

## THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | NOVEMBER 17, 2024

**“WHAT HAPPENED TO THE BULLETIN?** Where’d the rest of it go? This is different!” Fear not: the editor is taking some PTO, plus it’s a slower news time, so it’s a minimal bulletin this week! Considerate it a welcome reprieve from all that bulletin you normally get (or absence can make the heart grow fonder)!

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO WORKED BEHIND THE SCENES** to make our record-setting Mercy Morning this past Saturday happen! (And God bless all who responded to the call!) If the trend for engagement continues, in a few Mercy Mornings the whole Archdiocese will be involved (*and then... the world!*)! If you have photos from the morning, send them to the editor at [webmaster@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:webmaster@onestrongfamily.org)

**EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES EXHIBITION COMING TO ST. MARK’S!** From Nov 19-27, the travelling Eucharistic Miracle exhibit based on the website created by Blessed Carlo Acutis will be on display at our parish! Come have your faith in the Real Presence affirmed and strengthened as we contemplate the many miraculous ways Our Lord has reminded His Church of the truth that we profess through the centuries and around the world. Exhibit will be located in the lower level of the school building, beginning in Carolyn Hall and running all the way down to the cafeteria. For group access, please contact [gbrennan@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:gbrennan@onestrongfamily.org)

**SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT OUR PRESCHOOL:** we’ve got one of the most accommodating programs around! Inquire with the director and know that your child is in a truly Catholic program! Also, staff is *still* needed for the preschool from 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM on Tuesdays and 10:00 - 2:00 PM on Thursdays!

**THE ANNUAL CCW CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE** approaches swiftly! Saturday, December 7 from 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM, and on Sunday, December 8 from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM! Donated Christmas tins can be dropped off in the Parish Center starting now. Deadline is Thursday, December 5. These tins are used to package the Christmas cookies on Friday, December 6. Donated Christmas cookies can be dropped off in the Carolyn Hall kitchen on Friday, December 6, from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM. If you can not make it by 10:00 AM, we will welcome cookies later, but please try to drop off by 1:00 PM. Sign up for volunteering at [stmark.xyz/boutique](http://stmark.xyz/boutique) and/or contact Carolyn Enestvedt ([carolyn.mt2237@gmail.com](mailto:carolyn.mt2237@gmail.com)) for questions/details/etc

### UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>TUE-WED</b> <b>19-27</b> <b>NOV</b>	<i>Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition   Various Times   School Lower Level</i> See details above! What a boon to the faith all these miracles are! Check them out with your family WHILE YOU CAN!
<b>SAT</b> <b>23</b> <b>NOV</b>	<i>WCI Community Gathering   8:45 - 10:45 AM   Carolyn Hall</i> Father David will be presenting this Saturday to couples attending ( <i>couples, attend!</i> )! Details abound in this bulletin or on the parish website or on the bulletin board! Spread the word, though, lest someone doesn’t see those! Community, prayer, potluck breakfast, and formation!
<b>SUN</b> <b>24</b> <b>NOV</b>	<i>Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe</i> <i>And he shall reign forever and ever!</i> Those attending Mass on Sunday, do not forget: there will be <i>ONE</i> combined Mass at 10:00 AM. (Conversely, there will <i>not</i> be a 9 AM or 11 AM Mass this Sunday!) Confessions will be offered between 8:30 - 9:30 AM! Following Mass there will, of course, be a Eucharistic Procession (and light reception in Carolyn Hall)!
<b>THU-FRI</b> <b>28-29</b> <b>NOV</b>	<i>Thanksgiving Break   Masses at 9:00 AM   Church; Parish Offices Closed</i> And to whom do we give thanks?! Why, the Lord, especially/primarily this day, so, if you’re in town, bring the family to Mass at 9:00 AM. But, sadly you can’t include a drop in to the parish center for your Thanksgiving/Black Friday festivities: that will be closed.

But wait, there’s more. Find the Parish calendar on our website: [onestrongfamily.org/events](http://onestrongfamily.org/events).



**CATHOLIC ADVANCE MEN'S RETREAT**, led by the priests of PES, Dec. 6 - 8, from 6 p.m. Friday-3 p.m. Sunday at Dunrovin Retreat Center. Cost: \$250-\$300 (depending on number of attendees) Questions? Email [mensretreats@thecatholicadvance.org](mailto:mensretreats@thecatholicadvance.org) Financial assistance may be available; inquire within the registration form!

Don't know what the Catholic Advance is? Doesn't matter, man of God: you should still come!

St. Mark's  
Advent Giving Tree

Bless a family in need this Christmas!
Located in the Church Vestibule.

Select an ornament with a gift idea  
Buy the gift, wrap it and return it with the ornament attached to Santa's Gift Box by December 17  
Santa's Elves will deliver it before Christmas!  
For Questions contact Abby Ortega 605-661-1924

**WCI COMMUNITY GATHERING**

Join us for a morning of breakfast, prayer, fellowship, and discussion on marriage and family life according to Saint John Paul II's Rule for married couples.

**Saturday, November 23rd**  
8am: Mass at St. Mark's

8:45-10:45 Potluck brunch, talk, discussion, and prayer in Carolyn Hall

**We are a family of families; all stages of life are welcome:**

- Single
  - Dating
  - Engaged
  - Married
- Children of all ages are welcome! We provide childcare during the talk and discussion.



*Vatican International Exhibition*  
**EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD**  
*Jesus is truly present in the Holy Eucharist!*



- 126 photographic historically documented Eucharistic miracles from various countries since the Last Supper
- Visible proof of Jesus' presence in the Eucharist
- All faiths welcome
- Free admission

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Scan the QR code to let us know you will be joining us!

## MASS AND PRAYER INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions for week of NOVEMBER 17, 2024

### 7 AM

M: ---  
T: + Holy Souls in Purgatory  
W: + Thomas Clyde  
Tr: Mike & Pat Cummings  
F: Christe Carmen Martino  
S\*: + Jake Navin (8 AM); + Lois Thomas (5:00 PM)

### 10 AM

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+ Lyman Moore  
David & Sandra Sonnen  
+ [Mr.] Etienne Borer  
Isaac Sherf

## BECOME CATHOLIC

Are you interested in learning more about becoming Catholic? Or do you know someone who is? Our Christian Initiation Ministry provides an introduction to Catholic faith and life for adults who are not baptized, baptized in another faith, or Catholics seeking to receive Eucharist or Confirmation. To find out more, contact [rcia@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:rcia@onestrongfamily.org). Or sign up at [stmark.xyz/cim](http://stmark.xyz/cim)

## FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

FORMED has been back for awhile! Note we may eventually get around to cleaning up the back end, so if your old credentials don't get you in, it's "not you, it's us." To access content, visit [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) and click "Sign up as a parishioner" and find St. Mark's via our zip code: 55104

## WE ALSO USE EMAIL

THE BULLETIN IS ONE OF THE MAINSTAYS for Catholic parish communications, but, alas, it's still a limited medium! As such, we also have a weekly newsletter, which, in addition to helping remind you of goings-on, also features vanguard news from the parish, or items not featured in the bulletin! Subscribe to it!



## ST. MARK'S PRESCHOOL

ST. MARK'S PRESCHOOL offers full-day and half-day programs, up to five days a week. Enrollment for the current and upcoming school year is open now! Visit the preschool website, [onestrongfamily.org/preschool](http://onestrongfamily.org/preschool), or contact Addie Smith, our Preschool Director at:

[preschool@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:preschool@onestrongfamily.org)

## ADORATION



We are blessed to have Eucharistic Adoration available at our parish. However, help is needed to maintain it. Please prayerfully consider signing up for a weekly holy hour. We have a number of openings plus there are many hours that could use a prayer partner (currently only one Adorer committed.)

Create an account at [stmark.weadorehim.com](http://stmark.weadorehim.com) or Email [adoration@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:adoration@onestrongfamily.org)



## DONATE TO ST. MARK'S

Thank you for your generosity! To donate, visit [onestrongfamily.org/give-help](http://onestrongfamily.org/give-help). For questions, contact [parishcenter@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:parishcenter@onestrongfamily.org)



## The Church of St. Mark

Our mission is to live and share Christ's call to holiness.  
Learn more: [onestrongfamily.org/mission](http://onestrongfamily.org/mission)

Know someone in need of prayers? Email your request to [prayers@onestrongfamily.org](mailto:prayers@onestrongfamily.org) and we'll be sure to pray for you!

## STAFF

### Clergy:

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### Parish Staff:

Randy Lehnen..... Parish Business Manager  
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Br. Evan Steeves.....Ignite Youth Ministry  
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& Ignite Youth Ministry  
Larry Leif.....Head of Maintenance  
Patricia Hartshorn..... Volunteer Liturgy Coordinator  
Kristen Grant.....Director of Discipleship  
Kathrine Handford.....Director of Music and Organist  
Audrey Koval.....Pastoral Associate  
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### Parish Contact

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### Summer Parish Center Hours

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

**Parish Trustees:** Kip Chaffee, Andrew Nowak

**Parish Pastoral Council:** Michael Duchesne, Chair

**Parish Finance Committee:** John Wehrly, Chair

**Saint Mark's Catholic Preschool**

Addie Smith, Director

651-644-5030

preschool@onestrongfamily.org

## CELEBRATIONS

### Mass:

Saturday Evening Mass: 5 PM  
Sunday Mass: 9 AM and 11 AM

### Daily Mass:

Monday-Friday: 10 AM  
Tuesday-Friday: 7 AM  
Saturday: 8 AM

### Confession:

Tuesday-Friday 9:30 AM; Saturday: 3:30-4:30 PM;  
Sunday: 8:30-9 AM, 10:30-11 AM

**Rosary:** The Rosary is prayed after all daily Masses.

## SACRAMENTS

Detailed information about Sacraments and Sacramental preparation can be found at [onestrongfamily.org/sacraments](http://onestrongfamily.org/sacraments) or by contacting the Parish Center.

**BAPTISMS** are celebrated on Saturdays between 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (exceptions for holidays or major parish events). You must register for Baptism at least one month before your desired date. If this is your first child being baptized in the Catholic Church a Baptism preparation class is needed at least two months before the Baptism takes place.

**SACRAMENTAL MARRIAGE** preparation must begin at least six months prior to your wedding date. Weddings are most often celebrated on Saturdays at 2 PM.

**IF YOU KNOW OF A CATHOLIC WHO IS HOMEBOUND** and would like to receive weekly Communion or have their confession heard, please contact the Parish Center to learn more about our Homebound Ministry.

**RECEIVING THE EUCHARIST:** All are welcome to join us in worship at the Church of Saint Mark. Nevertheless, because the Holy Eucharist is the real Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, the reception of Holy Communion is reserved to those Catholics who are in full moral and doctrinal communion with the Catholic Church, are not conscious of any grave unconfessed sin, and who have kept the Eucharistic fast of one hour.

## PRO ECCLESIA SANCTA



The Church of Saint Mark is served by the priests, brothers, and sisters of Pro Ecclesia Sancta, which is an institute of consecrated life founded in Lima, Peru in 1992, whose members dedicate themselves to living and promoting the universal call to holiness in the Church. Their motto is *ad maximam trinitatis gloriam*. Everything “for the greatest glory of the Holy Trinity.”

## CONNECT



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