

THE LINK@STMARKS



New Advent Series

“The Way in the Manger”

“For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but

the will of Him who sent me. And this is the will of Him who sent me...*that all who see the Son and believe in Him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.*”

- John 6:35-40

Come explore “The Way in the Manger” message series on Sundays mornings at the 8, 9:15, & 10:45 am services!



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Monday, December 6

Charge Conference

Attention Church Leaders! Mark your calendar for Charge Conference to be held at 7 pm in Room 102 (Whole People of God Classroom.) See page 4.

Tuesday, December 7

Men's Ministry

Men's Ministry will meet at 7 pm on Tuesday, December 7 and again on Tuesday, January 4 in the Ministry Center. More on page 3.

Sunday, December 12

Sunday Dinner

The monthly dinners continue on Sunday, December 12 from 11:30 am-1:00 pm. For more information, see page 4.

Bake Sale

Forget baking all those cookies & pies for the holidays! Let the ladies of Women's Ministry bake for you! See page 2.

Holiday Prayer Celebration & Tea

Come, meet with others who are interested in exploring prayer from 2-3:30 pm in Room 102. More on page 2.

Children's Christmas Musical

Join us at 6:30 pm for “An Extraordinary Gift in an Unlikely Package” presented by the children in CLAP team. See page 3.

Sunday, January 16

Community Dinner

The next Community Dinner will be held on Sunday, January 16 in Fellowship Hall from 4-6 pm. The community dinner is for all who enjoy good food and company!

Worship at St. Mark's on Christmas Eve, Friday, December 24!

“Jesus said, I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life” (John 8:12). This is the theme for our Christmas Eve candlelight worship services which will be held at:

- 1 pm - This service is for **anyone** who cannot make our evening worship services. If you prefer not to drive at night, have to work second or third shift, or your family is gathering later in the day, consider coming to this early service led by Dr. David Pierce. Childcare for children 3 and under will be available. If you know of anyone who usually can't come to a later service, please spread the word - this service is for them!

- 7 pm - The Youth Choir, Children's Choir and Youth Praise Band will perform with traditional carols led by Lois Stites on the organ and a message led by Tim Bistline at this worship service. Childcare for children 3 and under will also be available.
- 10 pm - The Chancel Bell Choir and Chancel Choir will perform at this service, with a message by Pastor David Woolverton. A “crying room” will be available for parents with small children.

Please use the Holiday Schedule card insert inside to post on your fridge or share with your friends!

Merry Christmas!

From Dr. Dave Pierce

A History Display for the 150th Anniversary is in the back of the Sanctuary until December 12. Commemorative items are available for purchase -- perhaps for Christmas gifts.

Christmas Books & Videos

Adult and children's Christmas books and videos are on display throughout the library. Please borrow one at a time and return promptly so others may enjoy them during this season. The return basket is inside the door.

Examples of children's books include: "The Christmas Pageant" and "Angels Watching Over Me." Children's videos include: "Charlie Brown TV Specials" and "The Littlest Angel."

Adult fiction books are "Christmas in Mitford" by Jan Karon, "An Amish Christmas" by C. Keller, and "The Christmas Shoes" by D. Van Lier; non-fiction: "Christmas in Plains" by Jimmy Carter.

Some family videos are: "The Story of Silent Night," "A Christmas Carol," "Scrooge and Marley," and "Star Over Bethlehem."

Visit your church library to see more choices.

The Library Committee

Forget Baking this Year!

This year, Women's Ministry will be helping out families in the Mount Joy area with Christmas.

To do that, a **Craft & Bake Sale will be held in the church lobby on December 12th during all 3 services and during the Sunday Dinner.**



Pre-orders for homemade pumpkin and shoofly pies and 2 types of cheese balls, made by a local Mennonite lady, may be placed until Sunday,

December 5, although these items and many more goodies will also be available the day of the sale (Dec. 12).

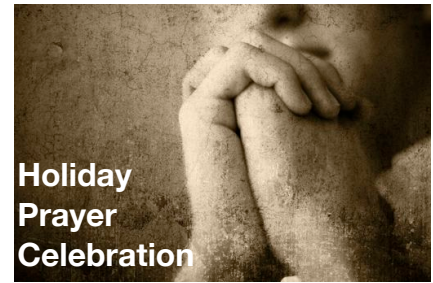
To place your order, see Deb Rupp, Kim Wargo, Sylvia Stark or myself. Also there will be someone at the information desk that can take your order.

