



SKY SUNDAY  
SEASON OF CREATION  
SEPTEMBER 16, 2018  
9:30 A. M.



## WELCOME TO ST. MARK LUTHERAN

### 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.

**Welcome Guests:** The disciples of St. Mark extend a warm welcome to you and invite you to join us in our mission and ministry. You're invited to fill out the information in the attendance pad at the end of your row. Please join us for refreshments out in the breezeway following worship.

**Welcome Children:** Children (and all their noises, shouts, smiles, cries, and coos) are a cherished part of our congregation and are always welcome in worship. Activity bags, colors, coloring pages and word puzzles are located at the back of the worship space for kids to take to their seat. For younger children, if you desire, you're welcome to use our Prayground which is located in the left entryway (narthex) of the church. We have a rocker, changing area, and play area designed for younger children.

**Restrooms and a Water Fountain** are located in the breezeway, out the side doors to your left.

**Open Communion Table:** All are invited to receive Holy Communion, without exception. If you would like a blessing in place of Communion, please come forward and cross your arms over your chest.

**Large Print Bulletins** are available. Please ask an usher if you would like one.

**Postures & Gestures:** Although there are customary postures in our worship (such as standing and kneeling), you are invited to be seated at any point. For those who wish, the (✠) symbol indicates when it is customary to cross oneself.

**Contact Pastor:** To contact Pastor Katy call her church cell phone at 727-808-4684 or e-mail her at [pastorkatyfast@gmail.com](mailto:pastorkatyfast@gmail.com). She is available to answer your questions, offer support, and talk with you about your faith journey.

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*This Sunday we worship with the skies. We celebrate with the clouds, the winds, the dusk, and the dawn. We listen to the sounds of the sky proclaiming God's presence. We stand in awe before the vast reaches of space above us and thank God for this fragile piece of stardust we call Earth.*

In the name of the Creator, who colors the sky,  
the name of Christ, who died under dark skies,  
and the name of the Spirit, the wind in the sky. Amen.  
**Holy! Holy! Holy! Earth is filled with God's presence.**

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

Christ, we gather in your name to worship in this sanctuary called Earth,  
**A planet filled with your presence,  
quivering in the forests,  
vibrating in the land,  
pulsating in the wilderness,  
shimmering in the rivers.**

God, reveal yourself to us in this place and show us your face in all creation.  
**Holy! Holy! Holy! Earth is filled with your presence.**

**GATHERING HYMN** 853 "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

LAUDES DOMINI

## GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us join our hearts and voices in praying the Prayer of the Day:

**God, our Creator, as we look into the skies, we celebrate the wonders of the worlds that surround us. Help us to see your presence in the evening sky, your spirit in the wind, your mercy in the falling rain. Teach us to hear the good news from the sky celebrating the glory of God in Earth. Rejoice with us as we behold the dawn revealing the mysteries of the skies above and Earth below. In the name of Christ who unites heaven and Earth.**

**Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## **OLD TESTAMENT READING** Jeremiah 4:23-28

<sup>23</sup> I looked on the earth, and lo, it was waste and void;  
and to the heavens, and they had no light.

<sup>24</sup> I looked on the mountains, and lo, they were quaking,  
and all the hills moved to and fro.

<sup>25</sup> I looked, and lo, there was no one at all,  
and all the birds of the air had fled.

<sup>26</sup> I looked, and lo, the fruitful land was a desert,  
and all its cities were laid in ruins  
before the LORD, before his fierce anger.

<sup>27</sup> For thus says the LORD: The whole land shall be a desolation;  
yet I will not make a full end.

