

This Week at St. Mark's

<p>Sunday, July 4 - Pentecost 6 8:00 am Holy Eucharist: Rite I 10:30 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II</p> <p>Wednesday, July 7th 6:00pm Bible Study w/Fr. Rick</p> <p>Sunday, July 11 - Pentecost 7 8:00 am Holy Eucharist: Rite I 10:30 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II 11:30 am 2nd Sunday Potluck AND MESSY CHURCH MEETING</p>	<p>Office Hours Monday, July 5th Closed for the holiday</p> <p>Tuesday, July 6 - Thursday, July 8 8 am - 1 pm</p> <p>Friday, July 9th Office Closed</p>
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Birthdays

Ton Minor Vince Caggiano
 Rick Jackson Bowen Halverson
 Twilla Gouffon Rick Wagner

Anniversaries

Rick & Ann Powell

Serving in the Armed Forces

Blane Bennett Aaron Blaylock Ashlyn Cornelius
 Kevin Cox Mark DeSantis Jorrdan Doan Jonathan Doan
 Allison Hamlin Matthew Hamlin Matthew Killcreas
 Nate Michael Knee Rebekah Nichols
 Todd Pernell Chris Pulliam Lindsay Wallace Mark Wolf

Is a birthday missing? Please contact the church office at admin@stmarksdalton.org

Worship Notes

- If you are visiting us today, welcome. We are glad you have joined us in worship. We invite you to fill out a "green card" in the Narthex and place it in the offering plate.
- Gluten-free wafers are available at communion – please indicate to the Eucharistic Minister or Celebrant if that is your preference.
- Children of all ages are welcome in our worship services. We have found that children can see, hear, and engage better if they sit in the front rows of the pews, rather than at the back or in the balcony.
- The service and prayers are found in *The Book of Common Prayer* (BCP) in the pews.

The Holy Eucharist: Rite I 8:00 AM

We begin the service in silence.

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation BCP p. 323

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.**
Amen.

Collect for Purity

The Kyrie BCP p. 324

The Collect of the Day: O God, who hast taught us to keep all thy commandments by loving thee and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of thy Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to thee with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Reading: 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

Psalm 48 *(spoken by all responsively by whole verse)* BCP p. 651

The Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

The Gospel: Mark 6:1-13

Sermon The Rev. Rick Tiff

The Nicene Creed BCP p. 327

Prayers of the People BCP p. 328

Confession BCP p. 331

The Peace BCP p. 332

The Holy Communion

Offertory

Eucharistic Prayer I BCP p. 333

The Sanctus BCP p. 334

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 336

The Breaking of the Bread BCP p. 337

The Fraction

Prayer of Humble Access

The Communion

Post-Communion Prayer BCP p. 339

The Blessing

Dismissal BCP p. 340



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Welcome to St. Mark's Church

*We are glad you have come to worship here this morning.
 Please join us in prayerful meditation before the service.
 We ask that you turn off cell phones, pagers and other electronic devices.*

PLEASE NOTE: The hymns and service music today that are noted with ** will be sung by members of the St. Mark's Chancel Choir.

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 4, 2021

Holy Eucharist: Rite II 10:30 AM

Prelude Prelude on "Simple Gifts" Shaker tune/Wilbur Held

Processional Hymn686** Come, thou fount of every blessing Nettleton

Acclamation Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.**
Amen.

Collect for Purity BCP p. 355

The Gloria** To God be the glory The Ashgrove/Malcolm Archer

Collect of the Day: O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Word of God

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10 *seated*

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, "Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The Lord said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel." So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the Lord, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years.

David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the Lord, the God of hosts, was with him.

