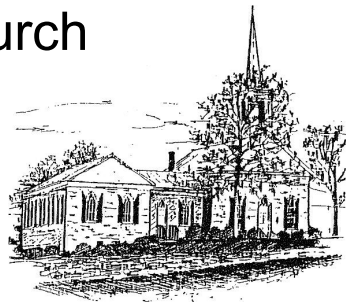




A shared ministry parish, called to:
Know Christ and make Christ known



Sunday, July 2 - The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00am HE I
9:15am Adult Class - We will continue our study of Acts
10:30am Children's Chapel
10:30am HE II

Tuesday, July 4

OFFICE CLOSED
8:00pm Open AA

Thursday, July 6

12:00pm Clergy meeting

Friday, July 7

Office Closed
8:00pm Open AA

Saturday, July 8

8:00am EMF at Greenwood
9:00am Altar Guild
9:30am - noon Food Pantry
8:00pm Open AA

Serving Us Today

The Rev. G. Willis Logan

LEM: (8:00am) L. Jacobi
(10:30 a.m.) Emily T.-G.

Lector: A. Layman

Acolyte: Emily T.-G.

Altar Guild:

S. Loeschen, T. Trammell

Ushers:

Youth Chapel and Nursery:

T. Trammell, S. Field

Counters:

B. Wilsie, C. Geiger

Coffee Hour:

Pat Honts, Ann Layman

A Very Warm Welcome to you!

We are so glad that you are with us, today. Our prayer each Sunday is that St. Mark's will be a place of refuge, rest, care, and love. We pray for God's grace to touch all those who walk through our red doors. Our red doors remind us of the blood shed on the Cross for you and me.

We would love to get to know you better so please fill out a newcomer card if we do not have your information already on file. You can return the card to the ushers or place them in the collection plate.

A few notes about Sundays at St. Mark's:

Communion - All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the bread and wine. You may receive only the bread or the wine if you wish. If you want to come forward and receive a blessing then please cross your arms as you come to the Communion Rail.

Adult/Family Education - Our adult Sunday school begins at 9:15 in the ministry center (building below the Church) and we offer Nursery at this time, too.

Offertory - The loose plate offering on the 4th Sunday of each month is directed to the Rector's discretionary account.

Coffee and Fellowship - light refreshments are offered during the adult education hour and immediately following the 10:30 service in the Parish Hall.

Again, we are so happy to see you today!

Prelude

Processional.....The Church's one foundation.....Hymn 525

Opening Acclamation.....BCP 355

Celebrant: Blessed by God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Gloria.....Hymn S-280

Collect of the Day.....BCP 242

Children's Homily

First Lesson.....**Genesis 22:1-14**

God tested Abraham. He said to him, "Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you." So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and his son Isaac; he cut the wood for the burnt offering, and set out and went to the place in the distance that God had shown him. On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place far away. Then Abraham said to his young men, "Stay here with the donkey; the boy and I will go over there; we will worship, and then we will come back to you." Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. So the two of them walked on together. Isaac said to his father Abraham, "Father!" And he said, "Here I am, my son." He said, "The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?" Abraham said, "God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt offering, my son." So the two of them walked on together. When they came to the place that God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac, and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to kill his son. But the angel of the LORD called to him from heaven, and said, "Abraham, Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me." And Abraham looked up and saw a ram, caught in a thicket by its horns. Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt offering instead of his son. So Abraham called that place "The LORD will provide"; as it is said to this day, "On the mount of the LORD it shall be provided."

Announcements

We wish you a happy and safe 4th of July!

There will be no Dorcas Needlework Guild on July 3rd! It has been rescheduled to July 10th.

If you are interested in being a Council alternate, please see Willis or a member of the Vestry.

JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 7-2 Meredith Shelton, Jason Bayer
- 7-3 Beth Field
- 7-5 John Guillote
- 7-9 Jane Daniel, Kaleb Cahoon
- 7-11 David Palmer
- 7-15 Reddie Waid, Mary Stone Garland
- 7-18 Zachary Moore, Amie Uotinen
- 7-21 Mel Carico
- 7-22 Sarah Hagan
- 7-26 Karen Beasley
- 7-27 Madison Palmer

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

The Rev. G. Willis Logan, Rector
Tommy Hunter, Organist Gret Kidd, Choir Director
Gina Painter, Office Manager/Vestry Clerk
Vestry (Lay Leadership)
Pam Garrison (Sr. Warden) * Carole Geiger (Associate Warden)
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Sunday Morning

Holy Communion at 8am and 10:30am
Adult Class (Ministry Center) at 9:15am
Children's Chapel from 10:30am - 11:10am
Nursery-Child Care available from 10:15am to 12:15pm

The **Psalm 13**.....BCP 597

Second Lesson**Romans 6:12-23**

Do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. No longer present your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace. What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that you, having once been slaves of sin, have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted, and that you, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness for sanctification. When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. So what advantage did you then get from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the advantage you get is sanctification. The end is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Gradual Hymn.....Put forth, O God, thy Spirit's might.....Hymn 521

