

MARK TIMES

NEWS and NOTES for April 28, 2024

THE WEEK AHEAD:

Monday 5/1:	10:30AM	Joint Use Meeting — conference room
Thursday, 5/2:	6:15PM	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	7:15PM	Voice Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, 5/4:	6:00PM	SHINE Worship — chapel

Joint Service Sunday at 10AM!

You won't want to miss the second annual joint service to celebrate the feast days of St. Mark (4/25) and St. George (4/23) **THIS Sunday, April 28 at 10:00AM**. A joint coffee & fellowship hour follows the service.



SHINE Worship NEXT Saturday

Join us **this Saturday, May 4**, for worship in the **chapel** at **6:00PM** with combined musical talents from St. Mark & St. George's.

Adult Forum 5/5: *Funeral Planning with the Pastor*

During next Sunday's Adult Forum, Pastor Brian will lead attendees through a workshop related to preparing for one's funeral but from the church ministry perspective and role as opposed to that of a funeral home. Choosing hymns and Scripture readings are just part of this process that can be both a gift you can leave for your loved ones, and a gift that they can in turn give back to you.

Ladies Lunch Bunch

All St. Mark ladies are invited to join the new "Lunch Bunch" at No Jacks (4001 IL-159, Smithton, IL) on **Wednesday, May 8** from **11:45A-1:00P**. Please RSVP **Anita Robinson** by text or call at **618-420-2838** by **Monday, May 6**.

St. Mark Offerings for 4/21:

Operating Fund: **\$4,675.36** (including online giving received by 4/19);

Barb Wurdinger Memorials: \$299.78 (\$274.98 to Food Pantry); Sandy Purdy Memorials: \$45

Sunday	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
MAY 2024						
						
5 Sixth Sunday of Easter 9:00AM The Divine Liturgy 10:20AM Coffee & Fellowship 10:30AM Adult Forum: <i>Funeral Planning with the Pastor</i>	6 9:00AM H&W Meeting-CR 2:30PM Fiber Arts @ Westfield Manor	7	8 11:45AM Ladies Lunch Bunch at No Jack's Smithton	9 1:30P Evangelism 7:00PM Ascension of Our Lord <i>Ice cream social to follow</i>	10 <i>Pastor's Day Off</i>	11
12 Seventh Sunday of Easter 9:00AM The Divine Liturgy 10:20AM Coffee & Fellowship 	13	14	15	16 6:15PM Bell Choir 7:15PM Voice Choir	17 <i>Pastor's Day Off</i>	18
19 The Feast of Pentecost 9:00AM The Divine Liturgy 10:20AM Coffee & Fellowship 10:30AM Adult Forum: <i>Sabbatical Reflections—One Year Later</i>	20 2:30PM Fiber Arts @ Westfield 6:00PM Pastoral Care Committee 7:00PM Church Council Mtg.	21	22	23 6:15PM Bell Choir 7:15PM Voice Choir	24	25 3:00PM Patriotic Potluck—PH
26 Holy Trinity 10:00AM Joint Liturgy w/ St. George's 11:20AM St. Mark/St. George's Annual Tea <i>Pastor on vacation—wedding</i>	27 <i>Office Closed</i> MEMORIAL DAY 2024 REMEMBER & HONOR	28	29	30	31	1 6:00PM SHINE Worship
<i>Pastor on vacation—wedding</i>						

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Assisting Minister</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Crucifer</u>	<u>Chalice Bearer</u>	<u>Camera Operator</u>	<u>Usher</u>	<u>Safety Volunteer</u>	<u>Coffee Hour</u>
May 5	Greg G.	Charlie D.	Rex R.	Mike M.	Aaron F.	Frank D. & Jason M.	Cathie S.	Team 1
May 9 <i>Ascension</i>	Danielle T.	Terry T. & St. George's	St. G's	Fr. Mark	Melanie R.	TBD	TBD	NA
May 12	Greg M.	Jan L.	Frank D.	Tom P.	Mike M.	Rick Crosby & Rex R.	Missy K.	Team 2
May 19	Sherrri F.	Terry T.	Keith K.	Mike M.	Melanie R.	Danielle T. & Curt G.	Jan R.	Team 3
May 26 <i>Holy Trinity</i>	St. George's	Aaron F. & St. George's	Greg M.	Greg M.	St. George's	St. George's	TBD	Team 4 with St. George's



Art E.	5/4	Fr. Mark O.	5/14	Lilyanne H.	5/16
Rachelle H.	5/17	Kathy R.	5/21	Melanie R.	5/21
June I.	5/23	Jan L.	5/24	Abby M.	5/24
Dee Zipfel	5/27	Frank D.	5/27	Roger C.	5/28
Barb W.	5/30	Lucy D.	5/30	John A.	5/31



happy anniversary

Jason & Aurora M. 5/8
 Pr. Brian & Melanie R. 5/18
 Elizabeth & Rick C. 5/29