niece of the Walthours)  
Anita Hans (friend of Sue Nelson)

**FOR THOSE WHO GRIEVE (Family and friends of:)**

John Dilko (the Dilko family)  
Don Paradiso (uncle of Ken Chernes)

**FOR THOSE WHO SERVE (Family and friends of :)**

Andy Bloch (son-in-law of Shirley Polak - Homeland Security)  
Steven Plaskett (grandson of the Plasketts - US Air Force Academy)  
Luke Ballesteros (friend of Robin Jo Bower Miller and David Miller - in Germany)  
Jason King (son-in-law of the Tegges - US Coast Guard)  
Zoe Lekakis (granddaughter of the Nizers - Marines)  
Joel Elliott (stepson of Carolyn Elliott - in Germany)  
Michael Christenson (friend of Arnie Dano - U.S. Navy)  
Greg Burnham (son-in-law of the Nizers—US Navy)  
Kori Smeiska (friend of Carol Czajkowski - K. C. Police Officer)  
Alexis Grzegorzcyk (friend of Carol Czajkowski - USAF)  
Mitch Shellenberger  
Tierney Froelich  
Rodney Mobley (son of the Nizers - Police Officer)  
Calvin Jensen (friend of Carol Czajkowski - US Navy)  
Steven Klein (USCG)  
Sam Palmer (family of the Horvaths)  
Andrew Amstutz (friend of the Langenbacks - US Navy)

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## Serving The Community of Faith

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**Assisting Minister:** Steve Miller  
**Ushers** Rick and Meta Palmer  
**Offering Bearers:** Kaeden Delerme and Leland Roland  
**Acolyte:** Connor Jensen  
**Lector:** GayLynn Horvath  
**Communion Assistants:** Robin Bower-Miller and Wayne Morris  
**Bread Baker:** Melissa Taylor

**Altar Guild:** Janice Froelich, Barbara Woodworth and Gina Rabe.

### Given to the Glory of God:

**Presence candle** is in memory of Donald Ullestad by Doris Ullestad.  
**Thanks to** James Harry for helping to provide refreshments today.

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## This Week at St. Mark

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**Sunday**      **Bags of Blessings returned**  
February 4    **9:30 am Worship**  
                  **10:45 am Refreshments**  
                  **10:45 am Handbell Choir**  
                  2:00 pm 2018 Dunedin United Faiths Walk of Peace

**Monday**      7:00 pm Al-Anon  
                  8:00 pm Ala-Teen Meeting

**Tuesday**     **10:00 am WELCA Meeting**

**Thursday**    6:00 pm AA  
                  7:00 pm Al-Anon

**Saturday**    **12:30 pm Dunedin Cares Food Pantry Tour**

**Sunday**      **9:30 am Worship**  
February 11 **10:45 am Refreshments**  
                  **10:45 am Handbell Choir**  
                  **11:00 am Cross Generational Bible Study**

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Readings for next Sunday — **Transfiguration of Our Lord**  
2 Kings 2:1-12; Psalm 50:1-6; 2 Corinthians 4:3-6; Mark 9:2-9

## Our Statement of Welcome

St. Mark is a spiritual community that celebrates the gifts of God that empower us to engage in the struggles of life, to care for each other, and to serve Christ where we work and live.

We welcome the participation of people of all ages, faiths, ethnic backgrounds, sexual orientations, gender identities, educational backgrounds, and economic conditions – all who want to join in community to honor God and be of service to people. We recognize that each person is a unique creation of God and by the grace of God is called a “child of God.”

St. Mark is a Reconciling in Christ congregation.



*The Rev. Katy A. H. Fast, Pastor  
Cheryl Burton, Music Director and Cantor  
Willie Hobbs, Office Administrator  
Jim Boyter & Beverly Entwisle, Property Stewards  
Regina Hickey, Bookkeeper*

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**Office Hours:**  
Monday –Friday  
8:00 am until 3:00 pm

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