



ST. MARK'S THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 8 - Saturday, March 14, 2026



Christian Education Hour

Sundays, 10:00 a.m.

Join us for Christian Education classes every Sunday from 10:00 to 10:50 a.m. No preparation is needed, just come as you are, whenever you can. There's something meaningful for everyone. If needed, maps are available at the back of the church. Feel free to try different classes!

The Peacemaking Church – Leatherbury Hall: Hope for conflict

Christianity Today – Grace House: Insightful fellowship & engaging discussion

Better Together – Chapel: Wisdom for married couples

The ABCs - Library: Newcomers and basics of Anglican faith

Infants & Toddlers – McCarty Early Learning Center: Loving worship & Bible stories

Little Lions – McCarty Early Learning Center: Bible lessons, music, crafts

Kindergarten-1st Grade – Faith House: Interactive Bible storytelling

2nd-3rd Grade – Hope House: Hearts Alive Lower Elementary Curriculum

4th-5th Grade - Hope House: Hearts Alive Upper Elementary Curriculum

Middle School Formation – Youth Center Side Room: Community & Bible learning

High School Formation – Youth Center: Connection & deeper Bible study

Youth Confirmation Class – Red Lion Upstairs: Strengthen your faith

Christian Formation Highlight: Better Together

Sundays, 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel

What is marriage about? Why did God create it in the first place? How do we learn to communicate better, love better, laugh more, and grow closer? Whether you've been married for 5 months or 50 years, this is the class for you. Join Rev. Billy and Charla Cervený (and special guests) at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings to dive into these questions. We'll laugh, look at scripture, learn, and connect with other couples. See you soon! **Contact:** *Heather Cassidy, hcassidy@smjax.org*

Healing Prayer Course

Wednesdays, February 25–May 27, 6:00 p.m. in Leatherbury Hall



Join us Wednesdays through May 27, at 6:00 p.m. in Leatherbury Hall as we explore the healing ministry of Jesus in community through the study of Gospel passages. Focusing on Christ's call, mission, and ministry, rooted in his saving life, death, and resurrection, we will discover how he pours out forgiveness, new life, and empowerment so we can be his hands, feet, and heart of compassion in the world. Together, we will also become a community of practice, learning how Jesus imparted wholeness as we engage in Christian healing prayer with one another. A simple soup dinner is provided at 6:00 p.m., and **registration is required**. Scan the QR code to register.

Lunch and Learn

Wednesdays, February 25–April 29, 12:00 p.m. in Leatherbury Hall

Join us for a nine-session Lunch and Learn through the book of Romans, Paul's most comprehensive presentation of the gospel, on Wednesdays through April 29, at 12 p.m. in Leatherbury Hall. Together we will explore how God's saving righteousness in Jesus Christ transforms lives, communities, and the world as each session examines core themes such as sin and grace, faith and obedience, law and freedom, and what it means to live a Spirit-filled life in Christ. This class is designed to deepen biblical understanding, strengthen faith, and shape everyday discipleship. Come hungry for lunch and for the Word as we hear anew the good news that has shaped the Church for centuries and still speaks powerfully today. All are welcome and no prior study is required. Email engage@smjax.org to let us know you're coming!

The Crucifixion by John Stainer

Monday, March 23, 7:00 p.m. in the Church

Back by popular demand after last year's very moving performance, this powerful, Biblically-based oratorio centered on The Passion of Christ – starting in the Garden of Gethsemane on Maundy Thursday and ending with the Crucifixion on Good Friday – will be led again by the St. Mark's Choir and will include some audience participation as we highlight the ongoing season of Lent and the upcoming Passion of our Lord. Held in the church—reception to follow. **Contact:** James Holyer, jholyer@smjax.org

Palm Sunday Petting Zoo

Sunday, March 29 between the 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. services

Stop by to meet the animals and enjoy some family fun as we celebrate Palm Sunday!

Join Cooks on Call

Could you cook a casserole to support a parishioner? Join Cooks on Call and help St. Mark's care for our parishioners by preparing a casserole or picking up dinner for those who are sick, recovering from a hospital stay, or welcoming a new baby. Your kindness makes a meaningful difference! Contact: engage@smjax.org

VBS 2026 - Registration Now Open

July 13-17, 2026



Vacation Bible School 2026 participant sign-ups are here! We can't wait to see you July 13-17. Scan the QR code to register. **Contact:** Kaitlyn Nott, knott@smjax.org

Birthday Blessings (Week of March 8 – March 14)

Patricia Bent, Kris Bolt, Ford Brodeur, Christy Bromberg, Danielle Burgett, Heidi Cassidy, Codi Chalkley, John Clarkson, Lindsay Elston, Hickory Fant, Anne Gorman, Adams Graham, Jane Lockwood, William Magevney, Susan Mattox, Shannon Miller, Amy Morales, Catherine Nichols, Julie Pope, Sunny Scheu, Allison Sheridan, Christina Spencer, Matthew Studstill, Clara Thoele