

August 2020

President's Message



Cliff's Notes: By Cliff Ewert

The Future of St. Mark

The journey this spring and summer has been a long one with the COVID-19 virus impeding many of the things we like to do. The virus, however, hasn't stopped us from worshiping our God, nor has it stopped Him from watching over us. We have been blessed, as a congregation, that our Lord has kept us safe. It is my prayer, that He continues to watch over us.

This past spring, the Council held a retreat covering the topic, "The Future of St. Mark." This was an opportunity for the Council to build on all the blessings that have been part of St. Mark and how we can take God's gifts and use them to promote His kingdom.

The topics included:

1. Pastor Breum's future plans
2. A review of the Youth and Family Ministry program
3. Attracting people to Christ and St. Mark
4. The use of electronic media to spread God's Word
5. A review of our facilities and their usage
6. The reporting structure of the Safety and Security Committee

While there was a good exchange of ideas, it was decided to involve the congregation in this initiative. A few years ago, a survey was conducted of the congregation and we will be now conducting another survey in September. After the results are known, we will schedule a town hall meeting to discuss the results and receive input from our members as to how you feel St. Mark should move forward.

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Save the Date: November 8th

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ARTICLE DEADLINE

The deadline for the next
The Voice is **Aug 15th.**

Please Email articles to: stmark-communications@gmail.com &
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Next Council Meeting: Aug 11th at 7:00 pm (virtual meeting on Zoom).

Next Committee Meetings: Aug 25th at 7:00 pm (virtual meetings).

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A vintage typewriter with a dark body and light-colored keys is positioned on a wooden desk. The typewriter is slightly angled, showing its keyboard and the carriage. The background is a soft, out-of-focus light color.

From the Desk of Pastor Breum

Dear Friends,

I hope you are enjoying the devotions that are being sent out five days a week. You are being thought of as they are written and recorded. You may not have been able to come to church since March, but you are far from forgotten. I also hope you are taking advantage of the worship service recorded for the weekend. We want everyone to stay healthy and safe.

Christian friendships are eternal, not bound by time or location. Christian friendships last forever. I am certain you have experienced this. You may not have seen a particular person for over ten years or spoken to the friend. God works it out that you reconnect, and you feel on the inside that no time at all has gone by since you last communicated. Christian friendships are not bound by time. They are eternal so in one sense it may be 10 years since you have communicated but in the spirit world, no time has gone by. If this does not make sense please tell me and I will try to do a better job at explaining this. Time does not exist in eternity. God does not look any older today than He did when He created Adam and Eve. God lives above time as do our Christian friendships.

Something I sense in my spirit is this. Speak less and listen more. We live in a day where everyone is speaking, and no one is listening. Yes, this is an exaggeration but fairly accurate too. Seriously, we are living in a time like we never have before. We are seeing, feeling, and hearing things we never thought we would ever experience. It is so good to listen to what our friends are thinking, feeling, and seeing. Yes, listening is one of the best ministries we can offer to one another at this time. On the other hand, to have a Christian friend to open up to is also a huge blessing. I see God deepening our Christian fellowship one with another all over the place.

Let us pray. Dear Heavenly Father, You tell us to thank You in all circumstances. We thank You for the work you are doing worldwide and in our own lives. Thank you that You are our Helper and have everything that we need. Help us all to be excellent listeners during these troubled times. May we support one another as never before. This we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Pastor Breum



MISSOURI MUSINGS

BY BOB YARBROUGH

Where is God When Your Dog Dies

Isn't that a ridiculous question? We've got a pandemic, economic uncertainty, and social chaos. Does God even know about our pets? Does he care?

Did you ever read the book of Jonah? Do you remember how it ends? The words have always stuck with me: "And should not I pity Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than 120,000 persons who do not know their right hand from their left, and also much cattle?"

God took pity not only on the 120,000 people but on their livestock.

Jesus said this about our feathered friends: "Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them" (Matthew 6:26).

