This Week at St Mark

October 9, 2016 – October 15, 2016

Sunday (10/9)	Wednesday (10/12) co	ont.
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9:00 am Worship Service 5:00 pm Bells Rehearsal

10:15 am Sunday School Thursday (10/13)

10:15 am Youth Bible Study 7:30 am TOPS Meeting 10:15 am Health Fair

5:15 pm Choir Rehearsal Monday (10/10)

> 6:30 pm Worship Service (w/HC) 6:00 pm GriefShare

6:00 pm Deacons Friday (10/14)

Tuesday (10/11) Forward Deadline

> 8:30 am Quilter's Group Saturday (10/15)

10:00 am Bible Study 8:30 am Women's Discussion Group

Wednesday (10/12) Sunday (10/16)

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

9:00 am Pantry sort & store 10:15 am Sunday School

10:00 am GriefShare 10:15 am Youth Bible Study

10:15 am Adult Bible Study 4:00 pm Confirmation Class (subject to change)

Pastor will be out of the office Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Please contact the church office for assistance.

Financial Information for the week of 9/25/2016

General Fund

					Variance
	Attendance	Offering	Budget	% Met	Amount
Weekly	157	\$4,217.50	\$5 <i>,</i> 708.00	73.89	(\$1,490.50)
Year to Date	6677	\$169,198.17	\$222,612.00	76.01	(\$53,413.83)



THE MESSENGER Sharing the Love of Jesus



Thursday, October 6, 2016 Sunday, October 9, 2016

Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost



The altar flowers this week are provided by Iane Kocmoud in honor and celebration of her Granddaughter Liz's birthday.

St Mark Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod - English District) 1019 N. 7th Street Sheboygan, WI 53081 Phone: (920) 458 - 4343 www.stmarksheboygan.com Pastor Brett Matz

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

Please make sure that you use the calendar on the wall by the office to mark your meetings and events in order for them to appear in the Forward and Messenger.



Is music a part of the service you enjoy?

The Jubilation choir is seeking new members. Practice is on Thursday nights from 5:15pm to 6:15pm.

YOUTH GROUP-SAVE THE DATE

Oct 26th - Pumpkin Caving @ 4:00pm



Come join us for our Annual Pie Social on Wednesday. November 23rd after church services. Please bring your uncut pies to the kitchen before service.

Fall Clean Up is scheduled for Saturday. November 5th at 8:00am. The rain date will be Saturday, November 12th at 8:00am. The more people to come help the quicker we can be done.

The next Voters Meeting will be on **November 13th** immediately following the church service.



Remember that when you are in need of Pastoral care please contact either Pastor Matz or the church office at 920-458-4343.



Come join the Bell Choir!

Handbell Practice is on Wednesday nights from 5:00pm-6:15pm.

Why not check out the morning meditations on WHBL at 7:26am or between 10:45am and 10:50am. You can also check out the Morning-Meditations.com web site - where you can listen to meditations anytime and anywhere. You can also find out what's happening in our area churches and schools. You can support this mission with a gift to the church which can be used to sponsor the broadcasts. **Pastor Matz** will be doing the meditations the week of October 10th.

Advent is around the corner and so are the Soup Suppers. Supper will be severed from 5:00pm until 6:00pm. Dates available to work are December 14th and 21st . Please think about volunteering to help with one of the meals. If you are interested in helping please contact Ginny Altendahl at 458-0220 or Bev Sorenson at 458-4279.

> November 30th - Social Gathering December 7th - Men's Club

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!!

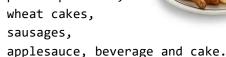
If you need a ride to and from church on Sundays' please call the church office so we can have the church van pick you up.



Griefshare a 13 week Christian based grief support group has started. This time we are offering two different sessions: Mondays from 6:00pm—8:30pm and Wednesdays from 10:00am—12:30pm. Seating space is limited to 12 people each session. Contact Carolyn Eiden the Parish Nurse with questions or to register.

IT'S COMING.....NOVEMBER 13TH MEN'S CLUB PANCAKE SUPPER

The menu includes all-vou-can-eat potato pancakes, wheat cakes, sausages,



Tickets are now available from any member of the Men's Club or the church office.

Tickets cost \$7.50 for Adults and \$4.00 for children 4-12. Tickets will cost 50 cents more at the door.

5th Annual

Halloween Pumpkin **Carving Party!**

Wednesday, October 26th 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm St. Mark Church / Fellowship Hall

Activities Include: **Hot Dog Dinner** Story Time at 5:00pm **Pumpkin Carving** (Pumpkins Provided Free of Charge!)

ALL SCHOOL - AGE CHILDREN ARE INVITED!



Quilt Sunday will be held on Thursday, November 18th & Sunday, November 20th. Quilts will be available to purchase for \$40 (large) and \$25 (baby quilts).

REFORMATION SERVICE sponsored by area Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod congregations is October 30th at the Weill Center, 826 N. 8th St., Sheboygan, starting at 3:30 pm. The guest speaker, the Rev. Dr. Daniel Gard, President of Concordia University Chicago, will base his sermon on John 8:31-36 and has titled it "The Truth That Sets Us Free."

Good Hope Road Praise Team will be playing at The Upper Room Christian Coffee House (1127 North 8th Street) on Saturday, October 15th from 7:00-9:00pm. Please come in for an evening of music, fellowship & worship. We look forward to seeing you there.