Psalm 48 *(spoken by all responsively, by whole verse)*

- 1 Great is the Lord, and highly to be praised; *
in the city of our God is his holy hill.
- 2 Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the earth, is the hill of Zion, *
the very center of the world and the city of the great King.
- 3 God is in her citadels; *
he is known to be her sure refuge.
- 4 Behold, the kings of the earth assembled *
and marched forward together.
- 5 They looked and were astounded; *
they retreated and fled in terror.
- 6 Trembling seized them there; *
they writhed like a woman in childbirth,
like ships of the sea when the east wind shatters them.
- 7 As we have heard, so have we seen,
in the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God; *
God has established her for ever.
- 8 We have waited in silence on your loving-kindness, O God, *
in the midst of your temple.
- 9 Your praise, like your Name, O God, reaches to the world's end; *
your right hand is full of justice.
- 10 Let Mount Zion be glad
and the cities of Judah rejoice, *
because of your judgments.
- 11 Make the circuit of Zion;
walk round about her; *
count the number of her towers.
- 12 Consider well her bulwarks;
examine her strongholds; *
that you may tell those who come after.
- 13 This God is our God for ever and ever; *
he shall be our guide for evermore.

2 Corinthians 12:2-10

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Hymn 719** O beautiful for spacious skies

Materna

The Gospel: Mark 6:1-13

Jesus came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, “Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, “Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house.” And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, “Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.” So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

Sermon The Rev. Rick Tiff

The Nicene Creed **BCP p. 358**

Prayers of the People **BCP p. 387 (III)**

Confession **BCP p. 360**

The Peace

Parish Notices

The Holy Communion

Offertory

Presentation Hymn** Praise God from whom all blessings flow *Old 100th*

Eucharistic Prayer A **BCP p. 361**

Sanctus (S124)** Holy, holy, holy Lord David Hurd

The Lord's Prayer **BCP p. 364**

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction ** (S171) Be known to us, Lord Jesus Mason Martens

The Communion

Invitation

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, all are invited to come forward. All Christ's followers, no matter your church home, are welcome to receive communion. During this Covid19 season, the ministers will distribute the bread only. Please social distance as the ushers invite you to come forward. Please do not kneel. If you prefer a blessing instead of communion, cross your hands over your chest.

Post-Communion Prayer

BCP p. 365

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn** O God our help in ages past *St. Anne*

We turn to follow the cross as we prepare to go out into the world in peace.

The Dismissal

Postlude Festival Tune in C Charles Callahan

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Intercessions

Names on this list will be moved to the long term prayer list seen in the weekly Bulletin Board after four (4) weeks, unless the office receives a request to keep them on the Intercessions longer.

*Parishioners	*Bee Maybank	Katie Hasty
*Geneva Albertson	*Rose Renfroe	Carol McCormick
*Arden Brown	*Ethel Rutledge	Paula Morrow
*Tracey Burke	*Amanda Setters	Carolyn & Ray Ridley
*Jane Harrell	*Doris Shoemaker	David Ronn
*Amanda Hawkins	*June Sparks	Mike Shoates
*Carolyn Hawkins	AJ	Betty and Larry Simon
*Deloris Hefner	Lavonne Bennett	Alan Thomas
*Brenda Hoffmeyer	Ryan Buckner	Bo & Toni Thompson
*Sue Killcreas	Carole Cook	Terry West
*Jan Littell	Mike Cook	
*Sandy & Rick Martin	LoriBeth Eicholtz	

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the
Glory of God and in memory of Walter Arms
by Marianna Arms*

Assisting in the Service

Rector	Rev. Rick Tiff
Organist/Choir Director	Beth Nichols
Verger	Rick Powell
Eucharistic Ministers	8:00 AM Chris Stearns
	10:30 AM Jon Burchfield
Lector	Wes Phinney
Prayer Leader	Janice Wycherley
Acolytes	Jenna Hamlin
Flower Guild	Jan Littell, Scott Hamlin
Altar Guild	Anne Blaylock, Marilyn Lance
Linen Guild	Marilyn Lance
Ushers	8:00 AM Marilyn Lance
	10:30 AM Cookie Cook, Bob Haverland
Vestry of the Day	Alex Brown
Greeters	Alex Brown