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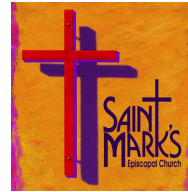
The Messenger of St. Mark's | Eastertide | April 25, 2024

For your thought:

"If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask for whatever you wish, and it will be done for you."

--John 15:7

[Study this Sunday's Readings.](#)



WORSHIP CORNER



Worship on Sunday is both in person and virtually, every week at 9:30 a.m. We live stream Sunday liturgies on our [Facebook](#) & [YouTube](#) channels.

Also, we offer a Midweek Eucharist every Thursday at 11 a.m. that is both in person and on our live-streaming platforms.

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Useful links:

- [Fill out a form](#) to volunteer, donate altar flowers, fill out a new member/visitor form, and more!
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Important Upcoming Dates:

- **Sat. Apr. 27, 10 a.m.** Funeral of Joann Marksbury (In person/Nave)
- **Mon., Apr 29, 1 p.m.,** Funeral for Charles Noland
- **Sat., May 4, 3-5 p.m.,** New Library Art Exhibit Opening Reception with artist Brett Braud
- **Thu, May 9, 1-5 p.m.,** SMMS Plant Sale
- **Fri., May 10, 1-5 p.m.,** SMMS Plant Sale
- **Sun., May 12, 9-1,** SMMS Plant Sale
- **Sun., May 19, 9:30 a.m.,** Feast of Pentecost
- **Sun., May 19, 11:15 a.m.,** Pentecost "Fiery Feast and Forum"

SAINT MARK'S MISSION, MINISTRY & OUTREACH

Funeral for Joann Marksbury



Joann Marksbury's Funeral Service
Saturday, April 27, 2024
10:00 AM

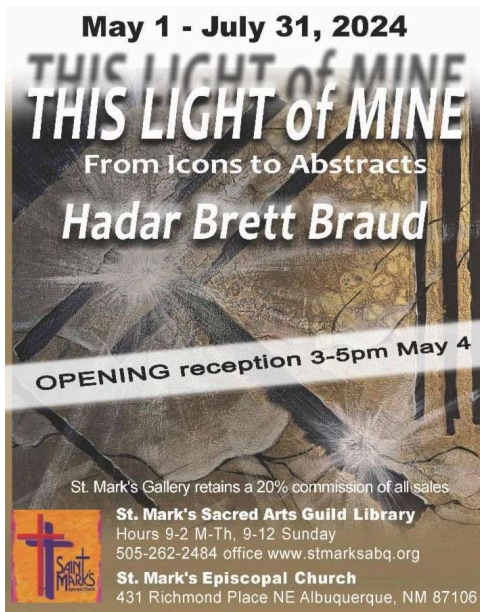
Everyone is Welcome.

Saint Mark's on the Mesa Episcopal Church
in the Nave
431 Richmond Pl NE
Albuquerque, NM 87106

Contact Lin Marksbury
505 307 5230 (text)

May light perpetual shine upon Joann.

Coming Soon: New Library Art Exhibit



Parishioner, Brett Braud, will be displaying his artwork in the new library art show, "This Light of Mine: from Icons to Abstracts." **There will be an Opening r& Reception event in the library on Saturday, May 4, from 3-5 p.m.** St. Mark's receives a 20% commission on all items sold. All are welcome! This exhibit will stay up until July 31.

Also, the Deborah Bentley Art Exhibit in the library is about to come to an end (April 30th is the last day). If you have claimed a piece, please stop by the office to settle up and take home your artwork.

If you have been eyeing something in particular, now is the time to call the office to purchase it (505) 262-2484.

Some of the remaining items have been marked down, so if you haven't already stopped by to view the exhibit, please check it out before it's too late!

Save the Date: Pentecost "Fiery Feast and Forum"



Pentecost "Fiery Feast and Forum" at St. Mark's (Fiery is meant to describe the feast, not the forum) for the entire congregation **following the liturgy on Sunday, May 19th (11:15-12:45),**

Sunday School Classes will be offered for children, as usual, from 11:15-12:15, then children can move to the playground for supervised play from 12:15-12:45.

We will have an expanded coffee hour/potluck lunch on that date--with the regular coffee team "hosting" as usual, but all members of the congregation invited to bring something tasty to share for our Pentecost Feast--something spicy, something fiery, or something representing their unique cultural heritage.

Charles Noland Funeral



Former parishioner, Charles Noland, died on April 1, 2024. He was the husband of Deacon and former parishioner, Beth Noland. We will host a funeral for Charles and his family on Monday, April 29, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.

All are welcome and invited to attend.

[See his obituary here.](#)

May light perpetual shine upon Charles and all the departed.

St. Mark's Montessori School Updates

Garden Day



In honor of Earth Day (April 22), the SMMS students planted fresh plants in our garden for the year! They will care for them over the growing season and we'll discuss the importance of caring for living things. We are excited for this new chapter in our garden!

SMMS Plant Sale on Mother's Day



Thursday, May 9, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Friday, May 10, 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 12 (before and after Sunday Worship)

Once again, St. Mark's is partnering with [East Central Ministries \(ECM\)](#) to sell vegetable, herb and flowering plants for your spring garden.

- lots of heirloom and hybrid tomatoes, all colors and sizes
- peppers- heritage chile, hot, and bell
- strawberry plants and a mix of herbs
- wave petunia hanging baskets

Between 1 and 5 p.m. Thursday, May 9 and Friday, May 10, we will be selling petunia pots, herbs, tomatoes and peppers in the narthex. We'll take a break on Saturday and then come back Sunday morning, May 12, Mother's Day. Come by before or after worship on Sunday.

The proceeds this year will be shared between ECM, whose greenhouse staff grows these healthy plants from seed, right on the Mother Road, and St. Mark's Montessori School, our parish's primary outreach organization.

- ECM works in the International District at Central and Virginia, helping folks with health care, education and housing.
- **SMMS:** Our non-profit school provides a program of education that meets the needs of young children and their families. We strive to do this by giving children the opportunity to explore and learn through "hands on" experiences and creativity.

In years past, we have raised around \$1,000 for each organization. **Cash or checks only.**

GIVE TO ST. MARK'S



Give by mail (St. Mark's has a secure mailbox and is checked regularly). Send to: 431 Richmond Place NE, Albuquerque, NM 87106.



Give electronically through [By PayPal®](#).

Please consider checking the box that reads, "I'd like to add to my donation to help offset the cost of processing."



Give electronically through the [Diocese of the Rio Grande Parish Donation site](#) and check the box next to "Albuquerque-St. Mark's".

Just fill out the rest of the information and **click the Next button at the bottom of the page. Please make sure fill out "special instructions or comment" to let us know how to apply your gift** (e.g., pledge, congregational relief fund, etc.).

DIOCESE & BEYOND

Montage Music Society Concert



Saturday May 11 at 3 p.m. at Quail Run Clubhouse
CHANSONS MADÉCASSES
Focusing on pieces written for oppressed peoples.

Jacqueline Zander-Wall, mezzo; Jesse Tatum, flute;
Sally Guenther, cello; Debra Ayers, piano
Works by Ravel, Julian Anderson, JF Brown, Robb Foundation Composer
Commission

There are only online tickets and only about 20 tickets left.
[Click here to get your tickets.](#)

Church Women United Friendship Day



Church Women United, an ecumenical Christian women's group, will be celebrating May Friendship Day on Friday, May 3rd at Rio Rancho Presbyterian Church, 1004 24th St. SE. The morning will begin at 9:30 a.m. with brunch. The program will begin at 10:00 and focus on Health and Wellness. State Representative Natalie Figueroa will speak on health issues in New Mexico. Hygiene items will be collected for Haven House, a domestic violence shelter in Rio Rancho. For those wishing to carpool, be at St. Andrew Presbyterian Church parking lot at 5301 Ponderosa Ave NE by 8:30 a.m. Come join us and bring a friend! Questions? Contact Marilyn Stoops [via email here](#) or call at 505-265-8358.



All are welcome to join us for worship during our Thursday 11 a.m. midweek Holy Eucharists and our Sunday Holy Eucharists at 9:30 a.m. You may join us in person or on Facebook & YouTube. Come as you are!

Email submissions should be sent ([via email](#)) to the Communications Specialist by 9:00 a.m. each Wednesday for inclusion on Thursday's e-news.

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