This Week at St. Mark's

March 16-March 22, 2020

Wednesday

Stations of the Cross/Healing Service and Christian Formation Class, 10 am

Thursday

MarkDowns Thrift Store, 9 am to 1 pm East Valley Harmonizers Practice, 7 pm, Knight Hall

Friday

MarkDowns Thrift Store, 9 am to 1 pm
Stations of the Cross/Lenten Program & Soup Supper, 6 pm, Knight
Hall (Host: Cursillo/MarkDowns Thrift Store)
Mesa Caledonian Pipe Band Rehearsal, 7 pm

Sunday

Spanish Eucharist , 8 am
Christian Formation-Youth, 9 am, Classrooms
Lion's Den, 9 am, Knight Hall
(Host: St. Mark's Singers and Pastoral Care Ministry)
English Eucharist, 10 am

Re"Mark"able News

Invest In Hope: Moses cried out to the LORD, "What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me." *Exodus 17:4*



Being a leader isn't always easy. Stewards are called to be leaders in faith, which involves sacrifice, courage, humility and a commitment to the words of Jesus, "What you do to the least of my brethren, you do to me."

Invest in Hope Matching Capital Campaign: We have a family in our parish that is willing to move their bequest forward from their deaths into 2020, where it will be sorely needed. But they would also like to have other parishioners participate. So they invite and challenge us to give to the campaign, and they will match our donations \$ for \$, up to \$50,000 on their part. Write "Match" in the memo line of your check to identify your contribution or if giving cash, place in a giving envelope found in the pews and write your name and "match" on the front.

Life Line Screening: A leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, is pleased to offer a preventive health event at St. Mark's Episcopal Church on 3/21/2020. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems –see flyer in Narthex for more information. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. There are three ways to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call toll-free 1-888-653-6441 or visit http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle or text the word circle to 797979

Daughters of the King Shoe Drive: Members of the DOK are asking for gently worn or new women's shoes (please no sandals, flip flops or heels) for women leaving prison as some have no shoes when they are released.

Altar Guild: Members of St. Mark's, we need your help to carry out the tasks of the Altar Guild for all services (before and after mass). Please talk to Father Gerardo if you are willing to help. Thanks in advance!

MarkDowns Thrift Store Sales: Parishioner Sale on Sunday March 15 and March 22: everything 1/2 off! In addition, our thrift store will be holding a Spring Fling Sale on Thursday March 19 (9 am—1 pm), Friday March 20 (9 am—1pm) and Saturday, March 21 (9 am–3pm).

Upcoming Ministry Meetings:

Daughters of the King: April 8, 11 am

Altar Guild: March 21, 10 am

St. Mark's Brotherhood: Rescheduled; date to be determined Bishop's Committee: Tuesday, March 24, 5:30 pm, Conference Room

Mark Your Calendars:

- Laying on of Hands and Anointing with Oil, last Sunday of every month
- Stations of the Cross: Wednesdays at 10 am with Lenten program to follow (bring a bag lunch); Fridays at 6pm beginning with Soup Supper and Lenten program, followed by the Stations of the Cross.
- Soup Supper Hosting Schedule:
 - March 20: Cursillo and MarkDowns Thrift Store
 - March 27: St. Mark's Singers/Pastoral Care
- Cursillo Ultreya-CANCELLED
- Life Line Screening, Saturday, March 21, 9 am-4 pm; info flyers available soon
- Sunday, April 5, Palm Sunday-regular service times; procession with Mesa Caledonian Pipe Band
- Maundy Thursday, April 9, 7 pm-Foot washing and stripping of the altar
- Good Friday, April 10: Stations of the Cross at 11:30 followed by service at 12 pm
- Easter Sunday: 6 am Sunrise; 8 am Spanish; 10 am English
- St. Mark's Day-April 26-one bilingual service with potluck to follow

The Lion's Den Café: Our fellowship café is open every Sunday morning, between services from 8:45-9:45 am. Please stop by Knight Hall and enjoy coffee with a variety of treats. Today's hosts for The Lion's Den Café are the members of *Hispanic Ministry*.