Pick-up will be Sunday, December 12.

Finally, if anyone would like to donate financially that would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you in advance for helping us to help others this Christmas.

Marion Young (717) 756-3627



We have the opportunity to be a mighty blessing to God as we strive to listen and follow Him as He communicates His plans for St. Mark's ...to each staff person, each leader and every member of the congregation.

St. Mark's has a long and rich history of prayer. Many have spent long hours praying for God to provide healing and guidance through out these past 150 years. Today He continues to call us to rise up connecting with Him as He does a new thing in our midst.

Prayer is one of the most important tools God has given us to communicate with Him. And yet how to use the tool often evades us. I am excited as well as very honored to have this opportunity to work with each of you as we strive to use this tool. God has a unique plan for this church body. He has called each of us to use these gifts He has given us to make that plan become a reality. It is no coincidence that He brought my husband (Jim White) and myself here at this time.

My name is Jill MacKenzie and I am very honored to be asked to partner in ministry with each of you as your new Prayer Ministry Team Leader. I want to take this opportunity to personally introduce myself to you during this season when we take time to celebrate His birth.

**Join me for a
Holiday Prayer Celebration
Sunday, December 12, 2010
2-3:30pm in Room 102
(Whole People of God Classroom)**

Come, introduce yourself to me, meet with others interested in exploring about prayer as we all look forward to moving into the year 2011 and beyond.

Community Dinner



Next Community Dinner - Sunday, January 16!

The next Community Dinner will be held on Sunday, January 16 from 4-6 pm in Fellowship Hall.

The dinner is for all who enjoy good food and company!

A planning meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 11 in the Green Pastures Cafe. Contact Jessica Schell at (717) 653-9471 to donate a dessert or to volunteer to help.

GLOW Student Ministries

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas..." a favorite song that can bring panic or stress into our daily lives! The Youth at St. Marks UMC would like to help you relax and enjoy the holiday season again this year by introducing SCRIPS to you.



Glow Student Ministries @ St Marks has partnered with Great Lakes Scrip Center to provide gift cards. The Youth Group will buy the gift cards from Great Lake Scrip Center at a discount and then make them available to YOU for full face value of the card! The discount – from 2% - 15% or more – is the youth group's revenue!!

In a nutshell – here is how it works. You buy a gift card for one of the many retailers listed in the flyer found on the Youth table downstairs in the basement near the cafe. St. Marks UMC Youth purchase the gift card from Great Lakes Scrip Center at the discount. You then take the gift card to the retailer and use it as cash. With a little bit of planning, you can support Glow Student Ministries @ St. Marks with absolutely no extra out of pocket expenses to you!!



This is perfect for the holidays...as many of us already purchase gift cards for family, teachers, newspaper delivery people, hair stylists, friends....the list is endless.

Serving Thanksgiving or Christmas Dinner?
Holiday Banking??
We have gift cards Giant, Darrenkamps, Weis!!

Are you fixing up your basement? We offer gift cards to Lowe's.

Do you buy gasoline at Sheetz? We have a gift card for that!

Hunting Season is here – Cabela's & Bass Pro Shop gift cards

& many, many more gift cards available (please see the GLOW table in the basement for flyers).

Please feel free to share copies of the flyer with your family, friend and coworkers as each card purchased helps our youth!

For more information, contact Tim Bistline at (717) 653-5493, ext. 227 and thank you for supporting GLOW Student Ministries @ St. Marks United Methodist Church!!!

Greetings from Children's Ministry

On Sunday, Dec. 12th, join us at 6:30 PM for the Children's Christmas Musical. Children in the CLAP team will be presenting "An Extraordinary Gift in an Unlikely Package."

The Children's Ministry Lead Team is excited about some upcoming changes to our ministry:

STOMP – Singing Tunes of Musical Praise – This will be a children's worship team for preschoolers and kindergarten students. Beginning on January 4, they will meet 6:30 – 7:00 each Tuesday evening for a practice and worship time. Children will share songs in worship monthly. Jamie Pietsch will coordinate this new ministry! If your child would like to join the STOMP team, please contact Jamie at smileglu@comcast.net or (717) 426-4373.



2nd Sundays – Instead of families worshipping together in the sanctuary on the 2nd Sunday of each month, children will attend Sunshine Alley Small Groups at 9:15 and SHINE Worship at 10:45 every Sunday. Children are invited to join us in the children's wing every Sunday!

