



ST MARK
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



April 14th – 3rd Sunday of Easter
Scripture Reading: Acts 3:1-10

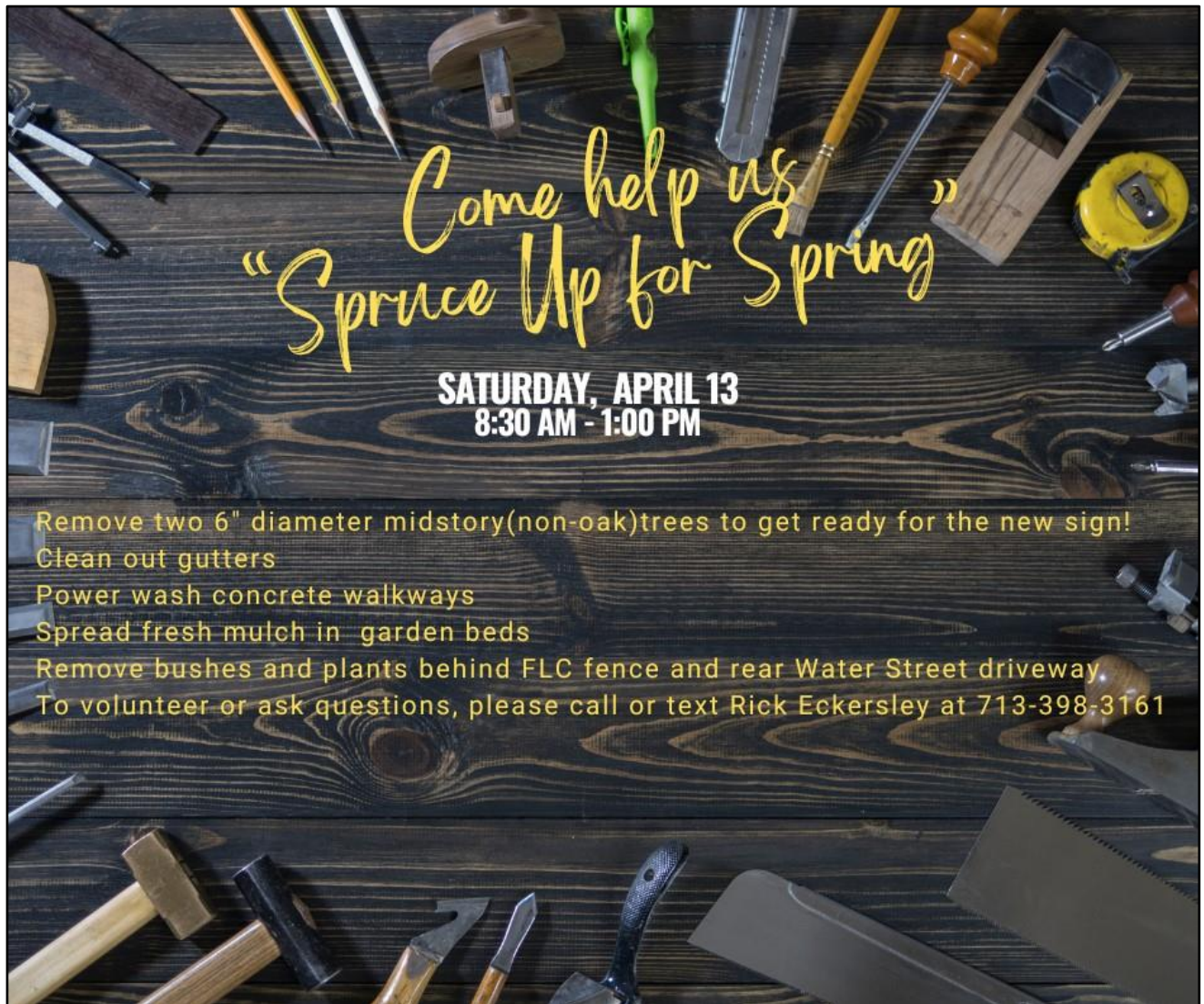
Our mission is to glorify God and, by the power of the Holy Spirit, provide opportunities for all people to know, love and follow Jesus Christ.

The Happenings

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Sermon Series: Act 2 - Peter
Pastor Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson
Sunday, April 14, 2024

REMEMBER THIS SATURDAY IS ALL CHURCH WORKDAY FROM 8:30 AM TO 1:00 PM.
BRING YOUR TOOLS, SEE YOU THEN.