Parish Prayer List

Parishioners in Need of Prayer: Chris and Judy Hossack, Mary Twentyman, Kay Summers, Caryl Bayless, Winnie Jackson, Rev. Harold & Edithanne Knight, Kathy and Mike LaGoy, Margie Collins, Monty Fox, Helen and Arnold Cooper, Pete and Barbara Willan, Dee Greiner, Elaine Austin, Marguerite Gray, Allyn Evans, Helen Frost, Lois Pettengill, Bob and Kathy Cheatham, Ray and Barbara Haug, Laura Haug, Jan Northcutt, June Roberts, John and Carol Banker, Anna, Rich and Dawn Cook, Randy and Lori Rogers, Donna Kelly, Alice Brunett, Genevieve Muth, Russ, Flor Castillo, Zuleyzka Castillo, Sri-lanka Castillo, Nadia Gazale, Raymond Marshall, Midura Family, Jeannie Buckingham, Barb Guenther, Veronica Ubosi, Judy Ricketts, Tom Leslie, Barry and Penny Place, Mark, Bob and Sally Delaski, Mark and Amanda Manno, Kylie Marks, Frank and Joan Taggart, Cyndi Armstrong, Skip Haley, Liam Hossack, Debbie Smith, Casey Leone, Brian Joedicker, Jim McManus, Fr. Gerardo, The Rev. Canon Anita Braden, Nathan Reddall and Bishop Reddall's family

Others in Need of Prayer: Susie, Jason, Avery, Dylan, Ryan, Jack, Mike and Amanda Smith (and family), Keegan, Clementine, Scout, Courtney, Justin, David, Braxton, Jill Kistner, Bilinga, Kristina, Jack Vezeau, Tammy Wimbush, Dawn Chandler, The Pannell Family, Joe Sanchez, Christie Roberts, Jordan Stallings, Bob and Pat Doyle, Cathy Hogan, Kylie, Ramon Brambila, Judith Brambila, Shae Pifer, Dave and Barb Turley, Tori Jean, Sharon, Sydney, Paris, Tyler, Christopher, Dave, Billy, Mel, Johanna and family, Russ, Roy, Evelyn, Tudy Breeden, Gemma Paige, Dominic, Esther, Tom, Evelyn, Jillian, Jenni, Baby Emily, Sophia, Leticia Cruz, Erika, Julia Coleman, Stephanie, Shyann and baby boy Skylor, Katherine, Liz, Al, Sy, Aurora, Mission of Good Shepherd in Belize, Cameron Washburn, Jeff, Don Pedro, Don Brock, Jeannie, Anne and Jim, Nisha and Michael, Debbie, Karen, Arden, Mark, Amy Hook, Charla Armstrong, Connie Ellifson, Cliff Armstrong, Leon Fresquez, Dorothy Alderson, Bobby Rogers, Merriel, Haley Pappas, Stephanie Ford, Danielle Buettell,* Bob, Artie, Phil, Raymond, Phil, Steve Ostroski, Victor Blase, Linda, Nolan, Susy, Harry Hadfield, Leon Hadfield, Shirley Boswell, Suzie and family, John McIlray, Bruce Solomon

Prayers for the Departed: John Casper (Paige Stalcup's father)

Serving in the Armed Forces: Susie (McManus) Kistner, Duncan Hossack, Ana Maria, Mike, Chuck, Brian, Zachary, Gabriel, Jessie Swier, Alex, Daniel Pagan, Brandon Boulis, Ryan Ehrler, Matt Baicleme, Kaitlyn Haley, Blake, Dean, and Steve, Ryan Ekler.

Celebrating Birthdays this Week (*Prayer 50 or 51-BCP 830*): Debbie Smith, Jeannie Buckingham, Kay Summers, Cory Nunez

Celebrating Anniversaries this Week (BCP 439): Rick and Deb Cannon