Scripture also teaches this: "Whoever is righteous has regard for the life of his beast" (Proverbs 12:10).

Pets were not unknown in biblical times. As a clever woman told Jesus, "Yes, Lord; yet even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs" (Mark 7:28). Or consider the diligent shepherd who leaves 99 sheep, finds the one who got lost, and according to Jesus "rejoices over it more than over the 99 that never went astray" (Matthew 18:13).

Or how about the story that the prophet Nathan told? "The poor man had nothing except one little ewe lamb he had bought. He raised it, and it grew up with him and his children. It shared his food, drank from his cup, and even slept in his arms. It was like a daughter to him" (2 Samuel 12:3).

Here's my point. Pets don't matter to God as much as people. Christ did not die so that cats and dogs (or sheep) might repent and be saved. It is humans, not animals, that are the crown of God's creation (see Psalm 8).

But because God created animals, he has regard for them (see above). And because he cares for his people, what matters deeply to them, we can be sure, matters deeply to God.

God cares when your dog (or cat, or other dear pet) reaches life's end. Because he cares for you.

Today I'm thinking about what God's word tells me: "Cast all your anxiety on God because he cares for you" (1 Peter 5:7 NIV). Our faithful German shepherd Wolf has a tumor. It has been growing for a couple of months. He moves with more and more difficulty. We see the pain in his eyes.

It's a malignant tumor in the spleen and liver. It is bulging. It will eventually rupture. Death would come by internal bleeding. We want to avoid that.

In two hours a veterinarian will make a home visit. I already have the grave dug in the rock and clay at the border of the woods and the yard. It took two hours with pick and spade, shovel, and crowbar. Wolf lay watching, panting in discomfort at a distance while I hacked out his resting place.

A friend has made a grave marker. Carved in German Gothic script is the word "Wolf."

When he was little, one of my sons (who purchased the puppy we named Wolf as a gift for his mother) was terrified of doctor visits and shots. I taught him this verse (it rhymes if you say it all out loud):

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Elders are Announcing:

**Council Nominations are Now Open
For: The 2021 Church Year**

**Save the date: November 8, 2020
following first service**

We love how God knows the future of St. Mark, where He's going to take us as a congregation and how His hand will move us forward. If He's nudging you to follow His lead by serving on Council or if you know of someone who has expressed an interest, please let an Elder know by September 15th.

The following positions will be filled for the coming year(s):

President- 1 year term (maximum 3 successive terms)
Secretary – 1 year term (max 3 successive terms)
Treasurer – 1 year term (max 3 successive terms)
Elder – 2 positions, (1) 2 year term, (1) 3 year term
Trustee – 1 position, 3 year term

Candidates will be elected during the annual meeting in November and terms will begin in January 2021.

Serving in Christ,

The Elder Board
Ken Johnson
Jeff McKenzie
Joni Wasmund

For times such as these...

The St. Mark website is your source for all information and also serves as a way for us to worship together and be assured of God's presence. We also encourage you to share sermons, daily devotions and youth activities on social media. God has given us a great opportunity to share our faith with our friends and family through St. Mark's online ministry. Go to smlc.info for information on:

† Devotions

† Youth Activities

† Bible Studies

† Online Giving



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St. Mark Council News

To keep you better informed about Church Council decisions we briefly present the major items from our June 9th & July 14th 2020 meetings. Should you desire in-depth information, please go to www.smlc.info/minutes for additional Council and Committee minutes.

A motion was approved to proceed with the replacement of the North parking lot.

A Discussion was held on replacing the current epoxy flooring in the church with commercial grade, waterproof vinyl tiles.

A motion was approved to accept the resignation of Rhonda Haynes from the Evangelism Committee with deep appreciation for her dedication and work.

A motion to purchase a camera and accessories to either record or live stream worship services at a cost of \$3,000 plus \$119 monthly for services.

A motion to replace an air conditioner in the Ed Center for \$4495 with Seasons Heating and Air Conditioning.

The Finance Committee recommends that the \$415.00 currently in the Community Care Program be moved to the Good Samaritan Donations Fund.

The next Council meeting is on August 11, 2020, 7:00 pm, prayerfully in the church library.

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The challenges we face are many. Since 2011 attendance at our worship services has dropped 40%. Sunday School enrollment has dramatically decreased by 60%. Volunteerism has dropped in a number of areas, most notably in help for the Sunday School.

We can point to the fact that all churches are down in attendance and Millennials are not attending; however, there are churches in our area that are growing. We have the seeds in the words of the Bible for uplifting St. Mark. Pastor Breum cannot build St. Mark alone. Let us all focus on God's love and move our church forward!

God Bless and stay safe.

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*What time I am afraid I will trust in thee:
Psalms fifty-six three.*

He repeated that verse (in a nice melody) at the doctor's. I think he still does (age 32). It helps, because God truly is with his people in their times of duress, whether true life crisis (like a family member's death, or a miscarriage) or something far less calamitous in the grand scheme of things, like a doctor or dentist appointment.

But our lives are not just about some grand scheme. We live them out by the hour. Sometimes a dog or cat is pretty important for our mood and morale. Our dog Wolf did his duty in defense and loyalty from his puppyhood in 2011 to his dying day—today.

Jesus said, "Surely I am with you always" (Matthew 28:20). I find hope in that, because today, I am conscious even more than normal that we could use some heavenly help.

As for that classic question whether dogs (or cats) go to heaven, Scripture doesn't say, and I have no idea. But when I staked out the gravesite, I remembered Christ's words: "For as the lightning comes from the east and shines as far as the west, so will be the coming of the Son of Man" (Matthew 24:27 ESV).

When I lay Wolf into the earth, I will face him east, so he can be watching just in case.

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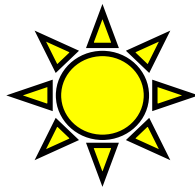
Student and Family

AUGUST 2020

JOSIAH FRUSTI, YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY COORDINATOR

EMAIL: JOSIAH@SMLC.INFO

Fun in the Sun!



August Scheduled Events (6:00-8:00 PM)

2nd: A Day at the Lake



16th: Senior Send-Off Night



Social Media

- Instagram: [st_markyouth](https://www.instagram.com/st_markyouth)
- Facebook: [St.Mark Student Ministry](https://www.facebook.com/St.Mark-Student-Ministry)
- Snapchat: [st_markyouth](https://www.snapchat.com/add/st_markyouth)



Mission Trip 2021

Next Year: As we look ahead into 2021, planning begins for next summers Mission Trip. This month, parents will be receiving an opinion poll so you can share your thoughts on the trip.

Among these plans we will need to consider the following: location, timing, group size, age group, restrictions to follow and more.

Please use this time to speak honestly and ask any questions you may have regarding a future Mission Trip.

In all of our decisions we will pray and trust in the Lord as we move forward:

For the Lord gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding. Prov 2:6



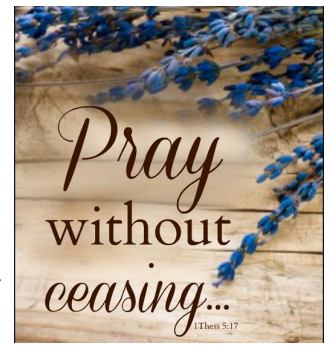
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Thank you for your 30 Days of Prayers for our Muslim neighbors, friends and near and far!

We thank you for your heartfelt prayers for our Muslim neighbors and friends during the 2020 *30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World*. "His Spirit is drawing countless thousands of Muslims to new life in Jesus." Please continue keeping our Muslim neighbors in mind,



- (1) Utilizing your "30 Days of Prayer for Muslims" continue to pray for Muslims in our community and around the world; missionaries and Muslim-background believers who are taking the Gospel deep into the House of Islam; God raising up more witnesses to Muslims, and ask God what He would have you do to minister to Muslims and share your faith with them.
- (2) If you know a Muslim, continue to develop a sincere relationship with the person that when the time comes, you can share Christ in love.

