

# ReMARKS, February 2022

# A Lenten Invitation

I know we are still a month out, but before you know it, Ash Wednesday will be upon us. I know, I know-- we just got done with Christmas! And there are WEEKS left until we move into Lent and start a new season of the church year. But this season of repentance, that is, turning and returning to the Lord our God, takes some preparation. Kind of like slowing down while driving before you make a U-turn – it's important to observe your surroundings, assess the situation, and make a plan to go in a new direction.



The season of Lent is a time when we draw closer to God through practices that help us to focus on God in a new way in our lives. Often, people will take on Lenten disciplines, practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, that set their attention on God's love and mercy shown to us in Christ. With these new or renewed practices, God sends us in a new direction as we journey to the cross of Good Friday, and the empty tomb of Easter morning.

What would it look like if we took on a Lenten discipline together this year?

What if we took on a practice that would strengthen us, as individuals and as a congregation? An activity that would help us grow in faith and understanding of who God created us to be? An opportunity to strengthen relationships with one another, and build a stronger community that has been difficult to do during the pandemic?

Pastor Matt and I invite YOU to participate in a small group this Lent! Yes, if you're reading this, YOU are invited. It is our hope to have everyone in our community of faith participate in this Lenten discipline together.

# A Lenten Invitation Cont.

# What is a small group?

For 6 Sundays, March 6 through April 10, 7 or 8 people with gather, either at church on Sunday during the Faith Formation hour, or on Zoom throughout the week. For about 45 minutes to an hour these Small Groups will read scripture, discuss a weekly topic, get to know one another better through conversation, and pray with one another. Groups will be led by members of St. Mark's, and all groups, whether online or in person, will have discussion material that supports our Lenten theme of "From Everlasting to Everlasting." It is our hope that those who join a small group would commit to attending each of the 6 weeks.

As you prepare for Lent, I ask you to pray about participating in this congregational Lenten discipline. Click here to sign up, or contact Deacon Katie for more information so that we can prepare a place for you. We need you, and we need a strong community as we walk together into what God is calling us to do next.

#### Deacon Katie

Lenten Small Groups			
Thank you for deciding to participate in our congregational 2022 Lenten discipline of small group ministry!			
For 6 Sundays, March 6 through April 10, you will be placed in a small group with other St. Mark's members, either at church on Sunday during the Faith Formation hour, or on Zoom throughout the week. For about 45 minutes to an hour these Small Groups will read scripture, discuss a weekly topic, get to know one another better through conversation, and pray with one another. It is our hope that those who join a small group would commit to attending each of the 6 weeks.  In order to create groups based on the needs of participants, please answer the questions below. You will be contacted by Deacon Katie with more information about your small group by March 1.  * Required			
How would you like to participate in a small group? Check all that apply *			
In Person at St. Mark's on Sunday mornings during Faith Formation (9:45)			
In Person at St. Mark's on a day other than Sunday			
On Zoom Sunday mornings during Faith Formation (9:45)			
On Zoom on a day other than Sunday			
Are you willing to help lead a small group? *			
○ Yes			
○ No			

# St. Mark's Faith Formation and Fellowship

For Questions regarding Faith Formation or Discipleship, Contact Deacon Katie

# Adult Faith Formation—Worship Words



February 6th

Cantor David will conclude "Worship Words," a class about the weird and wonderful words associated with the church on February 6th. This class will meet in the sanctuary and via Zoom.

February 13th, 20th, and 27th

The topic of study for the remaining Sundays in February will be announced in the February 9th MiniMarks publication. Stay tuned!

