

# Friday News Flash – July 12, 2024



Please join us for coffee hour following Sunday's service!

## Upcoming Services:

- Sat., July 20** - 10:00 am - Cheryl Finley's Celebration of Life, at St. Mark's.  
Officiant, Pastor Mike Case - Interment at Lakeview Cemetery, Quincy, MI
- Sun., July 21** - 10:00 am - Lay-led service  
11:30 am - Vestry meets in the Library
- Sun., July 28** - 10:00 am - Holy Eucharist, with Fr. Nixon McMillan presiding  
Celebration in honor of Di Pridgeon's retirement  
after 50 years as Organist/Choir Director/Music Director !  
Light luncheon and Fun following the service.



Be sure to be present Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>  
to thank Di for her faithful service to St. Mark's!

**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

Abigail Hicks	7/26
Jenna Krajny	7/27
Diane Pridgeon	7/27
Rhonda Scheidler	7/28
Jacob Osborne	7/29



Last Tuesday evening perennial flowers were planted in the ambulatory area of the church, and in the flowers boxes on the northwest corner of the building. **A BIG THANK YOU** to Val Albright, Jessica Wright and their families, along with several volunteers from St. Mark's who assisted in the planting. The flowers were donated by Michigan State University, and are valued over \$1000. Jessica was the catalyst who made this gift possible.



We will be hosting a compassion and informational training on the topic of substance use disorder. This will be presented in conjunction with Cope Network and will take place here, at St. Mark's on August 5th from 5:30-7:30pm. We request that people RSVP to [tommishousererecovery@gmail.com](mailto:tommishousererecovery@gmail.com). There will be zoom details arranged. Light appetizers and refreshments will be provided. Please consider attending this valuable and informative training!

FORWARD DAY by DAY daily devotion books for August - October now available. They are on the Welcome table.



We appreciate all our friends who so generously supply our House needs. We are happy to pick up donations. Just contact us via our Tommy's House Facebook, emailing tommyshouserecovery@gmail.com or calling 734-262-1149.

Thank You!

- Bata Bus tickets\*IMMEDIATE NEED\*
- Laundry detergent \*IMMEDIATE NEED\*
- Paper Plates
- Dish sponges
- Bleach
- Gift cards for socks and underwear
- Swiffer wet pads
- Plastic Wrap
- Aluminum Foil
- Wash cloths
- Forever Stamps
- Quart Freezer Bags
- Air Freshener Spray
- Dryer Sheets
- Murphys Oil
- 2-ply toilet paper \*IMMEDIATE NEED\*

<b>SCHEDULE</b>	<b>July 20</b>	<b>July 21</b>	<b>July 28</b>
<b>Celebrant/Officiant</b>	<b>Pastor Mike Case</b> Cheryl Finley Svc	<b>Lay-led</b>	<b>Nixon McMillan</b>
<b>Lector 1/Psalm</b>	<b>Don Hetrick</b>	<b>Deb</b>	<b>Robin</b>
<b>Lector 2/POP</b>	<b>Barb</b>	<b>Wade</b>	<b>Steve</b>
<b>EM -- Crucifer</b>	<b>Don Hetrick</b>	<b>Barak</b>	<b>Don Hicks</b>
<b>EM – Gospel Bk</b>	--	--	<b>Mike</b>
<b>Camera</b>	--	<b>Chris</b>	<b>Tammie</b>
<b>Usher</b>	<b>Paul</b>	<b>Tyler</b>	<b>Paul</b>
<b>Usher</b>	<b>Kathy</b>	<b>Tammie</b>	<b>Kathy</b>
<b>Altar Guild</b>	--	<b>Pam</b>	<b>Joanne</b>
<b>Lion's Roar</b>			--
<b>Lockup</b>	<b>Paul</b>	<b>Paul</b>	<b>Valerie</b>
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	--	<b>Kristin/Nancy</b>	<b>Sawdeys</b>



For those interested in using Givelify for your monthly pledge, this link will take you directly to St. Mark's Givelify giving page. <https://giv.li/9eg1wm>

Our St. Mark's Facebook video times: The Sunday Service - 10:00 a.m. via St. Mark's Public page (not the Forum) <https://www.facebook.com/StMarksColdwater>

The church office will only be open from 9AM until 12PM every Thursday. If you need help or have questions please send routine items through St Mark's email [saintmarkschurch@gmail.com](mailto:saintmarkschurch@gmail.com). For any other requests or urgent issues please contact Anne by Email: [outwardsigns@gmail.com](mailto:outwardsigns@gmail.com) or by Cell phone: 269-589-5953

**~The Search Committee ~**

Paul Bair, Anne Davidson (chair), Debra Dally, Helen Guisinger,  
Diane Harmon, Laura Monroe, Molly VanStone

**~The Profile Committee ~**

Valerie Albright, Steve Ellis, Robin Ellis, Helen Guisinger

**St. Mark's 2024 Vestry**

**Sr. Warden** Anne Davidson (2024) **Jr. Warden** Mike Pridgeon (2025)  
Valerie Albright (2026) Barbara Hantz (2026) Tyler Dally (2026)  
Kristin Marteen (2025) Paul Bair (2025) Debra Dally (2024)  
Duane Sawdey (2024) Treasurer: Les VanStone Clerk: Audrey Croal

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**St. Mark's Facebook pages:** St. Mark's Church Forum (member page);

St. Mark's Episcopal Church (public page for livestream)

**Diocesan Website:** [www.edwm.org](http://www.edwm.org)