Note: Lake Villa has an Islamic Center, Masjid Rahmah, on Monaville Rd. Located between Cedar Lake Road and Hwy 83. (Formerly a Baptist Church and school.)



A Big Thank You!

From the Endowment Committee

The Endowment Committee is very pleased to thank two anonymous donors to St Mark's Endowment Fund. A few months ago, \$5,000 was donated and recently, \$7,000 was received. Again, thank you to those two donors.

For those of you who may have missed our earlier *VOICE* articles, last fall the Endowment Committee entered into an endowment management agreement with In Faith. They are investing our endowment monies and hopefully our fund will have a better chance to grow in their hands.

What is an endowment fund, you ask? It is donations set aside for long term growth to benefit St Mark and our members. Our church policies prohibit the disbursement of the fund's principle. Rather, as the fund grows, we will look for opportunities to give money back to St Mark.

There are a couple of ways to donate to our Endowment Fund. The easiest way is to place your donation in your envelope and then in the offering plate with a notation for the Endowment Fund. However, you could also consider giving to the Endowment Fund electronically on a weekly or monthly basis. Go to the Give page on our website (<https://www.smlc.info/give/>) to learn more about electronic giving.

For more details on donating, contact Mel Ellingsen (847) 274-8144 or Jerry Doran (847) 271-8632.

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Tips: Read the psalm slowly, pausing often, and turn the words into a prayer to God. Do not miss the transition from lament to praise! ¹

James 1: 2-4 – 2 Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters whenever you face trials of many kinds, 3 because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. 4 Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.

A true, but incomprehensible story of reconciliation rooted in the founding of America through the Civil War up to today's turbulent times centered around two men, their family history and prayer. Watch as a family About 40 minutes. Interviewer is Eric Metaxes, one of my favorite authors, and host of "Socrates in the City." <https://youtu.be/Jp8O0kajWsQ>

The Worship and Music Committee has posted the *2020 Three Days of Prayer Brochure* on the St. Mark website under **Resources**. We prayerfully request you include these various petitions as part of your devotions for our church families, Pastor, staff, church council and committees and for the life of the world during this church year. Also check with Deb, at our church office, for online prayer time with Pastor Breum. Pray for our members who appear in our Church Directory on the same page as you.

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Contemporary Worship

YOUR TALENTS AND SKILLS ARE NEEDED.

Music flourishes at St. Mark. From our team of talented players to our technical crew who keep the sound pumping and the words on the screen, we can't do it alone, and need some help.

If you play an instrument, or even if you're learning, we may have a spot for you playing or singing for all to hear.

Psalm 100:1-2 "Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth. Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing."

Our contemporary music team plays at the 10:30 service and plays everything from hymns to Christian rock. Our PowerPoint technicians keep the lyrics flowing at the chancel for all to see, and our sound technicians set up the speakers, monitors, and microphones and help with a brief tear down after service. Did you know you can sit with your family and still work the soundboard? Our iPad technology allows you to control the soundboard anywhere in the church!

If you are not sure about this, talk to Chris Gjelsten or Charlie Burke. We will train you and not leave you guessing. We all have a great support team.... Each other.

Chris Gjelsten gjels10@gmail.com

Charlie Burke barliechurke@hotmail.com

We are a family with room to grow. One of our goals is to continue the success of the Youth In Christ Praise Band. It's a group of teens from St. Mark who sing, drum, play piano, bass, and guitar.

If you play other instruments, Charlie does a great job of finding room for you at your church home.

We hope to get going on the other side of the virus.

Come join us!



The St. Mark Confirmation Program for 2020-2021 year is open to children entering 7th grade and older.

