

YOUTH EVENTS

WWL

WEDNESDAYS FROM 6-8 PM

PARENTS HELP NEEDED! No one is signed-up for clean-up on **Wednesday, October 17**. Please go to signup.genius.com and search for youth@stmarks-spokane.org to find the sign-up. Talk to Susan Hagen with any questions.

SUNDAY COOL

EVERY SUNDAY AT 9:45 AM

For all Jr. & Sr. High Youth. Come for fellowship and waffles. Stay for Calvin & Kai – they will bring a new Bible character to life each week!

SENIOR HIGH & JUNIOR HIGH (5TH & 6TH GRADE TOO!)

BLANKET TYING EXTRAVAGANZA! Sunday, October 21, from 4-7 pm. Make blankets for kids in need while hanging with your friends and enjoying some pizza. This is for 5th-12th graders. Sign-up on the Youth Board. Adult volunteers welcome!

HALLOWEEN PARTY, October 28, 5-7 pm. Pumpkins, music, games, & more! Wear a costume! Sign-up on the Youth Board.

JUNIOR HIGH

Today! – CHILLER! - from 12-2 pm. Lunch will be served. Sign up on the Youth Board.

Worship Attendance

Saturday, October 6	5:30 pm	34
Sunday, October 7	8:30 am	95
	10:45 am	171
	Total	300

PRAYERS

This week we pray for those who are ill, in treatment, bereaved, *deployed or in need of support

Karl Knutson
Daniel Barker
Ulla Przewolka
Brenda Bray
Martha Ice
Gloria Baker
Don Spedden
Bonnie Kinkel
Arleen Libertini
Terry Gillette
Murthé Winkey
***Steve Brown**, son of Judy Rose
Norman Hagen, father of Todd and Bret Hagen
Bent & Barbara Andersen, parents of Dennis Andersen
Avery Cole, grandson of Jim and Sharman Watson
Eleanor Larsen, sister of Louis Larsen
Christine Anderson, sister of Vicki VanHeuvelen
Janet Mann, sister of Carol Nelson
Christian Davis, grandson of Dale Schroeder & Kate LePard
Genevieve Davenport, mother of Blake Davenport
Stephanie Lanam, daughter of Jon & Ursula Lanam
Lori McCallister, daughter of Bernie Rodseth
Dick Moe, father of Cynthia Moore
Hartwig Vatheuer, brother of Ina Goetzinger
Carolyn Turner, mother of Brett Hauber
Cody Robertson, grandson of Connie & Burt Finch
John Cleary
Matt Williams
Stacy Rizzo
Evan
Kirstie
Marek
Ihsan and family

Prayers for the family of **James LePard**, father of Pastor Kate, at the time of his death

Please notify us of any changes to our prayer list. Those on the prayer list will be removed after one month, unless there is a specific request to the church office to remain on.

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Service times: Saturday-5:30 pm, Sunday-8:30 and 10:45 am

Pastor Kate LePard ♦ Pastor Edwin Weber ♦ Pastor Eric Dull (sabbatical)

St. Mark's Lutheran Church

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

October 14, 2018

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Preaching Minister	Kate LePard
Presiding Minister	Edwin Weber
Assisting Minister	Amilee Little (10:45)
Acolytes	
8:30	Carter Dominguez & Leo Schuele-Van Aken
10:45	Kathryn Dunakey & Valerie Hanes
Greeters	
8:30	The Gingras Family
10:45	The Little Family
Ushers	
8:30	Hillary Berg & Gail Lancaster Bill Sachse
10:45	Helen Eldenburg & Mary Lou Tanner Cliff & Donna Fender
Lector	
5:30	Camille Sturdivant-Daly
8:30	Deidre Jacobson
10:45	Ann Benson
Creed & Prayers	
8:30	Connie Payne
10:45	Jennifer Little
Sound	Milt Snyder
Altar Guild	
5:30	Darleen Fitzgerald
8:30	Carol Nelson
10:45	Anne Nanni
Bread	Shirley Vold
Music Director/Choral	Debbie Hansen
Music Director/Organist	Carol Miyamoto
Director of Children's Arts	Ann Benson

TODAY'S MUSIC

Prelude

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy James

Choral Voluntary at the Offering (10:45)

I'm Going to Sing When the Spirit Says Sing arr. Helvey

Postlude

Go Down, Moses Ramsey

Saxophone

Chris Parkin

Bass

Kim Plewniak

TODAY

WELCOME VISITORS! It is a pleasure to have you worship with us today. Please fill out a worship attendance card located in the pew and place it in the offering plate. All are welcome to the Lord's Table for communion. For information on St. Mark's go to www.stmarks-spokane.org or you may pick up a brochure in the narthex.

Large print worship folders, loaner reading glasses and hearing devices (our facility is equipped with a hearing assistance system) are available in the narthex. Gluten-free wafers are available on a small table by the communion rail.

Busy Bags for kids during worship: Young children may pick up a "busy bag" from the yellow poles in the narthex. Please return the bag after worship to the basket under the poles. Worship bulletins are also available for older children who are pre-readers or readers.