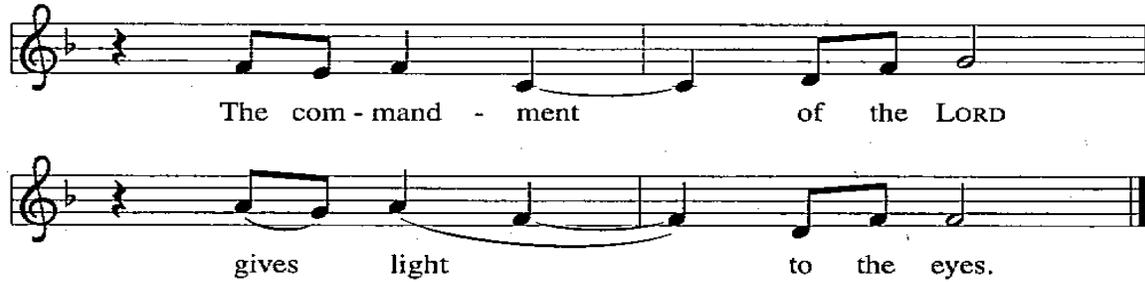
<sup>28</sup> Because of this the earth shall mourn,  
and the heavens above grow black;  
for I have spoken, I have purposed;  
I have not relented nor will I turn back.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 19:1-6**

*Cantor sings the Refrain, Congregation repeats, then responds as Cantor sings the verses.*



**Refrain**

The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky proclaims its maker's handiwork.  
One day tells its tale to another, and one night imparts knowledge to another.

Although they have no words or language, and their voices are not heard,  
their sound has gone into all lands, and their message to the ends of the world,  
where God has pitched a tent for the sun.

It comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a champion to run its  
course.

It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the end of it again;  
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.

**Refrain**

The teaching of the Lord is perfect and revives the soul;  
the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the simple.

The statutes of the Lord are just and rejoice the heart;  
the commandment of the Lord is clear and gives light to the eyes.

The fear of the Lord is clean and endures forever;  
the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold,  
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.

**Refrain**

By them also is your servant enlightened, and in keeping them there is great reward.  
Who can detect one's own offenses? Cleanse me from my secret faults.

Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get dominion over me;  
then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight,  
O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

**Refrain**

*Please rise.*

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** (*Sung before and after the gospel reading*)



Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le -

lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

**GOSPEL**

The holy gospel according to Mark 15:33-39

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>33</sup> When it was noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. <sup>34</sup>At three o'clock Jesus cried out with a loud voice, 'Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?' which means, 'My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?' <sup>35</sup>When some of the bystanders heard it, they said, 'Listen, he is calling for Elijah.' <sup>36</sup>And someone ran, filled a sponge with sour wine, put it on a stick, and gave it to him to drink, saying, 'Wait, let us see whether Elijah will come to take him down.' <sup>37</sup>Then Jesus gave a loud cry and breathed his last. <sup>38</sup>And the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. <sup>39</sup>Now when the centurion, who stood facing him, saw that in this way he breathed his last, he said, 'Truly this man was God's Son!'

I have not relented nor will I turn back.

*At the conclusion of the reading:*

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

Please be seated.

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Pastor Katy Fast

**SERMON**

Pastor Katy Fast

**OPEN SPACE**

*This quiet time is an opportunity to ponder how God is speaking to you and to respond in prayer. Paper and pencils are being passed around for you to write a prayer that will be read by the pastor and assisting minister during the Prayers of the People. A prayer might be one of thanksgiving, saying thank you to God for providing for you. A prayer might be for help for yourself, your loved ones or your neighbor. There is no pressure to write a prayer, but you're welcome to do so as you feel moved. For those that would prefer not to write, you're invited to use this time of silence for meditation or personal prayer. Ushers will return to pick up prayers as people finish writing.*

**HYMN OF THE DAY** 389 "Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing"

Truro

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Trusting in our loving and almighty God who abundantly provides the bread of life to all who hunger, let us pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

*A brief silence.*

As prayer petitions are read, you're invited to respond:

Lord, in your mercy,

**hear our prayer.**

Almighty and loving God, we look to you in hope and trust, knowing that you will do far more than we can ask or imagine, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**



*Please stand.*

## THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

*The Peace of Christ is a sign of forgiveness and love we receive in Holy Communion and our hope to be able to share that with each other in this community. If you're concerned about spreading illness, it's perfectly acceptable to cross your arms over your chest and bow instead of shaking hands with the person next to you*

## OFFERING

"Dedication"

THYGERSON

*Please stand.*

## OFFERTORY HYMN

OLD HUNDRETH

# Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise him, all crea-tures here be - low;

The first system of musical notation consists of a treble and bass staff. The treble staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bass staff begins with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

praise him a-bove, ye heav'n-ly host; praise Fa-ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

The second system of musical notation continues the piece with a treble and bass staff. The treble staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bass staff begins with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray:

**God, our Creator, through your love you have given us these gifts to share. Accept our offerings as an expression of our deep thanks and as signs of our concern for those in need, including our fellow creatures on planet Earth.**

**Amen.**

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Creator be with you and all creation.

**And also with you.**

Open your hearts.

**We open them to our Creator.**

Let us give thanks to the Maker of heaven and Earth.

**It is right to join creation in thanking God.**

## PREFACE

It is right to give you thank, loving Creator. Your word is the impulse for all things to be, for space, stars, and stardust to appear, and for Earth to emerge from the deep. Your presence is the Christ deep among us, filling Earth – land, sea, air, and sky – filling every element and place, filling the grain and grape we share with you this day.

Therefore with angels and archangels, ancient voices in the forest, high voices from the sky, deep voices from the sea, and the whole company of creation we proclaim your presence among us.



# YOU ARE HOLY

DU ÄR HELIG

1\*



Du är he - lig, du är hel. Du är all - tid myck-et mer  
You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more



än vi nån - sin kan för - stå, du är nä - ra än - då.  
than we ev - er un - der - stand. You are al - ways at hand.



Väl - sig - nad va - re du som kom - mer hit just nu,  
Bless - ed are you com - ing near. Bless - ed are you com - ing here



väl - sig - na - de vår jord, blir till bröd på vår jord.  
to your church in wine and bread, raised from soil, raised from dead.

2



Du är he - lig, du är hel - het,  
You are ho - ly, you are whole - ness,



du är när - het he - la kos - mos lo - var dig!  
you are pres - ent. Let the cos - mos praise you, Lord!



Ho - si - an - na, ho - si - an - na,  
Sing ho - san - na in the high - est!



ho - si - an - na, ho - si - an - na vår Gud.  
Sing ho - san - na! Sing ho - san - na to our God!

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

### THE LORDS' PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come, for all things are now ready.

Come to the table and share with all in need:

the gift of healing for those in pain,  
the gift of forgiveness for those in sin,  
the gift of assurance for those in doubt,  
and the gift of hope for those in tears.



