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Today, June 17th: The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am: Holy Eucharist

11:15 am: Coffee Hour

This week: (June 18th-21st, 8-noon, Branch United Youth Chorus camp in 'The Gathering Place'.)

Mon., June 18th Rector's Day Off

Tues., June 19th Rector's Day Off

Wed., June 20th 10- 11:30 am MSU Nutrition Education (kitchen & parish hall)

10:30 - noon Round Table Discussion

2-4 pm Knit/Craft/Crochet group meets in Library

6:30-8 pm Vestry meeting

6-7 pm Branch United Youth Chorus Concert at St. Mark's

Sat., June 23rd 10 am-10 pm Relay for Life at Branch County Fair Grounds

9 am Men's group meets for coffee

Next Sunday, June 24th: The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am: Holy Eucharist w/ blessing of prayer shawls;
optional healing service

11:15 am: Coffee Hour

~Announcements~

We thank Liz Mowan for taking over music duties as Diane enjoys vacation time for a couple of weeks.

Our Children's Church, "Lion's Roar", welcomes all kids to join them, following the Collect of the Day, going to their classroom with teachers, returning to join the congregation at communion.

Altar flowers today are in celebration of Bill & Jeanie Milnes 59th anniversary!

Happy Birthday wishes this week go to Valerie Mitchell, June 20th.

Happy Anniversary wishes this week go to Matthew & Elizabeth Brockington and Bill & Jeannie Milnes.

In celebration of Father's Day today, the women of St. Mark's will be furnishing pies for coffee hour today. Thank you to all of our great bakers that furnished pies today!

A big 'Thank You' to all who helped with the landscaping at the front of the church last Friday.

The Relay for Life is coming up on Saturday June 23rd. St. Mark's will be in the same campsite at the 4-H Fairgrounds. We are planning to have a potluck in the campsite after the survivor ceremony and lap. This will probably be around 6:30 pm. Bill Milnes (the younger) is going to be the featured speaker at the survivor ceremony. Let's show up and give him support and recognition. The event runs from 10 am - 10 pm on June 23rd. There will be a walking sign-up sheet in the parish hall at coffee hour, see Paul or Kathy. We also have cards to purchase luminaries (\$10 each) to recognize those that have been affected by cancer. There will be an auction again at 2pm, if you have any items that you would like to have auctioned, please talk to Paul or Kathy. As always, thank you for your support.

Interested in confirmation classes this Summer? These classes will be offered for ages 12 and up. See Fr. Rick if you are interested or for more information.

Are you interested in going to Tibbits Summer Theatre to see 'Jesus Christ, Superstar'? Join the group that has signed up for Sunday, July 1st, for the 2 pm matinee (a group of 10 or more receives a discount). Be sure to sign the sign-up sheet that is on the board in the Parish Hall if you are interested in going.

There are several weeks available to sign-up for Sunday altar flowers. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board, on the east wall in the Parish Hall by the kitchen. Cost is \$15.00, payable in advance. Please be sure to specify "flowers" on your check or envelope when paying for them.

Please contact the office if you have: a new address, new email address, new phone or cell phone number, or would like to receive announcements from the church, or have other information of importance for St. Mark's.