

Saint Mark United Methodist Church – “THE 9-1-1!”



2020: The Year of “FAITH-Filled GENEROSITY!” JANUARY is “RESET 9-1-1” Month!

Church Motto: **“This CHURCH Is On F.I.R.E.!”**
*Walking by FAITH, Living to INSPIRE, Gracefully REDEEMED,
and Serving with EXCELLENCE to the Glory of GOD!*

Our 3 P’s: **PRAYER, PURPOSE, and PARTNERSHIP**

DO YOU NEED TO MAKE A FAITH DECISION?

It is our prayer that you will be abundantly blessed during our Morning Worship Celebration. If you need to make a faith decision today, we invite you to consider these questions:

1. **Do you desire to be saved? Scripture Reference: Romans 10:9-10**
2. **Do you desire to become a member of Saint Mark United Methodist Church?**
 - **Do you desire to be baptized?**
 - **Are you seeking a church-home away from home?**
 - **Are you seeking to re-connect as a member of Saint Mark?**
3. **Do you desire to rededicate your life to Jesus Christ and become recommitted to your walk with Him?**

If you answer “**YES**” to any of these questions, please come forward during “**The Invitation to Christian Discipleship.**” Our Senior Pastor, Associate Pastor, and Lay Servants are ready to receive you and offer you spiritual support. **TODAY is your day!**

SPECIAL NOTE TO OUR GUESTS

Welcome to “**THE 9-1-1**” and thank you for choosing to worship with us on this day! Please complete the “**Welcome Visitor**” card found in your “**Welcome Packet**” and place the card in the offering basket. God bless you and please come again soon!

JANUARY TRUSTEES-OF-THE-MONTH

Opening – **Brother Carlton Henderson** alternate **Brother William Moseley**
Closing – **Brother Mark Garrison** alternate **Brother Russell Rickenbacker**

OUR STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE AND PRESENCE

Harvest Hope Food Ministry TOTAL for 2018 – 1830 Families Served

Harvest Hope Food Ministry for November 2019 – 163 Families Served

Harvest Hope Food Ministry for December 2019 – 141 Families Served

Sunday Morning Worship (01.12.20) - 142 Persons in Attendance

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1 – Sister Beverly Byrd	1 – Brother Lee Davis
1 – Sister Clara Carter	4 – Sister Mary Jackson
4 – Sister Nancy “Diane” Talley	8 – Sister Angela Freeman
8 – Sister Lonnie Cline	9 – Brother Michael Jones
12 – Brother Bryant Simmons	15 – Sister Ashely Moseley
16 – Sister Gary Jones	16 – Brother Ralph Belcher
18 – Sister Charnelle Gaillard	18 – Brother Daris Murry
19 – Brother James Mathis III	20 – Brother Jeremiah Kanard
20 – Brother Xakari Petty	21 – Sister Cassandra Sales
22 – Sister Diane B. Talley	22 – Sister McKenzie Weston
23 – Sister Peggy Mitchell	24 – Brother Chinedu Uzor
25 – Sister Christie Ryan	26 – Sister Audbree Coleman
26 – Brother Willie Gray	28 – Brother Jermaine Latimer
28 – Sister Danielle Martin	28 – Brother Titus Bennett
29 – Sister Whitney Jackson	30 – Brother DJurkarta “Lamar” Beeks
31 – Sister Glynis “Kiesha” Edmonds	31 – Brother Billy Johnson
31 – Brother Reggie Landrum	31 – Sister ShaKaria Bradford

JANUARY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

16 – Brother Quentin and Sister Shequilla Griffin
31 – Brother W.L. and Sister Patricia Watson

A WORD ABOUT OUR FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

God’s tithes (10% of our increase), our offerings, and our sacrificial gifts are greatly appreciated as we move forward in supporting the ministries of our church. If you are not yet a tither, please consider the opportunity to be a “consistent giver” for our common W.O.R.K. in Prayer, Purpose, and Partnership at “THE 9-1-1!” May God bless you today and always!

Finance Ministry Counters for the Week of January 19th

BROTHER TONY BALLENGER
BROTHER RUFUS McMAHAND

BROTHER WILLIAM MOSELEY
Drop Guard **BROTHER CALVIN SLADE**



Did you forget your checkbook or do not have any cash with you? Feel free to make your contribution by scanning this QR Code with your smartphone and make your donation on the Saint Mark website. Your contribution will be received safe and secure through our App. Thank you!

9-1-1 CAMPUS CONNECTIONS

- Please submit all information regarding hospitalizations, surgical procedures, and other illnesses concerning you or an immediate family member to our Church Prayer Line at 864.848.7141, extension 2. For emergencies and death notices, please call/text **Pastor T** at 864.483.5602 or **Reverend Twana Cruell** at 864.901.3570.
- For the safety of your children, please accompany them to the restrooms. Let us all take precautions so that our children are always supervised.
- If you want to have a flower arrangement placed on the altar in honor or memory of someone, please contact **Sister Angela Hampton (864.908.2167)**.
- **Pastor T is available for PASTORAL COUNSELING** (*including Children, Youth, Adult, Family, Marriage, Career Planning and Life Coaching*). For a confidential appointment, call/text 864.483.5602 or email: PastorTLG2013@aol.com.
- **Sabbath Days for PASTOR T and REVEREND TWANA:** Monday – **PASTOR T** and Friday – **REVEREND TWANA** (**unless otherwise noted**)

DVD's of the Morning Worship Celebration are available for \$6.00!

Please contact the Church Office to place your order.

WEEKLY FINANCE MINISTRY ARRANGEMENTS:

- Sunday – Deadline for check request forms to be submitted to the Finance Team.
- Thursday at 12:00 noon – Checks will be ready for pick-up in the Church Office.

WEEKLY INSPIRATIONS by CONFERENCE CALLS

Morning Glory Devotions with Rev. Dr. Robert Burkins

Monday-Friday at 7:00am – 7:10am 712.775.7035, Access Code 906123

“THE CALL” (Praise/Prayer Conference Call) founded by Pastor T

Hosted by Reverend Darlene Dellinger

Thursdays at 10:00pm 712.451.0200, Access Code 272862

HARVEST HOPE FOOD MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY:

Are you blessed beyond measure?

Do you know for sure you have more food than you can eat?

Have you ever decided not to eat something because you preferred something else?

If you answered “YES” to any of these questions, please consider donating canned goods and other non-perishable food items to our Harvest Hope Food Ministry. Contact Persons: Sister Adriaenne McMahan (864.4169.0888) or Reverend Twana Cruell (864.901.3570).

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19 – G.L.U.E. MINISTRY (ages 41-59) Emphasis Sunday

2nd Sunday after the EPIPHANY with Liturgical Color GREEN

HUMAN RELATIONS SUNDAY

- **7:45am – 7:14 Intercessory Prayer Experience** (*The Sanctuary*)
Prayer Focus: **The Year 2020 at “THE 9-1-1”**

- 8:15am – Sunday School Staff Team In-Service Training (*Fellowship Hall*)
- 8:40am – SOUND CHECK (*Musicians and Audio Ministry*)
- 8:50am – CHORAL MINISTRIES Check-In and Centering Time (*Choir Room*)
- 9:11am – Morning Worship Celebration (*The Sanctuary*)
- Immediately following Morning Worship
 - United Methodist Women (UMW) Meeting (*Fellowship Hall*)
 - “Walk to Emmaus” Informational Meeting (*Conference Room*)

MONDAY, JANUARY 20

- 11:00am – City of Greer “ANNUAL MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. CELEBRATION LUNCHEON” at Greer City Hall, celebrating this year’s honoree: Brother Brandon Pendarvis Brown.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21

- 7:00am - 7:00pm – Election Day (*Fellowship Hall*)
- 10:00am – Companions in Christ Bible Study (*The Conference Room*)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

- 6:30pm – Children’s Church “DREAM TEAM” Meeting (*Conference Room*)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

- 6:30pm – Girls Scouts Ministry Conference Call Meeting...Dial in 712.451.0200, Access Code 272862.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

- 9:00am – 11:00am – Harvest Hope Ministry (*Fellowship Hall*)

SATURDAY CHURCH

3rd Week after the EPIPHANY with Liturgical Color GREEN

- 7:45am – 7:14 Intercessory Prayer Experience (*The Sanctuary*)
Prayer Focus: The Year 2020 at “THE 9-1-1”
- 8:15am – Sounds of Destiny Children’s Choir Rehearsal (*The Choir Room*)
- 8:40am – SOUND CHECK (*Musicians and Audio Ministry*)
- 8:50am – CHORAL MINISTRIES Check-In and Centering Time (*Choir Room*)
- 9:11am – “SATURDAY CHURCH” Morning Worship Celebration

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

- “THE 9-1-1” Goes to Worship and Fellowship with Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Bowman, Sr. at Saint Mark United Methodist Church (North, SC) in Celebration of the Church’s Anniversary! Campus Check-In Time is 6:30am...Departure time is 7:00am SHARP! Contact Persons: Brother Solomon Bradley (864.915.0356) and Sister Estella Rickenbacker (864.982.0154).