The Gospel.....**Matthew 10:40-42**

Before the Gospel "Glory to You, Lord Christ" After Gospel "Praise to You, Lord Christ"

Jesus said, "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple-- truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

The Sermon.....The Rev. G. Willis Logan

The Nicene CreedBCP 358

The Prayers of the People, Form IV.....BCP 388

The Confession.....BCP 360

The Peace and Announcements.....BCP 360

Offertory Hymn.....Where cross the crowded ways of life.....Hymn 609

The Presentation Hymn (with alleluias).....Hymn 380 (Vs. 3)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer A..... BCP 361

SanctusHymn S-129

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Consecration PrayerBCP 362

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

The Breaking of the Bread.....BCP 364

The Invitation to Communion

Communion Hymns

.... They cast their nets in Galilee.....Hymn 661

.... On Christ the Solid Rock.....LEVAS 99

Post Communion PrayerBCP 365

The Blessing.....BCP 365

Recessional Hymn....God of our fathers, whose almighty hand.....Hymn 718

Dismissal

Postlude

8:00am HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation.....BCP 323

Celebrant: Blessed by God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Kyrie.....BCP 324

The Collect of the Day.....BCP 190

First Lesson**Genesis 22:1-14**

The **Psalm 13**.....BCP 597

Second Lesson.....**Romans 6:12-23**

The Holy Gospel.....**Matthew 10:40-42**

Before the Gospel "Glory to thee, O Lord"; After Gospel "Praise to thee, O Christ"

Sermon.....The Rev. G. Willis Logan

The Nicene Creed.....BCP 326

Prayers of the People.....BCP 328

The Confession.....BCP 331

The Peace.....BCP 332

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory & Doxology

V. All things come of thee, O Lord; R. And of thine own have we given thee.

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer I).....BCP 333

Sanctus.....BCP 333

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

The Breaking of the Bread.....BCP 337

The Invitation to Communion

Post Communion Prayer.....BCP 339

The Blessing.....BCP 339

Parish Announcements

Dismissal

Today's Prayers of the People

Prayer requests for individuals and families are left on for 4 Sundays unless requested. If you wish for someone to be left on longer, please let the office know at the time you make the request.

DIOCESE OF SOUTHWESTERN VIRGINIA: The students, staff and chaplain of the Virginia Episcopal School.

MINISTRIES OF ST. MARK'S: Episcopal Church Women, Episcopal Men's Fellowship, Needlework Ministry, and St. Mark's Historians.

IN OUR ARMED FORCES: Nicholas Borsa; David Diaz; Patrick Funkhouser; Steve Funkhouser; Erin Funkhouser; Catharina Lindsey; Andrew Tucker.

THANKSGIVING: For those celebrating birthdays this week: **Meredith** (Bowman) Shelton, **Jason Bayer** (7/2); **Beth** Field (7/3); **John** Guillote (7/5).

Altar flowers are given to the glory and honor of God by Jett & Sally Field in thanksgiving for **Beth** Field on her 30th birthday.

THOSE IN NEED: Carol Brenner; **Linda** Brodie; **Brooks** Cabe & his family; **Mel** Carico; **Charlene**; **Jae-Woon** Choi; **Chris**; **Lynn** Clark; **Angela** Coon; **Cora**; **Jane** Daniel; **Kathy** Davis; **Christine** E.; **Bill** Eddins; **Audrey** Fontenot; **Renee** Fowler; **Steve** Gibson; **Steve** Gordon; **Helen** Gregory; **Gretchen** Greiner; **Jack** Guarino; **baby Roman** Halton; **Tammy** Hamilton; **Art** Heberer; **Stuart** Hickey; **Charles** Holland; **Laura** Holt; **Sidney** Hunter; **Don** Irons; **Jan**; **Yvonne** Killers; **Cindy** Lanford; **Christine** Lawhorne; **Greg** Miller; **Michelle** Mullins; **Mary Lou** Mullis; **Susan** Narr; **Edward** Neil; **Janet P**; **Noah** P.; **David** Peszko; **Flash** Reynolds; **Brook** Roncinske; **Conley** Saunders; **Savannah**; **Ethan** Todd; **Sherry** Vinson; **Isabelle** W.; **Susan** W.; **Reedie** Waid; **Bob** Webb; **Nancy** Wells; **Skip** Yohe.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: Iain MacLean; **Ray** Meador.

FOR THOSE WHO ARE GRIEVING: Meador and Cahoon families.

St. Mark's Prayer Ministries

- † Willis is available to talk and pray: call, email or text him.
- † *We Care Ministry:* A prayer and service ministry for St. Mark's
Contact: Carole Geiger (geiger.caroleb@gmail.com)
- † Prayer Chain: Emergency situations contact Susan Hays by phone