## andmarks

February 13th from 9:45am-10:45am

New to St.Mark's? Want to get to know the people here? Interested in getting involved with what God is doing in this place? LandMARKS is a monthly meeting with Pastor Matt and/or Deacon Katie that helps visitors and new members learn about the ministries of St. Mark's, get to know the staff and members, and ask questions about our community. *Meet us at the bottom of the main staircase at 9:45am to join!* 

# Service of Healing with Communion

Third Wednesday of each month, February 16th @ 12pm

On the third Wednesday of each month, St. Mark's holds a Service of Healing with Communion and anointing. Please join us for this service of prayer. This service is also streamed on our Facebook page for those unable to attend in person. Please note that we are no longer sharing a meal after the service due to Covid restrictions.

# Ash Wednesday Services

March 2nd @ 12pm and 6:30pm



These services mark the beginning of the season of Lent. For over a thousand years Christians have received ashes on this day as a sign of humility, and a remembrance of our mortality and God's unchanging love. Join us for an Ash Wednesday Worship service to receive the blessing of ashes either at 12pm or 6:30pm on March 2nd.

# Lutheran Services Carolinas (LSC)

## For Questions contact Cindy Lauster

# St. Mark's Circle of Welcome Volunteer Group

St. Mark's Circle of Welcome family has arrived! We will be supporting a family of 10, 8 of whom are children ranging from ages 3-15.

Below you will find a few immediate needs that will continue to be updated each week in St. Mark's weekly emails, known as the MiniMarks, as we learn more about this family's needs and interest.

- **Household Supplies:** laundry detergent, dishwashing detergent, paper towels, toilet paper, general cleaning supplies
- **Food donations:** fresh food items and naan bread.
- **Transportation:** Many large vehicles (a van in particular) will be needed to transport this family of 10 to appointments and stores as needed.
- **Toys & Arts Supplies:** The 8 children range in age from 3-15 years old. If you can supply art supplies or toys, please contact Cindy before bringing the items to church so that they do not get too many duplicates.

If you are able to donate or volunteer, please contact Cindy Lauster. (p) 317.435.8405 (e) cynthialauster@gmail.com.

# Lutheran Services Carolinas Open House

February 13th beginning at 2pm @ St. Mark's Lutheran



LSC invites you to celebrate the opening of its New Americans Program office in Asheville. Join us in the Fellowship Hall of St. Mark's on February 13th, beginning at 2pm.

You will have the opportunity to meet LSC President Ted Gains and the New Americans Program teammates that are sharing our building. Please feel free to invite friends and neighbors.

RSVP by February 4th to Tracy Staley at 704-603-1692 or tstaley@lscarolinas.net

# New American Program Offices St. Mark's in the LSC News

When St. Mark's Lutheran Church in Asheville conducted its capital campaign a few years ago, Pastor Matt Smith said a big part of it was to renovate the building to serve the community and to plan for a miracle.

"We didn't know exactly what that would look like and what the needs would be, but we trusted that the Spirit would find ways for us to serve through our investment in these spaces," Smith said.

The campaign allowed St. Mark's to create two classrooms for a child development center, add office space, and renovate some bathrooms. However, Smith said as the COVID-19 pandemic slogged on, the spaces weren't being utilized to their full potential.

When the church received a call from Lutheran Services Carolinas (LSC), the congregation knew it had found the miracle.

"When we got the call from LSC that they were looking at doing refugee resettlement in Asheville and one of the needs was office space, we saw God at work," Smith said. "Part of our congregation's mission is serving all people, so we were thrilled to be able to use our comfortable spaces to partner with LSC's Afghan placement program to support people who have been through so much and will arrive with so little."



# New American Program Offices Cont.

LSC recently opened a New Americans Program office in part of the church's renovated spaces to bring its refugee resettlement work to the Asheville area. Refugees resettled through LSC are legal, fully vetted, and are here at the invitation of the United States of America.

"We are the church together," said LSC President Ted Goins. "It takes a village and when churches, LSC, individuals, and the Asheville community lean in, we can work wonders. These neighbors have been persecuted and threatened by the Taliban; we can give them a new and safe life as New Americans."