Our Nursery, open during worship times for children age infant up to kindergarten, is at the top of the stairs on the right. Pagery are available for parents. Please, no food in the nursery.

Alleluia Choir is today at 8:30 am for first through sixth graders. This is a fantastic opportunity for kids to deepen connections to friends at church, become confident singers, and get a glimpse into what it's like to give your music as a gift to the church. For more information contact Ann Benson at 954-9819 or annmbenson@gmail.com.

Godly Play Sunday School: Grades 1st—3rd meet upstairs in the classroom next to the nursery. Ages 3 year old—Kindergarten and 3rd—6th grade meet in the upstairs classrooms in the Parish House. **This is a change of classroom assignments.** Classes go from 9:45 to 10:35.

Adult Forum meets at 9:45 am in the conference room. Today Lee First from Spokane Riverkeepers will speak about keeping our

Spokane River clean. Next week Ariel Aaronson-Evens will present on justice and food.

Raffle items and silent auction baskets are now on display in the Narthex. Take time to take a look and buy a raffle ticket or make a bid on a basket. It's just another way to support the annual fall bazaar!

New Member and Inquirer Classes will conclude tonight at 5:00. New members will have dinner together with one of our pastors and a few St. Mark's church members. After the meal there will be an informational class on the Lutheran faith and what we do here at St. Mark's. If you are considering becoming a member, please contact Loris Stupel at 747-6677 or finance@stmarks-spokane.org

THIS WEEK

Scripture and Coffee is Tuesday, October 16, at 10:30 am in the conference room. This group meets for a Bible-based conversation with Pastor Kate or Pastor Edwin to study the scripture texts for the following Sunday. This week's readings are **Isaiah 53:4-12, Hebrews 5:1-10; Mark 10:35-45.**

Theology on Tap is Tuesday, October 16, at 7:00 pm at Two-Seven Public House. All young adults 21+ are welcome to join this group for great conversation and food.

WWL "Walking With the Light" is on Wednesday, October 17, from 6:00-8:00 pm. All 5th through 12th graders are invited for dinner, games, Bible study and worship. Hope to see you there!

LutherArts continues Wednesday, October 17, from 6:00—8:00 pm for students in 1st through 4th grades. The theme this year is "The King's League" and the program runs through October 24. Winter 2019 mini-session will be in January/February (final dates TBA).

Chancel Choir practice is on Thursday, October 18, at 7:15 pm in the music room. We would love to have you! Contact Debbie Hansen at 710-1334 if you are interested in singing in the choir.

Lefse Making Fun! – Join Randy Belstad and friends to make lefse for our Annual Bazaar on Saturday, October 20, from 9:00 – 12:00 noon. Come to the church kitchen with your supplies or just come and learn to make this Swedish tradition. Newcomers welcome! We'll have extra utensils and griddles to share.

Fall Outdoor Clean Up – Come on Sunday, October 21, at noon. After grabbing a bite to eat, pick an area around the church, then rake and bag those leaves. Please bring your work gloves and equipment. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

FLEECE FABRIC DONATIONS NEEDED- The youth are planning a Blanket Tying Extravaganza on Sunday, October 21st. Do you have

fleece fabric to donate? We need two pieces (1-yard minimum) of fabric for each blanket. Cash donations for the purchase of fabric are also appreciated. The blankets will be donated to the Childbirth and Parenting Assistance (CAPA) program at Catholic Charities. Talk to Susan Hagen with questions or to make a donation.

COMING SOON

On November 3rd St. Mark's will participate in the **End-of-Season Glean & Party** with the Spokane Edible Tree Project. Join in the last apple harvest of the season at Hidden Acres Farm followed by a free, family-friendly party at Big Barn Brewery. All apples harvested will help feed hungry people in our community. Plan on spending a fun, family morning at Green Bluff! Talk to Susan Hagen with questions. Sign up in the Narthex if you plan to attend!

Lutheran Community Services NW is having its 35th annual Inland NW Fundraising luncheon on Sunday, November 4, at 12:30 pm at Mukogawa Fort Wright Commons. Join them for food, philanthropy, and fun. RSVP by October 29 to lcsnw.org/event/spokane-luncheon.

INFORMATION

We need YOU (and your gently used items)! Our annual **Fall Bazaar** is Saturday, November 3. If you are cleaning out closets or downsizing, consider bringing things you no longer need to St. Mark's for our Annual Bazaar. Please bring your gently used items to church by Friday, November 2, so we can get them arranged and priced. Set-up happens on Thursday and Friday, November 1 and 2 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm; this takes many volunteers, so please look for the sign-up sheets next to the beautiful baskets. Speaking of baskets, the silent auction is open for bids. Final bids are on Sunday, November 4, at noon.

Bakers! Homemade baked items, especially fruit pies, are very popular at our Bazaar. Please think about your specialty baked goods to contribute to this worthwhile event. Remember that all the proceeds go to various local, national, and international nonprofits. Questions? Contact Loris Stupel at 747-6677 or finance@stmarks-spokane.org

Mission Statement –

To share the gospel through worship and service.
To be an inclusive community for justice and
peace among diverse peoples.

