



ST. MARK  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
PC(USA) · BALLWIN, MO

January 22 & 23, 2022  
Worship Bulletin

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## CENTERING PRAYER

Holy One, we thank you for the gift of the Bible, for its psalms and poems, parables and stories, histories, teachings, and prophecies. May the Holy Spirit who called out those ancient writings continue to call us out today, that our lives may reflect Jesus' first sermon. We pray in the name of the risen Christ who brings good news to the poor and lets the oppressed go free. Amen.

PRELUDE (Sunday Worship)

*To God Be the Glory*

Grichetchkine

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WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**Psalm 19**

The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul;  
**the decrees of the LORD are sure, making the wise the simple;**  
the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart;  
**the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes;**  
the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring for ever.  
**This is the day the LORD has made.**  
Let us all rejoice and be glad in it.

† HYMN

**“To God Be the Glory”**

**Hymnal #634**

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of our Restoration, whenever we come home to you, we realize how far we stray and how much we forget of your law and your love. We do not love you with our whole hearts or love our neighbors as ourselves. Forgive us, heal us, and restore us to our relationship with you; through Jesus Christ, in whom we trust.**  
(Silent Confession)

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

† SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

† GLORY TO GOD

**Hymnal #582**

TIME WITH CHILDREN (Sunday Worship)

(Children 5<sup>th</sup> grade and younger may leave to attend Sunday School)

SCRIPTURE

Luke 4:14-21

SERMON

**“Calling His Shot”**

Rev. Dr. Dave Burgess

† AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**Westminster Confession of Faith,  
Shorter Catechism Question One**

Q. What is our chief end?

**A. Our chief end is to glorify God and to enjoy God forever.**

OFFERING

Call Him Jesus  
Chancel Choir

Fair/Martin

† THE DOXOLOGY

**Hymnal #606**

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

† HYMN "Live into Hope" Hymnal #772

† CHARGE AND BLESSING

† BENEDICTION "Go to the World!" Verse I Hymnal #295

POSTLUDE (Sunday Worship) *Fantasia* Krieger (1651-1735)

† You are invited to stand, as you are able

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- January 23 & 30** Teacher Orientation and Safe Church Q&A, following 10 am worship
- January 23** Youth Hangout – ice skating at Creve Coeur Rink, 2:30 pm
- January 26** Presbyterian Women's Virtual Tea, 1:30 pm
- January 30** Annual Congregational Meeting, following 10 am worship
- February 8** Go Getters Luncheon, Lazy River Grill, 12 pm
- February 13** Souper Bowl of Caring
- February 27** Blood Drive, 8:30 am – 1:30 pm
- February 27** Discover Mission Sunday

### PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE ST. MARK ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING!

The St. Mark Annual Congregational Meeting will immediately follow the 10 am service on **January 30**. There will be an option to attend virtually. A Zoom meeting link will be sent out prior to January 30.

## WELCOME TO ST MARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

We are pleased to have you join us this morning. Your presence enriches both us and this experience of worship together. It is our prayer this will be a time of challenge and encouragement. Wherever you may be on your faith journey, there is a place for you to participate in our life together here at St. Mark.

**To Our Guests.** We hope you enjoy your visit today. Whether this is your first visit, or you have been coming to St. Mark and are considering joining the church and you would like to know more about St. Mark, we would be happy to talk with you.

For more information, please contact the church office, 636-394-2233.

**Please wear your NAMETAG at church.** Don't have one? Stop by the church office where you will find a form to fill out in the "Name Badge" mailbox.

**Listening devices** are also available and may be picked up from the sound technician in the booth at the back of the sanctuary.

**January/February/March** *These Days* devotional booklets are in the lobby at the Mark entrance.

**Please be aware** that, as St. Mark works to increase safety and security, all doors to the building are locked Sunday morning once worship has begun. Those who arrive late should approach the Mark door and will be admitted by a member of the Security Team, who will be in the Narthex before, during and after worship.



### THE ST. MARK PRAYER LIST

is available at the Welcome Center on Sunday mornings and in the Prayer Circle mailbox in the church office the rest of the week. If you would like prayers for someone you can ask one of the pastors, contact the church office or Pat Marshall.