**May we who share these gifts share Christ with  
one another and with all our kin.**

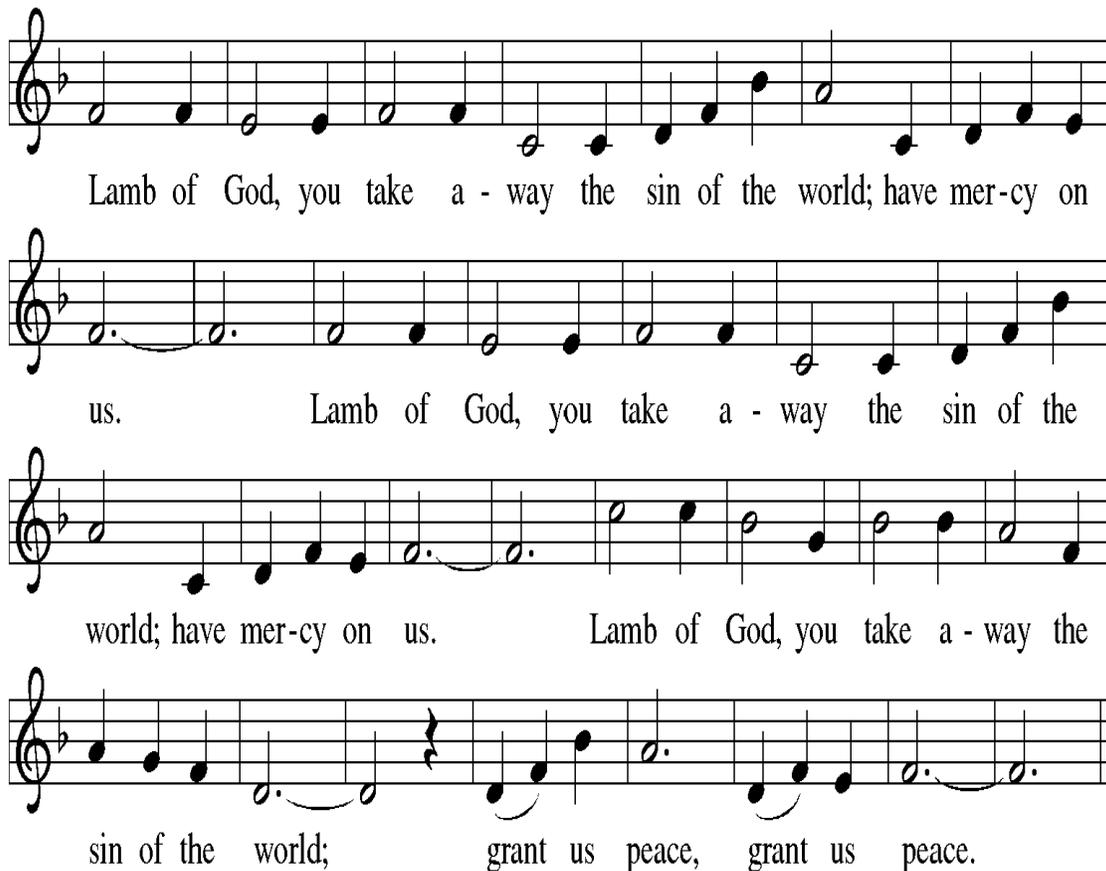
*Please be seated.*

### THE COMMUNION

*All are welcome at God's table of grace. Please come forward down the center aisle and hold out your hands to receive bread from the pastor or assisting minister. Then take an empty cup from the tray table and proceed to the wine station to have the server pour wine into your cup. Pre-poured grape juice is available in the four corners of the tray. Let your Communion server know if you would like a gluten free wafer. If you are unable to come to the front of the church for communion, please let an usher know and we will come to you. If you would like a blessing in place of Communion, please cross your arms over your chest as you come forward*

## LAMB OF GOD

BREAD OF LIFE



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on  
us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

## COMMUNION HYMNS

767 "All Things Bright and Beautiful"

ROYAL OAK

677 "This Little Light of Mine"

THIS JOY

*Please stand.*

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us give thanks for this meal:

**We thank you, Christ, for the meal we have celebrated with you, and we pray that through your body and blood we may be healed and become agents of healing for the Earth.**

**Amen.**

## Let All Things Now Living

1 Let all things now liv - ing a song of thanks - giv - ing to  
 2 God rules all the forc - es: the stars in their cours-es and

God the cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly raise,  
 sun in its or - bit o - be - dient - ly shine;

who fash - ioned and made us, pro - tect - ed and stayed us, who  
 the hills and the moun - tains, the riv - ers and foun - tains, the

still guides us on to the end of our days.  
 deeps of the o - cean pro - claim God di - vine.

God's ban - ners are o'er us, God's light goes be -  
 We too should be voic - ing our love and re -

fore us, a pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night,  
 joic - ing; with glad ad - o - ra - tion a song let us raise

till shad - ows have van - ished and dark - ness is ban - ished, as  
 till all things now liv - ing u - nite in thanks - giv - ing: "To

for - ward we trav - el from light in - to light.  
 God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise!"

## **COMMISSION**

Christ calls you to be his disciples,  
to serve him with love and compassion,  
to serve Earth by caring for creation,  
honoring the planet God has created to be our home.

**We will follow our crucified Lord,  
listening for cries of injustice from Earth  
and groaning with creation.**

**We will follow the risen Christ  
To be partners in healing our planet.**

**We will care for creation,  
nurturing our planet and celebrating life.  
Amen.**

## **BLESSING**

May God our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer bless you ✠ now and forever.  
**Amen.**

**SENDING HYMN 731      "Earth and All Stars!"**

EARTH AND ALL STARS

## **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord!  
**Thanks be to God!**



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## Serving The Community of Faith