*Come help us
"Spruce Up for Spring"*

SATURDAY, APRIL 13
8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Remove two 6" diameter midstory(non-oak)trees to get ready for the new sign!
Clean out gutters
Power wash concrete walkways
Spread fresh mulch in garden beds
Remove bushes and plants behind FLC fence and rear Water Street driveway
To volunteer or ask questions, please call or text Rick Eckersley at 713-398-3161

THESE LADIES REALLY WORKED HARD! A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CAME OUT FOR SPRING PLANTING



From left to right Becky Collie, Carol Trono, Julie McCarty, Chris Snyder and Betty Parr.

THE CHOIR CELEBRATES THE ECLIPSE.





With your heartfelt gifts of \$4,248.84, \$2487.84 over last year, St Mark will help support programs in over 100 countries.

THANK YOU!



St. Mark, thank you for supporting One Great Hour of Sharing, an Offering that responds directly to the needs God has called to fulfill in Isaiah 58.

God of mercy and compassion, we remember all those around the world who face dire living circumstances each day. Be with them and allow our gifts to strengthen and support them in all ways, so that they might live in safety and security, we pray in Jesus' name. Amen

SUMMER INTERN!

Job Description: <https://www.stmarktx.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/Summer-Internship-Children-Youth-4-9-2024.pdf>

Job Specifics:

Job Start/End: Mid-May - First of September - can be flexible

Position Type: Part Time - 30 hours/week.

Rate of Pay: Contingent upon experience/education (\$15 - \$18/hr)

Background Check Required

Reports to: Director of Christian Education

Resumes submit to: christianed@stmarktx.org

CLASS OF 2024 GRADUATES
DEADLINE APRIL 23



*Calling All
Class of 2024
graduates!*

IF YOU KNOW OF A GRADUATE, HAVE OR ARE
GRADUATING IN 2024, PLEASE CONTACT
ANGELA GROVER
CHRISTIANED@STMARKTX.ORG

We will be honoring graduates on May 26 with
a blessing and reception following worhsip.

TRANSITIONAL WORSHIP

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Children in Worship

We have some new options for elementary children!

"Let the little children come to me..."
Mark 10:14

Sunday Morning Options:

- Children remain in sanctuary for all of worship
- Children stay in sanctuary until Time With Young Disciples then go to **Transitional Worship***
- Nursery-age children, 0 to Pre- Kinder, check-in to the Nursery anytime between 9:00 and 11:30, located in the Family Life Center

Transitional Worship

- Scripture Reading
- hands-on activities
- singing
- dancing
- offering
- praying

Contact: Angela Grover,
Director of Christian Education
ChristianEd@StMarkTX.org

**TAKE THE NEXT STEP
APRIL 14**

Take the NEXT STEP!



The Next Step class is for those thinking about joining St. Mark, new members, and anyone that wants to learn more about the church, the mission and ministries of St. Mark, and find ways to get involved.

**9 to 10am Sunday, April 14 in the
Library in the Hospitality Center**

Contact Melanie Doppenberg at melanie.doppenberg@gmail.com or 229-224-3186 to RSVP and for more information.



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ST. MARK VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

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ADVENTURES in GOD'S WORD

VBS 2024


June 10-14
9am-Noon

Registration Opens April 1
for children ages 4 year (as of July 1, 24) thru students
entering 5th grade and adults with special needs

www.stmarktx.org



Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." John 20:29



Vacation Bible School at St. Mark is a wonderful opportunity for Christian education, worship, outreach, and fun! We expect to serve 120+ children, adults with special needs and their families throughout the week. This will require lots of hands: hands folded in prayer, hands to donate items (sign-up will be out in May) and hands to physically volunteer for the week ([register here!](#)) If you have any questions how your hands can serve for this mission, please contact Angela Grover, ChristianEd@StMarkTX.org <https://vbspro.events/p/ea820d>

**BRAVER ANGELS OF CENTRAL TEXAS
APRIL 20 FROM 1-4**

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH BOERNE

DEPOLARIZING CONVERSATIONS

APRIL 20 FROM 1 TO 4 PM



FIRST UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH SANCTUARY

**REDUCING POLARIZATION IN
CONVERSATIONS WORKSHOP**

Americans on opposite sides of the political spectrum don't only disagree on issues they increasingly dislike one another. This growing partisan animosity is the crisis of our time and threatens our nation.

This free Depolarizing Within workshop will teach participants to look within and develop strategies for engaging politics without demonizing, and how to constructively intervene in social conversations.

This workshop is provided by Braver Angels of Central Texas. To register, scan the QR code to the right



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
205 JAMES ST
BOERNE TX 78006

ELC NEWS:



LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE!