Laura Collins, Asheville's area manager, said LSC expects to receive 100 refugees to the area in the coming months. She added that St. Mark's is a perfect central location for these new arrivals, with easy access to anything they will need.

"I'm excited to be a part of this moment in history," Collins said. "This is quite literally the largest airlift of refugees in United States history, so Asheville gets to be part of that."

The first refugees are set to start arriving in the middle of January, and Collins said there are a variety of ways the community can get involved. The biggest need is housing, whether temporary or more permanent.

The office will also accept donations of halal appropriate meals because of dietary restrictions or donations to pay for them, grocery store gift cards, or general contributions to allow LSC to do this important work.

Please contact Amy Dix, Asheville's outreach coordinator, at adix@lscarolinas.net for information about contributions, items to donate, or for information about volunteer opportunities.

Anyone who is interested in learning more about LSC's New Americans Program can attend an upcoming open house at the new office, which is located at 135 Merrimon Ave., Asheville, NC 28801, on Sunday, Feb. 13 from 2-4 p.m.

Attendees will have the opportunity to meet LSC President and CEO Ted Goins and learn more about refugee resettlement efforts in Asheville. Please RSVP by Friday, Feb. 4 to Tracy Staley at tstaley@lscarolinas.net or 704-603-1692.

- Written by Erin Kidd, LSC Communications Manager published on 1/12/2022

# Council Corner



## Church Greetings from the St Mark's Congregation Council!

Here are highlights from our Jan 2022 Zoom meeting & Council Orientation Session:

- Worship continues to be structured so as to minimize the risk of spread of the COVID virus (restricted seating, limited singing, open windows, wearing masks, etc.).
- Lutheran Services Carolina is now working in our building, getting ready for the Afghan refugees that will soon be arriving in Asheville.
- Three people were approved to be new members of the congregation: Mary Brady, Bill Chalmers, and Mary Wilkins.
- New Council members, with 3-year terms (2022 through 2024), are Bonnie Morris, Bryan Short, and Anne Blackwell.
- Walter Hitch and Ken Clark were appointed to the audit team.
- Linda Kinsinger and James Aydelotte were voted to be the 2022 Council President and Vice-President, respectively. Secretary Debbie Layne and Treasurer Jim Bassler will stay in their roles for the coming year.
- The 2021 Finance report is not quite finalized yet but will show a positive balance (surplus) for the year.
- Council liaisons to ministry teams were announced at the Orientation session. Ministry team leads should expect to hear from their liaison soon.
- Council members began to brainstorm ideas for St. Mark's for the coming year and beyond.

Linda Kinsinger, Council President

## Council Installation

Join us in welcoming and praying over the St. Mark's Council on Sunday, February 6th during both the 8:30am and 11am Worship Service.

## **Congregation Council Officers:**

President Linda Kinsinger Vice President James Aydelotte Treasurer Jim Bassler Recording Secretary Debbie Layne

## **Congregation Council Members:**

<u>Terms Expiring 22</u>	<u>Terms Expiring 23</u>	<u>Terms Expiring 24</u>
James Aydelotte	Debbie Layne	Anne Blackwell
Gloria Sainio	Dave Epley	Jason Jones
Amy Zellers	Linda Kinsinger	<b>Bonnie Morris</b>
Jeremy Kemper	Jim Bassler	Bryan Short

# Christian Action Team (CAT)

# Giving Tree Gifts

Thank you St. Mark's for your Thanksgiving/Christmas gifts. Your generosity through the Giving Tree adds smiles to many people's faces!

## You gave:

- 38 pairs of slippers to "Our Voice"
- \$125 in gift cards to children of our neighborhood school "Claxton"
- 66 pieces of thermal underwear to ABCCM's homeless shelters.
- 15 goats, bees, chicken, chicks, 8 pigs, 2 "Family Feed", School fees for girls through the ELCA World Hunger Relief.

These gifts were partially funded with Thrivent Action Grants.

Happy New Year!

