Serving in the Armed Forces: Mike, Chuck, Brian, Zachary, Gabriel, Alex, Daniel Pagan, Matt Baicleme, Blake, Dean, and Steve.

Celebrating Birthdays this Week:
Patricia Helm, Monica Larsen, Barbara Guenther and Joan Jennings

Celebrating Anniversaries this Week:
Don and Leslie Henney and Henry and Kim Jacobsen

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# Re"Mark"able News

## October 11, 2026

***Halloween Party at St. Mark's:*** Saturday October 24th from 3pm to 6pm in the Parish Hall and Courtyard. Everyone is invited, so bring your friends, neighbors, and family. There will be games, a bounce house, and a hot dog meal available for purchase. We can use adult and youth volunteers to monitor the bounce house, cook and serve the hot dog meal, and for a quick clean up at the end. We would also love cakes or cupcakes for the famous Cake Walk, and some bags of candy for the prize bins at the games etc. The cakes and cupcakes can be delivered on the day of the carnival at 3pm, and the candy can be brought in the next few weeks, prior to the party and put in the kitchen with a note "For Halloween Party" on it. Kids and grownups can come in costume and have a great time!

***Mark your calendars:*** Sunday, November 1st, following the 10AM service will be the St. Mark's Ministries Fair in the Parish Hall. Whether you're new to St. Mark's or have been here a long time, this is your chance to learn about all our different ministries, and how you can use the unique talents God gave you to bless others by being part of one or more ministries.

***Food Pantry:*** Set-up days: October 12th and 26th, 7-9am.
Distribution: October 13th and 27th, 8-10:30am.
God Bless everyone for supporting our mission to help the food insecure in Mesa! The food pantry thanks you for your support.
Food Pantry volunteers will be accepting donations toward $10 gift cards to be given out on Tuesday, November 24, to help families in need purchase meat for their Thanksgiving celebration. If you would like to help, a donation table will be set up near the front entrance doors of the church before the 10:00 AM service each Sunday before Thanksgiving. May God bless you for helping us spread joy and Thanksgiving this coming holiday season.

***Thrift Store:*** The thrift store has returned to its regular schedule: Sundays before and after the service, Tuesdays 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Fridays and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Volunteers are welcome.

***Charity Crafters:*** Daughters of the King together with Charity Crafters are requesting donations of school supplies (especially crayons and colored pencils). Many stores have bargain prices right now. These will be used for Christmas stockings in December. There is a collection box in the Narthex.

***Name Tags:*** If you want to go where everyone knows your name and do not have a name tag yet, please put your name on the list on the table in the Narthex. A new name tag will be available for you the following Sunday.

***2026 church directories are now available.*** They are available in the Narthex or Thrift store. Donations of $5.00 per book are welcome. Everyone who attends our church is important to us and if we missed you for this directory, we would encourage you to email your information to the Church at office@stmarksmesa.org
Also, if you noticed any errors in the directory, please forward them to kathy_cheatham@hotmail.com and a list will be compiled to share with everyone. Enjoy getting to know your neighbors in the pews and coffee hour.

***Online Giving:*** Here is a new and easy way to donate to St. Mark's. We now have a QR code, found on the back of the announcements, that you can scan on your smart phone. It will take you directly to our donation site. There is also a QR code for the St. Mark's Web Page. Copies of today's sermon (in both English and Spanish) are available from the ushers, and on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

## Church Office Hours

**Tuesday and Friday-9AM to 12 Noon**
**office@stmarksmesa.org**
**480-964-5820**

## Weekly Service Schedule

***Weekly Services:*** You may also go to our website:
**www.stmarksmesa.org** and click on "Join Online Services"
to view online live or recorded services.

⇒ ***Sunday, 10 am Holy Eucharist***

# Parish Prayer List

Parishioners in Need of Prayer: Devin McBee, Sandi Konija, Anna Paquette, David Ortega, Eric, Pat and Pam Mack, Chris Hossack, Marguerite Gray, Allyn Evans, Helen Frost, Barbara Haug, Laura Haug, John, Carol and Anna Banker, Dawn Cook, Donna Kelly, Alice Brunett, Nadia Gazale, Midura Family, Barry and Penny Place, Joan Taggart, Cyndi Burton, Skip Haley, Debbie Smith, Bobbie Degnon and Glenda Richardson.

Others in Need of Prayer: Glen Brown, Al Slarve, Drew Romney, Jessalyn Romney, Chris Hansen, Stacy Farr, Keith Mosley, Mack Fenn, Susan, Karen, Lizzie, Paula Zuzeta, Gus Trevino, Lisa Kaiser, Monika Madden, Tim and Laura Willoughby, Phil Fouts, Hunter Chambers, Richard, Rick Collier, Dave and Toni Worley, Jeff Brown, Lincoln, Brian Hedrick, the Randall Family, the Kimball Family, Mission of Good Shepherd in Belize, the Lindahl Family, Trevor, Karen, Ruth Thomas, Jim, Norma Lamb, Cindy Lamb, Donna Osher, Ollie Hartfield, Kurt, Joyce, Jimmie, Jace, Sofia, Colleen Twentyman, Noah Shoemaker, Noelle Wrobleski, Joey Jennings, Marie Hadfield, Anna Marie Mendibil, Busurto Family, Lorna, Irene, Susan, Erin, Tom Bishop, Kalie Duvall, Jean Wood, Mindy, Jennifer Wrobleski, Terrie and Bill, Tavo, Mark, Jimmy Ayala, Josh, Cliff, Lila, Remi Dannels, Marjorie McGrath, Linda, Diana Carter, Natalie Myers, Jeff Cook, David Wenger, Carol, Dave, Brenda, Curtis, Rad, Marcy, Susie, Avery, Dylan, Ryan, Jack, Clementine, Scout, Courtney, Bilinga, Juliana Greenfield, Joe Sanchez, Christie Roberts, Jordan Stallings, Cathy Hogan, Shae Pifer, Tori Jean, Sydney, Paris, Tyler, Christopher, Dave, Russ, Tudy Breeden, Gemma Paige, Esther, Evelyn, Jillian, Sophia, Leticia Cruz, Erika, Stephanie, Katherine, Liz, Al, Sy, Aurora, Cameron Washburn, Jeff, Don Pedro, Don Brock, Jeannie, Anne and Jim, Nisha and Michael, Debbie, Karen, Arden, Mark, Amy Hook, Charla Armstrong, Connie Ellifson, Dorothy Alderson, Bobby Rogers, Haley Pappas, Danielle Buettell, Elizabeth Fresquez, Melanie, John, Dan, Brittany, Bard, Nancy, Donny, Mark and Michelle, Liz, Lyn, Katie, Michael Nitschke, Randy, Nolan, Delilah Shackman, Terrie, Debbie, Brenda and Tim Caswell.