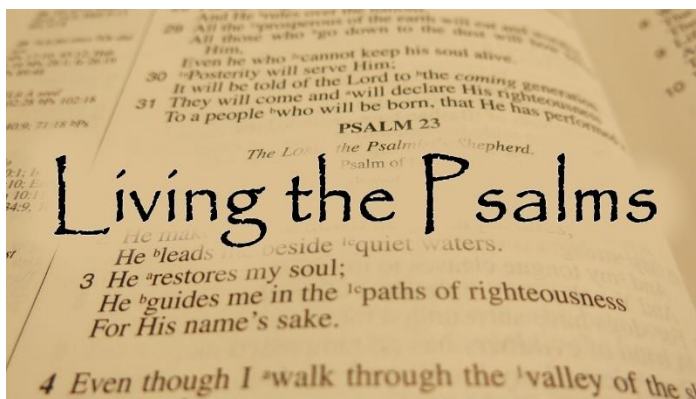
## WAYS TO GIVE

If you would like to make a monetary donation to St. Mark, we have several convenient and easy ways to do this:

1. **In-person:** An offering plate is available in the Narthex after the worship service.
2. **Mail:** Please make check out to St. Mark Presbyterian Church and send to:  
St. Mark Presbyterian Church  
601 Claymont Drive  
Ballwin, MO 63011
3. **Online:** To donate, use the **QR Code** here to



be directed to our giving page on [discoverstmark.org](http://discoverstmark.org), **OR** go to:  
[www.discoverstmark.org/giving/make-an-on-line-donation-to-st-mark/](http://www.discoverstmark.org/giving/make-an-on-line-donation-to-st-mark/)



Everyone is welcome to join us for our new adult Sunday school class. We are studying the longest book of the Bible, the Psalms. There are songs and poems about joy, hope, despair, anger, and every human emotion. Whatever you are feeling, there's a psalm for it. We will look at favorite passages and explore many unknown chapters. Some people sing the verses, others pray them, but we will learn how to live the Psalms.

The class will gather at 8:50 AM at St. Mark Presbyterian Church in Room 102. There will also be an option to attend the class virtually on ZOOM. Please contact Pastor Dave for login credentials or if you have any thoughts or questions.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH YOUTH

# YOUTH HANGOUT

January 23rd 2:30-4pm



Families welcome OR drop off your youth at the Creve Coeur Ice Rink 11400 Olde Cabin Road by 2:30pm for 1-1/2 hours of skate time. They will be ready for pick up at 4:00pm Permission slips/medical forms are required. If you have not filled one out for 2021-2022 year, they are available online at the church website or by requesting one form pastor MP. Cost is \$6 plus \$2 skate rental.

<https://www.discoverstmark.org/wp-content/uploads/Fillable-Children-Youth-Permission-with-holdharmless-21-22.pdf>

<https://www.crevecoeurmo.gov/562/Public-Ice-Sessions>



The Souper Bowl of Caring is a youth-inspired movement working across the nation to tackle hunger in their local

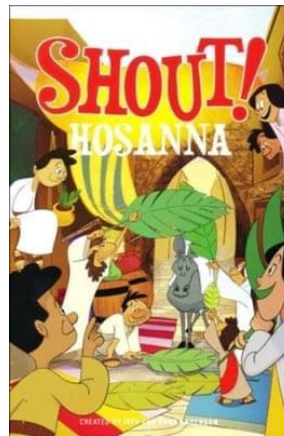
communities. Through the SBoC campaign, \$170 million has been donated across all 50 states since 1990. Once again, St. Mark Youth will be collecting non-perishable food and monetary donations for our local mission partners. Donate on February 12 & 13 to show support for your favorite team and help tackle hunger!

## WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

### TEACHER ORIENTATION AND SAFE CHURCH Q & A, SUNDAY, JANUARY 23 & 30

Teacher orientation & Safe Church Q & A with Latisha Gilliland, Children's Ministry Director, will be available in room 102 directly after the morning worship service on January 23 & 30. Bring any questions you may have regarding Safe Church Policy or becoming a St. Mark volunteer.

### "SHOUT HOSANNA" A MUSICAL FOR PALM SUNDAY!



Be sure to register to participate in "Shout Hosanna" A Musical for Palm Sunday! We will meet every Wednesday from 5-6 pm for rehearsal. All children ages 3 – 12 are welcome! Contact [lgilliland@discoverstmark.org](mailto:lgilliland@discoverstmark.org) for more information. Sign up today!!

