

Re“Mark”able News

Together in Faith: Jesus asked his disciples, “What were you arguing about on the way?” But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. *Mark 9:33-34*



Even Jesus' closest friends had a hard time understanding the command that his followers be the last of all and servant of all. Good stewardship is a wonderful way to be the servant of others.

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 Charles Vaughn

Sale at MarkDowns: The Thrift Store will have NEW UNUSED items for sale on Sundays during the coffee hour, between 8:45 and 9:45. So come and browse and make your selections. The Thrift Store continues to be opened on Sundays from 8:45-9:45 AM., between the 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM services. Also, we need volunteers especially now due to several people having health issues. We need to have at least two people to have the store open otherwise it has to close. All our profits go to help with the church's expenses.

Upcoming Ministry Meetings:

Bishop's Committee: Tuesday, September 25, 7 pm, Conference Room

Daughters of the King: October 10, 11 am

ECW & M: October 14, 11:15 am, Knight Hall

Altar Guild: October 20, 10 am

Mark Your Calendars:

- ◆ *Meet the Bishop Candidates—Walkabout, Friday, September 28 from 6 pm to 9 pm at Christ Church of the Ascension*
- ◆ *PAINT PARTY: Saturday, September 29, 4 pm—7 pm, Knight Hall; no artistic talent needed. You will be guided step-by-step to create your own masterpiece. All supplies provided; tickets are \$35/per person which includes pizza; Wine is available for \$5 donation per glass; See Maureen Davies or Kathy Smith for tickets or more information.*
- ◆ *Blessing of the Animals, Sunday, September 30, 10 am-Knight Hall; bring your pets (or pictures of your pets) to be blessed in tribute to St. Francis of Assisi*

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 ***the Christian Formation-Youth Ministry.***

Parish Prayer List

Parishioners in Need of Prayer: Dorothy Tibshraeny, Chris and Judy Hosack, 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, Kyleigh 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, Sri-lanka Castillo, Jeff and Nadia Gazale, Raymond Marshall, Kirk Baden, Midura Family, Jeannie Buckingham, Barb Guenther, Teresa Gordon, Judy Ricketts.

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, Billy, Mel, Johanna and family, Russ, Roy, Evelyn, Tudy Breeden, Gemma Paige, Dominic, Esther, Tom, Evelyn, Jillian, Jenni, Baby Emily, Sophia, Leticia Cruz, Erika, Lee and Peggy Walters, Julia Coleman, Stephanie, Shyann and baby boy Skylor, Katherine, Liz, Al, Sy, Aurora, Mission of Good Shepherd in Belize (Jamie, Susie, Whitney, Carslyn, Stephanie), Cameron Washburn, Jill Kistner, Jeff, Don Pedro, Don Brock, Jane Ford,* Charla Santos, Cliff Armstrong, Connie Ellefson, Leon Fresquez, Debbie, Karen, Hurricane Florence victims, Jeannie, Ashlyn, Raymond, Artie, John, Pauline, Colin, Louis F., Javier E.

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: Elaine Austin, Mark Shoemaker

Celebrating Anniversaries this Week: Charles and Denice Vaughn

This Week at St. Mark's

September 24—September 30, 2018

Monday

Food Pantry Setup, 8 am-11 am, Knight Hall

Tuesday

MarkDowns Thrift Store, 9am—Noon

Food Pantry, 10 am-11:30 am, Knight Hall

Bishop's Committee Meeting, 7 pm, Conference Room

Bilingual Children's' Christian Education Class, 5 pm

Wednesday

Healing Service and Christian Formation Class, 10 am

Thursday

MarkDowns Thrift Store, **9 am-1 pm**

East Valley Harmonizers Practice, 7 pm, Knight Hall

Choir Practice, 7 pm

Friday

MarkDowns Thrift Store, **9 am-1 pm**

Mesa Caledonian Pipe Band, 7 pm

Saturday

Paint Party, Knight Hall, 4 pm-7pm

Sunday

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Bring your pets (or pictures) to be blessed!

Lion's Den, 9 am, Knight Hall

(Host: ECW&M Ministry)

Holy Eucharist and Pet Blessing, 10 am