

October 5, 2025

Together, with faith, we can: connect, grow and serve

Flowers on the altar this morning are given by:

- * Tami Sheehy in memory of loving husband Dave on his birthday
- * Rollys Miller in loving memory of her sister, Judy Rakowski

Visitors and Guests: Thank you for worshiping with us this morning. Offerings may be placed in the blue boxes in the lobby. Please fill out the "A Place for You" card found on the same table, and hand it to the Pastor or Elder of the day as you leave. Welcome home!

Pub Theology will take place the third Tuesday of the month for October, and November at Pigeon Hill. Everyone is welcome!

Our first choir practice of the season will be **Wednesday, October 1 at 7 PM**. Anyone is welcome—whether you've sung in a choir before or this would be your very first time. If you have any questions, please reach out to our new Music Director, **Wolf Underberg**, at **rossunderberg90210@gmail.com**.

Thank you to the Ladies Guild for purchasing two infant changing stations for the Fellowship Hall bathrooms. Thank you also to Michael Schneidt and family for installing them. The Nursery also has a changing table if needed.

We are collecting box cake mix for Muskegon Recuse mission. We are hoping for more than 250 boxes. There is table in front of the Sanctuary for the donations. Thank you to all who have donated already.

Please remember to take your casserole dish home. Thank you to everyone who helped!

Thanks to our dedicated quilting group at St Mark there are 50 quilts that have been sent out local nonprofits. 168 quilts are boxed and ready to go out to Lutheran World Relief, and that's not including the quilts that are currently in the sanctuary. Thank you ladies for all you do.

October has traditionally been the month in which the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod observes church worker appreciation. A few ways to thank our ministry staff for the time they sacrifice from their families and energy they give for this congregation, is to pray for them and their families, and send cards of appreciation. It means a lot to have one's sacrifices acknowledged.



Serving St. Mark today:

Elder Bruce Schouten

Reader Sue Lohr

Greeters Judy Yonker and Gail Whittaker

Streaming Nate Lapham

Ushers George Sieffert

Recording Secretaries Sandy Fuller and Rollys Miller

Coffee Connection TBA

Next week:

Elder TBA

Reader Brent Plumhoff

Greeters Can you help?

Streaming Faith Family

Ushers Can you help?

Recording Secretaries Gary and Mary Bishop

Coffee Connection New Member welcome

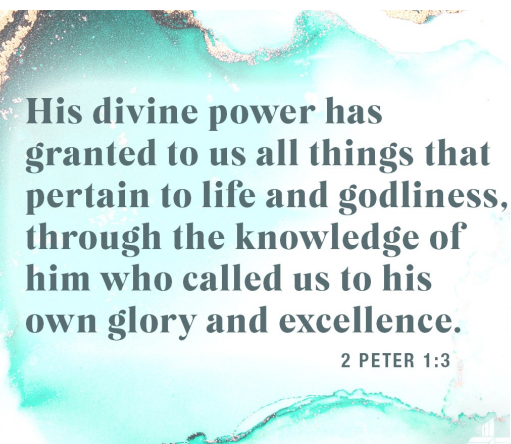
Coming Up:

New member welcome coffee hour 10/12 following service

Music Director Installation 10/19

First Communion 10/26

Trunk or Treat 10/29 during W.O.W



St. Mark Lutheran

4475 Henry Street Muskegon MI 49441

231-798-2197 | stmarkmuskegon.com | sml.muskegon@yahoo.com

Pastor Scott Faith

Ashley Boersma, Student Ministry | Wolf Underberg, Music Director

St. Mark family continuing medical care, undergoing treatment or in need of prayer: Robert Council, Nathan Erickson, Jim Fuller, Shannon Horne, Barb Jados, Barb Lewis, Bob Mills, Allison Plumhoff, Jill Sorenson and Duane Wentzloff*.

Please pray for St. Mark members who reside in assisted living facilities: Lois Bluhm at Seminole Shores, Norton Shores; Jean Dusenberry at Medi Lodge, Grand Haven; Don Larabee, Fountain View Assisted Living, Coopersville; Larry Miller at Lake Woods on Vulcan Street; Brenda Neuman at Robbinswood, Grand Haven, and Diane Wittkopp at Grand Pines, Grand Haven.

Family and friends of St. Mark:

Mary Gamble, niece of Tami Sheehy
Karen Szpeinski and **Carol Weaver**, friends of Carolyn Bickmeyer
Sandra Stuemke, sister of Larry and Gloria Miller
Olivia Gillespie, and **Barbara Barnhouse**, friends of Gary and Kathleen Schottke
Janet Havey, sister, and **Lakelyn Locke**, family of Larry and Cindy Bolduc
Lee Suits, friend of Sandy Hosko
Jim Mikesell, son-in-law of Marcia Carlson
Friends of Dan and Louise Hvizdos
Ken Wilson, friend of Sharon Johnson
Brock Stromer, friend of the family, of Al and Mary Sheldon
Sarah Israel, granddaughter of Lynne Guerne
Cory Jurrians, husband of Julie and son-in law and **Ben Jurrians**, grandson of Michael and Carol Sutton
Joe Lutz, brother of Mary Bishop
Gary Wentzloff, brother, **Carl Peters**, father and **Randy Maycroft**, friend of Cherié and Duane Wentzloff
Paula Cruickshank, cousin and **Diane Hill**, sister-in-law of Pauline Kaminski
Elliot Sieffert, grandson, and **David Sieffert**, son of Tom and Loretta Sieffert
Sara Link, daughter of Steve and Joan Link
Joanna Vink, sister of Joe Nemeth
Ron Terpstra, friend of Marsh and Sue Lohr
Terri Ahonen, sister, and **Nanette Nasol**, friend of Steve and Holly Lowney
Rob Perry, cousin of Ted Hosko
Hayes Floyd Kemp, friend of Bill and Laura Castle
Linda Landon, and **Jack Hetchler**, cousins of Gail Whittaker and Judy Yonker
Lynn Samuals, friend of Ruth Burnell
Emmett Gilbert*, family of Gerry and Karen VanOeffelen

Stewardship of God’s Gift to Us: 2025-2026

2025-2026 fiscal year budget needs:	\$	343,200 .00
Anticipated offerings	\$	85,800.00
Actual offerings	\$	74,125.00
Anticipated weekly offering	\$	6,600.00
Last week’s offering	\$	6,856.95

This week at St. Mark
October 6-12

Monday: Office Open 9:30am-1:30pm
Tuesday: Office Open 9:30am-1:30pm
Elders 7pm UR
Book Club 7pm
Wednesday: Office Closed
W.O.W. 5pm - 7pm
Choir 7pm
Bible Study 7pm
Thursday: Office Open 9:30am-1:30pm
Bible Study 10:30am
Sunday: **9:30 am Sunday Service**
10:30 am New Member Welcome Coffee Hour/ Sunday School/ 4:12/ Confirmation
5 pm Service