



## ST. MARK'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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# May 22, 2022

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

### WELCOME GUESTS

*We are grateful and blessed to have you worship with us, as God's family, here at St. Mark's. When God's people come together we are the beating heart of His Church. We come together to receive His gifts of mercy and grace that sustain our faith and renew our Spirit. When we leave we have the privilege of sharing these gifts with others in our own lives. We hope you can see what a blessing it is to be a part of the heartbeat of God's people. Enjoy your time, meet some new people, and draw closer to Jesus Christ.*  
~ Pastor Eric Hauan

### CHRISTIAN GROWTH OPPORTUNITY

**Adult Bible Study** will meet from 9:15-10:15 am in the Fellowship Hall.

Topic: *God and Government*

Next Topic will be on the Parables on June 12th

### RINGING OF THE BELLS ~ WELCOME TO WORSHIP

**OPENING SONG:** "Great I Am"

**(10:30 am) Baptism: Teagan Mae VanOrder**  
Daughter of Michael & Melissa VanOrder

**(after services) Baptism: Madison Joy Krautkramer**  
Daughter of Scott & Renee Krautkramer

### INVOCATION

### CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**C Amen.**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE - April Wanish

### SONG OF PRAISE: "Good Good Father"

#### FIRST READING: Acts 16:9-15

A vision appeared to Paul in the night: a man of Macedonia was standing there, urging him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." And when Paul had seen the vision, immediately we sought to go on into Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.

So, setting sail from Troas, we made a direct voyage to Samothrace, and the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city some days. And on the Sabbath day we went outside the gate to the riverside, where we supposed there was a place of prayer, and we sat down and spoke to the women who had come together. One who heard us was a woman named Lydia, from the city of Thyatira, a seller of purple goods, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul. And after she was baptized, and her household as well, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come to my house and stay." And she prevailed upon us.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God!**

#### SECOND READING: Revelation 21:9-14, 21-27

Then came one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls full of the seven last plagues and spoke to me, saying, "Come, I will show you the Bride, the wife of the Lamb." And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great, high mountain, and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God, having the glory of God, its radiance like a most rare jewel, like a jasper, clear as crystal. It had a great, high wall, with twelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and on the gates the names of the twelve tribes of the sons of Israel were inscribed— on the east three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. And the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and on them were the twelve names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

And the twelve gates were twelve pearls, each of the gates made of a single pearl, and the street of the city was pure gold, transparent as glass.

And I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and its lamp is the Lamb. By its light will the nations walk, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it, and its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there. They will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. But nothing unclean will ever enter it, nor anyone who does what is detestable or false, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God!**

#### GOSPEL: John 5:1-9

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John the 5th chapter.

**C Glory to You, O Lord.**

After this there was a feast of the Jews, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem.

Now there is in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate a pool, in Aramaic called Bethesda, which has five roofed colonnades. In these lay a multitude of invalids—blind, lame, and paralyzed. One man was there who had been an invalid for thirty-eight years. When Jesus saw him lying there and knew that he had already been there a long time, he said to him, "Do you want to be healed?" The sick man answered him, "Sir, I have no one to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up, and while I am going another steps down before me." Jesus said to him, "Get up, take up your bed, and walk." And at once the man was healed, and he took up his bed and walked.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C Praise to You, O Christ!**

## **CREED: Meaning of the Second Article**

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. This is most certainly true.

## **SERMON SONG: "Way Maker"**

## **SERMON**

## **PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY OF GOD**

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS / OFFERING**

## **RITE OF FELLOWSHIP**

*(Please indicate if you are a member or visitor in the Rite of Friendship books and if you will be joining us for Holy Communion. If visiting please leave us a means to contact you as we would love to follow up with you.)*

## **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

## **HOLY COMMUNION**

*We believe Christ's body and blood are truly present in the bread and wine of this Sacrament for the forgiveness of sins to all who believe. If you share this belief, please join us in celebrating the meal of God's family – Holy Communion, please receive the wafer in the palm of your hand. (The cups with white juice are for those who have requested them. Gluten-Free wafers are available upon request.)*

## **COMMUNION SONGS**

*"Revelation Song"*

## **BLESSING and BENEDICTION**

## **CLOSING SONG: "The Father's House"**

## **DISMISSAL**

**P** Wherever you go, Christ is sending you.  
Wherever you are, Christ has put you there.  
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## **GREETERS**

Ken & Sue Berndt                  Judith Young

## **READERS**

Katherine Sparks                  Rachel Olson

## **POWERPOINT**

Derek Simon                  Michael Deedon

## **COMMUNION ASSISTANTS**

Sue Berndt, Katherine Sparks                  Rita Woller & Rachel Olson

## **USHERS**

Warren & Sharon Jacobi, Bruce Thurs, Ray Melander, Jae Loiz  
Rich Klein, Chris Grosskreutz, Herb Ninnemann

## **ALTAR GUILD**

Sue Berndt, Ruth Tritten, Kris Sparks

## **BOUQUET**

Today's bouquet is given by Perry & Denise Snoeyenbos in honor  
their son Nick who turned 28 on May 20th.

**Please keep the following people in our prayers:**

**Medical / Health Concerns:** Lyle & Sandy Royce, Todd & Sandy Hass, Marge Raddatz, Tom Yelton, Carla Haebig, Jenny Garcia, Steve Herring, Raphael Klein, Ken Nielsen, Vienna Haunschuld, granddaughter of Phyllis Koppa, Barb Langbecker, baby Mila, baby Madilyn great Niece of Lee & Fran for health concerns, Perry Redeker, Cal Hauan for upcoming tests at Mayo Clinic, Paul Michalski healing from surgery.

