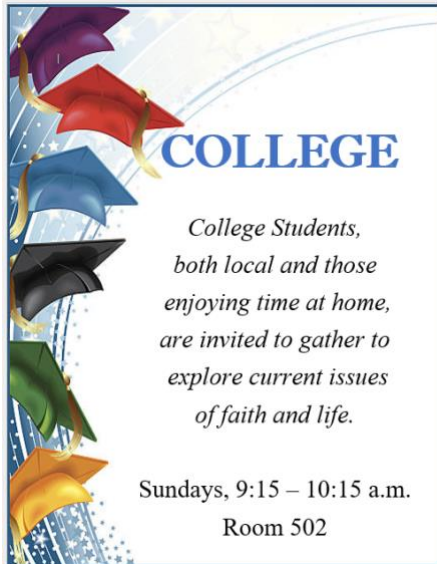


Adult Ministries are Heart-Warming this Winter!

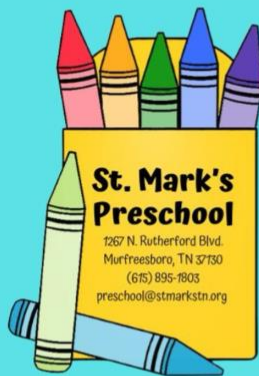
- **New Young Singles Ministry, FLYING SOLO**, at Main Event
- **Wednesday Night Together** features Ash Wednesday Worship
- **Two Lenten Experiences Available**
- **We are Fed to Feed Others** Food Bank Offering March 1st
- Students invited to join the **College Ministry**
- **St. Mark's Preschool** 2026-2027 Registration Open with Extended Hours



COLLEGE MINISTRY

Sunday Mornings: All college students and friends are invited to be part of the College group, meeting Sundays, 9:15 – 10:15 a.m. in Room 502 across from the church office. A light breakfast is served, everyone is welcome, bring a friend!

ST. MARK'S PRESCHOOL & CHILDCARE 2026 - 2027 Registration Now Open!



Fully Licensed Options:

Core Day (8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.),
Core Plus (7:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.), or
Full Day (7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.)



For enrollment information,
Visit **www.stmarkstn.org/preschool-enrollment**
or call **Director Lani Chamberlain @ 615-895-1803**

St. Mark's Preschool is a faith-based ministry of St. Mark's UMC, offering two-, three-, and five-day fully licensed classes for children ages one to five years old, with lower teacher/student ratios, highly qualified teachers, and a family-centered community. We are excited to be expanding our care options to 5:00 p.m. beginning in the Fall of 2026, with limited spots available.

For an informative brochure about St. Mark's Preschool's curriculum and extended care options, ***click here.*** For information about tuition and fees, ***click here.***



Food, Fellowship, Faith, and Fun for All Ages!

Featuring food preparation and service by
THE SWEET ADDICTION catering and
St. Mark's United Methodist Men.

WNT Menu, 2/18:

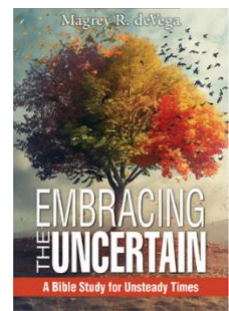
*Ham & Swiss or Pimento Cheese Sliders
Potato Soup, Salad Bar, and Peach Cobbler*

Adult Lenten Options, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m., February 25 – March 25

Embracing the Uncertain:

A Bible Study for Unsteady Times Led by Rev. Tommy Ward

Just turning on the news lets us know we are living in uncertain times. In *Embracing the Uncertain*, Magrey deVega invites readers to engage and wrestle with life's uncertainties, not ignore them. Each lesson will consider a story of Jesus' life and ministry that points us forward to the cross and shows us how to follow Jesus with courage, hope, and obedience.



February 25: The Uncertainty of Faith (Mark 9:14-29)

March 4: The Uncertainty of Forgiveness (Matthew 18:21-22)

March 11: The Uncertainty of Worry (Luke 12:1-34)

March 18: The Uncertainty of Mortality (John 11:1-44)

March 25: Class Choice: The Uncertainty of Surrender (Luke 19:1-10) or Obedience (Matthew 26:36-46)

Building Holy Habits into a Rule of Life

Led by Rev. Martha Touchton and Friends



We are the product of our habits! Spiritual habits enable us to walk closer God and lead us to grow deeper in our relationship with God and others. Holy Habits help us orient our lives toward being disciples of Jesus Christ every day. We'll consider how we can expand and enhance these habits as adults and help them be built into the lives of our youth, children, and families.

Feb 25: John Wesley's Three Simple Rules/Fasting – Rev. Martha Touchton

March 4: A Life Grounded in Scripture – Rev. Mike Waldrop

March 11: A Life Fed by Worship and Gratitude – Becky Waldrop

March 18: A Life Connected to God thru Prayer – Rev. Dr. Jim Clardy and Josh Brown

March 25: A Life of Faith in Action – Rev. Martha Touchton

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE FUN AS WE CREATE
A NEW SPACE FOR COMMUNITY AT ST. MARK'S UMC



DINNER AND GAMES AT
MAIN EVENT on Greshampark Dr.
6:00 p.m. Friday, February 27th
To RSVP or be Added to the GROUPME,
text Mark at (615) 691-1760



WE ARE **FED** that we might **FEED OTHERS**



As part of our mutual preparation for
the sacrament of Holy Communion,
you are invited to donate canned and
dry foods to St. Mark's Food Bank
every 1st Sunday.

Sunday, March 1, 2026 is Communion Sunday!
Please bring pop-top cans of soup and/or fruit!
Collection tubs located just outside the Sanctuary.
"For I was hungry, and you gave me food..." Matthew 25:35



New to St. Mark's?

*Coffee
with the
Clergy*

Sunday, March 1, 9:15-10:00 a.m. in the Banquet Hall