## MISSION AT ST. MARK

### Personal Care Product Collection



Did you know that SNAP/EBT/WIC/Food stamps *cannot* be used for personal care products? During January and February, we will collect deodorant, bar soap, shampoo, lotion, and

toothpaste. The collection will benefit Circle of Concern, Isaiah 58 Ministries, and Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services. Please place your donations on the table in the pastors' hallway. You may also write a check indicating the mission partner(s) on the memo line.



**Sunday, February 27, in Gleason Hall 8:30 AM – 1:30 PM**  
St Mark looks forward to seeing our past donors & renewing old friendships & hopefully meeting new donors & making new friendships this new year.

We encourage those members who have been thinking about giving for the first time to let this year be the beginning of a new habit in your life. A member of your community may be the one who receives your blood because of cancer, transplant surgery, other life-saving surgeries, genetic blood disorders, various illnesses and a multitude of various accidents.

Make an appointment today for February 27th at <http://www.redcrossblood.org/Donate/Blood> and enter: Saintmarkpres. **BE THE ONE WHO BRINGS HOPE AND HEALING TO THOSE PATIENTS IN NEED.**

Deacon's Health & Wellness Committee



**COMING SOON – DISCOVER MISSION SUNDAY AT ST. MARK**

On Sunday, February 27, representatives from our primary mission partners will be available at display tables in the narthex before and after worship service to share with you their work and how you can support them.

Please join **Grandma and Me** at the **St. Mark Presbyterian Women's 2022 Annual Tea**  
(Virtually again this year!)

Wednesday, January 26  
1:30 p.m.

This will be a show-and-tell celebration of the lessons we were taught by our Grandmothers.

Watch for your invite in your e-mail from St. Mark.

*\*Feasts of the Bible will be rescheduled.*

*But those who trust in the Lord will renew their strength; they will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not become weary, they will walk and not faint.*

Isaiah 40:31

**Save the Date**  
**February 26-27**  
**2022**

Come soar with the eagles!

**St. Mark Women's Virtual Retreat**

**GO GETTERS FEBRUARY LUNCHEON**

Our February Go Getter luncheon will be on February 8, 2022. Please mark your calendars now to attend. We plan to meet at The Lazy River Grill, [631 Big Bend Road, Ballwin, MO 63021](https://www.lazyrivergrill.com). 636/207-1689.

Please let Judy Richardson or Jan Graves know of your plan to attend. We look forward to seeing you there!

## CLAYMONT PRESCHOOL AT ST. MARK FALL 2022 REGISTRATION

It's time for parents and grandparents of St. Mark preschool aged children to start planning for Fall. St. Mark families are offered priority registration beginning Tuesday, January 18. Half-day classes are available for children who will be 2 years old before October 1, 2022, through pre-kindergarten. Classes meet 9:00 to 12:00 with extended day until 1:30 for older children. Currently, during COVID, there are 62 children attending Claymont Preschool. We expect this number to increase this fall. The Preschool enjoys a wonderful reputation for excellent caring teachers and superb kindergarten readiness, causing some classes to fill quickly, so we hope St. Mark members will take advantage of this early registration period.

Please call Lynne Dauve, call or email [ldauve@discoverstmark.org](mailto:ldauve@discoverstmark.org) for more information. Our registration form and other Missouri State required forms are available at [DiscoverStMark.org](http://DiscoverStMark.org).

We have a very limited number of openings in our 3 year old classes currently, so if you have a new neighbor or know of someone looking for a fabulous preschool, please recommend us to them!



**Save the Date!**  
It's back! Circle of Concern's popular golf tournament returns in 2022!  
Plan now to join us on  
**Monday, May 23 at**  
**Aberdeen Golf Club in Eureka**

16th Annual!

Hosted by St. Mark Presbyterian Church  
Benefiting the programs of Circle of Concern  
Contact Bob at 314.607.8260

Watch for registration info!

Sponsorships are available now!  
Contact Cyndi at 636.861.2623 x117

*Pastor: Rev. Dr. J. David Burgess  
Associate Pastor: Rev. MP Panco  
Dir. of Children's Ministry: Latisha Gilliland  
Dir. of Claymont Preschool: Lynne Dauve*



*Dir. of Music and Organist: Marsha Medley  
Saturday Musician: Mark Reyneso  
Sunday Choir Accompanist: Jee-Hye Lee  
Sunday Special Music: Chancel Choir  
Sunday Liturgist: Daniel Perz*

601 Claymont Drive, Ballwin, MO 63011  
Office Hours Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10am to 2pm.  
*If you need to come in on another day, we encourage you to  
contact the church office to make an appointment.*