



SILENT PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN

*"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"*

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WE CELEBRATE THROUGH GOD'S WORD

\*SCRIPTURE LESSONS Jeremiah 18:1-11

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Luke 14:25-33

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L: This is the Word of the Lord

**P: *Thanks be to God!***

SERMON

Pastor Ken

**"Use Your Head As Well As Your Heart"**

WE GO FORTH TO CELEBRATE

\*HYMN

*"Take Time to Be Holy"*

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\*PASTORAL BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

\*EXTENDING THE HAND OF FELLOWSHIP

*Please greet your neighbors in surrounding pews.*

## PRAYER PAGE

### Pray for our Congregation:

Carol Blum	Jim Macatee	Lisa & Roger Taylor
Kim Clemons	Janet MacIntyre	Glenn Thomas
Laura Cook	Norrine Monteleone	Marian Turkington
Carla Hasenritter	Richard Rex	
Shirley Jones	Hazel Slater	

### Pray for Continuing Concerns:

Eva Magiso Marjorie Wroblewski

### Pray for Concerns Beyond our Congregation:

Kevin Babcock (*Pastor of Swarthmore UMC*)  
Carol Braswell (*Friend of June Evans*)  
Jim Brett (*Former member of St. Mark's*)  
Maureen Chambers (*Friend of the Guilfoil Family*)  
Doris Clemons (*Mother of Kim Clemons & Former Member*)  
Ann & Collin Connor (*Friends of Jim & Carol Macatee*)  
Shannon Fisher (*Friend of Sharon & Paul Molino*)  
Dorothy Gerbron (*Mother of Judy McConaghy*)  
Anthony Gigliotti (*Friend of June Evans*)  
Janet Gross (*Former member of St. Mark's*)  
Avery Harling (*Baby daughter of friend of Rosemary Mitchell*)  
Daniel Jackson (*Brother of Debra Tisserand*)  
Marietta Kavanagh (*Friend of June Evans*)  
Karen Kelly (*Aunt of John Kelly*)  
Maureen Krepol (*Friend of Sarah Kirk*)  
Ruth MacKay (*Sister of Carol Blum*)  
Shea MacMullen (*Granddaughter of Alice Marti*)  
Phoenix McFetridge (*Daughter of John McFetridge*)  
Janet Moore (*Pastor of Marple Christian Church*)  
Robert Schroedel (*Son of Corinne Schroedel*)  
Mike Scott (*Friend of Sharon & Paul Molino*)  
Bunny Terragrosa (*Friend of June Evans*)

Anne Quinn (*Friend of June Evans*)  
Bob Quinn (*Friend of June Evans*)  
Ellen Wilcox (*Sister of Carla Hasenritter*)

### **ALTAR FLOWERS**

Are presented to the **Glory of God** and given **In Honor of our children of St. Mark's** by Ruth Kolva and Caitlin McCaskey.

### **PERSON TO BE REMEMBERED WITH CARDS:**

**Dorothy Southrey**, 13 Ann Road, Broomall, PA 19008-1302.

PLEASE send a card or write a note and pray for Dot. State that you are from St. Mark's.

### **SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEER MINISTERS**

LAY ASSISTANT: Diane Mankin  
USHERS: Joyce McKenna and Kevin Gelzhiser  
COUNTERS: Lisa & Tom Linahan, Dan Nesbitt

### **ATTENTION: PARENTS & CAREGIVERS**

As a family-friendly church, St. Mark's provides the following: a changing table and chair in the women's restroom on the Sanctuary level; Sunday morning Child Care for toddlers to age 4; Junior Church for school-aged children September through mid-May.

