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Births

Beckett Austin Love, on September 22, 2022. Parents are **Faith & Taylor Love**. Grandparents are **Lisa** and **Gary Love**.

Happy Birthday

October 2 Eda Giles Martha Cooper Ruth Zepeda	5 Mary Carol McClure Katie Duncan Sarah Drummond Lila Lee White	7 David Werner Cooper Varnadore John Sibley
3	Missy Pou	8
Sarah Porter George Newtown Hunter McFerrin	6 Marilyn Deupree	Ashley Elston Stephanie Taylor Lila Nelson

Glenn Waguespack Cody Adger-White

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Community

The Altar Guild is having a cleanup of the cathedral on October 1, from 9:30 am to noon. We are asking families to join us for an hour to give our cathedral an overall cleaning. Even if you only polish your pew, it's a wonderful way to give back to the church. For questions and more information, contact Becky Bryant at rgavin610@msn.com.

Services of Choral Evensong will be presented by the St. Mark's Cathedral Choir on Sunday, October 2
Please join us for this beautiful and contemplative service. Choral Evensong begins at 5:00 pm and immediately precedes the 6:00 pm Eucharist.

Our annual Blessing of the Animals is next Tuesday,
October 4 on the large corner field at Kings and
Fairfield! This long-time tradition is an opportunity for you to have your pets (of the live or stuffed variety) blessed by St. Mark's clergy.

EYC Returns to Sunday Nights!! EYC will resume meeting on Sunday nights 5:30-7:00 pm in the Youth Room. Grades 6-12 welcome. Please contact Sarah (smceyc318@gmail.com) to be added to our email list!

To love and serve Christ.

To love and serve each other in Christ.

To love and serve the world for Christ.

For anyone who is interested who has not signed up for the Acolyte Program this school year, there is still time! Please contact Jacques Lasseigne, either by phone/text (455 – 3154) or by email (jlassjog@aol.com).

St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be hosting a

Centering Prayer Workshop on Saturday, October

8 from 9:30 am till 3:00 pm. Centering Prayer is a
method of silent prayer rooted in the Christian
contemplative tradition, which opens us to the
presence and action of the Holy Spirit. The
workshop will be led by Pamela Begeman and
lunch will be provided. To register, call 318-8658469 or e-mail
communications@stpaulsshreveport.org.

The Wednesday Ladies' Bible Study has resumed each week at 10:30 in Room 101 of the Ministry Center. Initially we will study the Lectionary Gospel reading for the following Sunday. The text will be read aloud in the group, followed by comments, including the context and discussion of its meaning in our lives today. Participants are encouraged to read and reflect on the text beforehand. This informal group is open to everyone! Please join us! For the first few sessions, the leaders will be our clergy. Then various women will be encouraged to sign up to lead the discussion.

Cooking Crew has resumed for the fall! We are looking for more volunteers to join us! Volunteers help ONE morning a month from 8:00 am-noon! Come and enjoy the fellowship while feeding our community! No cooking experience necessary! Contact Jennifer Beruvides for more information jennifer@stmarkscathedral.net.

The Wednesday Night Book Study group has resumed meeting in the Parish Library on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. The group will be reading and discussing The Cost of Discipleship by Dietrich Bonhoeffer. Bonhoeffer was a German Lutheran pastor, theologian and anti-Nazi dissident who helped found the Confessing Church. For more information, please contact William Weaver at william.weaver@uhsinc.com or by calling (302) 276-3750.

Dinners for Eight is re-forming for the fall! The purpose is simply to have fun and to get to know others on an informal basis in our homes. Groups of eight people - singles and couples of various ages - are randomly formed for a period of one year. Groups share four dinners throughout the year. Contact Judy Storer if you would like to participate in one of these groups. 318-455-6840 or ikstorer@redballmedical.com.

Have you heard about our "Pew Project?" St. Mark's is in the process of refurbishing all of the pews in the church, including the kneelers and the book racks. And you can be a part of it. Parishioners can "sponsor" a pew to have redone. Your gift will be acknowledged with a brass plaque on the pew. If you are interested, or for more information, contact John Scheel at 347-4982.

Sunday Readings

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4* 2 Timothy1:1-14 Luke 17:5-10

Thoughts from the Dean and the Stewardship Team

The people of God are God's management company. If you are a Christian, remember that being part of God's household gives you responsibilities to work for the house of God. You enter into a contract with God that requires you to be a steward of your part of his creation. It is a further obligation that although you are free to make your own choices, the choices you make must give God glory.

Upcoming Events

October 1

November 6

October 1	Cathedra, Cicanap Day 3.00 am
October 2	Organ Recital 4:30 pm Choral Evensong 5:00 pm Cathedral
October 29	SMCS Paw Paw Sprint

Cathedral Cleanup Day 9:00 am

Organ Recital 4:30 pm

Cathedral

Choral Evensong 5:00 pm