

## *Leaving a Legacy*

A gift from your estate to St. Mark Presbyterian Church demonstrates your gratitude for the gifts God has given you. As a good steward of these treasures, you are continuing a tradition of generosity and trust that previous St. Mark Presbyterian Church families began for our future benefit with a long-lasting impact. There is joy and comfort in knowing that your gift will provide for our church and its future.

### *What Happens to Your Gift?*

A donation from your estate is an opportunity for you to help St. Mark continue sharing the good news of God's love by supporting our many ministry programs, weekly worship services, mission and outreach activities, or facility needs, and it extends your love for the Church long after you're gone.

### *Will It Have an Impact?*

In addition to regular stewardship and periodic special donations, a gift to the St. Mark *Generation-to-Generation Fund* is a meaningful way to provide support to the church now or after your life on earth is over.

Every gift of any size, no matter the amount or percentage of your gift or estate, makes a difference.

## Providing a Legacy Gift

A gift, naming the St. Mark Presbyterian Church, *Generation-to-Generation Fund*, may include a bequest in your will or a percentage or specific amount of your estate.

### Giving Considerations

St. Mark Presbyterian Church is not engaged in rendering legal or tax advisory services. For advice and assistance members should consult with their attorney or tax financial advisor. This brochure presents information of a general nature.

### For More Information

Please call the church office at (830) 816-3000 and ask to speak with the Pastor or a member of the Generation-to-Generation Committee.

## Find Us Faithful

*We're pilgrims on the journey  
Of the narrow road,  
And those who've gone before us  
Line the way  
Cheering on the faithful,  
Encouraging the weary,  
Their lives a stirring testament  
To God's sustaining grace  
O may all who come behind us  
Find us faithful.*

- Jon Mohr

## The Generation-to-Generation (G2G) Fund

*The Bequest and Planned Giving Ministry* was established in 1997 by the Session and renamed *The Generation-to-Generation Fund* in 2013 to receive and manage special gifts to the Church.

The *Generation-to-Generation Fund* offers an extra dimension of stewardship to the congregation by providing long-term income for the Church in two accounts:

1. *Restricted Account* where the principal may not be used without the donor's permission; however, the earned dividends may be used.
2. *Unrestricted Account* where the funds and earned dividends may be authorized by the Session for ministry programs, capital improvements, missions, or future needs of the church as they arise.

The *Generation-to-Generation Fund* is managed by a committee of four to six members along with the Pastor who serves as a valuable ex-officio member.

Funds are currently invested through the ***Texas Presbyterian Foundation***, a non-profit, faith-based investment firm. For specific questions, or to make an anonymous gift, you may contact:

*The Texas Presbyterian Foundation*  
<https://www.tpf.org>  
1-800-955-3155

Our Ministry Programs  
*Outreach in the Community*



*Family Retreat – Mo Ranch*



*Youth in Action*



**ST MARK**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



*St. Mark – The Winged Lion*

Mission Statement

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

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*The seeds of good deeds become the tree of life.*  
Proverbs 11:30



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The  
Generation  
to  
Generation Fund  
*Leaving a Legacy*

Growing Faith  
One Generation to the Next



*Though it is the smallest of all seeds, when it grows, it is the largest of garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds come and perch in its branches.*  
Matthew 13:32