# This Week at St. Mark's May 14—May 20, 2018

#### Wednesday

Healing Service and Christian Formation Class, 10 am

#### Thursday

MarkDowns Thrift Store, 9 am-1 pm
Bilingual Children's' Christian Education Class, 5 pm
East Valley Harmonizers Practice, 7 pm, Knight Hall

#### **Friday**

MarkDowns Thrift Store, 9 am-1 pm Mesa Caledonian Pipe Band, 7 pm

#### Saturday

Spring Cleaning Yard Sale, 7 am—3 pm, Knight Hall and Parking Lot

#### Sunday PENTECOST

Spanish Eucharist , 8 am
Lion's Den, 9 am, Knight Hall
(Host: Cursillo and MarkDowns Thrift Store)
English Eucharist, 10 am

### Re"Mark"able News

**Together in Faith:** Jesus looked up to heaven and said..."I have made your name known." John 17: 6



Like Jesus, we are invited to make God present in our world, today. We do this by our words, of course, but even more by our actions. A steward strives to do as Jesus suggested: feed the hungry, care for the sick, reach out for the needy.

Bishop's Committee Parishioner Liaison: Every week there is an assigned member of the Bishop's Committee to serve as a Parishioner Liaison. We encourage parishioners to seek out this assigned member whenever there is a suggestion, question or concern. The liaisons will bring all comments to the monthly meeting of the Bishop's Committee to be addressed as appropriate. This week's Parishioner Liaison is John Ddamba

**Sunday School:** The last scheduled day of church school is May 20th. Awards will be presented on that day during our regular service.

Spring Cleaning Yard Sale: St. Mark's will be holding a Spring Cleaning Yard Sale on Saturday, May 19th from 7 am—3 pm in Knight Hall and St. Mark's parking lot. Shop for great deals! Spread the word to family, friends and neighbors! Donations are graciously being accepted of household items in good, working condition such as: furniture, electronics, kitchen dishes, appliances, etc. If you need help bringing larger items to the church, please contact Fr. Gerardo at 480-406-3852 to schedule assistance with pickup. We need volunteers to work at this yard sale, even if only in short shifts, as well as additional volunteers to assist with distribution of food and drinks to participants—all help is appreciated! Contact Fr. G or the office for more information. All funds generated are being allocated towards property repairs and other church expenditures.

Women's Shelter: Daughters of the King will be accepting donations for the Women's Shelter. Please place hygiene products in the box provided in the narthex. We would like toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner, soap, lotion, socks, underwear, and other feminine hygiene products.

Cursillo Weekend: The next Cursillo Co-ed Weekend is scheduled to take place July 19-22, 2018, at the Franciscan Renewal Center in Phoenix. The deadline for applications is May 31, 2018. Anyone interested in attending the Weekend may contact Monica Larsen at 480-621-8158/mlarsen498@aol.com or any member of our Cursillo Ministry.

Pentecost is coming: Please join YOUR voice to our multilingual "group reading" of Acts 2:1-21! We need people of all ages with a reading knowledge of any language or dialect. The passage we will read is short (Acts 2, verses 5-11 only); your rendition need not be "perfect"; if you're shy, don't worry - you won't be "in the spotlight"; and we'll even print out a translation for you. In past years, the Pentecost message has been heard in Arabic, English, French, German, Gullah, Igbo, Kikuyu, Latin, Russian, Spanish, Vietnamese... We may need more than one speaker of each language -- the more, the better! Please contact Jan Northcutt: macnorth@toast.net or 480-621-0085. Let's make a "joyful noise" to the Lord!

#### **Upcoming Ministry Meetings:**

Ministry Council (all ministry leaders): TBD

Altar Guild: June 16, 10 am

ECW & M: May 20, 11:15 am, Knight Hall Daughters of the King: May 9, 11 am

Bishop's Committee: Tuesday, May 22, 7 pm, Conference Room

#### Mark Your Calendars:

- Pentecost, May 20th
- Semi-Annual Yard Sale, Saturday, May 19th, 8 am-4 pm in St. Mark's parking lot and Knight Hall
- Mariachi Fundraiser, May 27, 12 pm
- Vacation Bible School, July 16-20th, 9 am-11:30 am

## Parish Prayer List

Parishioners in Need of Prayer: Dorothy Tibshraeny, Chris and Judy Hossack, Mary Twentyman, Kay Summers, Caryl Bayless, Fr. Steve Ford, Dick and Carol Bell, Glenda Richardson, Winnie Jackson, Shirley Boswell, Hazel Buehlman, Rev. Harold & Edithanne Knight, Kathy and Mike LaGoy, Margie Collins, Monty Fox, Helen and Arnold Cooper, Pete and Barbara Willan, Jerry and 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, Mary, Donna Kelly, Alice Brunett, Genevieve Muth, Kay Fail, Russ, Flor Castillo, Zuleyzka Castillo, Srilanka Castillo, Jeff and Nadia Gazale, Raymond Marshall, Kirk Baden, Midura Family, Don Henney, Jeannie Buckingham.

Others in Need of Prayer: Susie, Jason, Avery, Dylan, Ryan, Jack, Keegan, Clementine, Scout, Nichol, Ted Knowles, Terri Abernethy, Courtney, Justin, David, Braxton, Dave McManus, Bilinga, 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, Johanna and family, Russ, Roy, Evelyn, Tudy Breeden, Gemma Paige, Dominic, Esther, Tom, Evelyn, Jillian, Jenni, Dick Jones, Baby Emily, Sophia, Leticia Cruz, Erika, Lee and Peggy Walters, Julia Coleman, Stephanie, Shyann and baby boy Skylor, \* Alex, Katherine, Liz, Al, Sy, Aurora, Mike, Annette, Bobby, Artie, Charla Santos, Pauline, John

Serving in the Armed Forces: Duncan Hossack, Ana Maria, Matthew Gerosa, 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: John McMahon, Sam Mungai, Mary Lou Burgess, Darrell Summers, Olga Clark

Celebrating Anniversaries this Week: