

The VOICE OF ST. MARK LUTHERAN CHURCH

November 2024

Cliff Notes

By Cliff Ewert



Why Christians Need to Vote

“This election is the most important election of your lifetime.” We hear these words for every election. Whether it’s presidential, senatorial, or at the local level, voting is vitally important. Bible-believing Christians can make a huge difference this fall and I encourage you to vote.

The contents of this article are based on information from WALLBUILDERS (wallbuilders.com). Being a statistics person, I found some of the election information to be very interesting! Do you know where you stand?

Noted pollster George Barna recently conducted a study to determine Christians’ interest levels and viewpoints for the upcoming 2024 election. He interviewed 2,000 church-going, self-identified Christians. Below are a few notable highlights:

Most (57%) believe the outcome of the November 2024 election will make a big difference in their lives, while many of the rest (29%) say it will make only some difference.

Moral decline was identified by less than one-quarter of the church-going Christians (23%) as a defining issue, while abortion on demand was supported by 42%.

On the list of issues, economic matters were identified as the top concern, especially in relation to inflation and the cost of living (67%); the economy, in general, (64%); immigration and boarder control (60%); crime, law and order (59%); unemployment and jobs (38%); and federal deficit and debt (33%). Another issue was addressing poverty and homelessness named by 43%.

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ARTICLE DEADLINE

The deadline for the **Dec/Jan** edition of *The Voice* is **November 12th**.

Please Email articles to:

stmarkcommunications@gmail.com.

ANNUAL MEETING

Save the Date!
Sunday, November 10, 2024
@9:15AM
Annual Reports and Proposed 2025 Budget are available in the Narthex.

Thanksgiving Pies

Thanksgiving Eve Pie Fellowship
Wednesday, November 27th
immediately following the 7:00 PM Service.



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Next Council Meeting: Tuesday, November 12th @ 7:00PM
Next Committee Meeting: Tuesday, November 26th @ 7:00PM

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MISSOURI MUSINGS

BY BOB YARBROUGH

Time Runs Out

Psalm 90:12

*So teach us to number our days
that we may get a heart of wisdom.*

That Bible verse comes from a unique psalm, the only one written by Moses.

Moses understood that we only have so many days. He thought he was going to enter the Promised Land. After all, he led Israel out of Egypt and was their head for 40 years in the wilderness. But a temper tantrum brought his years of service to a close:

And Moses lifted up his hand and struck the rock with his staff twice, and water came out abundantly, and the congregation drank, and their livestock. ¹² And the LORD said to Moses and Aaron, “Because you did not believe in me, to uphold me as holy in the eyes of the people of Israel, therefore you shall not bring this assembly into the land that I have given them” (Numbers 20:11–12).

Moses’ time ran out.

As I write this, I have just heard the names Pete Rose, Dikembe Mutombo, and Kris Kristofferson. Their time ran out, Mutombo at just age 58. Kris Kristofferson wrote a song with these haunting lyrics:

... Why me Lord, what have I ever done

To deserve even one
Of the pleasures I've known
Tell me Lord, what did I ever do
That was worth loving You
Or the kindness You've shown

... Lord help me Jesus, I've wasted it all

So help me Jesus, I know what I am
Now that I know that I've needed you
So Help me Jesus, my soul's in Your hand

When we are young, life seems endless. For a child in school, the days of December before Christmas break can seem like an eternity. When we get older, the words of an old song may echo in our head: “Wo-oh, what I want to know, where does the time go?” (Grateful Dead)

Jesus is the Son of God, risen from the dead, our Savior at the Father’s right hand, interceding for us. But in his earthly days he was a teacher. “Disciple” means “pupil, learner.” He taught his followers. He still does.

Let us learn from him, as we amble and angle toward Thanksgiving, and Advent. The apostle Paul teaches us to live “redeeming the time” (Colossians 4:5).

Christ died and rose to redeem our lives, past, present, and future. Through faith in him, learning from him, we discover how *to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom.*

That is timely counsel, however our future calendar turns out.

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St. Mark Council News

To keep you better informed about Church Council decisions, please go to <https://smlc.info/minutes/> for Council and Committee minutes.

Below are important decisions from the October 2024 Council meeting:

A motion to approve Policy E-18: Media Use of Name, Image, Voice or Likeness Policy was tabled for further clarification.

A motion to approve Policy D-3: Memorial Inurnment Services Policy was approved.

A motion to approve the formation of a Communications/Media Committee was approved. The committee will work to enhance communications within the church and provide information to the community through press releases.

Cliff Notes, *Continued from page 1*

Abortion, the issue of choice for Kamala Harris, was the seventh-ranked issue, identified by 41% of churched Christians.

When Christians were asked if they prefer that their churches be more or less involved in the 2024 election than they had been in other recent elections, the answers were split. A plurality (42%) opted for the status quo, preferring the same involvement as in the past. The other half were evenly divided between saying they prefer their churches to be more involved (25%) or less involved (27%).

What are the voting trends among church-going Christians? 6 out of 10 vote in every election, 3 out of 10 vote inconsistently, and 1 out of 10 are not registered or do not vote.

The survey showed the likelihood of people of faith likely to vote in 2024 at 51%, unlikely to vote 49%. Why? According to the survey, 68% of Christians are not interested in politics and elections and 57% dislike all major candidates.

We as Christians can provide desperately needed leadership in our communities and in the nation at large. Christians are encouraged to be aware of the candidates and issues, to learn what the Bible says on issues confronting our nation, and encourage fellow Christians to vote.

Most of all, pray for all of our leaders, "all who are in authority, so that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and dignity." 1 Timothy 2:2.

Pray, be informed, and vote!

God Bless,

Cliff Ewert
President

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Greetings From The Congregational Life Committee

Holiday Dinner in a Bag

Do you know of a family in need in our community? **Please submit names and contact information for those that could use help in providing a Thanksgiving dinner for their family.** You can turn in the information to Stevie in the church office.

Please see our list of items that are needed that is posted at the church. ***Have a Thrivent card that you would like to donate so we can buy fresh produce, milk and other needed items?*** That would be so helpful and appreciated!

Donation deadline is November 20th. We'll have the meals ready for delivery immediately after the 10:30 a.m. service on Sunday, November 24th. **We're looking for volunteers to deliver the meals that afternoon. Please sign-up if you're able to help deliver.**

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in. MATTHEW 25:35



Operation Christmas Child



The amazing journey of a Shoebox Gift begins with You and results in Evangelism, Discipleship, and Multiplication. We've got a goal to pack 200 boxes for Operation Christmas Child this year. That means we'll need your help to collect as many of our wish list items as possible. We'll be packing on Sunday, November 17th following the 10:30 a.m. service.

The Amazon list is active and has been updated to reflect items that are really needed this year. https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/9P20JNPIHNT8?ref_=wl_share

Advent Soup Suppers

Mark your calendars to join us for great fellowship and delicious food. There will be a soup supper starting at 5:30 p.m. followed by an Advent service on December 4th, 11th and 18th. We're going to have theme nights this year so come check us out and bring a friend! 12/4 will be Taco Night, 12/11 will feature a Baked Potato Bar and 12/18 will be Pasta Night. We'll still have great soups, sandwich fixings and yummy desserts. It's a great way to get to know other church members and to really get into the holiday spirit. ***Please join us!***



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Greetings from the Call Committee!

The 24th Annual LCMC Gathering & Convention was held September 29 - October 2 in Marion, Iowa. We were blessed to have Pete Bolender and Jeff McKenzie attend this event.

Pete and Jeff reported that there were approximately 700 pastors and lay members in attendance. At meal settings, they were always excited to introduce themselves and give a chance to tell "St Mark's story" and our search for a new Lead/Senior Pastor. To their best calculation, they were able to speak to 50 to 75 pastors over the 2 1/2 days they attended the Gathering.

While they did not personally meet any pastors pursuing a call, they were able to speak to several people who may have leads for us. They eagerly handed out our trifold information pamphlet in hopes of stirring up interest in our Lead/Senior Pastor position.

We appreciate all of your prayers and we ask that you continue to pray for us, our congregation, and our new Lead/Senior Pastor. God has a plan for us and He will provide in His perfect timing!

May God Bless You,
The Call Committee

Call Committee Prayer

Dear Heavenly Father,

We come before you with humble hearts, seeking wisdom for St Mark's future pastor. Grant, Call Committee, discernment, endurance, and insight on your plan. Help us as one body of Christ to work together, and according to Your will. Guide the heart of the chosen person to know, without a doubt, St Mark is their new Church home. We thank you for your goodness, love, mercy, and perfect timing.

In Jesus name, we pray.

Amen



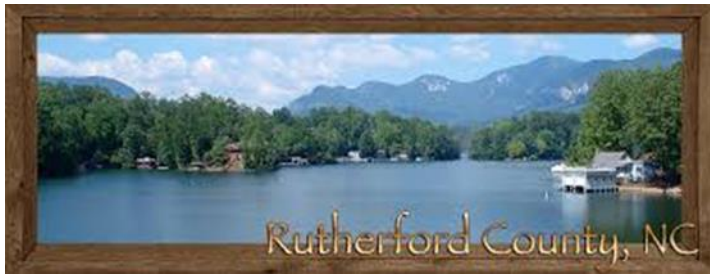
The Safety & Security Committee would like to say



for all your help during last month's fire drill. You are the best!!

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**To any current St. Mark 8th graders through High School seniors (and friends)
– anybody want to go to North Carolina next summer and probably help with
Hurricane Helene clean up??**

As of the middle of October, YouthWorks has not contacted me saying anything is wrong with their Rutherford County, North Carolina, site so I have to assume - "No news is good news!!" But we all can still pray -- A LOT -- for that area! The week of the trip has been chosen. We will leave St. Mark on Saturday, July 19th and return Saturday the 26th.

Here is what YouthWorks says about the week spent in NC: [YouthWorks in the Blue Ridge Mountains of NC](#). It sounds like a great time in some beautiful country!! On-line registration has not opened yet, but I will let you know when you can sign up. This year's trip cost is \$200 per individual but that cost can be lowered by being involved with some fundraising activities we'll schedule in the future. (St. Mark will pay the remaining \$229.) As always, I need some adult chaperones to come along for the ride, especially females.

There is a sign-up sheet on the C/3 Youth board opposite the Fellowship Hall. Signing up does NOT lock you into coming NOR paying for the trip but gives me an idea on how many spots I need to reserve.

For any more information and/or questions, please ask!!



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Event Title: Making an Impact: Your Generosity Story

Date: Thursday, November 7, 2024 at 11:00AM

Description: Everyone has a unique generosity story, including you. Discover the five primary ways each generation expresses generosity. Learn about the factors that shape and influence generosity and ways to create impact in your community.

Registration: [Click Here to Register](#)

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The C/3 High School youth of St. Mark would like to test your knowledge of a very simple staple of our lives – **CORN!!**

What percentage of corn planted in the US is sweet corn? 25% or 1% or 67%

How many rows are on an average ear of corn? 16 or 12 or 20

Where is the WORLD's largest corn maze located? Kansas or Nebraska or Illinois

Well ... you are going to just have to read this article to find the answers!

On a beautiful Sunday night, 9 of us went to the Richardson Adventure Farm in Spring Grove and had a blast!! The good news was – we didn't lose any kids in the maze! But the bad news was – it did take them CONSIDERABLY longer than the "average" time to find their way out!! *The answer to the first question is 1%.* Besides the maze, they went on a tractor ride, slid 100 feet down a hill, tried a smaller version of the bigger zip line, climbed to the top of 50 foot tower but didn't throw any pumpkins from the top (go the church's website to see people doing this), ate some awesome food – we all highly recommend the warm apple doughnuts- petted some cute animals, and saw Barbie Q win the pig race - sorry if you had money on Snoop Pig (go the church's website to see the final race)! If we had more time, we would have done some paint ball and/or air cannon shooting, gone on the carousel, jumped on their huge air pillow, taken a train ride, and/or checked out their sunflower field! We could have definitely eaten more food!!! *The answer to the second question is 16.* Here are some pictures from the event!



The answer to the third question is of course Illinois -- at the Richardson Adventure Farm!!

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Stephen Ministry is a faith based one-on-one, confidential ministry that walks with people through a variety of struggles, including but not limited to, death of a spouse or child, divorce or separation, job loss, support for single parents and adults caring for elderly parents. We are here for you. If you or someone you know could benefit, or if you just have questions, please reach out to our church receptionist, pastor, or directly to a Stephen Minister for additional information.



Stephen Ministry



St. Mark's next packing session is scheduled for Thursday, November 7th, at 6:45 PM. Please use the following link to sign up: [November's Sign Up Link](#). As a reminder, there are sit down jobs, stand up jobs, and move around jobs needed each and every session! If you have any questions, please ask or contact Mike Mol.

If this Thursday evening doesn't fit into your schedule, please feel free to sign up for a shift or 2 that fits better into your schedule!! [FMSC](#)

PLEASE HELP MORE KIDS SMILE LIKE THIS ONE!



On Going Opportunities for Prayer at St. Mark Church

- **Continue Praying for America's National Repentance.** See November Prayer article for *National Repentance* by Dr. Glenn Sunshine.
 - **Pray for St. Mark Church's #7 Combine Faith and Relationships and #8 Be in the world but not of the world.**
 - **Pray the Call Committee Prayer** and the new pastor.
 - **St. Mark Prayer Chain**, a wonderful group of fellow Christians, praying for all prayer requests and praising God for His listening to our petitions, thanksgivings and praises for His responses. Email requests and praises to smlcprayers@gmail.com. Please share with the Prayer Chain; how God has responded to your prayer request. Check with Connie Saunders, if you want to join.
 - **St. Mark Lutheran Church: Being the Church.** Fall Call to Prayer, Humility, Seek God, Repent. See Prayer Table and St. Mark website: smlc.info under the Prayer Tab.
 - **Praying God's Promises for Israel** see Prayer Table for prayer guide and St. Mark website: smlc.info under the Prayer Tab.
- **2024 Three Days of Prayer Brochure for St. Mark Church, 2024 Prayer Guide, Youth Prayer Guide and a Children's Prayer Guide** on the St. Mark website under Prayer, smlc.info. Copies are also available at the Prayer Table in the Narthex. We prayerfully request you include these various petitions as part of your devotions for our church families, Intention Interim Pastor Steve, staff, church council and committees during this church year. Thank you, Worship and Music Committee and St. Mark Prayer Team.
- **ZOOM Weekly Prayer Meeting** - Come, pray and be blessed. Beginning Tuesdays, until further notice from 6:30 to 7:10 pm. we will be meeting on Zoom praying over the previous week of Prayer Chain requests, St. Mark Church and each other. Contact Person: Pam Burke 244-430-6226 and Barb Ewert for Zoom link. 847-514-5487.

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM & FAMILY PARTY!

We will be celebrating Jesus' birth with a nativity program and a fun family party!!!

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM NEEDS HELPERS

Cindy Zwicke is planning the Sunday School Christmas Program on Sunday, December 8 at 4:00. There will be a nativity play followed by a fun family party. Cindy needs a co-chair and additional volunteers to help plan and make this celebration of Jesus' birth a success. Please consider taking part in this joyous event. Contact Cindy Zwicke or Parish Education.



SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PLAY PARTS

Sunday School parents there will be a letter coming home about the December 8th Christmas Program and play part sign-ups. Please save the date and look for more information.



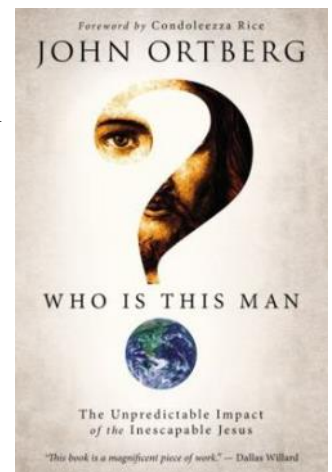
Who Is This Man?