Early Childhood Coordinator Position – In November, our staff-parish team approved a new position that will expand our "Cribette Coordinator Position" and provide experiences and care for young children, birth through age 5 on Sunday mornings. This position will work with the wonderful teams of volunteers serving in both the cribette and preschool rooms each Sunday. Please contact me for a copy of the job description.

Blessings,
Andrea Lown, Children's Pastor

Men's Ministry

Men's Ministry will meet on Tuesday, December 7 at 7 pm in the Ministry Center, and again on Tuesday, January 4 at 7 pm. All men are welcome! Contact is Rob Stoner at (717) 653-5493, ext. 230.

Women's Ministry

All women are invited to the next Women's Ministry meeting to be held on Wednesday, December 29 and then on Wednesday, January 26, 2011 both at 6:30 pm in the Green Pastures Cafe. Contact is Deb Rupp (859-2973) or eatmeal@ptd.net.

Charge Conference

Calling all church leaders! The date of our annual Charge Conference, led by our District Superintendent, has been set for Monday, December 6 at 7 pm in Room 102 (Whole People of God Classroom).

If you serve in Leadership positions at the church, please mark your calendars and plan to attend!



Winterfest

Mount Joy's annual Winterfest will be held on Saturday, December 4 from 4 pm till

7:00 pm. St. Mark's will again serve free hot chocolate and cookies in the fellowship hall. Last year we served over 650 cups of hot chocolate and gave away more than 110 dozen cookies! Therefore, lots of help is needed to provide cookies and help serve the hot chocolate.

Besides giving away the cookies and hot chocolate, the fellowship hall also offers a warm place for people to eat the foods that they purchased from one of the food vendors, as well as a place to socialize. So volunteers are also needed to help wipe off the tables and mop up spills.

Tours of the church will also be offered during Winterfest. If you are willing to help give church tours, wipe off tables and mop up spills in fellowship hall, help serve hot chocolate, or donate cookies, please contact Janet Lehman at 653-4189 or e-mail her at lehmanfamily@comcast.net, or sign up at the Welcome Center. Your help with this exciting community activity is much appreciated!



November's Sunday Dinner-Thank You!

The Sunday Dinner team would like to thank everyone who has been supporting our monthly dinners. On Sunday, November 14, the monthly Sunday Dinner featured roast turkey and potato filling. Meals were served from 11:30 am till 1:00 pm. More than 30 cooks and servers, as well as all those who donated desserts, helped make this meal possible. Also, a special thanks to the youth and youth leaders who "invaded" the fellowship hall at 9:00 am to set the tables!

About 220 people from St. Mark's and the community enjoyed the meal with us. At least 6 churches besides St. Mark's were represented at the dinner! Many people have told us how much they appreciate the good home-cooked food and the time of fellowship.

If you would like to volunteer to help with these meals, please contact Janet Lehman by email at lehmanfamily@comcast.net or at 653-4189.

December's Sunday Dinner

You are invited to join us for our monthly Sunday dinner on Sunday, December 12. The meal will feature Gene Wenger's

world famous ham loaf. Also included with the meal will be sweet potatoes, macaroni & cheese, green beans, applesauce, rolls & butter, desserts, and beverages.

Meals are served from 11:30 am till 1:00 pm. Costs of the meals are \$8 for adults, \$3 for children 4 – 12, and children 3 and under are free. Make plans to join us for this delicious meal. And invite a friend to join you!

Roast Beef Dinner

January's monthly dinner will be held on Sunday, January 9.

The meal will feature Roast Beef, Red-Bliss Mashed Potatoes, Glazed Carrots, Cole Slaw, Applesauce, Rolls & Butter, Desserts, and Beverages. Meals are served from 11:30 am till 1:00 pm. Costs of the meals are \$8 for adults, \$3 for children 4 – 12, and children 3 and under are free. Make plans to join us for this delicious meal. And invite a friend to join you!

Bad Weather Reminder

During bad weather conditions, please be sure to call the church office at (717) 653-5493 to check on weather related changes and cancellations for all Sunday services and mid-week events.