Class times, Wednesday evenings:

First Year/Second Year Class: 5:45 to 6:45pm

9th Grade Class: 7:00 to 8:00pm

Important Dates:

August 15: Registration packets available

August 26: Registration night at 6:15 pm

September 9: First night of class

Please contact smc.confirmationcom.lindenhurst@gmail.com or church office for more information and to be on our mailing list.

***Tentative
Confirmation Day
Service is Sunday,
10/25/2020
Reformation
Sunday***

***Confirmation Tea
Wednesday
10/22/2020***



VBS THANK YOUS!!!

Many, many thanks to our 2020 VBS directors Kayla Weidner, Beth Miller, Melissa Miller & Kate Whitehead for providing our VBS children with a WONDERFUL VBS experience...despite the unusual times we're going through.

Thanks to Wendy Weidner for her daily VBS intros and to Todd Stickney for leading us in the Sheep song and the Duck song!! It wouldn't have been the same without either of you.

A VERY SPECIAL thank you and good-bye to Kayla Weidner for directing our VBS program for the past three years. St Mark has been blessed to have Kayla's leadership and she will be missed.

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**SUNDAY SCHOOL
ALERT**

Valuable
Oppportunity for
Leaders
Understanding and
Nurturing
Teachers (5)
Enlist for
Eternal
Rewards

Interested? Questions?

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Jane Milani (lvmom76@att.net)

Beth Miller

(stmarksunschool@gmail.com or

bethmiller949804@gmail.com)

Greetings from the Stewardship Committee

The World is changing as we watch. Every day we hear about the latest results of the Covid19. There is no assurance on when we will go back to the lives we had before. St. Mark is blessed to have so many wonderful resources - Pastor, Council, Staff and Volunteers. All who are working to provide stability in these uncertain times.

Here's what you can do to continue your support of St. Mark:

Go to the St. Mark website at www.smlc.info.

Go to **Give** at the top of the page.

Tithes & Offerings appear.

You have three (3) options.

Click Here for – to be redirected to a secure website for **onetime** online donations by credit card, debit card, or checking account information.

Click Here for – to download and print a form that can be returned to our office (to the attention of "Financial Secretary- Patrice Sutton") to be set up for automatic **recurring** withdrawals, if desired.

Click Here for – to be redirected to the GivePlus+ website which explains everything associated with the smartphone **application GivePlus+**. Using this app, you can use your smartphone to make either a onetime or reoccurring donation to St. Mark.

For those with limited internet access, you can mail in your tithes and offerings to the church office at the address below.

St. Mark will continue for as long as it takes to weather this earthly storm. We need your financial support as always. This is a great way to continue your support until we gather again at the foot of the cross at 1822 E. Grand Ave. Lindenhurst, IL. 60046.

God's blessings and stay healthy by watching Pastor Breum's daily Devotionals and weekend mini-Sermon on YouTube.

The Stewardship Committee,
Laurie Kerns, Carl Norlin and Pete Bolender



Worship Service DVD's Available



Did you miss an important event? Did you want to review a past sermon series?

If you want a recorded copy of a church service please contact Pete Bolender at 847-838-2938 or 847-951-1539. Pete records the 8:00AM service when he attends, as well as others like Baptisms, Christmas, past Easters and Confirmation.

This is the 20th year of doing these recordings. There is a catalog of recordings from 2000 through 2019. All are on VHS through 3/15/2009 and DVDs after that date.



Everything You Need to Know about the

St Mark Annual Rummage Sale

August 6th, 7th, & 8th

The Annual St. Mark Rummage Sale is only days away. Thank you to everyone who came out to help us get set up during these very crazy times. Thank you to Council for letting us start early this year as we would not have been ready without the extra time.

As with everything else, the sale will be different this year but with new rules and safety measures we should have a successful sale. Masks will be required of workers and shoppers. We are not allowing children in this year. We will not be having a bake sale this year. We will not be having our free tent this year.