The day after Jesus' death, whatever small mark he made on the world seemed destined to disappear. Instead, his impact on human history has been unparalleled, leading believers and nonbelievers alike to ask, Who Is This Man?

In *Who Is This Man*, bestselling author John Ortberg explores the paradox of Jesus, history's most familiar figure while simultaneously the man no one knows. *Who Is This Man?* traces Jesus' incredible life and legacy from his days on Earth to the present moment, showing us:

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Join John Ortberg as he shares how Jesus' influence has swept over history and how his vision of life continues to impact us today. You can find this book under call number 232.9 ORT.



I would like to thank everyone for the kind words, prayers, meals, calls, and cards this past month. Carl has been adjusting well to his new environment and I am healing well from my surgery. God has truly blessed us in so many ways. Our church family is amazing. As Carl said to me last week during a visit, "We are very lucky!" Judy Dunfrund

If you know anyone who is breastfeeding a newborn and could use breast pumps and freezer storage bags, please let me know. I have several boxes of supplies that were donated.



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Please...

PRAY FOR NATIONAL REPENTENCE

Note: this petition continues after the election.



Nations like ours are set up so that, typically, we get the leaders we deserve. Elections reflect the cultural realities of a particular time and place. Biblically, we know that God is sovereign over leaders and nations.

In light of these two things, my prayer each election has long been that God is merciful, and that He will not give us what we deserve. Like Nehemiah and others from the Old Testament, it would be appropriate for us to pray for our nation with a posture of repentance.

Lord, these are dark and dangerous times for our country. Our politics is full of hate, and it's spilling over in how we think of and treat each other. And like any nation, we have guilt for the evil that we have done and permitted.

We have the blood of over 65 million unborn children on our hands. How do you even begin to atone for this? No political party is willing to defend the unborn, and some of those who speak up for them have even been imprisoned. We can only appeal to your mercy and pray for an end to the slaughter of innocents.

We have dismantled your design for marriage and sexuality and given in to a spirit of confusion over simple biological facts. We are engaged in a destructive project to do the impossible and transition people from one sex to another, and more victims will pay the price for our folly.

We have deep injustices in our criminal justice system against the marginalized and politically disfavored, resulting in many false convictions and plea deals done by the innocent to end their ordeal. In this way we have corrupted justice in violation of your commands to judge with truth.

We have made idols out of our possessions, out of sex, out of ourselves, out of politics, out of our nation, and out of the government, and we have viciously attacked anyone who questions our false gods. We treat them as heretics to be despised and hated.

We hate and malign our political opponents, forgetting that they too are made in your image and forgetting Jesus' teaching that to hold another in contempt is the equivalent of murder, an attack on the image of God and thus on God himself.

May we as your people resist the temptation to hate, to insult, to lash out. May we love our enemies and pray for those who insult or persecute us. May we be peacemakers.

May our allegiance be first and foremost to your Kingdom of righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit. May we live by Jesus' teachings and the values of the Kingdom as agents of reconciliation and shalom in a world that desperately needs them. May your priorities be our priorities over party, tribe, or faction. May we seek first your Kingdom and your righteousness, working for your justice in the world but especially for your rule over all areas of life. May we be disciple-makers in accordance with your final command to us.

May we live by the law of love—not the kind of sentimental love our culture promotes—but love that seeks the ultimate good of all persons, not their temporary satisfaction. May we love people enough to speak the truth with compassion and gentleness. May we care more about their wellbeing here and in eternity than about what they think of us.

Politically, the issues we are facing are many and complicated, and no party stands for your Kingdom in all areas. May we affirm and support what is good: the right to life, liberty of conscience, our fundamental freedoms, equal justice under law, government that carries out its responsibilities before you but stays out of things beyond its legitimate authority. May we oppose what is evil: infanticide, abuse of all sorts, injustice, and dehumanizing rhetoric from all sides. And above all, may we put our hope in you, not in the election or defeat of candidates or parties.

We pray against the demonic forces driving these and other evils in our society and the increasingly overt embrace of the occult among cultural elites.