# Choice Dollars Deadline Coming Up



Just a reminder that if you have a Thrivent policy with Choice Dollars, please designate them to St. Marks so they will be used for our congregation's outreach projects. If you have not already done so, go online to Thrivent and activate your account (this way you can quickly write your two annual action team grants). Once you are logged in, select

"offerings," then "generosity." Choose "Allocate Choice Dollars." This must be done before the end of March, or they will be lost. Please contact Daniel Dudde, or Thrivent agent Glenn Deal if you have any questions.

# Racial Healing Team



T.B.M. Smallcakes Cupcakery and Creamery!

Valentine's Day is Monday, February 14. You're welcome for the reminder! Do you have a sweet treat to share with your sweetheart? Or maybe you just want a delicious, freshly made bite of joy for yourself. Whatever the occasion, the Racial Healing Team would love for you to try a local, Black-owned bakery called T.B.M. Smallcakes Cupcakery and Creamery! Cupcakes, cakes, and homemade ice cream are just a drive away to Biltmore Park where the motto is, "Dessert before dinner!" Find them online (tbmsmallcakesasheville.com), like them on Facebook, order by phone (828-676-2711), or stop by for the ultimate in-person experience (33 Towne Square Blvd, Asheville 28803).

# ABCCM Volunteer Opportunities

#### Volunteer Ministries

Volunteers reflect the heart of God! You can also be a reflection in three easy steps.

Step 1. Listen

Step 2. Contact

Step 3. Serve

There are many different ways to get involved at ABCCM and no prior experience is needed, training will be provided. If you are interested in learning more about the different volunteer ministries, contact the coordinator listed under vour ministry choice or contact Dan Dudde for more information.

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## Step 1. Listen

Where is God calling you in serve?

Step 2. Contact

Reach out to the Volunteer Coordinator listed in the ministry of your choice. No experience needed; training will be provided. For questions email Caleb Bradshaw: volunteer@abccm.org

## Step 3. Serve

As followers/disciples of Christ, you will be putting your faith into action!

#### Can you smile?

Then you're qualified to be a receptionist.

#### Are you compassionate?

Then you're qualified to be a counselor.

#### Do you like to teach?

Then you'd be a great Bible study leader, life skills class, tutor or teacher of a curriculumbased course.

#### Can you cook?

Then you'd be perfect on a cook feam or serving in our food pantry.

#### Medical Ministry



The Medical Ministry provides essential healthcare services including telehealth and pharmacy services.

#### Clinic volunteer shifts:

M,T,W 9-12 CLINIC NEEDS: Receptionists

Clerical / Data entry

Intake

Providers (MDs, DOs, NPs, PAs) Nurses (RNs, LPNs, CNAs, EMTs)

Pharmacy technicians & support Outdoor work teams Medical equipment/supplies

\*For Pharmacy shifts or other volunteer opportunities during covid, please inquire with Volunteer Coordinator.

#### Contact

kevin.ray@abccm.org

Contact

Medical Clinic

828-259-5339

Kevin Ray

828-398-6690

Beth Reeves, FNP

Vanessa James, Chaplain vanessa.james@buncombecounty.org

Don Johnson don.johnson@abccm.org

#### **Jail Ministry**

Jail Ministry is a program of compassion through Bible studies & library services.

> JAIL NEEDS: Bible study leaders Library assistants

#### Crisis Ministry

Crisis Ministry has four locations, serving individuals and families with emergency assistance such as food, clothing, furniture and

**ABCCM Volunteer Opportunities** 

#### Crisis Ministry volunteer shifts:

M-F 8:30-12:30

M-F 12:30-4:30

ALL CRISIS MINISTRIES NEED:

Receptionists

Counselors Food pantry

Clothing Room

Prepare and serve lunch at Sonrise

Donation Warehouse need:

Receptionist/Greeters & sorters

Main Crisis Ministry Mary Messarra

828-259-5300

mary.messarra@abccm.org

ABCCM Hominy Valley Christy Shortridge 828-259-5301

christy.shortridge@abccm.org

financial assistance for heat, utilities and rent/mortgage



Contact

ABCCM North Samaritan Shervl Olsen

828-259-5303 sheryl.olsen@abccm.org

ABCCM South Crisis Bryan Prather 828-259-5302 bryan.prather@abccm.org

Donations Warehouse Reggie Glenn 828-259-5322 reggie.glenn@abccm.org

Contact

#### Homeless Ministry

The Veterans Restoration Quarters has 250 beds for men. Transformation Village offers 100 beds for homeless women, veterans and moms with kids We provide stabilization, life skills education, and employment training which leads to career level jobs and permanent homes.

#### VRO volunteer shift times:

M-F 9-12

M-F 1-5

M-F 7-9

VRQ NEEDS:

Receptionists Barbers

Chaplains Cook teams

Outdoor work teams

Teachers/study leaders

Transformation Village volunteer shift times:

M-F 9-12

M-F 1-5

M-F 7-9

Receptionists Beauticians Chaplains Cook teams Outdoor work teams

Teachers/Tutors Structured play /child enrichmens



VRQ Volunteer Coordinator

Michelle Laws 828-398-6614

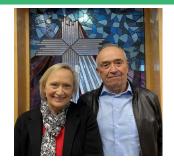
Transformation Village Volunteer Coordinator Shannon Paris 828-398-6985

# New Members

On January 23rd we had three new members join St. Mark's by affirmation of faith. Welcome Mary Wilkins and Mary Brady & Bill Chalmers.







Mary Brady & Bill Chalmers

# Christine W. Avery Learning Center Updates



With perseverance, persistence, and patience the childcare center is slowly but surely still on track to open at St. Mark's.

From an outside perspective, the childcare center looks like it should be up and running! The fence is in place and the classrooms are ready for learning minds.

Behind the scenes, there are ongoing inspections required by the NC Childcare License Agency—some of which may take 4-6 weeks to complete.

In the meantime, St. Mark's is working to practice the new regulations that will need to be continuously in place in order for CWA to pass inspections before, and during our partnership.

## Currently please:

- Keep the door to the education wing locked at all times. There is a key hanging on the bulletin board to the right of the door if you need to get in. Please remember to lock the door behind you each time you pass through.
- Be mindful of what is being left in the kitchen, on the counters or underneath. There can not be any products that say "keep out of reach of children" in the licensed area—and the kitchen will be licensed.

Be on the lookout for additional signs and communications as these regulations may change as we continue the inspection process with CWA. Note that currently, the kitchen can still be used freely while paying attention to the posted regulations. When time gets closer, the kitchen will be off limits from 10:30am-12:30pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.

# News and Updates

# Worship Assistant Availability

If you volunteer for any worship assistant position, please send the Sunday dates that you are not available during the months of March, April, and May to Danielle so that she can create the next worship assistant schedule. If you would like to be added, or trained, in a new position, please let Danielle or Deacon Katie know and they will make this happen!

# 2022 Altar Flower Sign Up

Please visit the Sign-Up-Central Board if you would like to donate flowers for a Sunday in 2022. The price will remain \$35 per arrangement.

If you have extra vases that you could donate to the Altar Guild, the church office would be happy to take them off of your hands.

# Weekly Prayer List

The Prayer List is distributed by email weekly on Friday mornings. If you have not been receiving this list and would like to, please notify Danielle and she will add you to the recipients. If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, this too can be sent to Danielle. She will leave a request on the list for about one month at which point you will need to notify her if you would like your request to remain in this weekly communication.