December Anniversaries & Birthdays



Anniversaries

12/2-Tony & Tricia Paparo
 12/4-Sean & Beryl Rajnic
 12/7-Marv & Dayle Albert
 Charles & Janet Hobday
 12/10-Scott & Stephanie Garber
 12/14-Adam & Lindsey Kitchen
 12/18-Tim & Sharon Bistline
 Michael & Pamela Brenneman
 12/20-William & Pam Potts
 12/23-Leonard & Jayne Burns
 12/25-Preston & Sheryl Newcomer
 12/26-Leonard & Joanna Smith
 12/29-David & Sue Charles
 Kenneth & Theresa Newcomer
 Robert & Myrl Sherk
 Lars & Amy White
 12/30-Loren & Marjorie Maninger

Birthdays

12/1-Doug Fullenlove
 Angela Meyers
 Deb Rupp
 12/2-Montana Thompson
 12/3-Philip Colvin
 Marie Jacobs
 Scott Jones
 12/5-Laura Kassab
 12/6-Barb Bender
 Rich Heller
 12/8-Samantha Eby
 Nicki Findley
 12/9-Michael Heller
 Theresa Newcomer
 12/10-Russell Kuhn
 Josephine Reitz
 12/11-Scott Albert
 Doug Bower
 Nancy Greenawalt
 Carl Laudenslager
 Kim Wargo
 12/12-Amy Bower
 Arin Reese



12/13-Jack Hohenwarter
 Christine Kassab
 Bronte Loos
 12/16-Alec Gibbons
 Sue Kerlin
 12/17-Tim Bistline
 Mary Brandt
 12/18-Nadeem Hall
 12/20-Charles Craig
 12/21-Paul Anderson
 12/22-Dayle Albert
 Emily Bistline
 Deborah Brubaker
 Shari Roaten
 Robert Stoner
 12/23-Shirley Harkins
 12/24-Amber Bostdorf
 Kaitlynn Weaver
 Korbin Williams
 Brian Williams
 12/25-Doris Bardell
 Carleigh Rupp
 12/26-Alyssa Bucher
 Milton Kelley
 12/27-Kenneth Depoe
 Kelly Hoover
 12/27-Deslin Kern
 Judy Libhart
 Logan Schlaybach

Celebrating a Milestone?

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12/29-Trudy Shirk
 12/30-James Endslow
 Frank Kerlin
 Stacey Spence
 Darryl Wittle

Celebrating a special birthday this month:

Josephine Reitz (December 10)



A Special Birthday

January Anniversaries & Birthdays



THIS MONTH'S ANNIVERSARIES

Anniversaries

- 1/7-Robert & Doris Bardell
Henry & Arlene Zerphey
- 1/17-Raymond & Betty Rinehart
- 1/20-Ken & Ginny Bailey
- 1/31-John & Kathy Morrison

Birthdays

- 1/1-Margaret Kramer
Derek White
- 1/2-Ginny Bailey
- 1/3-Yvonne Depoe
Cheyenne Duling-Camp
Ken Gainer
- 1/4-Helen Erb
Doug Hoover
Edward Kasab
Melissa Schload
Nicholas Wee
- 1/5-Freida Brenes
Caleigh Fitzsimmons
Heather Stauffer
- 1/6-Charles Drace
Emily Haines
Bradley Kramer
Megan Lefever
Chris Ruch
- 1/7-Donna Brubaker
Gloria Cunningham
Elizabeth Sarbaugh
- 1/9-Stephany Houle
Madison McNitt
Randy Rissinger
Jedidiah Thompson
- 1/10-Micheale Kanode
Kim Reese
- 1/11-Matthew Heisey
Wanda Richie
- 11/12-Colleen Eshleman
Michael Fritz
Shirley Hoover
Abigail Johns

