



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.

June 2002

Summer Construction

The buildings and grounds of our parish are going to be receiving our focused attention this summer. First, the second floor renovation of our education center will be completed this summer for use in the fall. Phase one (the back portion of the building) has already been completed and phase two will begin soon. By the fall our parish will be able to occupy a beautiful and functional space for the education of children, youth and adults.

Second, our worship space, thanks to a bequest from Ms. Dorothy Skaggs, will be receiving some tender care and loving attention. The woodwork (both ceiling and walls) will be sanded and varnished, the walls will receive a fresh coat of paint, the pews will be repaired, and new hardwood flooring will replace the tile underneath the pews.

The renewal of the education space will, no doubt, interfere with Vacation Bible School and the renewal of our worship space will displace our services for several weeks. Both of these inconveniences, however, will be minor when compared to the increased beauty and functionality the parish will enjoy in the years to come.

The work may begin as early as this month and is scheduled to be completed before fall. Rest assured that the work is being scheduled in such a way so as to insure that the parish is inconvenienced as little as possible. While the project is underway, our worship services will be held in Langley Hall.

Worship Schedule

Sundays

Holy Eucharist 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM

Weekdays

Morning Prayer
Monday-Friday 9:00 AM

Healing Service
Tuesday 10:00 AM

Reconciliation and other Sacraments

by Appointment with the Clergy

Highlights

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Christian Education News

Thank You, Thank You!

To all of our Church School Teachers for their caring and dedication to demonstrating God's love through their presence and their concern for each young person in church school. Our teachers for the 2001-2002 year were:

Mendy Cumberledge
C. Ann Gittings
Jim Taveime
Andy Blieden
Beth Webb
Anne Shafer

David Boone
Sara Davis
Debbie Glenn
Eric Marvin
Nancy Urbscheit
Corky Webb

Church School Classes

Please note that Sunday, May 19, was the last day of Church School before the summer break. Classes will resume September 8. Church School registration will be Sunday, August 25, after the 10:00 a.m. worship service.

Softball

St. Mark's softball season is almost to the halfway point. We appreciate all the fan support you have given us the first half of the season and look forward to your continued support. Our remaining schedule is as follows:

June 2, 2:00 p.m. - St. Paul's - St. Paul's Field, 4700
Lowe Rd., and
3:30 p.m. - St. Andrew's - St. Paul's Field
June 9, 2:00 p.m. - St. Aban's - St. Alban's Field, 10617
Taylorsville Rd.
June 23, 3:30 p.m. - St. Thomas - St. Alban's Field
June 30, 3:30 p.m. - Christ Church - St. Thomas Field,
9616 Westport Rd.
July 7, 3:30 p.m. - Messiah-Trinity, St. Peter's Field,
3717 Lees Lane

Kentucky Refugee Ministries

Kentucky Refugee Ministries is in great need of any and all household furnishings and furniture for their refugees who arrive without church sponsors. As you continue to do your house cleaning, perhaps you will find some of these items that you are going to discard. Among the items needed are the following:

BEDROOM

Sheet sets; blankets; clean pillows; lamps; mattress pads; dressers

BATHROOM

Shower curtains and hooks; towels and washcloths; new bars of soap

KITCHEN

Pots and pans; glasses; eating and serving utensils; plates, bowls and cups; coffemakers; cutting boards; knives for food preparation; serving bowls; dish towels

GENERAL PURPOSE ITEMS

Laundry baskets; laundry detergent; trash cans; light bulbs; irons and ironing boards; toothbrushes and toothpaste; hairdryers; umbrellas; personal toiletry items

As you can see, Kentucky Refugee Ministries needs everything that makes a house a home.

Monetary donations will also be accepted to help defray the costs of medical necessities not covered by medical insurance (eyeglasses, hearing aids, aspirin, cough medicine); clothing; personal hygiene items; bus tickets; and many more items.

For more information on donating, contact Lee Welsh at Kentucky Refugee Ministries at 581-8541, ext. 14.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers for Vacation Bible School preparation will be tracing, painting, gluing and cutting up a storm on Sunday, June 2, and Sunday, June 9, after the 10:00 a.m. worship service. Anyone interested in helping please join us in Langley Hall. No previous experience necessary. Lunch will be provided.

Did You Know...

Four children of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Davis were married at St. Mark's Episcopal Church: Nan Davis and Murray Phillips were married on April 29, 1939; Elizabeth Davis and Walter McBride were married on November 6, 1943; Marina Davis and Pat Weisensee were married on December 15, 1945; and George W. Davis, Jr., and Bertha Wedekemper were married on February 16, 1946. Rev. William H. Langley, Jr., married all four couples.

