

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

weekly news & updates

June 4, 2026

Upcoming Events

Lunch with the Old Guys

6/10, Wednesday

Time of Contemplation and Healing Prayer

6/10, Wednesday

Vacation Bible School

6/19-21, Friday - Sunday

Access Plus Ramp Build

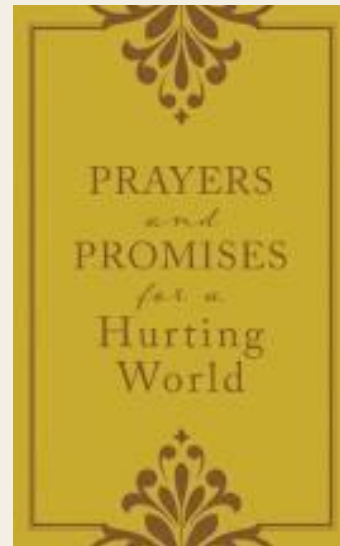
6/20, Saturday

Utreya

6/27, Saturday



An Excerpt from *Prayers and Promises for a Hurting World* by Laura Freudig



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Under Almighty Wings

Dear Lord, when I opened my eyes this morning to a new day with a bright sun shining in a blue sky, I was reminded what a gift rest is to us. Of course, You neither slumber nor sleep; even though You gave us the example of a Sabbath rest, You don't need to rest. But we do. Our bodies, minds, and souls require it.

Sunday Worship Service

Morning Prayer at 10:00 a.m.

[Visit our website](#)

Thank You for the quiet hours when we can be at peace, silent, still.

Yet often I chafe at my body's need to stop: I want to keep working, I want to stay up late, I want to get it all *done*. Forgive me for neglecting this gift of rest, which is both a command and a blessing. Forgive me for forgetting that resting is an act of faith, a statement about my belief in Your ability to provide for me without my tired striving. And I pray today for those to whom rest does not come easily. I lift those who worry. Teach them to trust. I lift those whose bodies hurt. Bless them with an easing of pain. I lift those who have been dislocated from their homes by war or poverty. Give them shelter. Yet we are truly at peace only under Your almighty wings. Amen.

In peace I will both lie down and sleep, for You, Lord, alone make me dwell in safety and confident trust. Psalm 4:8

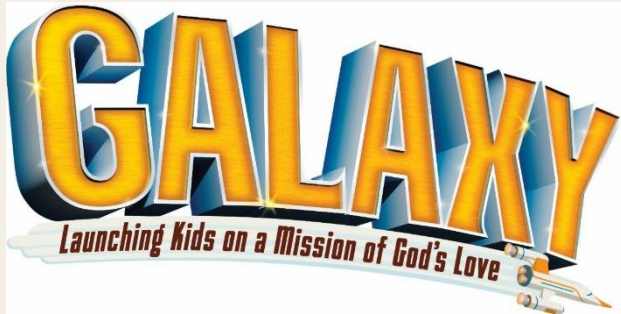
Time of Contemplation & Healing Prayer

Time of Contemplation and Healing Prayer Wednesday, 6/10 5:45 p.m.

Our next Time of Contemplation and Healing Prayer is scheduled for next Wednesday at 5:45 p.m. It will be held in the chapel in the sanctuary.



Vacation Bible School



Vacation Bible School June 19-21

Friday, 6/19
5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, 6/20
9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Sunday, 6/21
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

GALAXY is a weekend VBS designed to Launch Kids on a Mission of God's Love. You can be involved in two ways: by contributing needed supplies and/or by volunteering to help with the program.

Follow this link to our [gift registry](#). Whether you give a little or a lot, it's an important way to be part of our mission! Thank you for sharing God's love with children!

To register yourself as a volunteer or register your children/grandchildren for VBS, please [use this link](#). Children ages 3 - 5th grade are invited; older children may volunteer.

Cimarron Senior Apartments Ministry

**Ministry to the Residents at
Cimarron Senior
Apartments
2802 Cimarron Blvd.**

**Food Distribution
Monday, 6/15, 11:30 a.m.**



Conversations with God Bible Study on the First Monday of Every Month at 11:00 a.m.

Once a month, John deMontel, Fr. Doug Wasinger, and others provide snacks and a Bible study they call "Conversations with God" for the residents. It generally lasts an hour. If you'd like to help with this ministry, please contact John at (361) 815-9498.

Food Delivery to Residents on the Third Monday of Every Month at 11:30 a.m.

The Coastal Bend Food Bank delivers food to the Cimarron Senior Apartments once a month. A team of dedicated St. Mark's volunteers helps distribute the food to residents after it arrives. If you have an hour or so to give, please consider helping with the monthly food distribution.

Access Plus Ramp Build



Access Plus Ramp Build Saturday, 6/20, 8:00 a.m. 2352 Lindsey St.

The June Access Plus Ramp build is for a man named Jesus. He has been waiting quite some time to receive his ramp. He and his family are looking forward to better access to his home.

If you would like to help with the ramp build, show up at the address above and look for Doug Wayland. He or any of the team members will be happy to train you. No experience is necessary. If you'd like more

information about this ministry, please contact Doug at (361) 813-1781.

Ultreya

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Saturday,
June 27th

11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Here at St. Mark's in the
Fellowship Hall.

Make a friend,
Be a friend,
Bring a friend to Christ.

PLEASE JOIN US...

