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St. Mark Evangelical Lutheran Church of Mechanicsburg

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"To Know Christ and To Make Him Known"

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,



For those who were able to meet with the church council during our last Council Connection, you know that we are beginning to talk about our future. I know that as we talk about our future and what we as a church hope our future looks like, it can be scary. We can focus on what we lack and what the church used to have. But not talking about it, does not change the fact that life in the church has changed and continues to change. So, I want to remind you of something that Paul wrote to the Romans which still speaks to us today:

[13] May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 15:13

As we ponder our future, I pray that we focus on the power of the Holy Spirit. God did not send Christ into the world to die for us so that we could simply hide from change and pretend that the Body of Christ is not suffering. Mainline Protestant churches are in decline. People are highly committed to things other than church and church attendance. However, people still hunger for hope, and we are filled with hope. People need acceptance more than ever, and we have assurance that we are all made in the image of God. People long for love, forgiveness, and grace, and we have an abundance of love, forgiveness, and grace from Christ our Lord! Christ died to give us new life; God is in the process of creating new life for the church. None of us knows what it will look like but together, we can work on a vision of what we would like it to be.

If you still care about the future of St. Mark Evangelical Lutheran Church, come and be a part of our visioning conversation. We want to hear your hopes, your concerns, and your voice as we talk together. If you cannot physically come but have input, talk with a council member.

Most importantly, pray about God's vision for our future. Trust that God does indeed fill us with all joy and peace!

In Christ's Love and Grace,

Pastor Marleen

Pastor Marleen



BIBLE STUDY

Our weekly Bible Study continues each Wednesday at 11:00 am in the parlor. Join Pastor Marleen for a study of Matthew. All are welcome to attend.

SEPTEMBER 2026 ATTENDANCE

Service Date	8:30 am Sanctuary	Zoom	YouTube Service
September 6	45	6	28
September 13	48	5	34
September 20	50	4	99
September 27	43	8	46



DECEMBER 2026/JANUARY 2027 REMARKER DEADLINE

REMINDER: PLANNING AHEAD FOR DECEMBER 2026/ JANUARY 2027 COMBINED NEWSLETTER ITEMS

All newsletter items need to be in the church office **no later than November 15. Thank you!**

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A congregational meeting will be held **Sunday, November 8, at 9:45 am following worship service in the Sanctuary. Refreshments will be served in Fellowship Hall after the meeting.** The agenda includes approval of the 2027 Budget and election of council members for 2027. Evangelism will lead a discussion on the church's future.





MIDWEEK ADVENT WORSHIP AT ST. STEPHEN

Advent is a busy time for everyone. We have many things to do to get ready for Christmas, but we never want to miss the more important preparation for the coming of Christ. **Join us on Wednesdays at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, 30 W. Main St., News Kingstown,** to prepare for Christ's coming.

We will gather for worship at 6:00 pm with a light soup supper after worship. This year we will continue our tradition of using Holden Evening Prayer as our liturgy. Our topic is Preparing in Christ's Presence. On December 2, we will ponder how we can "Do Less" as we prepare for Christmas. On December 9, we will "Experience Wonder" as we share some pictures of the wonder of God's works. On December 16, we will "Hold onto Hope" in the midst of the world's troubles.

We can use your help. Look for the wonder of God's works then take a picture of the wonder you find. Share your picture and one sentence about how this wonder inspires awe in God's works. Then send it to me via email so that we can all see your pictures when we worship together. Please email me at revmarleen@stmarkmburg.com by December 1 to have your picture included.

See you as we prepare together for the Advent of our Lord!

Pastor Marleen

ENJOY THE MUSIC

From the Choir Loft—

VOCAL AND BELL CHOIR REHEARSALS
The bell choir will continue rehearsals at **6:00 pm on Wednesdays** in the Parlor**.** The adult choir will rehearse at **7:00 pm** on the same evening. Questions should be directed to Brad Hull, Director of Music, (Cell Phone: 202-738-2795) or Email: bradleyjhull@gmail.com.

ST. MARK YOUTH ENSEMBLE
In case you missed it, our Children's Choir has a new name! The **St. Mark Youth Ensemble** continues to share the joy of music through singing, hand chimes, and other instruments as we explore new ways to share our gifts in worship. We look forward to sharing some of our musical gifts during the **8:30 am. worship service on Sunday, November 15!** As a reminder, children and youth in grades Kindergarten and older are always welcome to join us for rehearsals on Sundays from **10:20–10:50 am.** No musical experience is necessary, just a willingness to learn and have fun! If your child enjoys singing or making music of any kind, we would love to have them join us! Please reach out with any questions or for more information. *Miss Denise*

WORSHIP AND MUSIC COMMITTEE
No meeting in November. The next meeting will be held **Wednesday, December 2, 2026, at 2:00 pm** in the Parlor.

Lutheran Camping Corporation

Quilt Auction

and Silent Auction

NOVEMBER 1ST, 2026

1033 NAWAKWA ROAD, BIGLERVILLE, PA 17307

All proceeds from the day benefit the Endowment Fund, making camping possible for generations to come!

All bids will be taken in-person, at the event.



2:00pm - Silent Auction of Hand-made Craft Items
3:00pm - Live Auction of Quilts
Dinner following Live Auction

FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!

Please register for the in-person event by Oct 28th. This is a free event & includes an evening meal.

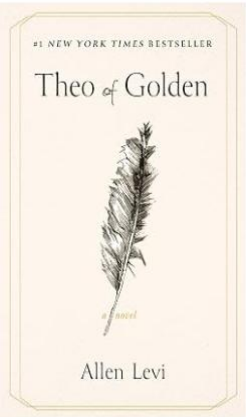
You can preview Quilts & Items online at LutheranCamping.org/quiltauction

A MESSAGE FROM STEWARDSHIP

"Be watchful! Be alert! You do not know when the time will come." Mark *13:33*



We all take things for granted. In particular, we take time for granted. We make our lives too busy. We plan our days, weeks, months, even years in advance. Remember, our time on earth is a gift. None of us knows how long we will be here. Start today and begin thanking God for each and every day. Take time in silence, every day, and listen to how God is calling you right now to help build His kingdom on earth. *Catholic Diocese of Youngstown*



BOOK CLUB READ

The Evangelism Committee is hosting a book club read on **Tuesday, November 10, at 1:00 pm in the parlor**. The book is entitled, *"Theo of Golden,"* by Allen Levi. It is a "#1 New York Times Bestselling Phenomenon."

A story of giving and receiving, of seeing and being seen, *Theo of Golden* is an unforgettable novel about the power of generosity, the importance of connection, and the quiet miracles that happen when we choose kindness and wonder.

The book is available through the library, Thrift Books, or Amazon. Share and invite a friend. As always, we look forward to conversation and fellowship with you.

MECHANICSBURG AREA MEALS ON WHEELS (MAMOW)

Our wonderful bakers made **14 batches of brownies for MAMOW in October**. We appreciate all the bakers. Sincere thanks to Donna Shur for scheduling our bakers and to Sara Jane Miller for gathering and delivering the goodies to MAMOW.

MONTHLY SUNDAYS TO BENEFIT NEW HOPE MINISTRIES

Based on information received from New Hope Ministries, we have updated the items that are needed and the dates. Here are the items for November 2026 through February 2027:

New HOPE Ministries
Sharing Christ's love by meeting human needs

November 15: FOOD FOR CHRISTMAS BASKETS
Turkey or Ham, Potatoes, Stuffing, Canned Yams, Canned Corn, Canned Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Gravy, Aluminum Roaster pan, Pumpkin Pie Mix, Boxed Potatoes, Canned Fruit Cocktail, Boxed Stuffing, Dry Beans, or anything you would like to give

January/February 2027
Soup-er Bowl—Chicken Noodle and Tomato Soup

CommunityAid THRIFT STORE AND DONATION CENTER

The Women in God's Service (WinGS) benefit from your donations of clothing and shoes to Community Aid. When taking your items to Community Aid, please put the number 10053 on your bags/boxes so that WinGS receives the credit. You may pick up stickers on the bulletin board at the back entrance or in the church office if needed.



BE A SANTA TO UNDERPRIVILEGED ADULTS— CONTRIBUTIONS AND SHOPPERS NEEDED

Over the past 15 years, we have purchased and delivered Christmas gifts to residents of the American House Apartments and Brethren House Apartments located in the Borough of Mechanicsburg. These facilities are designed for underprivileged individuals or individuals who are disabled. The residents are on a limited income; many with no or estranged families, and most of the residents do not own or drive a car.

The Social Ministry Outreach Committee, along with help from many of our friends, will continue to provide Christmas to these individuals as well as a luncheon on the day of their party.

We are requesting "wish lists" from each of the residents. We have been blessed with a wonderful group of shoppers and a wonderful group of individuals who donate and help with the shopping.

If you are interested in making a financial contribution to help defray the expenses, please mark it "Social Ministry" no later than Sunday, November 15. If you would like to help with the shopping, please contact Karen Fisher at 717-580-7507 or email at kfisher@stmarkmburg.com.

CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS EXPRESS



Our Christmas Blessings Express tree is located at the back entrance of St. Mark. W**e are collecting gifts (mostly for teenagers) through Sunday, November 29.** Copies of the New Hope Ministries Wish List are located at each entrance of St. Mark as well. Or pick an ornament(s) from the tree. Return your UNWRAPPED gift with the ornament attached and place in the containers or area around the tree. THANK YOU!

The Social Ministry Outreach Committee would like to sincerely thank you for your generosity in helping all of those in need.
Karen Fisher, Chairperson, Social Ministry

BLANKETS, HATS, SOCKS, SCARVES, AND GLOVES FOR THE HOMELESS



The Blankets, Hats, Socks, Scarves, and Gloves for the Homeless Program continues year-round. Please place new or gently used blankets, new hats, new socks, new scarves, and new gloves in the container at the back entrance. Thank you for your generosity and helping those in need.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Please contact Sara Jane Miller at 717-448-4777 or Karen Fisher in the church office at 717-766-4482 if you would like to obtain a prayer shawl, blanket, or prayer square to give as a blessing to someone or if you would like to join our wonderful team of crocheters and knitters. We provided 3 prayer blankets and 3 prayer squares during October. Thank you everyone!

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER



We are planning on celebrating Thanksgiving dinner at St. Mark this year on **Thursday, November 26, 2026, at 1:00 pm in Fellowship Hall.** Helpers are needed to set up, serve, clean up, and help wash dishes. We are soliciting donations of any kind of dessert. **To defray the cost of the meal, we are requesting donations of any amount.** Please make checks payable to St. Mark and write *Thanksgiving dinner* on the **outside of your envelope with the amount of your contribution. Please use the sign-up sheets at entrances to our church no later than November 16** or contact the church office at 717-766-4482 to make a reservation. **For additional questions or additional information, please contact Keith Hensel at 717-319-1199.**



REACHING OUT TO OTHERS TO PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS

On **Saturday, November 28**, there are two opportunities for our young people to prepare for Christmas by being generous to others. **We will gather at 9:00 am to bake cookies for the Truck Stop Ministry.** We bake for the Carlisle Truck Stop Ministries so truckers and travelers can get a taste of Christmas while they are away from home. If you cannot join us but would like to donate premade cookies, contact the church office.

After cookie baking, **we will be shopping for gifts for New Hope Ministry's Blessing Express. The group will have lunch together as well that day. Please contact Pastor Marleen at 878-295-2173 so that we know who is joining us that day.** Friends are always welcome to join us!

GETTING READY SUNDAY



Get ready for Advent by joining us in Fellowship Hall on **Sunday, November 29, at 9:45 am for Advent crafts and packing cookies for delivery to Carlisle Truck Stop Ministry.**

NOVEMBER 2026

8:30 AM - Worship Svc.; 9:45 AM Sunday School

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
1 ALL SAINTS SUNDAY 8:30 am-In-Person & Zoom Worship 9:45 am-Sunday Church School 9:45 am- Sunday School 10:20 am-Youth Ensemble 12:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros 2:00 pm-Craft and Quilt Auction at Camp Nawakwa	**2** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-German Club	**3 ELECTION DAY**
8 24th Sunday after Pentecost 8:30 am-In-Person & Zoom Worship 9:45 am-**Congregational Meeting** 9:45 am-Sunday School 10:20 am-Youth Ensemble 10:45 am-Youth & Family Ministry 12:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**9** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-German Club	**10** 1:00 pm-Book Club Read 6:30 pm-WinGS
15 25th Sunday after Pentecost 8:30 am-In-Person & Zoom Worship 9:45 am-Sunday Church School 9:45 am-Sunday School 10:20 am-Youth Ensemble 12:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**16 ReMarker Deadline** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-German Club	**17** 6:30 pm-Church Council
22 CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY **Pastor Marleen vacation-Rev. Eric Anderson officiating** 8:30 am-In-Person & Zoom Worship 9:45 am-Sunday Church School 9:45 am-Sunday School 10:20 am-Youth Ensemble 12:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**23** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-German Club	**24** 1:00 pm-Social Ministry
29 GETTING READY SUNDAY **NOISY SUNDAY** 8:30 am-In-Person & Zoom Worship 9:45 am-Advent Crafts & Packing Cookies 10:20 am-Youth Ensemble 12:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	30 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-German **Club**	**December** **1**

NOVEMBER 2026

8:30 AM - Worship Svc.; 9:45 AM Sunday School

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
4 11:00 am-Bible Study 3:00 pm-Worship Planning 6:00 pm-Bell Choir 7:00 pm-Vocal Choir	**5** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**6** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons	**7**
11 VETERANS DAY  11:00 am-Bible Study 1:00 pm-Finance Mtg. 6:00 pm-Bell Choir 7:00 pm-Vocal Choir	**12** 9:00 am-Property Committee 1:00 pm-Fellowship 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**13** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons	**14**
18 11:00 am-Bible Study 6:00 pm-Bell Choir 7:00 pm-Vocal Choir	**19** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**20** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons	**21** 4:00 pm-8:00 pm Video Gaming Night
25 2:00 pm-Deliver Thanksgiving meals to shut-ins	**26** **1:00 pm-COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER AT ST. MARK** 	**27** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons	**28** 9:00 am-Youth & Friends Cookie Baking followed by New Hope Shopping
2 11:00 am-Bible Study 6:00 pm-Bell Choir 7:00 pm-Vocal Choir	**3** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons 7:00 pm-Iglesia Dios Con Nosotros	**4** 2:45 pm-Violin Lessons	**5** 9:00 am-decorate the church for Christmas!

DECORATING FOR CHRISTMAS



On **Saturday December 5th**, we will be getting the Sanctuary ready for the Holiday season. Many hands make light work. Please mark this date on your calendars and plan now to join us starting at **9:00 am** to trim the trees, hang the wreaths. and set up the Nativity. We chose December 5th in hopes that it will be a less hectic time for folks to come to help.

Please note, we want to keep the first few weeks in December focused on Advent, so while the trees are up, we will not be lighting them until Christmas Eve. The lighting of the trees will symbolize the welcoming of Baby Jesus.

THANK YOU to everyone who made soup, cookies, meatballs, and cupcakes for the Halloween Parade. Thank you to all of the servers, those who set up, cleaned up, washed dishes, and assisted in any way at the Soup on the Sidewalk event. It was a great success.
Marlin Brown, Fellowship Chair



THANK YOU to all of you who sponsored walkers and/or donated to St. Mark Lutheran Church Keller St. Walkers for the 55th Annual CROP Walk. There were 566 walkers and an estimate of $55,000 collected. Proceeds benefit Mechanicsburg Area Meals on Wheels, New Hope Ministries, and Church World Service.
Karen Fisher, Social Ministry Outreach Chair

THANK YOU to all of you who loaned or decorated their car, donated candy, played games, passed out candy, or helped in any way with the Trunk or Treat event.
Evangelism Committee

THANK YOU to Gene and Terry Shaner for donating cookies, etc. and representing St. Mark at the Broad St. Community Dinner.

Broad Street Community Dinner

Thursday, November 12, 2026

Doors open: 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.
Dinner served: 5:00 - 6:15 p.m.

- Join us for a free meal that includes hamburger bbq (halal available), mac & cheese, sweet corn and dessert.
- **All students accompanied by their families are welcome to join us. Please enter the doors by the Broad Street Cafeteria**

Thank you to our contributing community partners!
Broad Street Elementary Staff
First United Methodist Church
Mechanicsburg Brethren in Christ
St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran Church
St. Paul's United Church of Christ

THANK YOU to St. Mark volunteers Bev Weaver, Barb Lehman, Karen Heath, and Lori Clelan, for volunteering at the Mechanicsburg Community Dinner held at Buhrig's Gathering Place.
Karen Fisher, Social Ministry Outreach Chair

THANK YOU to Gene Shaner and to Barb Lehman for transporting food to New Hope Ministries after our recent food drives.
Karen Fisher, Social Ministry Outreach Chair