SUMMER @ ST. MARK

Why You'll Love it:

- ✓ A structured routine.
- ✓ Wide range of activities that challenge the whole-child.
- ✓ Hands-on learning and unplugged from technology.
- ✓ Making memories!

8:30 a.m.- 2:30 p.m.

Dates:

Week 1: June 17-21
Week 2: June 24-28
Week 3: July 8-12
Week 4: July 15-19

Ages:
3-entering Kindergarten
Must be fully potty trained!

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
			
Watermelon Investigation	All About Bubbles	Robotics	Summer Olympics

Choose the week(s) that work for you!
Balance due one month prior to camp week.

Weekly Cost \$220
\$50 Deposit per week

For more information:
Call: 830-249-3813
Email: elcstmark@gmail.com

Spot will not be held until the deposit fee is paid in full!!

The ELC is having its first ever summer camp program for children ages 3-entering kindergarten. Registration is open to ELC and St. Mark families. Please contact the ELC for additional information or questions. 830-249-3813

MAYOR RITCHIE VISITED THE ELC TO ISSUE A PROCLAMATION FOR THE WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD APRIL 8-12, 2024.



While visiting he added his handprint to our community art project. The "book themed" decorated trash can will be placed somewhere in Boerne in the coming weeks.

ST. MARK LEADERSHIP 2024

ELDERS	
Adult Christian Education	Dan Garber
Children and Youth Christian Education	Kathleen Ramey
Communication	Karen Ragsdale
Congregational Life	Christine Snyder, Gina Klein
Finance/Stewardship	Wally Doppenberg
Outreach	Lynn Bellow, Woody Paul
Personnel	Neal Patton
Property	Rick Eckersley
Strategic Planning	Dave Thomas
Worship	Andy Phillips, Rylynn Fenton
Clerk of Session	Julie McCarty
Treasurer	Bill Manzini
ELC Liaison	Wally Doppenberg
Deacon Liaison	Lynn Bellow
DEACONS	
Card and Flowers	Monica Phillips - Clerk
Driver Assistance	Wanda Pounders - Moderator
Meal Train and Prayer Chain Liaison	Sarah Hinman
Member Follow up	Christina Meeker
Member Care	Crystal McElhenney
Member Care and In-Home Communion	Ruben Trono
Pastoral Support	Pat Anderson
Receptions	Nona Annett, Paula Witt
Visitors Follow Up	Melanie Doppenberg
TRUSTEES	
Member	Gina Klein
Chair	Andy Phillips
Secretary	Dave Thomas



Weekly Calendar **April 14-21**

Sunday, April 14th

Explorer's Class – Rick Eckersley	9:00 AM	FLC # 107/108
Nursery Care (birth to pre-kinder)	9:15 AM	FLC # 106
Children's Sunday School – Angela Grover	9:15 AM	FLC # 104
Youth High Sunday School – Theresa Gateley	9:15 AM	FLC # 103
Disciple Class – Dan Garber	9:15 AM	FLC # 109
Engaging God's Word – Rob West	9:15 AM	FLC # 101
St. Mark Worship Service in Person	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
https://www.youtube.com/@stmarkpresbyterianchurchbo7319/streams		Online

Monday, April 15th

Session Meeting – Julie McCarty	6:30 PM	FLC # 107/108
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Tuesday, April 16th

Staff Meeting	12:00 PM	Parlor
Communication Meeting – Karen Ragsdale	2:30 PM	FLC # 109
ELC Strategic Planning – Wally Doppenberg	6:00 PM	FLC #107/108
Pickleball – Carol Trono	6:00 PM	FLC
Worship Team Rehearsal – Ron Thompson	6:30 PM	Sanctuary
ELC Board Meeting – Bill Brant	7:00 PM	FLC #107/108

Wednesday, April 17th

Bible Study – Rev. Ann Marie Swanson	10:30 AM	FLC # 107/108
Centering Prayer – Lynn Bellow	5:00 PM	ZOOM
CCE Meeting – Kathleen Ramey	5:00 PM	FLC # 104
Youth Meeting – Angela Grover	6:00 PM	FLC
Midweek Men's Group – Robert Klein	6:30 PM	FLC # 109

Thursday, April 18th

Women of the Word – Angela Grover	9:00 AM	FLC # 107/108
Pickleball – Paul Cashion	11:00 AM	FLC
Choir Rehearsal – Mary Beth Thomas	6:30 PM	Choir Room

Friday, April 19th

Saturday, April 20th

FLC – Family Life Center