



**ST. MARK**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
PC(USA) · BALLWIN, MO

**May 26, 2024**  
**Trinity Sunday**  
**Worship Bulletin**

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## CENTERING PRAYER

Holy God, source of all goodness, you gave your Son for the life of the world and sent your Spirit that your love might abide with us. Teach us how to love each other this day, that we may have life, and have it abundantly, with you, in Christ, and through the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## PRELUDE

*A Festal Flourish*

John S. Dixon

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Recognizing Graduates

## CALL TO WORSHIP

We give you glory, Creator,  
**for you are still creating.**

We give you honor, Redeemer,  
**for you save the world from sin and death.**

We give you praise, Sustainer,  
**for you give us this day and every day.**

Let us worship our God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit together.

## † HYMN

**“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”**

**Hymnal #1**

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy God, we know that you are always there to lead us, yet we somehow lose our way and fall back into fear. We confess we have stumbled, and we recognize our need for you to lift us up and help us start again. Forgive us our failings, restore us to strength, and reconcile us with you, ourselves, and each other, through the power of Christ and the gift of your Spirit.** (Silent Confession)

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## † SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

## † GLORY BE TO THE FATHER

**Hymnal #581**

## TIME WITH CHILDREN

## † HYMN

**“We Fall Down”**  
Sing Twice

**Hymnal #368**

## SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 6:1-8

## SERMON

“The Sullied and the Sacred”

Rev. Dr. Dave Burgess

## † AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**Apostles’ Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## † THE DOXOLOGY

Hymnal #609

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## † HYMN

"I, the Lord of Sea and Sky"

Hymnal #69

## †CHARGE AND BLESSING

†BENEDICTION  
RESPONSE"We Are One in the Spirit"  
Verse One

Hymnal #300

## POSTLUDE

*Recessional on "Slane"*

Douglas E. Wagner

† *In body or in spirit, please rise.***UPCOMING EVENTS****May**

- 26** Graduate Recognition, during worship
- 26** Weather Drill, following worship
- 27** Church Office Closed for Memorial Day
- 28** Yoga, 6:30 pm
- 30** Chair Exercise, 10 am

**June**

- 1** CPR & Stop the Bleed Training, 9 am
- 22** Rise Against Hunger, 10 am
- 26** PW Book Club, 9:30 am

## WELCOME TO ST. MARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

We are pleased to have you join us this morning. Your presence enriches both us and this experience of worship together. It is our prayer this will be a time of challenge and encouragement. Wherever you may be on your faith journey, there is a place for you to participate in our life together here at St. Mark.

**TO OUR GUESTS:** We hope you enjoy your visit today. Whether this is your first visit, or you have been coming to St. Mark and are considering joining the church and you would like to know more about St. Mark, we would be happy to talk with you. For more information, please contact the church office, 636-394-2233.

**TO ALL:** Listening devices are available from a sound technician in the booth at the back of the sanctuary. Large print bulletins and hymnals are also available upon request from an usher.

**Devotional Booklets,** *These Days* are available in the lobby at the 'Mark' entrance.

**Please be aware** that, as St. Mark works to increase safety and security, all doors to the building are locked Sunday morning once worship has begun. Those who arrive late should approach the 'Mark' door and will be admitted by a member of the Security Team.

**Flowers in the Sanctuary** are donated by the Robyn Mikes, "Remembering Denny on his birthday".

**TO MEMBERS:** Please wear your NAMETAG at church. Don't have one? Stop by the church office where you will find a form to fill out in the "Name Badge" mailbox.

**WAYS TO GIVE:** There are several convenient and easy ways to contribute to St. Mark:

**In-person:** During Sunday Worship Service

**Mail:** Please make check out to St. Mark Presbyterian Church and send to St. Mark Presbyterian Church, 601 Claymont Drive, Ballwin, MO 63011

**Online:** To donate, use the **QR Code** here to be directed to our giving page on [discoverstmark.org](http://discoverstmark.org).



## PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

The pastors are generally available: Pastor Dave - Monday through Thursday from 8:15 am – 1 pm. Pastor MP - Monday, Tuesday, and Friday from 9 am – 12 pm. Both are available at other times by appointment. Please contact the church office to confirm their availability or to schedule an appointment.

## OFFICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to staff the office on Monday and Friday mornings and several other days to cover vacations this summer. If you are interested in helping 8:45 am – 12 pm by answering phones and admitting visitors into the building, please go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4AA9A92BA5FFC25-49397591-office> to use the SignUp Genius page or contact Stacey Caplinger at 636-394-2233.

## NEW MEMBERS AT ST. MARK

Last week St. Mark welcomed the following new members to our church: David Carter, JoAnna Carter, Sheri Edwards, Steve Lusignan, Mikey McKnight, Betsy Morgan, Jack Morgan, Lynne Morse and Norm Ramsey.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

### CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday school for children PreK - 5<sup>th</sup> grade takes place during Sunday worship, immediately following the Children's Message.

### NURSERY

Nursery Care, for ages 0 – 2 years, is available Sunday mornings from 8:30 am - 11:00 am

### SUNDAY SCHOOL SIGN IN

Please be sure to sign in your student(s) for Sunday School! Parents will receive a card after Time With Children with a QR code for access to the sign in. Please register your student(s) so that we can contact you via text if needed and return your card at pick up.



## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES WITH CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES!

Look for our Summer Sundays and VBS Volunteer Table on May 19 before and after the morning service! Find out how to

simply give of your time one hour/once a month during the summer months AND/OR how to "say YES TO VBS!" and join our team the week of July 15-29 from 9 am - 12:00 pm. Latisha Gilliland will be available to answer any questions you may have - we are so excited about what God is going to do in St. Mark Children's Ministry!

## MISSION AT ST. MARK

### JUNE URGENT REQUEST FROM CIRCLE

- **Salad Dressing**
- **Ketchup**
- **Peanut Butter & Jelly**
- **Kids Pull-Ups\***
- **Baby Wipes\***



All year long, we collect food and hygiene items for Circle of Concern and Isaiah 58 Ministries.

\*Non-food products such as pull-ups and baby wipes cannot be purchased with food stamps.



## REGISTER FOR VBS TODAY! JULY 15-19

Use this QR Code or go to [discoverstmark.org](http://discoverstmark.org).



**In the Narthex on June 9<sup>th</sup>**  
Through fair trade, small-scale farmers are better able to support their families and stay on their land with better income and support from their co-operatives. St. Mark supports this mission to build long-term trade partnerships that are economically just, environmentally sustainable, and to foster mutually beneficial relationships between small

farmers and consumers (that's us!). Cash, Credit, Debit, Digital Wallet Payments Accepted

## WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH YOUTH



**Youth Mission Team Meetings**  
May 15, 22, 29, & June 5 – 6-7:30 pm



**St. Mark Recognized as Top 100 Supporting Customer by Equal Exchange**

## RISE AGAINST HUNGER – SAVE THE DATE!

You are invited to join our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meal Packaging Event with St. Mark Presbyterian Church in the movement to end hunger on Saturday, June 22 from 10 am to 12 pm in Gleason Hall. Come and join us as we partner with Rise Against Hunger to package 15,000 meals that will be sent to feed people around the world. The event is for all ages and abilities. Please use the QR code or go to this website to register: <http://events.riseagainsthunger.org/stmarkpresb2024>. *It starts with a meal.*



