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Baptisms

Edward Blain Coady, son of Blain & Matt Coady, on April 16, 2023

Happy Birthday

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| April 23
John Zum Brunnen
Leslye Gilchrist
Erinah Nsubuga | 26
Hallie Hart
Thatcher Payne
Lewis Coady | 28
Wiley Baldrige
Ginny Murphy
George Nelson
Gerry Hammett
Caroline Zimmer
Beale Locke |
| 24
Tom Allen
Christine Zimmer
Andrea Labor | 27
Kathryn Gaiennie
Don Sibley
Jonas Prince
Lloyd Brown | 29
Janet Johnson
Mary Alice Rountree
Lauren Humphrey
Lee Harrison
Lad Shemwell
Brandy Griffies |
| 25
Tom Colquitt
Kem Hargrove
Brenda Graves
James Holtsclaw
Caroline Hannigan
Finley McSwain | 27
Piper Overdyke
Charlotte Campbell
Ollie Storer
Max Storer | |

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Community

Join our St. Mark's Cathedral School family to celebrate Mrs. Sue Scheel on her retirement after 41 years of service to the Cathedral School. The reception will be this Sunday in the Parish Hall immediately after the 10:30 am service.

St. Mark's will host a vocal recital by Centenary College Assistant Professor of Music, Dr. Janani Sridhar this Sunday, April 23 at 2:00 pm. The recital is free and open to the public.

Shriners' children's hospital is in need of waiting room snacks and activities. Ideas for items needed include snack size: crackers, goldfish, cookies, baby snacks, fruit snacks, juice boxes, small water bottles, and small/short books. Please leave your donations in the church office. For questions or donations contact Jennifer Beruvides at jennifer@stmarkscathedral.net.

Mark your calendars NOW for St. Mark's 2023 Music Camp, Monday-Friday, July 10-14 from 8:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. The camp is for grades 2-12. Students will perform on Sunday July 16 during the 10:30 am service. Camp Instructors are Heather Hooper, Leslye Gilchrist, Theresa Johnson and Derrick Meador. For more information, please contact Derrick Meador at derrick@stmarkscathedral.net

To love and serve Christ.

To love and serve each other in Christ.

To love and serve the world for Christ.

St. Mark's Vacation Bible School is right around the corner! VBS is set for **July 17-21** and this year's theme is *Keepers of the Kingdom!* We will see you there!

Come sing with us! The Boys & Girls Choir at St. Mark's offers free professional music education! It's open to ages 7-14, and no religious affiliation is required. Rehearsals are Wednesdays, 4:00 - 5:30 pm with a family dinner provided. For more information, please contact Derrick Meador at derrick@stmarkscathedral.net

If you give stock to St. Mark's, please call or email Becky Deverts in the Finance Office to let her know the broker as well as the name of the stock and the number of shares. Sometimes the stock is received and sold by our broker and no one knows who gave the stock. We have recently received a gift of stock and we don't know the contributor. If you have given stock this year and have **not** received a letter of acknowledgement, please be in touch with Becky at 318-458-3313 or becky@stmarkscathedral.net

Our Hospitality Committee invites parishioners (families, adult singles, siblings, friends) to serve as oblationers (gift bearers) at the 10:30 a.m. Sunday service. This is a meaningful way to serve the faith community. For more information please contact Kathy Williams at 469-9211.

Were you married at St. Mark's? St. Mark's Cathedral maintains a beautiful Wedding Album of all the couples who were married in the Cathedral since the 50's. If you would like to be a part of this fun tradition, please provide us a picture (color or black and white) of your choice no bigger than an 8" x 10".

1. Submit a digital photo (color or black and white, preferably a jpeg or pdf) which can be printed, by emailing gdamlouji@gmail.com.
2. Drop your wedding photo off at the church's office to the attention of Mary Alice Rountree or Gerry Damlouji. Please be sure to include the bride and groom's full name and date married with your picture

If you have any questions, please contact Mary Alice Rountree at 318-464-8004 or Gerry Damlouji at 318-820-9012.

St. Mark's Physical Training Monday-Friday 5:30 am at the Cathedral. We meet every weekday morning in the field across from the parking lot.

Sunday Readings

The Third Sunday of Easter
 Acts 2:14a, 36-41 * 1 Peter 1:17-23
 Luke 24:13-35

Thoughts from the Dean and the Stewardship Team

Christian stewardship is nothing less than a way of life. It is the understanding that everything we have, including our own lives, is a gift from God. It is a way of looking at the world ... at everything that touches our lives ... through the eyes of faith.

Upcoming Events

April 23	Reception for Sue Scheel 11:45 am Parish Hall Recital - Dr. Janani Sridhar 2:00 pm Cathedral
May 6	Confirmation Dinner 5:30 pm Garden Room
May 7	Confirmation 10:30 am Cathedral Evensong 5:00 pm Cathedral