

## ST. MARK'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH SUNDAY FEBRUARY 1, 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 Fourth Sunday After Epiphany Worship Service—Sanctuary  
10:00am Worship on YouTube Live -<http://www.youtube.com@st.markslutheranchurchclar6483>  
Temple Talk—Faith Challenge Kickoff

### **THIS WEEK AT ST MARK'S**

#### **JANUARY**

Monday	2/2	Preschool 9am—12pm WELCA Bible Study 11am	Pastor Quentin's contact information: Email: <a href="mailto:pastor@smarklc.org">pastor@smarklc.org</a> Cell: 704-280-9921 Office: 828-459-2161
Tuesday	2/3	Yoga 9am Preschool 9am—12 pm Preschool Chapel with Pastor Quentin 9:15am	
Wednesday	2/4	Preschool 9am—12pm	
Thursday	2/5	Preschool 9am—12 pm	
Sunday	2/8	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 <b>Fifth Sunday after Epiphany Worship Service—Sanctuary 10:00am</b>	

#### Special prayers this week:

Jo Marilyn Hewitt	Jerry & Wanda Bolick
Carolyn Sherrill	Sandy Sherrill
Norman Morrow	Carson Hollar
Loretta Stephenson	William Hewitt
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

Order forms for Easter flowers are available on the entry tables. You may order Easter lilies or geraniums. Cost is \$13.00 each. Deadline to turn order forms in is Sunday, March 8th.



# 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, February 8th:

Greeters: Linda Hewitt  
Read Lessons: Carol Schaefer  
Asst. Minister: Carol Schaefer  
**Needed:**  
Crucifier, Communion, Acolyte, Usher

## Upcoming dates to remember:

Feb 1~ Faith Challenge Kickoff  
~Temple Talk: Budget Explanation  
~Gifts from the Heart planning meeting  
Feb 5,12,19,26~Loving Yourself Women's Bible Study  
Feb 18~Ash Wednesday Service 7pm  
Feb 25~1st Lent Meal 5:45pm  
1st Lent Service 6:30pm (communion)  
Mar 4~2nd Lent Meal 5:45pm  
2nd Lent Service 6:30pm (communion)  
Mar 11~3rd Lent Meal 5:45pm  
3rd Lent Service 6:30pm (communion)  
Mar 18~4th Lent Meal 5:45pm  
4th Lent Service 6:30pm (communion)  
Mar 25~5th Lent Meal 5:45pm  
5th Lent Service 6:30pm (communion)  
Mar 29~Palm Sunday  
Apr 2~Maundy Thursday

## 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.

## 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](mailto: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.

## 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.

