

## This Week at St Mark

September 24, 2017 – September 30, 2017

### Sunday (9/24)

9:00 am Worship Service  
 10:15 am Youth Bible Study  
 10:15 am Adult Bible Study  
 Food Pantry Sunday

### Monday (9/25)

### Tuesday (9/26)

8:30 am Quilter's Group  
 10:00 am Bible Study

### Wednesday (9/27)

9:00 am Parish Nurse in Office  
 10:00 am Griefshare  
 1:30 am Daughter's Luncheon  
 4:00 pm Confirmation @ Immanuel  
 5:00 pm Bells Rehearsal

### Thursday (9/28)

7:30 am TOPS  
 5:15 pm Choir Rehearsal  
 6:30 pm Worship Service (w/HC)

### Friday (9/29)

6:00 pm Sass/Satter Wedding Rehearsal

### Saturday (9/30)

8:30 am Women's Discussion Group  
 2:00 pm Sass/Satter Wedding

### Sunday (10/1)

9:00 am Worship Service (w/HC)  
 10:15 am Sunday School  
 10:15 am Youth Bible Study  
 10:15 am Adult Bible Study

### Financial Information for the week of 9/3/17

#### General Fund

	Attendance	Offering	Budget	% Met	Variance Amount
Weekly	92	\$3,821.00	\$4,898.00	78.01	-\$1,077.00
Year to Date	4847	\$140,723.86	\$176,328.00	79.81	-\$35,604.14



**Thursday, September 21, 2017**

**Sunday, September 24, 2017**

## The Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost



*The altar flowers this week are provided by  
 Carol & Dan Carriveau  
 in honor of their 41st Wedding Anniversary  
 and by the Matz Family  
 in memory of Kathy's sisters birthday.*

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Pastor Brett Matz

Celebrating a special occasion?  
Honoring a loved one?

Say it with  
**FLOWERS**  
Sign up to provide flowers for the altar

#### Coats For Kids campaign.

If you have any coats you would like to donate please deposit them in the collection box in the Narthex through Oct 22nd.



Quilt Weekend will be held on Thursday, October 12th and Sunday, October 15th. Quilts will be available to purchase for \$40 (large) and \$25 (baby quilts). Except if price a different price is noted on the item.



Cottage groups remember to turn in your ideas on October 24th to Carol Koffarnus. Her email is cakoffy@gmail.com.



Griefshare, a 13-week Christian based grief support group, will start on Wednesday, August 2nd at 10:00am. Seating space is limited to 12 people each session. There will be a \$15 refundable fee upon completion of the course. Contact Carolyn Eiden, the Parish Nurse, with questions or to register.

#### Thrivent Choice Dollars

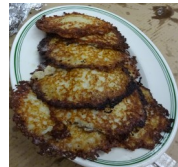
Don't forget to allocate your Choice Dollars to St Mark. The church has received \$4,379 in Choice Dollars grant funds this year. Last year our total was \$8,152. Please remember to contact Thrivent Choice Dollars in order to keep the funds coming. You can do this by calling 1-800-847-4836 or on-line at Thrivent.com/thriventchoice and follow the prompts.

**Save the date for the annual St Mark Health Fair** on Sunday, October 15th from 10:00am—11:30am! Flu shots will be available at the Health Fair. Social Gatherings will serve refreshments and pastries this year at the Health Fair. Invite your friends and family! Watch the Messenger and Forward for more information.

We still need a volunteer to drive the van on the 2nd Sunday of the month. If you are interested or have any questions please contact Tom Kroll or the church office.

#### IT'S COMING.....NOVEMBER 5TH MEN'S CLUB PANCAKE SUPPER

The menu includes all-you-can-eat potato pancakes, wheat cakes, breakfast sausage, applesauce, beverage and cake.



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.

St. Mark Congregational Fund committee is in need of a new member. Each member must commit to a five year term which rotates annually. The first year you are a "Member at Large" then "Recording Secretary", followed by "Financial Secretary"; "Vice Chairman" and "Chairman".

The committee meets the third Sunday of each month after Service, except Holidays. Each member must be at least 21 years of age and a St Mark member.

If interested register your name with the church office by October 31st. The person with the most votes at the November Voter's Meeting will start their position in January.

Any questions please contact a current committee member.

#### **Please remember to check your mailboxes.**

**REFORMATION SERVICE**-Sun., October 29th, 3pm Hymn Sing, followed by the 3:30pm Service at the Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing Arts, 826 N. 8th St., downtown Sheboygan. Drop off of attendees is possible in front of the theater. May this celebration of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation be a time when we return to Word and Sacrament, and when we turn to Christ and His love. **It's Still All About Jesus.**

#### CRAFT/ARTISTS/VENDORS WANTED

Are you or someone you know a crafter, artist or vendor? Then Bethlehem is looking for you/them for their 5th annual winter craft/artist/vendor fair on Saturday, November 11. Go to [www.ourbethlehem.com](http://www.ourbethlehem.com) click on church, go to upcoming events to print out your application. If you have any questions contact Brenda Kanz at 920-912-3086.

The Greater Sheboygan Area Chapter of the **AHSGR (American Historical Society of Germans from Russia)** is hosting their one-year anniversary meeting on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 1:00pm in the Trinity Lutheran Fellowship Hall (824 Wisconsin Ave., Sheboygan, WI)! The topic of the meeting is the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention that was held in Milwaukee, Aug. 28<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>. Special refreshments will be provided. Please come and join us for this special anniversary of the revitalized Sheboygan Chapter! All are invited and bring a guest! If you have questions please call Kevin R. Greatens, President at 920-207-0277.

LHS is looking to fill three positions for the 2017-18 school year: Director for the Fall Drama, JV2 Boys Basketball Coach, and Varsity Dance Coach. If you would like more information or are interested in any of these positions, please contact LHS Principal, Al Holzheimer, at [holzheimer@lutheranhigh.com](mailto:holzheimer@lutheranhigh.com) or call the LHS office at 920-452-3323.

Dial 452-PRAY, comprised of members of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod congregations in the Sheboygan area, provides daily Christ-centered messages and prayers through a phone ministry. It is supported solely through personal and congregation donations and memorials, and we ask that your congregation, an organization of your church, or individuals would consider a gift to this ministry. Please mail them to Dial 452-PRAY, c/o Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 1121 Georgia Ave., Sheboygan, WI 53081. Also, we are now eligible to receive Thrivent Choice Dollars, and Thrivent members may make this designation. For more information, please check our website [www.dial452pray.org](http://www.dial452pray.org) or contact me at 920-783-8083.