On August 15, 1969, George W. Davis III (son of George and Bertha) and Elizabeth Ann Allen were married at St. Mark's. Rev. Langley also performed their wedding ceremony.

On May 25, 2002, Sara Davis (daughter of George III and Ann) and Erik Marvin were married.

Children's Chapel

Lettie Shawler is a long-time member of St. Mark's. Following her retirement from a career spanning many years as a teacher of young children in public schools, she became a dedicated and loyal worker for and contributor to St. Mark's bazaar.

For many years she has been very active with the Holiday Bazaar and ECW. She was in charge of the children's booth at the bazaar, and many St. Markers still treasure their stuffed animals, Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy dolls, and various other handmade items that Lettie created every year for the event.

While Lettie's health is now declining and she is unable to join the weekly Busy Fingers, she still contributes handmade items to the bazaar.

On Sunday, May 12, a special handcrafted children's communion set was dedicated in honor of Lettie Shawler to be used in the Children's Chapel.

Recital

On Sunday, June 2, at 3:00 p.m. Steven Paul Spears will give a recital at St. Mark's. There is no charge for this recital, but donations will be accepted to help defray Steven's costs when he attends Julliard this fall.

Ordination

Mark Feather, the curate at St. Mark's, will be ordained a priest in the Episcopal Church on Saturday, June 8, 2002, at 11:00 a.m. in St. Mark's Church. A reception immediately following the ceremony will be held in the Fellowship Hall at Crescent Hill Baptist Church, 2800 Frankfort Avenue.

First Quarter Financial Update

During the first quarter of 2002, St. Mark's received \$123,352 in pledges and gifts. Receipts were \$9,424 below our budgeted projection of \$132,776. Parish expenses for the same period were \$102,978. Expenses were \$1,410 over budget. The parish, at the end of the first quarter, had a surplus of \$20,374. At the end of the first quarter, the budget projected a surplus of \$31,208.

Office Closing

The parish office will be closed on Wednesday, June 12. On that day, the entire staff will be involved in a planning retreat, as they begin to prepare for the 2002-2003 programming year. The office will reopen on June 13 at 8:30 a.m.

Looking Ahead

Independence Day is one of two national holidays included on the Church calendar. We will gather as a parish at 10:00 a.m. on July the 4th to pray for our nation. St. Mark's Independence Day service is one of the many events held on July 4th in the Crescent Hill community. Mark your calendars now and plan on attending this special service.

Newcomers' Breakfast

There will be a Newcomers' Breakfast on Sunday, June 9, at 9:00 a.m. in the Dreher Room, and all persons who have begun attending St. Mark's in the past year or who regard themselves as newcomers are cordially invited and encouraged to join the clergy and staff for this special gathering. We want to have an opportunity to become better acquainted with you and also provide you with an opportunity to learn more about St. Mark's. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Gwen O'Dea in the parish office--895-2429.

Spring Graduates

Congratulations to Joshua Richie who was graduated from Emmet Field Elementary School.

Congratulations also to Caty Mercer who was graduated from Centre College.

ECW

Some members of the ECW will be working this summer to get the kitchen in order. We are asking that anyone who has left dishes or utensils in the kitchen to please claim them by June 7. Once this project is completed, we are asking everyone's help in keeping the kitchen organized and the refrigerators clean.

Picture yourself at God's Great Gallery!

vacation bible school

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

June 17-21, 2002

9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Explore the wonderful works of God through drama, drawing, painting, dance and much more! Come and see how you are a masterpiece living in the middle of God's creation.

- ❖ Children who are potty-trained and have turned two by May 31 through children entering fifth grade register using form below.
- ❖ An infant nursery will be available for children up to two years.
- ❖ Youth entering ninth grade and higher can apply to be helpers and assistants. Contact Becky Blieden or Katherine Kingren in the church office if you are interested.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JUNE 10

Vacation Bible School Registration

June 17-21, 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

For children 2 years through entering 5th grade

Child's Name _____ M ___ F ___

Address _____ City/Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____ Grade Entering _____ Age _____

In case of emergency, contact: _____

Mother: _____
Name Address Telephone

Father: _____
Name Address Telephone

Other: _____
(Guardian, Relative or Friend) Address Telephone

Any allergies or medical conditions we need to be aware of? _____

Attends what church? _____ Member? _____

Are you willing to assist if we are in need of more volunteers? Yes _____ No _____

Your name _____ Day time Phone _____



For copies of this registration please call Becky in the church office (895-2429).



