



St. Mark's United Methodist Church June 28th 2026

Fruit of the Spirit



Today's Wonderful Worship Volunteers Include:

Ushers: Nancy Krutzfield & Deb Jansen

Scripture Reader: Ann Fenner

Acolyte: Melanie Justice

Next Week Worship Volunteer Schedule:

Ushers: Linda Prybil, Lee McKnight, Jeremy Showers

Scripture Reader: Averie McCormick – Ruth 1:8-15

Acolyte: Izzy Berwald & Neveah Kendall

Communion Servers: Kae Tritle, Dennis & Carol Preslicka,
Bob & Sherry Kesselring

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Announcements & Weekly News

Today's Special Offering: Pastoral Care



Pastoral Care is a fund administered by Pastor Alberta. It can be used to support the St Mark's congregation and church members as needed.

It can be used for needs related to the United Methodist Church and its ministries and social principles.

*If you would like to donate to today's special offering, please place your donation in the yellow envelopes. If you need an envelope or have any questions, please contact one of today's ushers. *Please write "special offering on the memo line of checks"*

If paying with Tithe.ly select the "fund" drop menu just below the dollar amount.

**Last Day of the Book Study:
The Holy Spirit by Adam Hamilton**
in room 109 at 11:00 a.m.

Thank you 

Thank you to everyone who participated!

Join us in our NSI ministry!



June is almost over & the last days to donate cleaning supplies as part of our collection for June.

For example: laundry detergent, dishwashing detergent, all-purpose cleaners, scrubbing sponges, etc.



There is a labeled collection bin in Fellowship Hall to place donated items.

Items for July will be baby products
Please see the Newsletter for more information.

We hope to share our enthusiasm for this ministry with you.

Please see Brenda Mayer, Sherry Kesselring, & Julie Troyer for more information/questions about NSI.

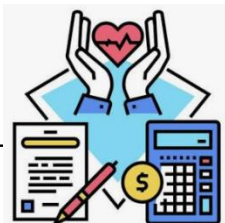
Thank you for your generous gifts!

CHAPS

Church Health Assistance Program-

CHAP is a newer ministry which offers health care assistance reimbursement requests of up to \$250 per calendar year for St. Mark's Iowa City church members, *when funds are available*. This is an increase from \$100 previously offered thanks to generous donors!

The CHAP program is currently accepting reimbursement requests.



How to submit a request:

There are reimbursement forms on top the usher station in Fellowship Hall along with a list of items covered.

-Complete a form, attach receipts, and place in the CHAP mailbox located in the office. *If this is done outside of office hours you may put the completed form in the black file box located outside the office door.*

Or

-Take an addressed/stamped envelope home to complete and mail back to the office (*with receipts*).

Example of items covered: Copay, tests, prescription, over-the-counter meds, medical equipment, glasses, etc..

- *Please see Paul Schroeder, the information at the usher station in Fellowship Hall, &/or the July Newsletter for more information in this wonderful ministry.*



**The office will be closed
on Friday, July 3rd
in observance of
Independence Day.**



Weekly Calendar June 28th – July 5th

- 06/28:** 9:30am – 10:30am: Worship – Sanctuary
11:00am – 12:00pm: Book Study: The Holy Spirit – Room 109
- 06/29:** 10:00am – 12:00pm: Weaving Team – Room 103
6:00pm – 7:00pm: American Sign Language (*Free Class*) – Wesley Room
6:30pm – 9:00pm: Scout Troop 250 – Fellowship Hall & Fireside Room
- 06/30:** 6:30pm – 8:30pm: “We Do Recover” Group of NA Meeting – Room 102
- 07/01:** 1:00pm – 5:00pm: Christmas Stockings & Other Occasions – Room 103
4:00pm – 5:00pm: Men’s Book Club – Fireside Room
5:30pm – 7:00pm: American Sign Language (*Free Class*) – Wesley Room
- 07/02:** 6:00am – 8:30am: Old Capitol Kiwanis Meeting– Fellowship Hall
- 07/03:** **Office closed in observance of Independence Day**
11:30am – 12:00pm: Iowa City Public Library Book Mobile – Parking Lot
6:30pm – 8:30pm: “We Do Recover” Group of NA– Room 102
6:30pm – 9:00pm: Dungeons & Dragons – Fireside Room
- 07/04:** 9:00am – 11:00am: OA of Iowa – Room 102
- 07/05:** 9:30am – 10:30am: Worship – Sanctuary

This weekly calendar may change as events are altered, added, or cancelled. Please see our website for the most up to date calendar of events.

-Private events will not be listed in the bulletin-

Are you planning to use a room but not on the schedule yet?

Please contact the office to make sure a space is available & have it reserve for your needs; we are happy to schedule you!

Thank you!

Free Classes: American Sign Language (ASL) & Deaf Notes Choir.

Performance Date: July 5th: “Thy Word is a Lamp”

Join Lou & her class in learning ASL:

There is no need to pre-register, no cost to join the ASL group & everyone is welcome!
All you have to do is show up! It can’t get much easier than that!

**Free ASL classes are held in the Wesley Room each week on:
Monday’s 6:00pm – 7:00pm & Wednesday’s 5:30pm – 7:15pm.**

NEW: The Deaf Notes will now be signing prelude once a month you don’t want to miss it!
It’s a fun way to follow along & learn some signs!



www.smumcic.com

We are working on a new website! If you were not in worship when Pastor Alberta announced the exciting news & easy way to remember the address:

smumcic.com = **St. Mark’s United Methodist Church Iowa City .com**

We were passing out new pens with the new site printed, on this day as well, please feel free to grab one in the office, Narthex, and/or Fellowship Hall!

This will be a slow process with many updates so feel free to check back periodically for changes/additions. Ann has been setting all of this up and has done a beautiful job! – *Thank You Ann!*

Along with the new website will be an app, new Facebook page, and Instagram!

So much to look forward to so stay tuned!

