Birthdays: Wright Nelson, Will Bates, Elena Leyssens, Jonah England, Ty Gay, Jerrid Thompson, Kenneth Womack
Anniversaries: None
Serving in the Armed Forces: Will, Blane, Jordan, Matthew, James, Emerson, Owen, Chrissy and Thomas.
Is a birthday or anniversary missing? Please contact the church office at admin@stmarksdalton.org
St. Mark's Prayer Chain - If you have a prayer request, you may contact Cathy Houser 706-624-8913, or 404-219-8139; housermc@aol.com

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This Sunday at St. Mark's
Nov. 1, 2026

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:00am Early Adult Sunday School
9:45am Adult Sunday School
10:30am Holy Eucharist Rite II
6pm Evensong
Noon Strength in Stillness

Every Monday
6-8pm GriefShare
Every Tuesday
6:15pm Evening Prayer
Every Wednesday
Handbells 5:15pm
Chancel Choir 7:30pm
Every Thursday
Bible Study - 6:00 pm Library
Al-Anon - 7:00 pm Parish Hall

A Look Ahead *Subject to Change*

Nov 4 4:30pm Preschool Council meets
Nov 6-7 Annual Council @ Diocese
Nov 8 Noon Children's Choir meets
Nov 8 Veterans Sunday
Nov 8 6pm Royal Oaks service
Nov 9 10am Quilting for Others
Nov 9 6pm Last Griefshare Class
Nov 10 4pm Prayer Shawl meets
Nov 11 Veterans Day
Nov 12 10am Royal Oaks
Nov 16 Noon Worship Meeting
Nov 16 1pm CoHi Meeting
Nov 17 6pm Vestry

Office Hours
Mon-Thurs 9am - 2pm

Rector	The Rev. Rick Tiff
Music Director & Organist	Beth Nichols
Cello	Eric Reed
Timpani	Chris Skaare
Eucharistic Ministers 8:00AM 10:30AM	Debora Buckner David & Nancy Chapman
Lector OT	Thierry Urbain
Lector NT	Carter Thomas
Prayer Leader	Barry Pulliam
Verger	Marilyn Lance
Acolytes	Patton Hunt, Andrea HamlinJackie Phillips
Flower Guild	Annelle Serritt
Altar Guild	Heather Brumlow, Brooke Halverson
Linen Guild	Kelly Harrell
Ushers 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Matt & Rosely Hamilton Paul Alderman, Wes Phinney
Oblation Bearers	TBD
Vestry of the Day	Chris Stanley
Welcome Cart	Lamb Family
Video	Chris Stanley, Billy Koger

The Holy Eucharist: Rite I 8:00 AM

We begin the service in silence.

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation **BCP p.** 323

The Collect for Purity **BCP p**. 323

The Gloria **BCP p.** 324

The Collect of the Day

O Almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: Grant us grace so to follow thy blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys which thou hast prepared for those who unfeignedly love thee; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

The First Reading: Revelation 7:9-17

The Psalm: Psalm 34:1-10,22 **BCP p.** 627

(Please stand and read responsively, by half verse)

The Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-3

The Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

Sermon **The Rev. Rick Tiff**

The Nicene Creed **BCP p**. 326

The Prayers of the People **BCP p**. 328

Confession of Sin **BCP p**. 331

The Peace **BCP p**. 332

Holy Communion

Offertory

Eucharistic Prayer I **BCP p**. 333

Sanctus **BCP p**. 334

The Lord's Prayer **BCP p**. 336

Fraction **BCP p**. 337

The Prayer of Humble Access **BCP p**. 337

The Communion **BCP p**. 338

Post-Communion Prayer **BCP p**. 339

The Blessing **BCP p**. 339

Postlude For all the saints *arr. Jacob B. Weber Canterbury Ringers*

The Dismissal **BCP p**. 340

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Welcome to St. Mark's Church

We are glad you have come to worship here this morning.
Please join us in prayerful meditation before the service.
We ask that you turn off cell phones, pagers and other electronic devices.
Hymns and Service Music (e.g. S280) may be found in The Hymnal 1982
WLP Hymns may be found in the green hymnal.

All Saints' Day
November 1, 2026
Holy Eucharist: Rite II 10:30 AM

Prelude For all the saints *arr. Jacob B. Webe*
Canterbury Ringers
Cello Suite No. 1, Prelude J.S. Bach
Eric Reed, cello

Processional Hymn 287 For all the saints *Sine Nomine*

Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen

The Collect for Purity **BCP p.** 355

Song of Praise Hymn 625 (vv. 1-2) Ye holy angels bright *Darwall's 148th*

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

The First Reading Revelation 7:9-17

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one who knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat, for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."



The Psalm: Psalm 34:1:10, 22 **BCP p. 627**

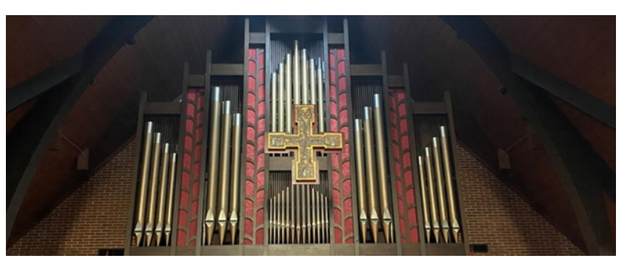
(All Stand and Sing)

1 I will bless the Lord at all / times; *
his praise shall ever be in my / mouth.
2 I will glory in the / Lord; *
let the humble hear and re / joice.
3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the / Lord;
let us exalt his Name to / gether.
4 I sought the Lord, and he / answered me *
and delivered me out of all my / terror.
5 Look upon him and be / radiant, *
and let not your faces be a / shamed.
6 I called in my affliction and the Lord / heard me *
and saved me from all my / troubles.
7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those who / fear him, *
and he will de / liver them.
8 Taste and see that the Lord is / good; *
happy are they who / trust in him!
9 Fear the Lord, you that are his / saints, *
for those who fear him lack / nothing.
10 The young lions lack and suffer / hunger, *
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is / good.

2nd Half
22 The Lord ransoms the life of his / servants, *
and none will be punished who / trust in him.

Epistle: 1 John 3:1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God, and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.



Sequence Hymn 293 I sing a song of the saints of God *Grand Isle*



The Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. And he began to speak and taught them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Sermon **The Rev. Rick Tiff**

The Nicene Creed **BCP p.** 358

Prayers of the People Form IV **BCP p**. 388

The Confession **BCP p.** 360

The Peace

Parish Notices

The Holy Communion

Offertory We are the Lord's *Londonderry Aire/arr. Roland E. Martin*

Presentation Hymn 625 (vv. 3-4) Ye holy angels bright *Darwall's 148th*

Eucharistic Prayer B **BCP p.** 367

Sanctus S128 Holy, holy, holy Lord *William Mathias*

The Lord's Prayer **BCP p**. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction S155 *Gerald R. Near*

The Communion

All are welcome to receive the Sacrament of the Body and Blood of our Lord. If you would like to participate in the traditional Common Cup, or through intinction, please join the line at the communion rail. To receive a blessing only, cross your arms over your chest. If you desire communion brought to you in the pew, please let an usher know

Communion Meditation Pie Jesu (from Requiem by Gabriel Fauré)

Post Communion Prayer **BCP p.** 365

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn 618 Ye watchers and ye holy ones *Lasst uns erfreuen*

The Dismissal

Postlude O God, our help in ages past *setting by Charles Callahan*

The flowers are donated by Debora Buckner and Toni Thompson in memory of Bo Thompson

Intercessions Prayer List

*Parishioners	Extended Community
*Tommy Brooks	David Blackburn family
*Arden Brown	Ty Coppinger
*Jon Burchfield	Rita Hammontree
*Ken Culverson	Rusty Harrison
*Evie Fincher	Clyde Johnson
* Rob Gouffon	Mari Jones
*Judy Hall	Monique Lenoir
*Donna Huoppi	Francisa Loredo
*John Hutcheson	Chris Maynard
*Sarah Jenkins	Muschamp family
*John Kenemer	Jim Unger
*Cindy Latour	John Wall
*Jim Sneary	Alan Weeks
*Judy Schwenn	Gordan

We are called as a community to pray with and for one another, and we invite you to submit requests for our parish prayer list. In order to keep the list up-to-date and to facilitate the intentionality with which we pray, we will print names for one month, unless otherwise requested. If you would like for someone to remain on the prayer list for more (or less) than one month, please call the Church Office or email admin@stmarksdalton.org

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