**Check out the Children's Activity Cart at the rear of the sanctuary.**

### **ST. MARK'S STAFF**

MINISTERS.....All Members of St. Mark's  
BISHOP, EPC-UMC.....Rev. Peggy Johnson  
DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT.... Rev. Dawn Taylor-Storm  
SENIOR PASTOR.....Rev. Kenneth Gelzhiser  
DEACON..... Rev. Ula Christopher  
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC.....Mr. Brendan Kirchner  
SECRETARY..... Mrs. Elizabeth Cimbala  
CHILD CARE WORKER.....Ms. Caitlin McCaskey  
CERTIFIED LAY MINISTER.....Maria Kollar

### **REMEMBERING OUR ST. MARK'S FAMILY IN PRAYER**

Please keep the following members and families of St. Mark's in your personal prayers during the coming week:

Tom & Beverly DeFulvio  
Vince & Kathy DelVacchio & Family  
Vince & Kathie DelVacchio  
Gail Dohrn  
June Ellis  
Frank Escurra

**KEEP THE CHURCH INFORMED, PLEASE:** If there are any illnesses or emergencies within the church family or need in the community, please call the church office at 610-356-1199. The church office is open **10:30 AM through 2:00 PM, Monday through Thursday and Friday, 10:30 AM through 1:00 PM.** In addition, messages may be left on voice mail at any time.

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK 9/8/19 – 9/15/19**

Today	10:00 AM	Worship Service – Child Care
	11:00 AM	Choir Rehearsal – B-3
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Mon	7:00 PM	Trustees – B-2
	7:30 PM	Barbershoppers - Rigby
Tue	9 -11 AM	St. Mark's Food Bank – Food Center
	6:00 PM	Cub Scout Recruitment - Rigby
	6:30 PM	The Best Is Yet to Come – B-6
	7:30 PM	Boy Scout Roundtable – B-2
Wed	10:00 AM	Women's Breakfast – Joe's Pizza
	7:30 PM	Bagpipe Rehearsal - Rigby
Thur	11:00 AM	UMW Circle – B-2
	7:00 PM	Cub Scout Executive Committee – B-2
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts - Rigby
Fri	10:00 AM	“Seekers” - Panera's, Lawrence Park
	6:30 PM	Senior Girl Scouts – B-5
	7:00 PM	Cub Scout Pack Meeting - Rigby
Sun	10:00 AM	Worship Service – Child Care
	11:00 AM	Choir Rehearsal – B-3

**NEXT SUNDAY: 9/15/19 - FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST**

SCRIPTURES: Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28 & Luke 15:1-10  
 SERMON: “Declining Faith”

**ST. MARK'S 70<sup>TH</sup> CELEBRATION**

St. Mark's will be celebrating its 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a luncheon at Lamb Tavern on **Sunday, September 29 at 12 noon.** If you would like to attend, please see the enclosed reservation sheet. Your reservation with check must be **returned to the church office by Tuesday, September 24.** (Please note the new deadline.)

## MARPLE TOWNSHIP HERO SCHOLARSHIP

### FUND ANNUAL FLEA MARKET

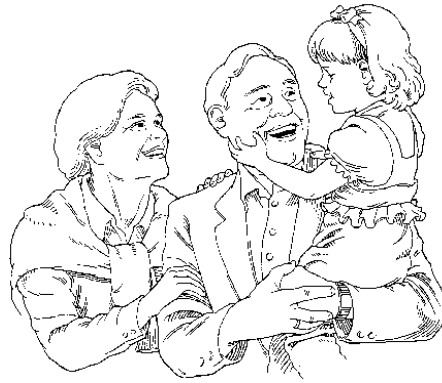
The Marple Township Hero Scholarship Fund is hosting its 45<sup>th</sup> **Annual Flea Market** Sunday, **September 15** at the **Delaware County Community College**, RT 252 and Media Line Road, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Spaces are available at \$40 in advance and \$50 on the day of the event. Rain date is Sunday, September 22. For more information, call 484-427-8151 or 484-427-8163.

*All proceeds benefit the families of emergency personnel  
killed or permanently injured in the line of duty.*



### STATISTICAL UPDATES

Needed each week:	\$ 3,206
Offering Received 9/1:	\$ 1,756
Attendance 9/1:	45



## ***Grandparents***

**When God created grandparents,  
the world was truly blessed  
with all the special joys  
that make a family happiest.**

**For grandparents know how to do the  
little things that warm our heart . . .  
They touch our lives with love and care  
right from the very start . . .**

**They show that they believe in us  
and all we're dreaming of . . .  
When God created grandparents,  
he blessed our lives with love.**