**Battling Cancer:** Leslie Anklam, Carol Ray.

**Recovery:** Marlene Giese, Shirley Bremer, Deb Block, Linda Ohde.

**Grieving:** the family and friends of Darlene Burk

**\* For those who got pictures taken in April, they are ready to be picked up. They are located on table in the narthex by coffee maker.**

### Ongoing Events

**Monday:**

8:00 am Orphan Grain Train

**Tuesday:**

6:30 am Men In Action Bible study / **Topic on May 24TH:** Hebrews

**Wednesday:**

1:00 pm Son-Shine Bible study - Women's Group / **Topic on May 25th:** The Women at the Well

**Thursday:**

5:00 pm PEW Sisters (meets every other Thurs.) **Next Meeting will be held on June 2nd**

### Upcoming Events

**May 29th:** 9:00 am Service - Patriotic Service - **ONE SERVICE ONLY**

**June 5th:** Commissioning of Blaine Welch as our Director of Family Ministry (**both services**)  
Graduation Sunday (Recognition at **10:30 service**)

**\*\* Pillowcase Shorts workshop that was scheduled for May 24th has been cancelled. \*\***



WVLHS is now accepting enrollment for the 2022 - 23 school year. If you are intentionally looking for a place for your student to grow academically, spiritually and socially, check out their website at [www.wvlhs.org](http://www.wvlhs.org).

### **ATTENTION 2022 GRADUATES!**

If you are graduating this year, please contact the office. We want to recognize your achievements in our upcoming June Service. If you have **not received a letter** from the office yet, **please contact Jean in the office** at [jdrake@stmarkslcms.org](mailto:jdrake@stmarkslcms.org) or 715-848-5511, ext. 1

## Klein Dinner Sign up

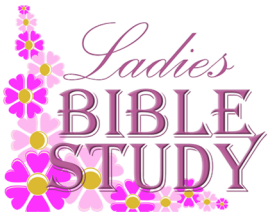


Prayers have been answered and little Raphael Klein's surgery went well. There is a sign-up sheet on the credenza in the Narthex to help with once-a-week meals for the Klein Family. Tuesday is the day of the week preferred. They prefer not to have desserts and limit the bread. No allergies noted and they enjoy all meats, vegetables and fruits. Please sign the sheet and call Kristina at 608-432-1202 to arrange the time of delivery.

## VBS Haiti

Help us collect the following items for the VBS program in Haiti: **Backpacks, Jewelry making supplies, Crayons (new & used), Paint, Paint brushes, Play dough**

Please place donated items in the blue box in the Narthex. We'll collect items until June 12th. Thank you for your support!



**REMINDER:** New Ladies Bible Study beginning **TONIGHT at 6:00 pm**. The study is on the book of Hebrews, from a Bible Study series called "Life Lessons with Max Lucado, Book of Hebrews." **This is a 12 week study.** This will be led by Nan Schultz. Please call her with any questions 715-370-0208. See you there!

### 2022 St. Mark's Softball Schedule - Div. 2

(all games played at Sunnyvale Softball Complex,  
1000 S 66th Ave., Wausau)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Field</u>	<u>Playing</u>
May 22nd	5:30	2	Good Ol Boys
June 5th	6:30	3	Treus Tic Toc
June 12th	7:30	2	Immanuel Baptist Church
June 19th	8:30	3	The Lawn Rangers
June 26th	6:30	2	Christ Community Church
June 26th	8:30	2	The Lawn Rangers
July 10th	6:30	3	JaMars
July 17th	7:30	2	Immanuel Baptist Church
July 24th	8:30	3	Good Ol Boys

## COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS


We are looking for volunteers to set up & bring snacks for Bible study on Sunday between services during the summer months (June 12th - End of August). We will have a sign up sheet located on bulletin board in kitchen. Please call or email Jean in the office with questions or if you want to sign up. She can be reached at 715-848-5511, ext 1 or [jdrake@stmarkslcms.org](mailto:jdrake@stmarkslcms.org).

~ Thank you!



# St. Mark's Scoop

## May 22 - 29, 2022

Sun, May 22	<b>CONTEMPORARY</b> 8:00 Worship 9:15 Bible Study (God & Gov't) 10:30 Worship 5:30 St. Mark's Softball game ** Sunnyvale Field# 2
	
Mon, May 23	8:00 OGT 11:30 Noon Optimists 1:00 Staff Meeting 3:30 Drivers Ed
Tues, May 24	6:30 MIA Bible study 1:00 LWML Ex Board 3:30 Drivers Ed <b>Markings Deadline at 10am</b>
Wed, May 25	1:00 Son Shine Bible Study -The Women at the Well 3:30 Drivers Ed 6:00 Worship
Thurs, May 26	-----
Fri, May 27	<b>Pastor's Family Day</b>
Sat, May 28	-----
Sun, May 29	<b>Traditional / Brass - Patriotic</b> 9:00 Worship
Mon, May 30	Office Closed - Memorial Day

### Pillowcase Shorts Workshops

Thank you for all of our faithful workers! We have surpassed our goal of 150 dresses and shorts so we will **NOT** meet May 24th. We'll look forward to getting together next fall to start making dresses & shorts again. Donations of pillowcases are always welcome.

### **Who do I contact to ...**

Become a member - Pastor Eric  
 Baptize my child - Pastor Eric  
 Make a prayer request - Jean or Sharon  
 Get married - Pastor Eric  
 Preschool - Deb  
 Volunteer - Sharon  
 Give to church - Sharon  
 Ask a question about finances - Sharon  
 Ask general questions - Pastor or Jean

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### PEW Sisters 2022 Meeting Schedule

Thursdays from 5:00 - 6:00 pm in classrooms

June 2, 16, 30

July 7 (no class 7/21)

August 4, 18

September 1, 15, 29

October 6, 20

November (no class 11/3) 10, 17

December 1, 15 (no class 12/29)