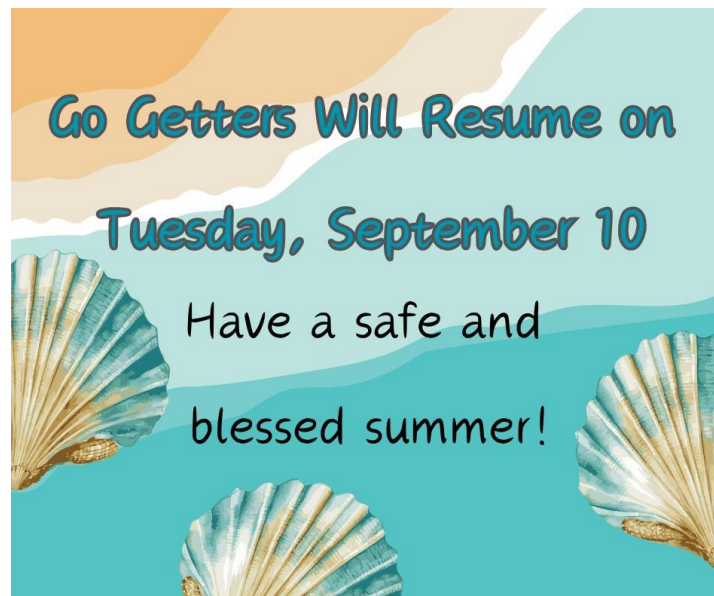
## PASTOR ROB CARDWELL IS RETIRING

Pastor Rob Cardwell is retiring from Old Argo Presbyterian Church after 20 years. You are invited to attend his final service on Sunday, June 2 at 10 am. An open house reception and meal will be held in the church hall from 11:15 am – 2:30 pm. Please bring a side dish to share for the meal. Old Argo Presbyterian Church, 8857 Hwy AE, Bourbon, MO



## ADULT MISSION TRIP: JULY 20-27 – SPIRIT LAKE, NORTH DAKOTA

Mission trip activities include light construction such as building wheelchair ramps, painting of houses, roofing, and minor repair of elder and persons with disability housing depending on the experience and skill levels of the teams. Each afternoon a portion of the team will help with summer day camp activities. If you have questions or are interested in joining the mission team contact: **Pastor MP ASAP!**



## WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN



Book club will meet Wednesday, June 26 at 9:30 am. The book for this month's discussion is **Beyond That, the Sea** by Laura Spence-Ash. There is an option to participate virtually as well as in person. Contact Judy Richardson for a Zoom invite to participate virtually.



The Metro West Fire Protection District will offer a training at St. Mark on Saturday, June 1, at 9 am. The training includes:

- **HANDS ONLY CPR** - If performed immediately, the chance of a cardiac arrest victim's survival is doubled.
- **STOP THE BLEED** – Bleeding is the number one cause of death after injury, but it is preventable. Participants must be 12 years or older and the training is free of charge.



Registration by May 26 is required. Use the QR code to register or call the church office at 636-394-22.



## **BLOCK YOUR CALENDARS - 2024 ABC SALE!**

**Workdays: July 28 thru August 1 ----- Sale  
Days: August 2 & 3**

Start saving your treasures! As always, the sale is a great opportunity for fellowship and outreach to the community. This is the primary fundraiser to support our local mission partners. Interested in volunteering? Contact Joyce Blackwell or Pam Ladley, Co-Chairs.



**ABC Sale August 2 & 3  
Workdays – July 28 – August 1  
100% of Net Proceeds to Local Mission Partners!**

### **YES, PLEASE!**

- items typically sold at a thrift store
- donation receipts will be available during drop-off hours
- snacks, cookies and quick breads to “fuel” our volunteers
- **Drop off donations July 28-July 31**
- Want to volunteer?– Contact ABC Sale Co-Chairs: Joyce Blackwell, Pam Ladley

### **SORRY, NO THANK YOU ...**

- large furniture, large appliances, TVs (Doesn't fit in a compact SUV...it's a NO!)
- encyclopedias or magazines
- car seats, strollers, highchairs, or cribs
- Christmas trees
- hazardous waste (even if unopened): such as paint, chemicals, oil, household cleaners

*Pastor: Rev. Dr. Dave Burgess*  
*Associate Pastor: Rev. MP Panco*  
*Dir. of Children's Ministry: Latisha Gilliland*



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*Accompanist & Organist: Jee-Hye Lee*  
*Special Music: Chancel Choir*  
*Liturgist: Ronnie Ogelsby*