UPCOMING EVENTS

November 1	**All Saints Sunday**
November 8	**Annual Congregational Meeting**
November 10	**Book Club**
November 21	**Video Gaming Night**
November 26	**Thanksgiving Dinner at St. Mark**
November 28	**Youth Cookie Baking and Christmas Shopping**
November 29	**Getting Ready Sunday—Advent Crafts and Packing Cookies**
December 2, 9, 16	**Advent Svc. at St. Stephen**
December 24	**Lighting of the Luminaries**
December 24	**Christmas Eve Services**
January 6, 2027	**Epiphany, Waffle Wednesday, Chicken & Waffles**
February 10	**Ash Wednesday**
March 25	**Seder Meal**
March 28	**Easter**



NOVEMBER WORSHIP HELPERS

LAY READER	ASSISTING MINISTER
1 Matt Yost	**1** Barb Yost
8 Dave Harnish	**8** Karen Heath
15 Amy Gimbel	**15** Dee Bernatos
22 Scott Kreiger	**22** Denise Hirn
29 Karen Heath	**29** Kevin Amos
ACOLYTE	**USHERS**
1 Phyllis Mihalich	**1** Keith Hensel, Frankie Hensel
8 Audrey Johnston	**8** Tyson Murphy, Joan Murphy
15 Katie Stull	**15** Marlin Brown, Sandy Brown
22 Brett Hirn	**22** Scott Kreiger, Deb Kreiger
29 Caroline Stull	**29** Connie Kuntz, Shannon Weaver
ALTAR GUILD	**ZOOM OPERATOR**
1 Terry Shaner, Cindy Larkin, Susan Fissel	**1** Lori Clelan
8 Connie Kuntz, Michele Connor, Phyllis Mihalich	**8** Katie Stull
15 Joan Murphy, Andrea Sassaman	**15 TBA**
22 Bev Reihart, Sara Jane Miller, Cindy Larkin	**22** Sandy Brown
29 Barb Lehman, Susan Fissel, Connie Kuntz	**29** TBA
NOVEMBER COUNCIL MONEY DUTY	**THANK YOU, WORSHIP HELPERS**
Barb Yost, Amy Gimbel	



NOVEMBER ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORS

November 1	In memory of Naomi Kuntz by John and Connie Kuntz
November 8	In honor of my twins, Philip and Barbara, on their November 7th birthday by Charlene Albert
	In loving memory of Charles Ditmer, Jr. by Susan Ditmer
November 15	In memory of Donald Adams by John and Connie Kuntz
November 22	In loving memory of Victor Reda by Muretta Yentzer
	In memory of our parents, Ruth and Raymond Elicker by Ben and Barb Yost
November 29	Greens by the Altar Guild



If you would like to request a card shower for someone, please provide the information to Karen in the Church Office, and we will be happy to accommodate your request. It's just a simple way of reaching out and sharing God's love. Thanks so much!

Happy Birthday—
to all born in NOVEMBER

Congratulations—
to all celebrating anniversaries in NOVEMBER!

…and

Congratulations—
George Richards
Best Wishes in your retirement after almost 50 years at abc27!

https://www.abc27.com/video/farewell-to-an-abc27-legend-best-wishes-in-retirement-george-richards/12300908/

JOIN IN THE FUN—VIDEO GAMING NIGHT

Video Gaming Night

For Youth in Grades 9-12



St. Mark Lutheran Church

117 West Keller Street
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Saturday, November 21

4-8 p.m.

Bring a friend and a snack or drink to share

OPERATION WILDCAT (OW) NEEDS

Operation Wildcat is collecting basic household tools to help families in the Mechanicsburg School District.

Operation Wildcat receives quite a few requests for simple, everyday tools. If you have extras or are looking for a reason to clean out and scale down, they would love to put them to good use. OW volunteers will be assembling tool kits for the families.

A separate collection box is located at the back entrance of St. Mark.

We are currently looking for:

- **Small toolboxes**
- **Hammer**
- **Tape measure**
- **Screwdriver set**
- **Pliers**
- **Adjustable wrench**
- **Utility knife**
- **Level**
- **Allen wrenches**