## Lutheran Men in Mission

February 12th @ 8am

LMM will now be meeting at the IHOP on Tunnel Rd the second Saturday of each month at 8am. If you have questions about this men's group, please contact Chuck Kopp at 828-595-7606

# Security System is LIVE

As a reminder, the security system at St. Mark's is active. This system will monitor the second level of our facility, just as the old system did. Once you come up any stairwell, or enter in the North Liberty St. entrance, the alarm will activate and you have 60 seconds to enter in the code on one of the two keypads. If you remain on the main floor (Fellowship Hall, Kitchen, ect) you will *not* need to deactivate the alarm system.

The code for the new system will be the same code as before. The disarming key pads are located next to the elevator on the second floor and at the end of the admin office hallway. If you need access to this code, or a lesson on how to disarm the system, please contact the church office or Steve.

# Stewardship

## **Financial Report**

Below you will find December's financial report for both the Operating Fund and the Building Fund. Thank you for your continued contributions.

#### **Financial Report**

Operating Fund

\*subject to change from treasurer's report\*

#### Income budgeted

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$38,913 \$466,956

#### Gifts received

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$46,555 \$511,015

#### Expenditures

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$48,231 \$471,050

#### Surplus/(Deficit)

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$(1,676) \$39,966

#### **Financial Report**

Building Fund

\*subject to change from treasurer's report\*

#### Income budgeted

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$4,667 \$56,004

#### Gifts received against Pledges

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$4,977 \$44,290

#### Loan Payments

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$5,351 \$64,212

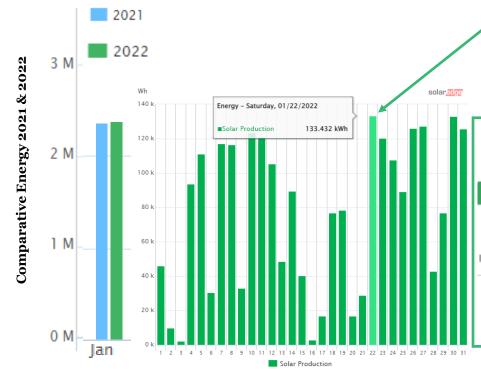
#### Surplus/(Deficit)

<u>December</u> <u>YTD</u>

\$(374) \$(19,922)

# Caring for God's Creation

#### **January Solar Report**



January 22 was the top producing day this month @133.432 kWh

Environmental Benefits From Install date of July 2020

#### **Environmental Benefits**



CO2 Emission Saved **97.366.53 lb** 



# Sunday Calendar

#### February 6th- Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Scripture Readings: Isaiah 6:1-8(9-13); Psalm 138 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

8:30am	Worship
	Council Installation
9:45am	Faith Formation
9:45am	Landmarks
11:00am	Worship
11:00am	Council Installation
12:00pm	Faith Formation Planning Session

#### February 13th - Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

Scripture Readings: Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1 1 Corinthians 15:12-20, Luke 6:17-26

8:30am	Worship
9:45am	Faith Formation
11:00am	Worship
12:30pm	Youth Group
2:00pm	

## February 20th - Seventh Sunday after Epiphany

Scripture Readings: Genesis 45:3-11, 15; Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40 1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50; Luke 6:27-38

8:30am	Worship
9:45am	Faith Formation
11:00am	

## February 27th - Transfiguration of Our Lord

Scripture Readings: Exodus 34:29-35; Psalm 99 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2; Luke 9:28-36 (37-43a)

8:30am	Worship
9:45am	
11:00am	
12:30pm	Youth Group

## Birthdays

Feb 3	Chuck Kopp
Feb 4	Anna Hibbert
Feb 6	Chris Weil, Donley Studlar
Feb 7	Pat Patton, Megan Cram
Feb 8	Foxen Alford, Evan Kelling,
	Carolyn Otto
Feb 9	Ken Carlson
Feb 10	Jason Noel
Feb 12	Lauren Kittel
	Robert McWithey, Mary Brady
Feb 14	Philip Otterness
Feb 16	Jo McIntire
Feb 18	Jeanette Jackson
Feb 19	Connie Chaplin, Bill Hygon
Feb 21	Alexa Hibbert
Feb 22	Nicholas Dudde, Ray Mack
Feb 24	Ella Kopp, Karen Puthoff,
Feb 25	Liam Short
Feb 26	Bonnie Morris, Dave Epley,
	Sheila Ray
Feb 27	Mary Margaret Curley, Gene Makela,
	Summer Noel
Feb 29	Bob Kaufmann

#### Anniversaries

Feb 18 Al & Sharon Tenty

# Worship Assistant Schedule

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The Worship Assistant Schedule for February has been published. If you have a conflict, please first try to find your own replacement and then communicate this change with the church office. This way we will be prepared for worship on Sunday mornings. If you are unable to find a substitute, please contact Danielle and she will be happy to help you!

There are still a few positions available (marked TBD). If you are willing to volunteer please let Danielle know and she will update the serving schedule.

Date	Feb. 6th	Feb. 13th	Feb. 20th	Feb. 27th
Greeters	8:30am (1)Dan Dudde (2) Mary Dudde 11am (1) Eric VanTassel (2)Susan VanTassel	8:30am (1) Henry Ulrichs (2) Barbara Ulrichs 11am (1) Mitch Williams (2) Bob Mihara	8:30am (1)J.D Slater (2)Linda Kinsinger 11am (1)Katie Rivers (2) Cindy Lauster	8:30am (1)Vic Allwein (2)Evelyn Reinhold 11am (1) Mitch Williams (2) Bob Mihara
Usher	8:30am (1)Carolyn Bradley (2)Mike Bradley 11am (1) Scott Baumann (2) Anne Blackwell	8:30am (1)Julia Volk (2)Tom Stewart 11am (1) Jason Jones (2)Josh Kersey	8:30am (1)Claire Niedenthal (2)Ken Clark 11am (1) Alice Silver (2) TBD	8:30am (1)Ken Lane (2)Ronnie Shoe 11am (1) Scott Baumann (2) Anne Blackwell
Altar Guild	8:30am Ken Clark 11am Paula Lindsay	8:30am Amy Zellers 11am Bonnie Richards	8:30am Debbie Layne 11am Donna Turnbaugh	8:30am Amy Zellers 11am Cindi Fridd
Crucifer	11am N/A	11am N/A	11am N/A	11am N/A
Acolyte	8:30am Lila Niedenthal 11am Bonnie Richards	8:30am Liza Volk 11am Eileen Cram	8:30am Isa Slater 11am Anne Blackwell	8:30am Eleanor Schreck 11am Bonnie Richards
Assisting Minister	8:30am Amy Zellers 11am Bonnie Richards	8:30am Katie Rivers 11am Steve Doane	8:30am Amy Zellers 11am Gloria Sainio	8:30am Katie Rivers 11am Randy Warren
Reader	8:30am Anne Sites 11am Martha Price	8:30am Barbara Ulrichs 11am Bonnie Richards	8:30am Diane Hughes 11am Donna Turnbaugh	8:30am Ken Clark 11am Anne Blackwell
Communion Assistant	8:30am Diane Hughes 11am Anne Blackwell	8:30am Nancy Dodenhoff 11am Vickie Hauser	8:30am Connie Chaplin/Liza Volk 11am Beth Korb	8:30am Mary Anne Allwein 11am Eileen Cram
Live Stream	11am Bob Mihara	11am Trey Doss	11am Natalie Haynes	11am Cord Doss

#### St. Mark's Lutheran Church

10 N. Liberty Street Asheville, NC 28801



Our Vision:

Making disciples by loving Christ, growing in faith, serving all people

Our Mission:

Transforming lives through God's grace as an inclusive, intergenerational congregation through Worship, Outreach, Learning and Fellowship

Staff

Contact Information

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Reverend Matthew Smith

Director of Discipleship & Faith Formation:

**Deacon Katie Rivers** 

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