Parish Life

Birthdays

Margaret Chandler	June 4
Ralinda Gregor	June 4
Mary Eitel	June 5
Joe Conway	June 6
Kathleen Overlin	June 6
Rachel Spetz	June 8
Dorothy Scott	June 10
Harry Mercer	June 11
Michael Shannon	June 15
Ann Speed	June 15
Kennedy Helm	June 16
Debra Lee Rollins	June 21
Robert Webb, Jr.	June 21
Beth Carlton	June 22
Craig Cogswell	June 22
Opal Cook	June 22
Rose Basham	June 23
Jean Lorimer	June 23
Jane Tate	June 23
Jim Powell	June 27
Liz Wilson Crone	June 27
Stacey Overlin	June 28
Richard Gregor	June 29
Robert Gregor	June 30
Annette Sivori	June 30

Prayers for Healing

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

Kennedy Helm, Nell Helm, Dorothy McCaffrey, Marjorie Carter, Frances Blackshear, Ed Shannon, Lettie Shawler, Richard Gibson, Judith Bloor, Steve Howard, Jim Speed, Margaret Dick, Frances Luckett, Betty Collins, Ann Lambertson, Gordon Caldwell, Perry Collins, Susan Fox, Cleveland Fraser, Judith Semonin, Jane Wilson, Mary Deetsa, Bob Scherer, Joan Bickel, Mason Bennett, The Babcock Family, Diana Estes, Janice Wood, Bobby Townsend, Margaret White, Nina Radford, Vera Wallace, Pam Mahdoui, Michella Bishop, Marian Calvert, Dorothy Leason, Annette Sivori, Henry Bickel, Ethel Briney, Alice Taveirne, Nancy Carlisle, Jordan Stewart, Dick Day

Anniversaries

William & Elizabeth Cobb	June 4
Robert & Ralinda Gregor	June 11
Mr. & Mrs. Tutt Snodgrass	June 12
Robert & Lynn Boone	June 14
Bernard & Ruth Sams	June 15
Tom & Anne Ebendorf	June 22
John & Mary Jane Dawson	June 23
Eugene & Jan Ward	June 28
Edward & Shirley Dumesnil	June 29
Richard Ruthers & Barbara Patton	June 30
Scott & Anne Shafer	June 30

Weddings

Sara Davis and Erik Marvin
May 25, 2002

Parish Prayer List

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Anglican Cycle of Prayer

June 2 - Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia
June 9 - Province of Melanesia
June 16 - Province of Victoria of the Anglican Church of Australia
June 23 - Province of Queensland of the Anglican Church of Australia
June 30—Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Glasgow
The Rev. Eugene Ward, Priest in Charge

Parish Partners

St. Frances of Rome, Our Covenant Parish
The congregations of Crescent Hill United Ministries, especially
Mt. Nebo Baptist Church

Parish Cycle of Prayer

Week of June 2

◆
David Boone
Dana Boone
Adam Boone
David Boone
Barbara Boyce

Week of June 9

◆
Lynn Boone
Robert Boone
Ethel Briney
Jerald Brinley
Gordon Bretschneider

Week of June 16

◆
Steve Buckeridge
Michelle Buckeridge
Isabella Buckeridge
Jerry Cappel
Keith Christenson

Week of June 23

◆
George Calvert
Jean Calvert
Marian Calvert
Patricia Campbell
William Carrell II

Week of June 30

◆
Alex Campbell
LaForrest Campbell
Peter Campbell
Alex Campbell, Jr.
Nancy Carlisle

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

Flowers

June 2 by June Richards in loving memory of Franklin Richards.

June 9 by Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Robert E. Webb, Jr. in loving memory of their son, Christopher Griffin Webb.

June 16 by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dendy in loving memory of their daughter, Mary Tyler Dendy; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Barret, Jr.; and his father, Geoffrey Park Dendy.

June 23 by Mr. and Mrs. H. Alexander Campbell in loving memory of James Daniel Cody, Marian Barnett Campbell and Eleanor Campbell Odear

June 30 by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schueler in thanksgiving for Shelby and Beth Carlton

The Eucharistic Candles by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grimm in loving memory of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Fred Grimm, Sr.; her

Candles

grandmother, Bessie Thomas; and their friend, Don Eckerle.

The Five Branch Candles by Dr. and Mrs. Henry Fairleigh in loving memory of her brother, Bill House; her mother, Grayce House Bosnak; and his niece, Anne Tyler Stallings.