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

Flowers on the altar this morning are given by:

- \* Ron and Bonnie Micka, in celebration of their 54th wedding anniversary. Happy anniversary, Ron and Bonnie!
- \* Marlene Johnson, in loving memory of her husband, Wayne.

**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 *this Tuesday* and November 18 at Pigeon Hill. Everyone is welcome!

**W.O.W.** will have our **indoor Trunk or Treat October 29**. Please consider helping us with this event. We need volunteers to donate candy and/or decorate tables and pass out candy. We are planning lots of fun games for the kids to play that night also. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway to sign up. Questions, see Ashley Boersma. Thank you!

**We are collecting** box cake mixes for the Muskegon Rescue Mission's Thanksgiving baskets. There is table in front of the Sanctuary for the donations. Thank you to all who have already donated.

**Ladies Guild Meeting** is scheduled for <u>this Tuesday, October 21</u> at 4 pm. All ladies of the congregation are invited to participate.

**Our Christian congratulations** to new members who were welcomed into the St. Mark family last Sunday: Paul Abair; Dan and Alexis Fairfield; Robert and Kelley Osterman and their children Madison, Milee, Savannah and Gabriella, and Rosemary Westgate.

**West Michigan Winds** 'Fall Into Jazz' concert is on Saturday, October 25th at 7 pm at the Fruitport Performing Arts Center, featuring 'Rhapsody in Blue' with Dr. Sidney Yin at the piano. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$5 for children and are available at the door.

**The Ladies Guild** Fall Luncheon and Granny's Attic held September 23 was very successful. The luncheon netted \$1062, and Granny's Attic \$546.18. Thank you all for the donations to Granny's Attic, the monetary and food donations, setting up, cleaning and serving both in the kitchen and maintaining the tables. The Ladies Guild is truly thankful.

**St. Mark Elders invite you** to celebrate the staff at coffee hour on November 2. Come and show your appreciation for all they do for our church family.

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## Serving St. Mark today:

Elder Adam Hamdorf
Reader Erica Faith 9:30am
Greeters Can you help?
Streaming Linnea Larsen
Ushers Gary Meister
Recording Secretaries Jane
Bednarz and Janet Ralston
Coffee Connection Elders

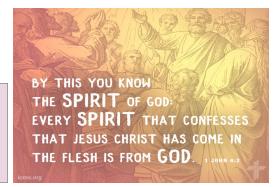
#### Next week:

Elder
Reader
Greeters Bob and Linda Mills
Streaming
Ushers Bob and Linda Mills
Recording Secretaries Ellen
Haney and Sue Lohr
Coffee Connection Ladies Guild

## Coming Up:

Music Director Installation 10/19
Ladies Guild Meeting 10/21
First Communion 10/26
Trunk or Treat 10/29 during W.O.W.

**Staff Appreciation Coffee Hour** 11/2



**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

Sarah Israel, granddaughter of Lynne Guerne

Cory Jurrians, husband of daughter Julie 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

\*Kurt Schaffmas, friend of Al and Mary Sheldon

\*Corey Gillespie, \*Bill Frazier, and \*Debra Sheckler, friends of Jane Bednarz

#### Stewardship of God's Gift to Us: 2025-2026

|  | 2025-2026 fiscal year budget needs: | \$ | 343,200 .00 |
|--|-------------------------------------|----|-------------|
|  | Anticipated offerings               | \$ | 99,000.00   |
|  | Actual offerings                    | \$ | 85,905.10   |
|  | Anticipated weekly offering         | \$ | 6,600.00    |
|  | Last week's offering                | \$ | 6 105 00    |

### This week at St. Mark October 20-26

Monday: Office Open 9:30am-1:30pm

Staff Huddle 12:30pm

**Tuesday**: Office Open 9:30am-1:30pm

Quilters 12 noon Fellowship Hall

**Pub Theology** 7pm Pigeon Hill Brewery

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 Service

10:30 am Coffee Hour

5 pm Service