COASTAL BEND AREA
ULTREYA

Saturday, June 27th
11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church
2727 Airline Rd.
Corpus Christi, TX

Episcopal Diocese of West Texas
CURSILLO
empowering Christ centered leaders

Volunteer Hours App

MyTimeTithe

Track Your Volunteer Hours. Celebrate Your Service.

A simple app for St. Mark's volunteers to log hours and stay connected with your church community.

Scan the QR Code to Sign Up!

MyTimeTithe.org/stmarkscc

Created by Jeremy Wilkey

MyTimeTithe App to Track Volunteer Hours

The time we serve in ministry at St. Mark's, or in the community, or in any other capacity, matters and has economic value. Wouldn't it be interesting to know how much time we serve? Jeremy Wilkey developed an app for us to use to log those hours. You can [click on this link](#) or scan the QR code to get started.

Enter your name in the space provided. If it's your first time, click "Don't see your name? Add yourself" to enter your name. Then fill in the page that opens up. You will select the date, the number of hours you served, which ministry the hours were for, and you may add a note about your service if you'd like.

Adult Bible Study

Adult Bible Study Class Meets on Sundays after the Service

The Adult Bible study class meets in the fellowship hall library. The current topic is "Post-Resurrection Narratives in the New Testament."

If you'd like to join the study, head to the fellowship hall after the service for some refreshments and then find a seat around the table in the library. Bibles will be available if you need one.

The group will take a break during the summer and resume in the fall.



Youth Ministry



SEEK Youth Group

Summer Camp--Registration for [Summer Camp at Camp Capers](#) is open. Click the link to the diocesan page for more information and to register. Check out Libby Campbell's picture below.

Summer Break--Youth Group will take a break for the summer beginning 5/24 and will resume in the fall.

Seek the LORD and His strength; seek His face continually. (1 Chronicles 16:11)

CAMP CAPERS

LIBBY CAMPBELL

“The theme has encouraged me to show love and kindness with everyone, in every interactions, at every moment in a place full of it this summer!”

The graphic features a pink background. In the top left, there is a white square logo with a smaller square inside, followed by the text "CAMP CAPERS". A white rope hangs from the top right, holding a wooden tag with "LIBBY CAMPBELL" written in white. Below the tag is a Polaroid-style photo of a smiling young woman, Libby Campbell, holding a small card with her name written on it. At the bottom, a white speech bubble with a blue border contains a quote.

Timon's Ministry

Ministry in Partnership with Timon's Ministries

The volunteer work at Timon's Clothing Closet has been temporarily suspended due to changes in its hours of operation. We are hoping the volunteers can return soon to the ministry they have come to enjoy.



We will not be collecting items for the time being. Thank you!

Diocesan Events



Diocesan News

Summer Camps at Camp Capers--

Registration for Summer Camps has opened up for campers. [Here is a link for more information.](#)

Diocesan ENews--To stay informed on what is happening in our Diocese, you may sign up for the [Diocese of West Texas ENews](#) by clicking the link. Scroll down to the bottom of the page and click on a white button that has "Let's Connect" written on it.

Ways to Support God's Kingdom through St. Mark's

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO
SUPPORT ST. MARK'S CHURCH!**



Thank You for Your Generosity

Is the Lord blessing you? Are you grateful for what He has done in your life? Remember His Church. We have ministries to support and salaries and bills to pay. Give out of faith, thanksgiving, and generosity, and never out of guilt. If you are blessed to be able to give, here are several ways to do that:

- Online through our website. There is a blue "Giving" button at the bottom of each page. Just click on that, and it will take you to our online EGiving page. You will need to set up a user profile, and then you can set up a one-time gift or recurring gifts. You can also give through the ["Donate to St. Mark's"](#) link.
- Through your cell phone using the app, **Vanco Mobile**. To get the app, go to the app store and search for "Vanco Mobile". The icon background is dark purple with a white circle and a purple letter "V" in the center. Download the app and follow the prompts. You can use it to set up a one-time gift or recurring gifts.
- You may also use the QR code below.
- Mail in your check to: St. Mark's Church, 2727 Airline Rd, CC, TX 78414. We have a drop-in mailbox that is locked at all times. We check the mail every day, so your check will be secure.
- Drop your check off at the church. Just put it in the locked mailbox to the left of the red doors at the fellowship hall.
- Bequest giving is another way to give to St. Mark's with a gift through your estate. Simply list St. Mark's in your will.

THANK YOU for helping spread the Kingdom
through your continuing support
of St. Mark's Church.



Weekly Calendar

Calendar & Ministry Schedule

Here is the link to our [June ministry schedule](#). Click here for the [June church calendar](#).

June 7 - Sunday

10:00 a.m. - Morning Prayer--Sanctuary

11:30 a.m. - Coffee & Conversation--Fellowship Hall

June 9 - Tuesday

8:00 a.m. - Women's Reunion Group--Corner Bakery Restaurant, 4928 S. Staples St.

June 10 - Wednesday

11:45 a.m. - Lunch with the Old Guys--Nolan's Restaurant, 4117 S. Staples.

12:00 p.m. - Prayer Group--Fellowship Hall Library

5:45 p.m. - Time of Contemplation and Prayer--Sanctuary Chapel

6:30 p.m. - Men's Reunion Group--Nolan's Restaurant, 7426 S. Staples St.

June 13 - Saturday

9:00 a.m. - South Texas Amateur Radio Club--Fellowship Hall

Below you will find several links to websites or Facebook Pages that you might find helpful.

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[Diocese of West Texas](#)

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