https://www.operationwildcat.org/

OPERATION WILDCAT

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MEETING THE NEEDS OF ALL STUDENTS IN OUR DISTRICT

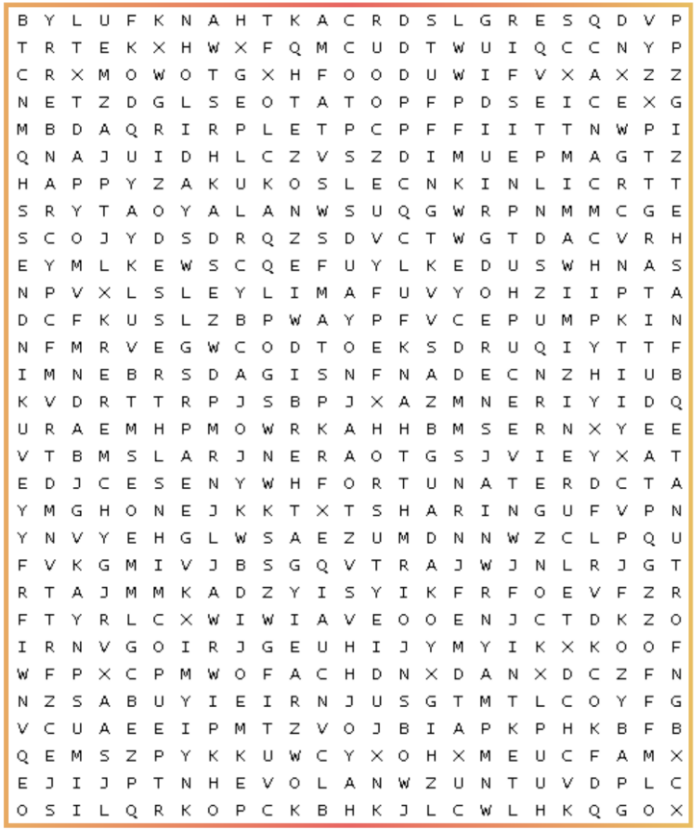
Thank you for helping the families in the Mechanicsburg Area School District.

Social Ministry Committee for Operation Wildcat

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

WORD SEARCH

- HAPPY
- THANKSGIVING
- HOLIDAY
- CELEBRATE
- FAMILY
- FRIENDS
- GATHER
- FEAST
- FOOD
- TURKEY
- STUFFING
- MASHED
- POTATOES
- GRAVY
- CRANBERRY
- SAUCE
- PUMPKIN
- PIE
- DESSERT
- APPLE
- PIE
- GRATEFUL
- THANKFUL
- BLESSED
- FORTUNATE
- LUCKY
- JOY
- HAPPINESS
- LOVE
- PEACE
- KINDNESS
- GENEROSITY
- SHARING
- GIVING
- GRATITUDE
- APPRECIATION
- THANKFUL
- BLESSED
- FORTUNATE
- LUCKY



POINSETTIAS FOR CHRISTMAS



If you would like to sponsor a poinsettia(s) to be placed in the chancel for Christmas or donate money to Mechanicsburg Area Meals on Wheels, please complete the form below. The cost of each poinsettia is **$13.00** for a red poinsettia in a 6" pot that will have at least four blooms. **The deadline for ordering is Sunday, December 6. Separate checks** should be made to St. Mark Lutheran Church and be sure to put **Altar Guild on the memo line**. Please place your check with your order in the offering plate.

PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX

☐ **POINSETTIA** ☐ **MEALS ON WHEELS**

☐ **In honor of** _____

☐ In **memory of** _____

☐ **To the Glory of God**

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Presented by _____

☐ **Deliver to Shut-in**

☐ **Will pick up after worship service on Christmas.**

_____**Total number of Poinsettias ordered**

Amount of Check _____
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IMPORTANT NOTICE
2027 OFFERING ENVELOPES

Your 2027 offering envelopes have arrived and will be distributed in December.

They have been renumbered.
Some of you will have new numbers!

PLEASE DO NOT USE THEM UNTIL JANUARY 2027!

SPONSOR A LUMINARY FOR CHRISTMAS EVE
DECEMBER 24, 2026



We are offering you the opportunity to sponsor a luminary for $5.00. Every dollar collected will be donated to Mechanicsburg Area Meals on Wheels.

We will place your name on the luminary bag(s) along with the information you provide below.

We will begin the lighting of the luminaries at 3:15 pm on Christmas Eve. You are welcome to join us and light the luminaries that you sponsor, or we will light them for you. Worship services will be held at 4:00 pm (special music starting at 3:45 pm) and 9:30 pm (special music starting at 9:00 pm).

PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOXES

Total number of luminaries sponsored _____

☐ **I will come and help light luminaries at 3:15 pm.**

☐ **In honor of _____**

☐ **In memory of _____**

☐ **To the Glory of God**

Sponsored by _____

Check amount _____

Please make checks payable to *St. Mark Lutheran Church* and note "*luminary sponsor*" on the memo line no later than December 6.