

BRING FLOWERS FOR OUR LIVING CROSS!

All Saint Mark disciples are invited to bring live cut flowers to worship on Easter Sunday to help decorate our **Living Cross** on the front lawn of the church. Be sure to bring your camera too for great family Easter photos!



Women's Spring Event

FINDING CONNECTION

Tuesday, April 19, 7:00 PM

Saint Mark Commons Room

**Speaker: Dr. Johannah Myers, Director of Christian Formation,
Aldersgate UMC, Greenville**

Dinner: \$10

please make reservations by contacting Pat Reynolds at pkrdsr@bellsouth.net

Sponsored by the Saint Mark Faith Formation Team

Annual Saint Mark Festival Weekend Activities Planned

Saturday, April 30, 2022



Rise Against Hunger is a global movement to end hunger by empowering communities, nourishing lives and responding to emergencies. The organization's approach to ending hunger centers on mobilizing a global network of hunger champions. Rise Against Hunger meal packaging volunteers produce millions of nutritious meals annually that are then distributed to partners in countries around the world.

Saint Mark UMC and Trinity Baptist Church will host a RAH meal packaging event in the Saint Mark gym **Saturday, April 30 from 9:45 am to 12 pm.** To sign up to help with meal packaging, email jggaulin@bellsouth.net. Children ages 5 and up are welcome to participate with parents (parents must supervise), enjoy an activities table at the event, and nursery care will be available (nursery care rsvp no later than April 27 – mbowers@smumcsc.org).

Saint Mark will offer Food and Fun following RAH event on back of campus – FREE hot dog lunch with fixin's, Inflatables for Children, Dessert Food Truck vendors, Games, Music, etc. Fun to begin at noon.

CLICK ON THE VIDEO LINK BELOW TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS VERY IMPORTANT MISSION:



Sunday, May 1, 2022

No Sunday School

One Combined Service of Worship (Holy Communion) — 10 am with Guest Preacher, Rev. Ray Buchanan, Founder of Rise Against Hunger.



Rev. Ray Buchanan

Saint Mark Festival Luncheon - Immediately Following Worship

Saint Mark's UMW will wrap up a Saint Mark Festival weekend of addressing world-wide food insecurity with a box-lunch social to benefit the Golden Corner Food Pantry. "Rise Against Hunger" takes place in the Saint Mark Center (gym) on Saturday, April 30. The "Picnic for a Purpose" is scheduled in the Saint Mark Center the next day, Sunday, May 1, following morning worship services.

The box-lunch, in eco-friendly packaging, features made-from-scratch chicken salad, pasta salad, fruit salad and two types of mini-muffins. Drink and dessert is included in the price, which is \$12.50/adult. A brown bag option of a turkey wrap sandwich is

available for children under 12 for \$5 (free for children 5 and under).

Tickets go on sale Sunday April 10 in the atrium from 9:45-10:15 and narthex before and after the traditional service.

For more information, contact [**Becky Hazelwood**](#).