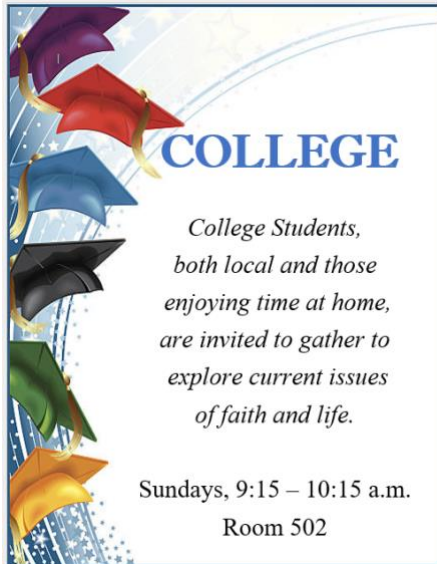


Adult Ministries are Falling into Place!

- College Students invited to join the **College Ministry**
- Pick up your **St. Mark's Polo Shirt** this Sunday, October 12th
- Wednesday Night Together offers **Knitting 101** and **Letting Go of Treasures**
- **Lani Chamberlain** named **Interim Director** of St. Mark's Preschool
- **The Sweatpants Project** Donate child-sized sweatpants to **Reeves Rogers**
- Register for MTSU Wesley's **Pickleball Tournament**



COLLEGE MINISTRY

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!

Pick up your new St. Mark's Polo Shirt

This Sunday, October 12th!

All who ordered St. Mark's polo shirts are invited to pick them up this Sunday before and after worship in the Narthex!





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.

Next Week's Menu, 10/15:

*Pot Roast with Carrots, Mashed Potatoes, Corn
Bread, Salad Bar, and Chess Bars*

Reservations Due on Monday Prior!

October 15 Adult Classes and Groups, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

BOOKS OF FAITH: The Gospel of John focusing on the theological discourses, prayers, and conversations of Jesus, God's eternal Word made flesh. Study books, \$10 each. This week's discussion of Lesson #3 will be led by Rev. LeNoir Culbertson in the Banquet Hall.

KNITTING 101 St. Mark's Knitters make hats, scarves, prayers shawls, baby blankets, and other items that are shared with our church family and neighbors in need. Join us for a hands-on introduction with Claudia Hunter in Room 405.



LET IT GO! Many of us are past the stage of life where we are purchasing new items for our homes or adding to our collections and beginning the stage where we need to think about letting go of our belongings and "right-sizing" for a smaller home. But how do we let go of those treasures we love? Join aging expert Becci Bookner, author of Gifts from Grace, as she helps us consider that less is more as we begin the process of letting go. Room 402/404.



SAVING GRACE: A GUIDE TO FINANCIAL WELL-BEING helps people of faith create healthy relationships with money and bring their financial lives in line with their faith values. Six Sessions, October 1 – November 12. Led by Rev. Mike Waldrop in Room 503/505. ***Note: This Class is Full!***

COLLEGE STUDY SESH: Enjoy a little peace and quiet among friends every Wednesday, Room 502.

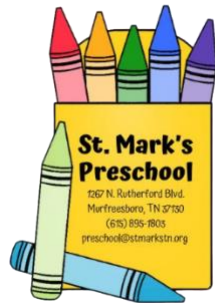
Coming Up at WNT on October 22nd!

CRUISE CONNOISSEURS Whether you love to cruise or are just curious about cruising, come share your experiences and learn about the best options for your next cruise! Led by Kelly Wiley, Owner/Agent of Castle and Crown Travel Boutique.



ST. MARK'S PRESCHOOL WELCOMES NEW INTERIM DIRECTOR

Lani Chamberlain, who has served as Assistant Director for the past year, has been hired as the Interim Director of St. Mark's Preschool. In addition to being highly qualified with a bachelor's degree in child development and family relations and a master's degree in Elementary Education, Lani brings her many years as a preschool teacher to this position, as well as her experience as a licensing counselor and Early Childhood Quality coach with Child Care Resource and Referral. Lani has grown to love St. Mark's Preschool and has a creative vision for its future. We look forward to her capable and creative leadership.



Behind the scenes, St. Mark's Preschool Ministry Board, which includes representatives of our Staff/Parish Relations, Finance, and Trustees teams as well as preschool parents, laity, and church staff, is joining in the development of that vision, exploring how we can better serve our neighbors with the highest quality play-based childcare. Once a new structure is fully outlined, we will begin the process of hiring a permanent director to implement this plan.



PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT



Two Divisions:
"Just for the Fun of it"
"We're a little more
competitive"

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH
\$50 PER TEAM



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1267 North Rutherford Blvd

go to
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for more details and to register

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Little kids have accidents and need a quick change of clothing.

THE SWEATPANTS PROJECT

For Reeves Rogers Elementary
Please Donate New Sweatpants
with Elastic Waistbands
for Boys and Girls

Children Sizes XS, S, M, L & XL
Donations Due September 22nd
in the Narthex Collection Bins