



# Saint Marker

St. Mark's strives to be a community of healing, fellowship and inspiration, sharing love with joy in Jesus Christ and challenging all to life anew.

May 2005

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## Our New Deacon

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We welcome to St. Mark's the Rev. Delinda Buie. To our great delight, the Rt. Rev. Edwin F. Gulick, Jr. has assigned Ms. Buie to the parish of St. Mark's. Ms. Buie will serve St. Mark's as a deacon of the Episcopal Church. Ordained a deacon in 1987 by Bishop Reed, Ms. Buie has previously served the parishes of St. Andrew's, St. Peter's, and Advent. Ms. Buie is the wife of Mr. Greg Buie and the mother of three children.

What is a deacon? The four orders of ministry in the Episcopal Church are (1) lay, (2) deacon, (3) priest, and (4) bishop. These four orders have distinct functions in the life of our faith community. While all of us are ministers by virtue of our baptismal vows and therefore members of the lay order, the Church from time to time sets aside some members of the community for the specialized ministries of deacon, priest, and bishop. Bishops are "overseers." Priests are "sacramentalists." Deacons are "servers."

Deacons are icons of servanthood. We look to deacons to remind us of our baptismal vow to serve others. Deacons bring the world into the Church and Church to the world. We, as a parish, are honored to have a deacon in our midst.

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## Cirque de Virtues

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Plans are underway to transform 2822 Frankfort Avenue into the greatest show on earth, St. Mark's Cirque de Virtues. Grab a friend and meet us for this year's Vacation Bible School as we gather under the Big Top for a character building experience. We want this to be an event your children will never forget. We'll explore the life of Jesus, seeing in Him character qualities that honor God. We're under construction at the moment, trying to improve our hearts and minds. The circus fun runs June 13 -17, 9:00 a.m. - noon. Reserve your seat by contacting Marti Taber or calling the church office (895-2429).

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## Worship Schedule

### Saturdays

Holy Eucharist 5:30 pm

### Sundays

Holy Eucharist  
8:00 am and 10:00 am

### Weekdays

Morning Prayer  
Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am

Healing Service  
Tuesday 10:00 am

### Reconciliation and other Sacraments

by Appointment with the Clergy

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## Highlights

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New Deacon

Vacation Bible School

UCHM

Prevention of Sexual  
Misconduct Training

Teacher Appreciation

Camp

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## Circus Workshops

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All interested in helping make this year's VBS a huge success please come on the following dates. Enjoy great fellowship while creating a circus extravaganza for the young people. You don't have to be "crafty"; we have jobs for everyone!

May 14	9:00 a.m. – noon
May 18	7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
May 24	7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
June 1	7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
June 4	9:00 a.m. - noon
June 9	7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
June 11	9:00 a.m. Set Up

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## Graduates

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The following are the known St. Mark's graduates:

- Ashleigh Straughan - Norton Elementary School
- Josh Richie - Highland Middle School
- Melissa Dick - Butler Traditional High School
- Katie Shannon - Eastern High School
- Sarah McCord - Assumption High School
- Tommy Arnspiger - Manual High School
- Chris MacCool - Pitt Academy
- Catherine Dick - Collegiate
- Emily O'Dea - Auburn University, Bachelor of Science in Human Development and Family Studies
- Annie Ronald - University of Louisville, Masters in Education

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## Lemonade on the Lawn

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Beginning Sunday, May 29, and continuing through Sunday, September 4, parishioners and visitors are invited to Lemonade on the Lawn following the 10:00 a.m. service. We will gather on the front lawn and enjoy lemonade and cookies as well as fellowship with one another.

Volunteers are needed on these Sundays. Please sign up in the Information Center if you would like to assist. Instructions will be mailed to volunteers the week prior to their chosen date.

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## Post Derby Potluck Dinner

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The Evening Women's Group will be hosting St. Mark's annual Post Derby Potluck Dinner on Wednesday, May 11, 6:30 p.m., in the home of Debbie Freeman (521 Vineleaf Drive). All women of the parish are cordially invited to attend; newcomers are especially welcome.

Please sign up on the sheet in the Information Center (directions from the church to Debbie's home are also available). Should you have any questions, please contact Debbie at 339-0146.

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## Music News

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The Adult Choir and the Bellaires are presenting a program at the Episcopal Church Home on Thursday, June 9, at 7:15 p.m. On Monday, June 13, at 6:45 p.m. the Bellaires are ringing for the residents and children at the Home of the Innocents.

