### St. Mark's Weekly Calendar at a Glance

Saturday: 6 am—6 pm Easter Vigil (Chapel)

11:00 am Easter Egg Hunt/Potluck Picnic (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday: 9 am—10:15 am Full Breakfast Served (Fellowship Hall)

10:30 am Unity Full Festival Easter Worship (Bring fresh flowers!)

Monday: Church Office will be Closed for Easter Monday

10:00 am Tai Chi/Balance Class (Fellowship Hall)

12:00 pm Quilt Guild (Classroom 0)

Tuesday: Food Pantry: Sue V.

9:30 am Deborah Circle (@City Café Diner)

10 am Staff Meeting

11:15 am Art Group (Classroom 10)

4:30 pm Board of Learning

6:30 pm Executive Committee Meeting

Wednesday: Food Pantry: Bob & Louise B.

7:00 am 6:06 Small Group (Room 8) 9:15 am Bridge Group (Gathering Place)

10 am Ruth Circle (Room 8)6:00 pm Music Night Out

7 pm Board of Witness & Outreach

Thursday: Food Pantry: Connie J.

1:00 pm Martha Circle (Room 8)

1:00 pm Board Worship (Conference Room)

Friday: Food Pantry: Peg S. Blessings: Hackenbergs

Saturday: 10:00 am Art Group (Room 10)

Sunday: 9:00 am Sunday Learning

10:00 am Coffee Fellowship Time

10:30 am Unity Worship

6:30 pm Winona Avenue Free Concert

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

Annie Bourque Ciera Elledge Larry Lechner Debbie Rutecki

Pat Cassity Bobbi Elser Karin Offik Jennie Schemenaur

Margo Dodson Vicki Eversmeyer Frank Ontiveros Mija Stockman

Laura Doss Brenda Holsopple Stan Reinartz

If you would like the St. Mark's Prayer Chain to pray for your concern, please contact our Prayer Chain Coordinator, Brenda Holsopple.



**April 7, 2023** 

Good Friday



# Growing together in faith to abundantly nourish our community.

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# 7:00 pm Tenebrae

We are glad to have you worship with us this evening. Please let us know you are here by signing in on the white Pew Pads. You may also add a prayer request and/or share your Joys and Gratitude.

Welcome to our contemplative service. Please gather in silence.

Call to Worship Bell

Welcome

Introit Seed That in Earth is Dying arr. Philip Gehring

**GATHERING** 

Please rise

Gathering Hymn Jesus Remember Me Hymn 616

Prayer of the Day

Please be seated

**WORD** 

Gospel Reading: John 18:1b—19:42 (Pew Bible pp. 880-882)

Time of Silent Reflection

Please rise

Hymn of the Day Were You There Hymn 353

Please use the best prayer posture for you

**Bidding Prayer** 

Lord's Prayer

Please be seated

Choir Anthem Into Your Hands

Please rise

Procession of the Cross

The Final Word Still Poem by Jan Richardson

Congregation Departs in Silence

Service Participants

Asst. Ministers: Jed Deason & Kathy Sieja

Acolyte: Katie Roome

Gospel Readers: Oliver Sieja, Diana Rhodes, Shandry & Mari Peugeot, Grace Billman,

Terry Szymczyk & Bob Boller Poetry Reader: Piper Roome

Greeters/Ushers: Mike Price, Andy Sieja & Tim Sieja

Tech Volunteer: Andrew Caple

## <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>

**Easter Vigil -** 6 am to 6 pm on Saturday, April 8, in the Chapel. You are invited to come in for a time of prayer and reflection. All are asked to write a prayer request on a paper chain link to be displayed Easter morning.

**Easter Egg Hunt/Picnic Potluck -** Saturday, April 8, at 11 am. Due to the forecast, we will meet at St. Mark's in Fellowship Hall. The egg hunt is for kids 0-12 years; the picnic potluck is for all! Everyone is asked to bring a yummy dish to share.

**Easter Sunday Worship -** 10:30 am Full Festival Easter Worship (Bring fresh cut flowers to flower the cross during Communion.)

There will be a Full Breakfast served in Fellowship Hall from 9 am to 10:15 am on Easter Sunday.

Easter Monday - The Church Office will be closed on Easter Monday, April 10.

**Winona Avenue Pop/Rock Concert -** On Sunday, April 16, at 6:30 pm, please join us for a FREE concert. Get a taste of their music by viewing the clip on our website, (stmarkshsv.org/concerts) and reserve your free tickets. You may also call the church office to reserve tickets.

**St. Mark's Supper Club -** Our next dining experience will be on Saturday, April 22 at 6:30 pm at Old Black Bear Brewing Company in Madison. This event is for singles, couples, young and old! Please sign up in Communication Central by April 21 if you would like to attend so we have an accurate headcount for reservations.