

Music at St. Mark's 2015-16

All events are free of charge.

Concerts and Special Services

The New Specs Saxophone Quartet

Sunday, Nov. 8: 3 PM: this quartet from Dr. Rhett Bender's studio at SOU, will present music for saxophone quartet as well as solo works for saxophone.

A Service of Advent Lessons and Carols

Sunday, Dec. 14: 10:00 AM: with the St. Mark's Choir and Handbell Ensemble, conducted by Dr. Margaret R. Evans. Our traditional service of Advent readings includes choir carols, and congregational hymns reflecting on the meaning of Advent and the coming birth of Christ.

Concert for New Year's Eve

Wednesday, Dec. 31, 7:00 PM

Night Prayer Service for the New Year

Approximately 9:00 PM

The 7 PM concert features musicians from the Rogue Valley and beyond, including Dan Gibbs (baritone), Laurie Ann Hunter (piano and harp), Mande Light (soprano), Christian Mathisen (story teller and singer), Drew Raby (harp), and Margaret R. Evans (organ) presenting various styles of music for a variety of instruments. We'll have a gala reception following the concert, and then have the Service of Night Prayer for the New Year, from the New Zealand Prayer Book.

~~Music for Violin, Cello, and Organ~~

~~Sunday, March 8, 3:00 PM:~~ ~~Larry Stubson, violin; Thomas Stauffer, cello; and Peggy Evans, organ~~ present works for these instruments, including Rheinberger's Suite, Op. 149. **CANCELLED**

~~Dan Kocurek, trumpet and Christine Eggert, piano~~

~~Sunday, April 17, 3 PM:~~ ~~This duo, both teaching at SOU, will present works, both old and new for trumpet and piano.~~ **CANCELLED**

The Fong-Rands-Stubson Trio

Sunday, May 15, 3 PM: Doug Fong, cello, Janis Rands, piano, and Larry Stubson, violin, present works for piano trio.

Chris Potter presents music for alto and bass flute **RESCHEDULED**

Sunday, November 13, 300 PM: from the Denver area, Chris Potter is known for her work on these two less well-known flutes.

Special Services 2015-16

Sunday, Nov. 1: All Saints

8:00 and 10:00 AM: Holy Eucharist remembering all the saints

Sunday, Nov. 29: Advent I

Sunday, Dec. 6: Advent II

Sunday, Dec. 13: Advent III: Advent Lessons and Carols at 10 AM

Sunday, Dec. 21: Advent IV, followed by greening of the church

Thursday, Dec. 24: Christmas Eve:

4:10 Carol Sing

4:30 Holy Eucharist with crèche

9:30: Carol Sing and Handbell Ring with the Handbell Ensemble

10:00 Holy Eucharist with Chancel Choir

Friday, Dec. 25: Christmas Day, 10 AM

Sunday, Dec. 27: Christmas I: Christmas Lessons and Carols at 10

Thursday, Dec. 31: New Year's Eve: 7 PM concert

Sunday, Jan. 3: Christmas II

Sunday, Jan. 10: Baptism of Jesus

Sunday, Feb. 7: Last Epiphany

Wednesday, February 10: Ash Wed.

Noon: Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes

7:30 p.m.: Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes, with Chancel Choir

Sunday, March 20: Palm Sunday

8:00 A.M.: Holy Eucharist

10:00: Holy Eucharist with Chancel Choir

Thursday, March 24: Maundy Thursday

6 p.m.: Agape dinner

7:30 p.m.: Washing of Feet, Holy Eucharist, Stripping of Altar, with Chancel Choir

Friday, March 25: Good Friday

Noon: Stations of the Cross

7:30 P.M.: Good Friday Liturgy

Saturday, March 26: 8:00 PM Vigil for Easter and First Eucharist of Easter,

Sunday, March 27: Easter

8:00 A.M. and 10:00 AM: Holy Eucharist

Sunday, May 8: Sunday after Ascension

8:00 and 10:00 A.M.: Holy Eucharist

Sunday, May 15: Pentecost

8:00 and 10:00 A.M.: Holy Eucharist

Sunday, May 22: Trinity

8:00 and 10:00 A.M.: Holy Eucharist

All events will be held in St. Mark's Church and are free. Events are subject to change; for confirmation or for more information, please contact "Music at St. Mark's," the church office at 541-773-3111, or St. Mark's web site at www.stmarks-medford.org.

We invite your contributions to the St. Cecilia Society which helps fund this series as well as special needs in the music area throughout the year.