We are having a St. Mark member's only sale on Monday August 3rd and Tuesday August 4th from 10a-2p (Call Laurie if you can't make these times). Come shop with no crowds.

We are still in need of lots of help during the sale. If you are willing to work the sale, please call Laurie Kerns 847-612-1510. Cashiers are really needed. We will also need help Saturday when the sale is over to pack up all the leftovers.

If you know of any groups or people that could use any leftovers let us know.

Any questions call Laurie



Church Member Small Business Directory

- To be added to the upcoming directory, please send your contact information and a few words about your business to Doran.Jerry@gmail.com.

- Listings should not be considered endorsements or recommendations by St Mark Lutheran Church. Church members should do their own due diligence in determining if appropriate for their situation.
- It is always acceptable to request personal references.--

Jerry Doran Cell 847-271-8632



***** Picnic Canceled**

Due to the current phase and the results from the survey regarding the Annual Church Picnic we have made the tough decision to cancel this year's picnic.

Planning is under way for Saturday, August 29th for the **2020 Chicago Cook County DOC** event. Many volunteers are needed as we have greatly increased the number of facilities we will be visiting. Please consider joining us for one of the most rewarding ministries St. Mark is involved in!

Please register at your earliest convenience by going to:
www.behindthewalls.com.



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Open Arms is able to purchase food from the Northern IL Food Bank at a very cost effective price, so every dollar goes a long way; **\$1.00 purchases 8 pounds of food**. If you are able to give, please consider going to the website (link below) and click the donate button to give. The pantry accepts donations Tues-Thurs from 9a-11a. They will accept monetary donations during this time as well. *Thank you for your heart for the hungry.*

Last month St. Mark provided volunteers, donations and food items. "With your help, we are able to provide meals...for local households that include Seniors and children.



We Always Have Room For One More Man! (age 15+)
Every 4th Saturday of the month.

Aug 22nd Virtual Meeting 8:00am

Please join our virtual ZOOM Meeting!

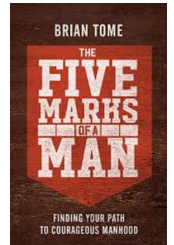
Go to <https://zoom.us/join>,

then enter meeting ID: **712-154-5277** / **Password: marks**

We are currently using The Five Marks of a Man, by Brian Tome, to guide our discussion.

(Feel free to purchase book or request one via email)

If you would like to be added to our mailing list; send your name, phone number, email, and mailing address to Ministry2EveryMan@gmail.com or call Jerry Doran / 847-271-8632.



Thanks St Mark Thrivent Members
For Living Generously!

ONLINE Workshop—Medicare 101

August 18th Tuesday and 20th Thursday / 6pm

Enrolling in Medicare can feel like opening a puzzle that's all sky...it's hard to know where to start! Let us lend a hand with Medicare 101, an informational event to help explain your options. No products will be sold. Hosted by Jerry.Doran@thrivent.com / 847-271-8632

Go to www.zoom.com or <https://zoom.us/join>,

Meeting Number: **712 154 5277** Password: **medicare)**

RSVP by emailing Jerry.Doran@Thrivent.com to be sent a reminder.

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St. Mark "Off the Rails" VBS 2020

Jesus' power pulled us over the mountains, through dark tunnels, across rivers, and around the bend. Along the way, our conductors (parents/grandparents) helped 45 kids learn that:

- ⊗ Jesus' power helps us do hard things.
- Ä Jesus' power gives us hope.
- Ä Jesus' power helps us be bold.
- Ä Jesus' power helps us live forever.
- Ä Jesus' power helps us be good friends.



Although VBS is back at the station, we'd like to thank all the families that came along on our adventures. With creativity, determination, and your example, our children learned that NOTHING stops His love and grace. Trust Jesus!
Kayla Weidner and Beth Miller

You Can Support St. Mark While Supporting Local Businesses



Second Tuesday Each Month

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