



Deaths

Gene Snell, on May 28, 2024.

Jacklyn Shelton Songy, on June 9, 2024.

Happy Birthday

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| June 23
Jessie Short
Holly Woodard
Mary Kneip
Elouise Lattier | 25
Cina Hodges
Talbot Trudeau | 27
Marshall Jones
Karon Waguespack
Laura McFerrin |
| 24
Cristina Walker
Sharon Reed
Heidi Sanderson
Jonathan Hardtner
Pam Short
Camille Sample
Andrew Irion
William Dulaney | 26
Debbie Camus
Wade Shemwell
Leslie Caraway
Kathy Williams | 28
Frances Bowen
Trisha Hogan
Christine Martin |
| | | 29
Pat Viser
John Van Hook
Amy Mata
Ryan Q-Petersen |

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Community

A Campus update... by: Lisa Love, Junior Warden
*The Columbarium project has begun construction. As reflected in the renderings displayed in the Narthex of the Cathedral and designed by Clarence Babineaux, SGB Architects, the Courtyard Columbarium will contain 384 niches. Cynthia Anderson has been designated as Registrar of the Columbarium appointed by the Vestry, who shall maintain the records of the Columbarium including approved purchases of niches, internments and such other records as directed by the Vestry. Thank you for your patience while we are under construction. Purchase your niches now by calling or emailing Cynthia at Cynthia@stmarkscathedral.net.

*Jan and Stuart Briscoe have generously donated some beautiful refurbishments to the seating area outside the Cathedral office in loving memory of Jan's parents, Virgie and Don Wallace.

*Sherri Skrivanos has graciously allowed us to display her watercolor paintings in the office seating area above the pews. Please stop by and enjoy them.

*We are also honored to display artwork of some other Cathedral artists in the Garden Room of the Ministry Center, including Judy Austin, Gigi Corley, Betty Hastings, Theresa Meldrum, Suzy Nelson, Pam Nichols, Mary O'Neal, and Sherri Skrivanos

*St. Mark's Cathedral School Class of 2024 and St. Mark's Cathedral School Parents Club have generously donated new bleachers for the gym, which will include much-needed additional seating.

Blessings for all the work you continue to do for our Cathedral and School.

We Serve Camp is July 29-Aug 2, 2024

We Serve is a weeklong day camp where students will be given to opportunity to serve our neighbors both within our parish and our community. We will work on service projects in the mornings and do fun activities in the afternoons. Camp is open to rising 4th graders and up. High School and middle school students will have the opportunity to earn service hours for their work during the week. Some of the places we will be serving will include the cooking crew, The Hub, Common Ground and more. All students will receive a We Serve t-shirt. Go to www.stmarkscathedral.net to register.

Bored this summer? Need volunteer hours?

Community Renewal Friendship houses need help in several areas:

1. Volunteers to tutor struggling children to keep up their school skills.
2. Luggage/duffle bags (new or used) for the youth to go to summer camp.
3. Host for a summer splash party.
4. Volunteers for summer lunches.
5. Donation of travel hygiene items (shampoo, conditioner, soap, lotion) for youth going to camp.

A receptacle will be in the church office for hygiene items. Bags/luggage can be left in the front office. For more information or wanting to donate money contact Jennifer Beruvides at beruvidesr@bellsouth.net.

Vacation Bible School is set for July 15-19. This year's theme is *Celebrate the Savior*. Register on the church website.

Education for Ministry (EfM) is open for registration.

If you are interested in joining the program for the 2024-25 year, please be in touch with Fr. Thomas (thomas@stmarkscathedral.net) as soon as possible.

Could you or someone you know benefit from a Stephen Minister?

Several who have received compassionate care from one of our Stephen Ministers have agreed to share their experience and gratitude. - One of our Care Receivers writes:

My Stephen Minister and I met once a week for almost two years. He was very good, dedicated and a great listener! I like to say he listened to my war stories! This program really fits someone like me who has no family to visit with, although I'm sure others would benefit also. Thank you for letting me be in your Stephen Ministry program; I wish you continued success and blessings!

For more information about Stephen Ministry, contact the Rev. Thomas Nsubuga.

Sunday Readings

The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
Job 38:1-11 * 2 Corinthians 6:1-13
Mark 4:35-41

Thoughts from the Dean and the Stewardship Team

Stewardship relates to everything we have: our bodies, our minds, our talents, our family, our possessions, our finances. Mother Earth and "the fullness thereof." Nothing or no one is outside the realm of God's creation. And you and I are responsible for the care of everything and everyone.

Upcoming Events

July 8-12	Art Camp
July 15-19	Vacation Bible School
July 29-August 2	We Serve Camp