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**Assisting Minister:** Emery Horvath  
**Ushers** Jim and Kay Boyter  
**Offering Bearer:** Addyson O'Connell  
**Acolyte:** Ella Horvath  
**Lector:** Pete Horvath  
**Communion Assistants:** Pastor Connie Bonner and Horst Kayser

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

**Given to the Glory of God:**

**Thanks to** James Harry for helping to provide refreshments today.

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## This Week at St. Mark

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**Sunday** 9:00 am St. Mark Fall Blood Drive  
September 16 9:30 am Worship  
10:45 am Refreshments

**Monday** 7:00 pm Al-Anon

**Tuesday** 10:00 am WELCA Meeting

**Thursday** 6:30 pm AA

**Saturday** 9:15 am Weeki Wachee Day Trip

**Sunday** 9:30 am Worship  
September 23 10:45 am Refreshments

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### Readings for next Sunday - Pentecost 18

Jeremiah 11:18-20; Psalm 54; James 3:13—4:3, 7-8a; Mark 9:30-37

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT ST. MARK.** Please sign our attendance book. We are happy to have you here with us! Please join us for refreshments on the breezeway after worship.

**ST. MARK 2018 FALL BLOOD DRIVE - Give Life - Give Blood** today **Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup>** when St. Mark sponsors its fall blood drive from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon. All donors will receive a FREE OneBlood Cancer Awareness T-shirt and wellness checkup including blood pressure, temperature, iron count, pulse and cholesterol screening. A photo I. D. is required and donors must be at 16 years of age or have parental consent. You can be a St. Mark "Everyday Day Hero" when you share your power!

**WELCA MEETING CHANGE** - St. Mark's WELCA group will now meet on the **third** Tuesday of the month. The next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 18th at 10:00** in the large conference room of the church office. All are welcome.

**WEEKI WACHEE DAY TRIP** - You're invited to join in the outdoor fun at our Weeki Wachee Day Trip on **Saturday, September 22nd**. All the spots are filled up for our kayaking trip, but there is no limit on how many go with us to the state park!

For those with children 5 or under, or if you enjoy walking around a scenic park, we invite you to hit the state park with Pastor Katy and kiddos. We'll enjoy a relaxing boat ride, play at the playground and enjoy the mermaid show! The cost for that event will be \$7 for adults, \$4 for children over 5, and free for children five and under. All participants make sure to pack a bag lunch for the river or the park! Sign up in the Narthex or by emailing Pastor Katy ([pastorkatyfast@gmail.com](mailto:pastorkatyfast@gmail.com)).

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICE** - You are invited to a special event to honor the pets in our lives, meet new friend and fellowship with old ones. St. Mark will partner with St. Alfred Episcopal Church to host a Pet Blessing. The event will take place on **Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm**. Come with your pet and a favorite toy or other item that you would like to have blessed.

**CONGREGATIONAL RETREAT** - Join us November 9th-11th at Luther Springs camp up near Hawthorne, Florida for a weekend of spiritual renewal, fellowship with St. Mark disciples of all ages, and fun in God's creation! Pick up a registration form today in the Narthex or download one from our website - [www.stmlc.com](http://www.stmlc.com). Registration is due by Sunday, October 7th! Final payments are due by October 28th.

**SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** - The church is a living and breathing entity, and is governed by a constitution. Our council leadership has been working to bring our constitution into compliance with the Model Constitution that was approved by the ELCA Churchwide Assembly in 2016. A congregational meeting, with a quorum, is required in order to update the constitution. **Members are requested to attend a special meeting on Sunday, October 21st immediately following worship to vote on the changes.** Copies of the updated constitution and an explanation of changes are available in the Narthex. Electronic copies will be sent to those members for whom we have a current e-mail on file. If you would like to make sure our office has a current e-mail for you, please contact our office administrator, Willie (727-733-0474).

**GRACE LUTHERAN TO HOST THE USF BRASS QUINTET IN CONCERT** - Grace Lutheran Church at Carrollwood is pleased to present a concert featuring the USF Brass Quintet with Lisa Katt Watson (soprano) and James Sawyers, Jr (organ). This event will take place on Sunday, September 30th from 4:00 pm until 5:30 pm. Musical selections include the works of Bach, Brahms, Bruckner, Campra, Caccini, Handel, Holst, Howells, Praetorius, and Schubert. This free event is funded through Grace's "Faith in the Arts" Endowment Fund. A free-will offering will be taken.

**NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION** - For those interested in becoming part of the body of Christ here at St. Mark there will be a New Member Orientation on **Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** in the large conference room. Childcare will be available upon request. Pastor Katy will cover the basics of Lutheranism, an introduction to life at St. Mark, and living out your faith through your spiritual gifts. If you are interested in becoming a member, please R.S.V.P. to Pastor Katy by phone (727-808-4684) or e-mail ([pastorkatyfast@gmail.com](mailto:pastorkatyfast@gmail.com)). We are excited to welcome in new members to our community of faith!

**THANK YOU FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES**—Dear St. Mark Lutheran Church, We would like to thank you for your generous donation of school supplies for the students of Dunedin Elementary School. We have already put the supplies to good use for students in need. This generous contribution and dedication clearly demonstrate to our students that their success is important enough for individuals like yourselves to take an active role in their education. Thank you so much for your commitment to the students of Dunedin Elementary School. Sincerely, Kerry Apuzzo Wyatt (Principal).

## 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 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:**

Jerry Rude  
Wanita Beier  
Gail Devine  
Darrell Zenk  
Warren Rockwell  
Darryl Kosloski  
Julie Kitchen  
Suzanne Bryant  
Carol Cicero  
Cheryl Burton  
Michael Bryant  
Clayton Stoots  
Carol Stone (fiancé of Clayton Stoots)  
Laurie Froelich (sister-in-law of Janice Froelich)  
Lisa Dryden (friend of Clayton Stoots)  
John Swan (grandson of Pat Croy)  
Zell Savitz (grandfather of Clayton Stoots)  
Judy Rebane (friend of Sue Nelson)  
Dave McDougall (friend of Bryan Fast)  
Derek (son-in-law of Sue Nelson)  
Tim Grumbling (brother of Jennifer Grumbling/uncle of Milla and Kaeden)  
David Mengel (uncle of Jennifer Grumbling)  
Colleen Brice (friend of the Horvath family)  
Sonia Silva (aunt of Janelys Hormes)  
Chris Rothgery (nephew of Trish Kitchel)  
Emily Fletcher Dano (granddaughter of Arnie Dano)  
Nancy Olson (sister of Suzanne Bryant)  
Kevin Morden (son of Don and Peggy Morden)  
Sharon (Leslie) Horst (friend of Jennifer Grumbling)  
Dan Edgerton (friend of Horst Kayser)  
Chris Tovar (son-in-law of Wanita Beier)

Vibeke Bredal (friend of Sue Nelson)  
Ingeborg Kayser (sister-in-law of Horst Kayser)  
Lou Straccioni (friend of Barbara Woodworth)  
Ernie Smith, Jr. (son of Phyllis Smith)  
Donita Holjes (friend of the Plasketts)  
Ernie Smith, Sr. (husband of Phyllis Smith)  
Jennifer (Nizer) Rakas (daughter of Ray and Charlotte Nizer)  
Ethan Gottlieb (grandson of Tim and Angela Langenback)  
Bret R. (friend of Linda Peterman)  
Jerriann VanEpern (friend of Linda Peterman)  
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Jerriann VanEpern (friend of Linda Peterman)  
Chelle S. (friend of Jennifer Grumbling)  
Tom Conway (brother of Mary VanHaute)  
Dorothy and Otto Pollei, Jr. (parents of Doug Pollei)  
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 SERVE (Family and friends of):**

Zoe Lekakis (granddaughter of the Nizers - Marines)  
Joel Elliott (stepson of Carolyn Elliott - in the Air Force)  
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)  
Calvin Jensen (friend of Carol Czajkowski - US Navy)  
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)  
Sam Palmer (family of the Horvaths)  
Andrew Amstutz (friend of the Langenbacks - US Navy)  
Alexis Grzegorzczak (friend of Carol Czajkowski - USAF)  
Mitch Shellenberger  
Tierney Froelich  
Rodney Mobley (son of the Nizers - Police Officer)

## 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  
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