

## This Week at St Mark

April 12, 2020 – April 19, 2020

Sunday (4/12) *Easter Sunday*

9:00 am Online Church Service\*

Thursday (4/16)

No Church Service\*

Friday (4/17)

9:00 am Food Pantry

Monday (4/13)

Saturday (4/18)

Tuesday (4/14)

Sunday (4/19)

9:00 am Online Church Service\*

Wednesday (4/15)

\* You can watch a live stream of Sunday's service at [Facebook.com/stmarksheboygan](https://www.facebook.com/stmarksheboygan).

If you are unable to join us live the service is recorded and available on our Facebook page. Sermon will continue to be recorded and available after Sunday's service on our website.



**Sunday, April 12, 2020**

**Easter Sunday**



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Pastor Brett Matz

Celebrating a special occasion?  
Honoring a loved one?



The Weds, April 15th Lunch and Learn Event from 11:30AM to 1PM featuring Craig Toerpe, Gift Planning Counselor for the LCMS Foundation, has been **postponed** due to Coronavirus and the mandates placed on large group gatherings. Please stay tuned for when this event will be rescheduled. If you have immediate questions or concerns regarding your estate or charitable gifts, do not hesitate to call or email Craig at 262-707-3005 or [craig.toerpe@lfnd.org](mailto:craig.toerpe@lfnd.org).

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 April 13th.

A graphic with a red background and white hands. The text reads: "VOLUNTEER! THE CHURCH NEEDS YOU We need volunteers for Greeting, Reading, Sound Booth &amp; Ushers. Please contact the church office."



Check out the St. Mark's Facebook page. We will be doing a livestream of a modified service for the week. If you can't watch at the time of the livestream you can watch the video. Go to [facebook.com/stmarksheboyan](https://facebook.com/stmarksheboyan). There is also a link on our website page.

GriefShare a 13 week grief support group for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one started on Wednesday, March 4th at 10am. It will be held in the upstairs adult education room. Each session includes a video, group discussion and a personal workbook to help you through the grief process. This is open to everyone, not just church members. Contact Carolyn Eiden, RN the Parish Nurse if you have questions or want to register. The cost is \$15 for the workbook which will be returned to you when you complete the program. Class has been postponed for now.

#### Thrivent Choice Dollars

**Thank you** Thrivent members for assigning your Choice dollars to St. Mark. The church has received \$4,065 in Choice Dollars grant funds this year. Last year our total was \$7,866. 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](https://Thrivent.com/thriventchoice) and follow the prompts. Please contact Bev Sorenson at 458-4279 to let her know where you want to designate the funds at St. Mark.

**Please remember to check your mailboxes.**

A graphic with a world map background and the text: "1 + 1 + 1 A Dollar for Missions".

Thank you for your commitment to this mission. December 2018 \$247, 1st Quarter 2019 \$673, 2nd Quarter 2019 \$575, 3rd Quarter 2019 \$649, 4th Quarter 2019 \$779, January 2020 \$225, February 2020 \$177, March 2020 \$180

**Our Food Pantry is in a constant need of the following items:  
Jelly and Jam**



**Some encouraging words:**  
**Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you. Deuteronomy 31:6**

Please notify the church office if you have changed your phone number (dropped your landline) so we have the correct information on file for all calls. We can also send messages to your email if we have that information on file.

**Please make sure 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.**

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

**Check out the St. Mark website. It has been updated and we now have recorded sermons on the site.**

Texas Roadhouse ♥ Churches  
10% donation EVERY Sunday.  
Come in Sundays between 11am and 9pm to support your church! Present a copy of your church bulletin to your server and Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total food purchase back to your church! **Thank you** to those that have used this wonderful program. The church received \$13.87 last year and \$.16.32 so far this year. We also receive food from them for various events at the church.

#### Prayer Chain Update

Our prayer chain group is still active and our purpose is to pray for anyone who has a need they would like us to pray about. The prayer request can be for themselves or someone else. We contact each other by phone so in a short time many prayers are being offered on that person's behalf. We also are looking for new people to join our group. If you can pray-and we all know how to do that-please consider being one of our prayers warriors. Men or women, young or old. Everyone is welcome to join. If you have a prayer need or want to be a member of the prayer chain, please contact Barb Keitel at 452-9498 or Bev Diener at 564-2212.