You are invited to these programs, especially to visit your friends and relatives who may be residents. Selections include Siyahamba, Under the Sea and Phantom of the Opera plus solos from St. Mark's section leaders.

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## UCHM

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The UCHM House Tour will be Saturday, June 4, 11:00 am - 5:00 pm. Tickets are \$12.00 in advance and \$15.00 the day of the Tour. Please contact Marjorie Vogt for tickets and additional information.

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## Teacher Recognition

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Join us Sunday, May 22, as we honor our wonderfully devoted Sunday School teachers. We are blessed to have such a large group dedicated to our Education Department. The reception will be immediately following the 10:00 a.m. worship service. Please come to show your support of them.

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## Prevention of Sexual Misconduct Training

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A training session on “Safeguarding Our Children: Training on Prevention of Sexual Misconduct against Youth and Children” has been scheduled at St. Mark’s on Wednesday, May 25, 6:00-9:00 p.m. It is Diocesan policy that every adult who works with youth and children must attend a training session. This includes: Sunday School teachers; nursery workers; youth group leaders; volunteers who attend youth events; volunteers who chaperone youth outings; adults who volunteer to drive youth to a church-related youth outing. If you have any interaction with youth or children, it is important that you attend this training session. These training sessions are not optional. It is mandatory that every person over the age of 18 who works in any full time, part time, or occasional time capacity with youth or children MUST attend this training session. Please contact Desi Nisbett at [desi@episcopalky.org](mailto:desi@episcopalky.org) or 584-7148 for more information and to sign up for this session.

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## What Is That Tree?

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What is that tree (not the weeping cherry) in front of St. Mark’s? That is a tree native to Kentucky, yellow-wood. Be sure to watch it this year when it blooms because it only blooms every other year.

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## Sympathy

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Sympathy is extended to:

- Connie Willis on the death of her grandmother;
- June Gibson on the death of her husband, Richard; and
- The family of Richard Reetzke.

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## Camp

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All Saints’ Camp is a peaceful place where young people can be surrounded by God’s beauty in worship, singing, and fellowship. Each day the campers gather to participate in carefully designed programs based on Biblical themes, games, creative activities, swimming, canoeing, and sports.

All Saints’ Camp is open to all children in grades 1-12. Although this is an Episcopal Camp and each camping session ends with a celebration of Holy Communion, they welcome children of all faith backgrounds and will respect differences of beliefs and customs. Take a friend and enjoy a great camp adventure.

Listed below are the dates, fees, and registration deadline for this year’s summer camps. Anyone interested should pick up a registration form in the parish office or contact Marti Taber.

Senior High (Rising 9th-12th grade; or having completed 12th grade) June 19-June 24 \$240 Deadline: June 10

1st & 2nd grade camp (entering 1st or 2nd grade) June 26-June 30 \$192 Deadline: June 17

3rd & 4th grade camp (entering 3rd or 4th grade) July 3-July 7 \$192 Deadline: June 24

5th and 6th grade camp (entering 5th or 6th grade) July 11-July 15 \$240 Deadline: July 1

7th and 8th grade camp (entering 7th or 8th grade) July 17-July 22 \$240 Deadline: July 8

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# Parish Life

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## Birthdays

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Jason Gray	May 2
John Dawson	May 3
Cindi Richards	May 4
Kathryn Taber	May 4
Shelby McCord	May 4
Desi Nisbett	May 4
Dan Mehling	May 5
Cissy Dendy	May 5
Carolyn Markham	May 5
Lila Ludwig	May 5
Ginnie Taber	May 6
Tom Tate	May 11
David MacCool	May 13
David Boone	May 16
Erin Hower	May 18
Alex Campbell, Jr.	May 19
Peter Campbell	May 19
Mason Walthall	May 21
Ann Ronald	May 21
Mary Frances Muir	May 23
Tyler Fairleigh	May 24
Dora Rohleder	May 24
Fran Reagan	May 26
Robert Boone	May 27
Mollie Ronald	May 28
Layne Michler	May 30
Alex Campbell	May 30
Bill Gossman	May 30

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## Anniversaries

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James & Claudia Shaughnessy	May 8
Matthew & Molly Schad	May 9
Peter & Ann Ronald	May 15
Dan & Jenny Mehling	May 19
George & Jenny Fahey	May 24
Erik & Sara Marvin	May 25