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

- 7:00pm – Pastor T will be the Guest Preacher at Saint John Baptist Church (Winnsboro, SC) in celebration of their “2020 Winter Revival.”

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

- 6:30pm – Church Council Meeting (*2019 Year End Agenda*)

THE SUNDAYS of BLACK HISTORY MONTH at “THE 9-1-1”

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- Family and Friends Celebration for Last Names A-H

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

- Family and Friends Celebration for Last Names I-P

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

- Family and Friends Celebration for Last Names Q-Z

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

- Celebration of Community Leaders
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- **8:00am – 12:00Noon – BOOT CAMP 9-1-1 Leadership Development Training...**All Servant Leaders are asked to be present and all interested members are invited to attend! **If there is an issue or a topic you want to know more about, please text those items to Pastor T at 864.483.5602 by Sunday, January 26th.**

SUNDAYS, FEBRUARY 2 and 9

- **8:15am – New Members Orientation and Re-launch of THE S.H.I.F.T. Sunday School Experience**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- **Leadership Worship Celebration with Installation of 2020 Servant Leaders**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- **Re-launch of W.O.W. (Word-On-Wednesday) Bible Study**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7

- **Singles (*Never Married, Divorced, Widowed*) Ministry Fellowship**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

- **Girl Scouts Ministry BLOOD DRIVE EVENT**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

- **6:30pm – Membership Ministry Conference Call Meeting**

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21-22

- **WRIGHT-LITTLE Wedding Rehearsal and Wedding Ceremony**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 – ASH WEDNESDAY (The Beginning of Lent)

- **7:30am – Pastor T will receive the “National Servant Leader Award”** from the Office of Reverend Al Sharpton, CEO of the National Action Network. The award will be presented at the National Gathering of Faith Leaders to be held at Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church (North Charleston, SC). More details to follow...

2020 Dates for Sister-2-SISTAH Women’s Fellowship

- **TUESDAYS – March 3, May 5, September 15, and November 3 OR FRIDAY, November 20**

2020 WOMEN'S WEEKEND

- Saturday-Sunday, March 28-29

LENT/EASTER SEASON 2020

- Lent: Wednesday, February 26 – Saturday, April 11
- Holy Week: Monday – Saturday, April 6 – 11
- EASTER: Sunday, April 12
 - Sunrise Worship at 6:00am
 - FIRESide Café Breakfast at 8:00am
 - Morning Worship at 10:00am

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, APRIL 24-25

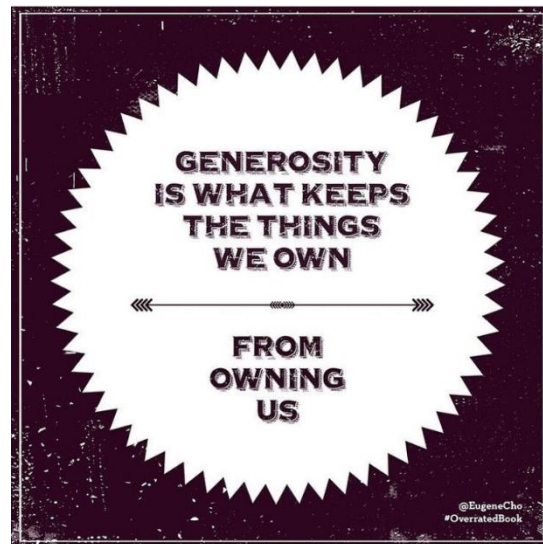
- **Pastor T** will be the Guest Infuser/Preacher for the Annual Women's Conference at Union Baptist Church (Rembert, SC).

2020 SOUTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

- **Sunday-Wednesday, June 7-10 at the Florence Center (Florence, SC)**

THURSDAY – FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15-16

- 7:00pm – **Pastor T** will be the Guest Preacher at The United Methodist Church of the Redeemer (Temple Hills, Maryland – Reverend Michael Parker, Senior Pastor) in celebration of their Annual Revival.



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