

ST. MARK'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
SUNDAY JANUARY 18, 2026

SUNDAYS - WORSHIP / FAITH FORMATION

9:00am Fellowship—Family Life Center
9:15am Sunday School—Family Life Center
9:45am Musical Prelude—Sanctuary
9:55am Announcements—Sanctuary
10:00am Second Sunday After Epiphany Worship Service—Sanctuary
10:00am Worship on YouTube Live -<http://www.youtube.com/@st.markslutheranchurchclar6483>
NEW MEMBER SUNDAY
1:00pm Memorial Service for Betty Williams

THIS WEEK AT ST MARK'S

JANUARY

Monday	1/19	Preschool 9am—12pm Executive Team—6pm
Tuesday	1/20	Yoga 9am Preschool 9am—12 pm Preschool Chapel with Pastor Quentin 9:15am
Wednesday	1/21	Preschool 9am—12pm
Thursday	1/22	Preschool 9am—12 pm
Sunday	1/25	Fellowship—Family Life Center 9-9:15am Sunday School—Family Life Center 9:15-9:45am Musical Prelude—Sanctuary 9:45am Announcements—Sanctuary 9:55am Third Sunday after Epiphany Worship Service—Sanctuary 10:00am Temple Talk: Budget Explanation

Pastor Quentin's contact information:
 Email: pastor@smarklc.org
 Cell: 704-280-9921
 Office: 828-459-2161

Special prayers this week:

Carolyn Sherrill	Betty Williams Family
Norman Morrow	Sandy Sherrill
Carson Hollar	Loretta Stephenson
William Hewitt	Dorothy Willis
Gail Carpenter	Julie Jones
Johnny Sigmon	Carolyn Anderson
Gary & Susan Carpenter	Baby Adaline Yang
Larry Smyre	Joyce Oakley
Zane Albert	Bill & Laura McBrayer
Wayne Smith	Phil Williams (Nobia's Father)
Rich Surace	Dylan & McKenzie
Layne Olson	Loretta Kiesler
Tom Graybeal	Child with brain tumor
Jerry & Wanda Bolick	



reminder

We are so thankful for our volunteers for worship assistance. If you would like to assist us with worship, the sign-up clipboard is on the table by name tag stand. All ages are welcome to help!

Here are the sign-ups for next Sunday, January 25th:

Read Lessons: Carol Schaefer
Asst. Minister: Carol Schaefer

Needed:

Greeters, Crucifier, Communion, Acolyte, Usher:

Upcoming dates to remember:

Jan 18~New Member Sunday
~Memorial Service for Betty Williams
Jan 25~Faith Challenge Kickoff
~Temple Talk: Budget Explanation
~Winter Jam 2026 Christian Music Concert
Feb 1~ Gifts from the Heart planning meeting
Feb 5,12,19,26~Loving Yourself Women's Bible Study
Feb 18~Ash Wednesday Service 7pm
Feb 25~First Lenten Meal 5:45pm
First Lenten Service 6:30pm (communion)

The 2025 St. Mark's Yearbook is in process. If you have information, photos, etc. from your Teams or events at St. Mark's from 2025 you would like included that you have not already sent please email to secretary@smarklc.org by January 20th.

Each Team should submit a written yearly report to be included in the yearbook.

Pictorial Directory 2026

An updated Pictorial Directory of St. Mark's members is in process.

If you would like to submit a new photo for the Directory, please email a png. or jpeg. file photo to secretary@smarklc.org. Or you may drop a picture by the church office. Previous photos will be used if an updated photo is not received by January 15th.

If your address or phone number has changed, please also update that information for the church records.



Loving Yourself Women's Bible Study

10 AM - Thursdays in February

*Using Scripture and other media,
we will study God's Word focusing on
Loving God - Loving Ourselves*

*Please register on the sign up sheet
in the church by January 25th.*

Gifts from the Heart

Our Gifts from the Heart ministry has been such a Blessing the past two years. We have ministered to over 125 special needs individuals, their families and care givers with our Christmas 'Shopping Day' and our Easter Event. So Blessed, in fact, we are forming a planning team for the events.

Members of the team will be tasked with pre-planning the events, securing and sorting items, contacting organizations and businesses for assistance, and securing volunteers.

If you are interested in being a part of this team we will meet for a brief, informational meeting, at the front of the church, Sunday, Feb 1st immediately following worship. There is also a sign-up sheet on the table in the church. If you have questions, please see Nobia Summer or Wendy Hefner.

