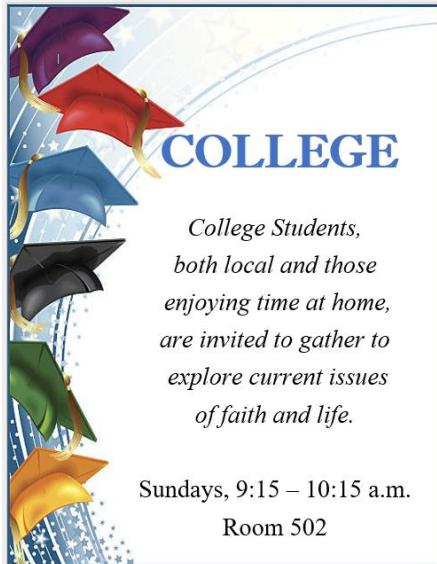


Adult Ministries are Springing up All Over!

- **Wednesday Night Together** welcome Greg Denton, Family Feud
- **Youth/Adult Mission Planned** to Henderson Settlement, Kentucky
- **Red Bird Mission Cardinal Singers** in Concert at St. Mark's UMC
- **Psalm 23: The Shepherd with Me** New Thursday Study for Women
- **Parkinson's Support Group** meets April 22nd
- **Spring Bake-Off** held by **The Sweet Addiction**, St. Mark's WNT Caterer
- Students invited to join the **College Ministry**



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.



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.

This Week's Menu, Wednesday, 4/15:
*Baked Chicken, Wild Rice, Sauteed Green
Beans, Salad Bar, Strawberry Shortcake*

Adult Options in April:

JOSEPH: A BIBLE STUDY ON FORGIVENESS, MERCY, AND GRACE

led by Dr. Louis Toedt, April 8, 15, & 22, in Room 403

April 8: *Genesis 40-41, Sharing Our Spiritual Gifts*

April 15: *Genesis 45, Forgiving Those who Harm Us*

April 22: *Genesis 50, Responding to Adversity*

AN EXPERIENCE IN POETRY

April is National Poetry Month! Share in writing, reading, and listening to poetry with poets Rev. Barry Culbertson, Kory Wells, and others. BYO pencil and note pad! April 8, 15, & 22, Room 405

PLASTICS: EXPLORING THE PROMISE AND PERIL

A Discussion with retired TDEC Scientist Greg Denton

Wednesday, April 15th, Room 402

ST. MARK'S CHURCH FAMILY FEUD - April 29th

St. Mark's UMC Clergy/Staff vs. MTSU Wesley Leadership
Playing For \$1000 Prize! *Please take survey here*





A new support group for persons dealing with Parkinson's Disease, including persons suffering the effects of Parkinson's as well as spouses, family members, and caregivers, is forming at St. Mark's UMC. This group will provide emotional and spiritual encouragement, share helpful resources, and celebrate victories together.

The next gathering will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 22nd, in Room 503/505, with lunch following at a local restaurant. Guests are always welcome! For more information, contact Rev. Jim Clardy or Rev. Martha Touchton at (615) 893-3455.

PLASTICS:

Exploring the Promise & Peril

A discussion with
Retired TDEC Environmentalist
GREG DENTON

6 - 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 15th
in Room 407/409



ST. MARK'S YOUTH & ADULT MISSION TRIP **Henderson Settlement, Frakes, KY** **July 5 – 10, 2026**



OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY IN THESE AREAS:

Thrift Store, Greenhouse, Infant Supply House,
Food Pantry, Home Repair, and Quilting Class

