## This Week at St Mark

August 21, 2016 – August 27, 2016

Sunday (8/21) Thursday (8/25)

9:00 am Worship (w/HC) 7:30 am TOPS Meeting

10:15 am Congregational Fund Meeting 6:30 pm Worship (w/HC)

Monday (8/22) Friday (8/26)

Tuesday (8/23) 8:00 am Pantry Workers

8:30 am Quilter's Group 10:00 am Food Pantry

10:00 am Bible Study Saturday (8/27)

6:00 pm Stewardship Meeting

Wednesday (8/24) Sunday (8/28) Church Picnic

9:00 am Parish Nurse in Office 10:00 am Worship Service

9:00 am Pantry Sort & Store

11:00 am Church Picnic
Food Pantry Sunday

# Financial Information for the week of 8/7/2016

#### **General Fund**

					Variance
	Attendance	Offering	Budget	% Met	Amount
Weekly	117	\$5,309.83	\$5,708.00	93.02	(\$398.17)
Year to Date	5732	\$141,497.34	\$182,656.00	77.47	(\$41,158.66)



# Thursday, August 18, 2016 Sunday, August 21, 2016 Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost





Sunday, August 28th on the church grounds immediately following 10:00am service.

Along with all the great food and fellowship we will have many activities.

We are looking for someone to take over the Scrip Program. If you are interested please contact Dan Drossel at 207-1627.



If you are interested in making a pie for the church picnic pie baking contest please contact Beverly Sorenson at 458-4279.



Is music a part of the service you enjoy?

The Jubilation choir is seeking new members. Practice will be starting on Thursday, September 1st. from 5:15pm to 6:15pm.

Men's Club will be having a meeting on Monday, September 19th in the Fellowship Hall. Supper will be served at 6:00pm and the meeting will start at 6:30pm.

### **Summer Sermon Series**

Beginning June 5th (and preceding Thursdays)
Pastor will be doing his sermons based on the book
The Story. We will be covering one chapter every
week starting with creation through Jesus second
coming. If you would like you can read a chapter
the week prior to the service.



Stephen Ministers bring distinctively Christian care to those in need. They use both words and deeds to express Christ's care for others—listening and comforting, calling on the training they have received and employing the tools of faith. If this job description fits your personal goals for ministry, consider becoming a Stephen Minister. A training class is starting soon. For more information contact Carolyn Eiden, Stephen Leader at 458-4343 ext.104 or 980-1382.

The Food Pantry will again be distributing school supplies to the school aged children of families visiting the Pantry. At the time of this message, we have over 500 children on the registration list. If you can help provide some school supplies in any way, we would much appreciate the help. Please reference the Food Pantry report in the August issue of the Forward. Thank you!

The Sheboygan Social Service agency **Open Door** is looking for men's clothing (no underclothing), socks and shoes (all sizes). Donated items can be placed in the container located in the Narthex. If you have any questions please contact Barb Keitel at 452-9498.



Yes, it's back to school time and St Mark Scrips has Office Max and Walmart for your school supplies and clothes. You can also get Kwik Trip cards to get you there and back along with Piggly Wiggly cards for the school lunches. See Dan Drossel for your cards today!!



Come join the Bell Choir!

Practice starts on Wednesday, August 31st from 5:00pm—6:15pm.

### Songs of the Season Goes Broadway & Patriotic

Come and listen to 25 singers sing Broadway standards old and new. From the Fantasticks to Something Rotten, there will be something for everyone! The choir will also commemorate the 15th anniversary of 9/11 with a wealth of patriotic selections. This concert consists of beautiful solos. A free-will offering will be collected to defray expenses. The concert will be held on Sunday, September 11 at 4:00 p.m. (right after the Packers opening game) at First Congregational Church, 310 Bluff Avenue. See you there!

Helping Hands Needed. Are you looking for a rewarding way to put your faith into action? Aurora at Home seeks hospice volunteers. Duties include: Visiting hospice patients in their own homes in and around the area. Reading, holding a hand, chatting, playing games or just watching TV with the patient, anything a good neighbor might do!! Volunteers do not transport or do personal cares. Volunteers are needed approximately one time a week depending on patient need, for a couple hours each visit. The commitment is not time consuming; services are not always needed every week. Training is provided on an individual basis. No nursing experience needed. We hope you will join us on this rewarding path. Please contact Amy Reineking at 920-412-6682 or email amy.reineking@aurora.org for more information or to be in the volunteer process.

# **Sheboygan Pops Concert Band**

2016 Summer Schedule 6:30pm at Fountain Park

August 24th

WE'RE LOOKING FOR TEACHERS: Lutheran Special Education Ministries is seeking a Special Education teacher to fill a position in Plymouth, WI.

Candidates should have Special Education
Certification, or be actively working toward the certification. We would also consider candidates who have special education experience and those with Elementary Certification who have a desire to work with students who have learning needs. If you are interested, please call Lutheran Special Education Ministries at 248-419-3390, or Rich Schumacher at 734-748-5253 for more Information and to obtain an application.