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## Prayers for Healing

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Prayers are offered for a portion of the following list at each service on Sunday and the entire list at the Healing Eucharist on Tuesdays:

Lynn Lewis, Sandy Beale, Nancy, Jim Leason, Joyce Martin, Jeff Tafel, Lillian Yeager, Bill Butler, Jerry Bennenbach, Ethel Bradshaw, Jean Fairleigh, Dick Scott, Carolyn von Almen, Nancy Michler Burke, Pat Young, Danielle Mueller, Lou Erke, Gloria Helm, Henry Solomon, Jack Yusk, Jane, Tom Vogt, Moyra Skidmore, Rita Gildehaus, Nina Babcock, Virginia Wynn, Rob Hester, Anna Clarke Sawyer, Stacy Harvey, Pat Jackson, Bradley, Ally, Janie Kall, Sally Dupree, Richard Dame, Nancy Carlisle, Henry Bickel, Kennedy Helm, Lettie Shawler, Dick Day, Jim Speed, Margaret Dick, Ann Lamberton, Gordon Caldwell, Perry Collins, Judy Semonin, Mary Deetsa, Joan Bickel, The Babcock Family, Vera Wallace

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## Parish Register

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### Deaths

Richard Gibson  
(May 16, 1932 - April 12, 2005)

Richard Reetzke  
(April 12, 2005)

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# Parish Prayer List

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## Anglican Cycle of Prayer

- May 1 - Give thanks for The Navajoland Area Mission (U.S).  
May 8 - Give thanks for the Diocese of New Jersey.  
May 15 - Give thanks for the Diocese of Niassa (Southern Africa).  
May 22 - Give thanks for the Diocese of North Carolina and the Diocese of Western North Carolina.  
May 29 - Pray for the Anglican Communion, the Anglican Consultative Council,  
for the Secretary General and the Anglican Communion Office staff.

## Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church  
Glasgow, KY

## Parish Partners

St. Frances of Rome, Our Covenant Parish  
The congregations of United Crescent Hill Ministries,  
especially Clifton Christian Church

## Parish Cycle of Prayer

### Week of May 1

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Thomas Tate  
Jane Tate  
Jim Taveime  
Alice Taverine  
Pat Van Meter

### Week of May 8

◆  
Brian Thomas  
Susie Thomas  
Marjorie Vogt  
Jan Ward  
Eugene Ward

### Week of May 15

◆  
Carolyn von Almen  
Tom Walthall  
Hill Walthall  
Mason Walthall  
Parker Walthall

### Week of May 22

◆  
Delores Wehunt  
Margaret White  
Walter Wood  
Linda Wood  
Mary Margaret Wuich

### Week of May 29

◆  
Virginia Q. Wynn  
Sallie Zipp  
Scott Zipp  
Frances Adeney  
Terry Muck

## Prayer for Mission

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth,  
and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far  
off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may  
seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold;  
pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming  
of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

At Morning Prayer each weekday, we pray for the Church around the world including members of our parish. If you are unable to join us for Morning Prayer, please remember those listed above in your personal devotions this month.

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**Staff**

Charles Hawkins, Rector

Jan Ward, Choirmaster/Organist

Barbara Rich, Parish Secretary

Pat Elliott, Financial Secretary

Gwen O'Dea, Pastoral Care  
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Marti Taber, Education

Henry Shively, Sexton

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May Altar Flowers and Candles  
are given to the  
*Honor and Glory of God...*

**Flowers**

- May 1 By Betty Sherrill in loving memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee Hirst, and her brothers, Robert, Jr., and William Hirst.
- May 8 By Alice Covell in loving memory of her mother, Katherine Shaw Covell, and the man she married and loved, the Rev. Charles Van Orden Covell.
- May 15 By Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robert Muir, Jr., in loving memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robert Muir, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey Burkholder, Jr.; and Mr. James Ramsey Burkholder III.
- May 22 By David and Nancy James
- May 29 Available

**Candles**

- Eucharistic Candles by June F. Richards in thanksgiving for her daughters, Kandace Stroup and Cynthia Richards.
- Five Branch Candles by Anita Poynter in loving memory of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Adkins.
- The Paschal Candle by Julia Jones in loving memory of her mother, Lillian Potts.