**For more info, see David Cowan
or Rev. Martha Touchton**

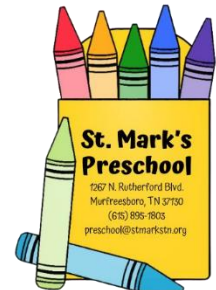
\$400/Person, \$50 Deposit Due May 1st



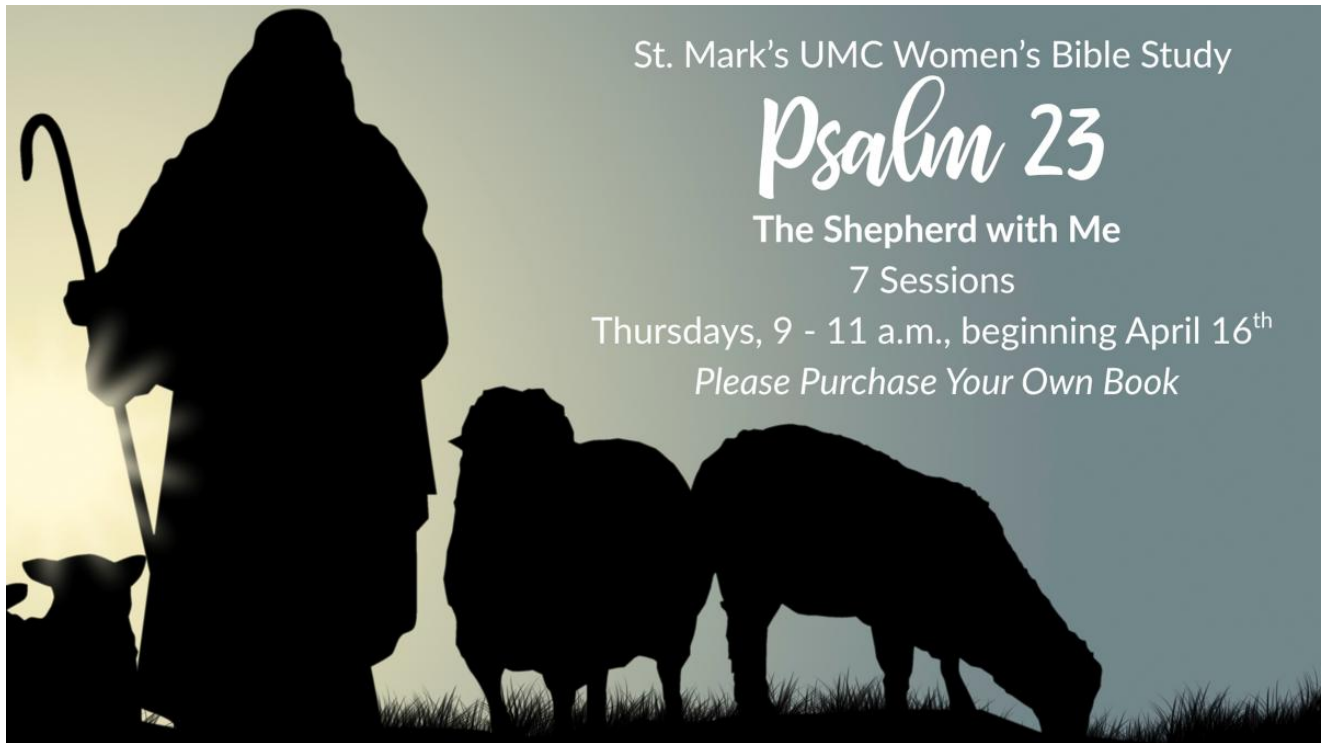
St. Mark's Preschool

Summer Fun Enrollment Open

St. Mark's Preschool is taking registrations for its Summer Fun program; preschool children ages 2 – 5 may attend, and they do not have to be currently enrolled in St. Mark's Preschool.



The program will include 6 Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 2 – 18. We have a lot of fun things planned, we would love to have your child be a part of this special summer experience! Please call to Lani either by phone, (615) 895-1803 for more information, stop by to pick up a registration form, or email perschool@stmarkstn.org.



St. Mark's UMC Women's Bible Study

Psalm 23

The Shepherd with Me

7 Sessions

Thursdays, 9 - 11 a.m., beginning April 16th

Please Purchase Your Own Book



St. Mark's UMC Welcomes

Cardinal Singers

1:00 p.m. Sunday, April 26th,

At the Church Family Picnic.

*Red Bird students in Grades 7-12
will share their songs, dulcimer music,
testimonies, and drama.*

*Jesus is at work in the lives of these
young people and they are eager
to share what He has done for them!*

An exit offering will be received.



Boro Baking Bash

The Sweet Addiction Bake Off Battle

With Special Celebrity Entertainment by



Linda Davis and the Scott Family

All in support of women survivors.



Join us for a delicious showdown that celebrates creativity and community and supports the incredible mission of The Sweet Addiction.

This inspiring evening will be filled with delicious food, a friendly bakeoff competition, and uplifting entertainment as we raise vital funds to open doors for women survivors and support their success personally, professionally, and within their communities.

Special entertainment will be provided by Linda Davis, Lang Scott, and Rylee Jean Scott, a musical family rooted in faith with decades of experience on some of country music's most iconic stages.

100% of your tickets price goes directly to support the mission of The Sweet Addiction. For more information or to purchase tickets, click [here](#)!