Lord, you and you alone determine the rise and fall of nations. Only your Kingdom lasts forever. If this is the time when we will see the decline of our nation, keep us from despair, remembering that our citizenship is in Heaven from which we await our Savior, Jesus Christ our Lord. Your promises remain unchanged, and whatever happens, we know you are true. Our hope is in you, not in politicians, parties, laws, or constitutions. We commit our nation into your hands, and by your grace we will live in faith, hope, and love, whatever happens.

We ask all this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.¹

By Glenn Sunshine and intro by John Stonestreet

Thank you, St. Mark Church Prayer Team, Pam Burke, Kathy Shelley and Barb Ewert

¹ With permission *Breakpoint.org* 9.30.24

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ADVENT IS COMING AND SO IS STEWARDSHIP AWARENESS SEASON

SERMON THEME EVERY SUNDAY AND WEDNESDAY
DECEMBER 1 THRU 22

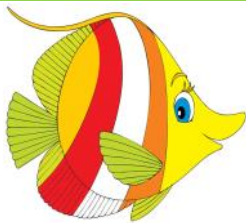
HOW DO WE CARE FOR WHAT GOD HAS GIVEN US AS WE WAIT FOR CHRIST'S RETURN

STEWARDSHIP IS ASKING "HOW CAN YOU MAKE USE OF YOUR TIME AND TALENTS TO ASSIST IN SO MANY MINISTRIES AND PROJECTS THAT ALREADY EXIST?
WHAT BETTER WAY TO THANK GOD FOR ALL HE HAS PROVIDED YOU, THEN BY GETTING INVOLVED IN OUR MANY MINISTRIES?"



**Every Month - 2nd Saturday /
7:00am Breakfast /
8:00am Training / 9:30am Adjourn**

Join in person or via zoom on the 2nd Saturday of the month (Men age 15+). Become part of something good and GET PLUGGED IN. We always have room for one more man. Send your contact information to Ministry2EveryMan@gmail.com or text Jerry Doran at 847-271-8632.



Fin Facts

Did you know?

As of September 30th St. Mark had \$477,530 in checking and savings accounts as well as \$60,000 in the contingency account. The cash balance has increased over last month. Instead of the anticipated loss of (\$63,269) in the budget through the end of September, the church has a gain of \$72,270 through the first nine months of the fiscal year in spite of an average \$ 8,785 per month decline in budgeted general tithing. The gain is due to staff vacancies and careful spending.

At the 2023 Annual Meeting the Congregation stepped out in faith and approved an anticipated loss of \$35,850 for this fiscal year. A gain of \$14,900 is now anticipated if we meet holiday giving projections.

	<u>Budgeted</u> <u>Unrestricted Offerings</u>	<u>Actual</u> <u>Unrestricted Offerings</u>	<u>Over/Under</u>
Month of September 2024	\$ 50,090	\$ 46,232	(\$ 3,858)
2024 Fiscal Year (Jan.– September)	\$ 477,370	\$ 398,852	(\$ 78,518)

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11/12/24, 12/10/24, 1/14/25



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DATE: Every Third Thursday
11/21/24, 12/19/24, 1/16/25

TIME: All Day (Breakfast until Close)

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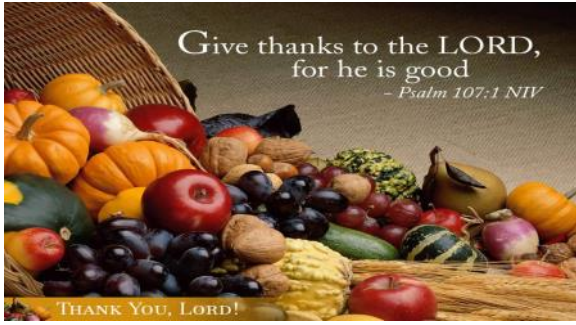
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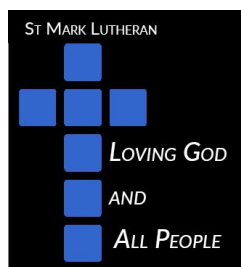
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