This Month's Birthdays



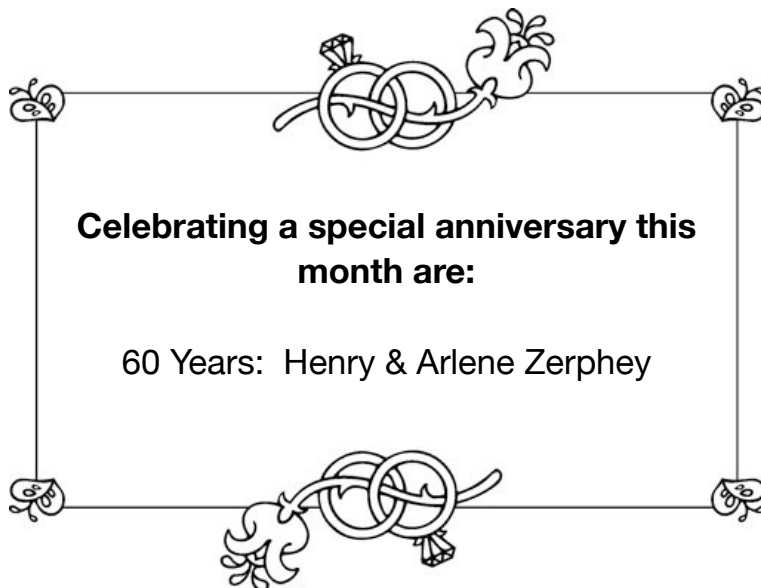
- 11/12-Brian Miller
- 11/13-James Hill
- 11/14-Jim Carr
Erin Kramer
- 1/15-Ralph Gibble
- 1/16-Lois Stites
- 1/17-Sandra Urmev
- 1/18-Collin Artz
Aliza Johns
Jenni Kohler
- 1/19-Corbett Rider
- 1/20-Cara Boring
Peter Garner
Lori Houser
Preston Newcomer
- 1/21-Gerry Albert
- 1/22-Helen Long
Barbara Schatz
Phyllis Stone
Lars White
- 1/23-Eric Brenes
Ronald Hawthorne
- 1/25-Cameron Arntz
- 1/26-Joann Garlin
- 1/27-Janet Conroy
- 1/29-Craig Depoe
- 1/30-Elaine Hildebrand
Joel Sherk
- 1/31-Danielle Cintron
Jack Garner

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Celebrating a special anniversary this month are:

60 Years: Henry & Arlene Zerphey



Missions

The Mission of the Month for December is Shining Stars Nursery School which is an outreach program of St. Mark's!



At Shining Stars, every child is a star in God's eyes! The focus of the nursery school is on the gifts a child carries inside and how these gifts connect each child to God. This is done by using songs and Bible stories, outdoor/indoor play, creative projects, literacy and kindergarten readiness, plus positive integrated learning with children from S. June Smith!

The January Mission of the Month is Mount Joy Helping Services - Food Bank. Mount Joy Helping Services gives many families in need in the Mount Joy area a place to turn to when they face eviction, have no heat or electric, have no food or medication - just to name a few of the services provided.

Please use the envelopes provided in your envelope packet to support these missions.

Altar Flowers for 2011

The new altar flower chart for 2011 has been posted in the back of the sanctuary. To sponsor the altar flowers, sign up for the week and include your phone number. The cost to sponsor the two vases of altar flowers is \$35 per week.

The altar flower contact person is Marge Yeich at (717) 492-0606.



Thank You Notes

I wish to thank all of you for your prayers for my healing when I broke my shoulder. I would like to give a special thanks to Pam for picking me up and taking me home every Tuesday.

God Bless You,
Ann Brubaker

Thank you for the prayer shawl.
Fred Heagy

Dear fellow members and valued friends at St. Mark's,

Your cards, notes, phone calls, prayers, visits, and concerns are always appreciated. Many, many thanks! Life brings many

surprises, which are new to us and not familiar in our busy daily routines. Only Our Creator knows the answers as to "why"? Our Christian friends also find the answers - God reveals via our friends with their inspiring support and trust which God reveals to them. The greatest strength available is from our Christian friends, as their source of strength is Our Heavenly Father.

Each individual who is guided by the Holy Bible, God's Word, is a blessing to God's Creation. Let us use God's Word faithfully, and know that our Loving Lord is in control. He cares! God's followers are happy to be available and helpful when these unusual occasions take place. "Thank You Jesus, when others need comfort." Amen

Thank you friends! God Bless!
Jo Reitz

Thank you Dr. Dave Pierce for visiting me during my stay in the hospital. Thank you to those who brought me meals, which was very much appreciated. Thank you St. Mark's for helping with some bills and getting my car on the road again since I am still not able to work. I am thankful for a wonderful church family that has helped me in my time of need.

Shirley Harkins

Worship Assistants:

Altar Flowers:

- 12/5-Anonymous
- 12/12-Jestena Yeagley
- 12/19-Lenny & Jayne Burns
- 12/26-Sue Kerlin

January - to be announced

To sponsor the altar flowers for \$35 each week call Marge Yeich at (717) 492-0606.

Usher Captains:

- December - Gary Stark
- January - Jim Metzler

Church Checkers:

- 12/5-Pat West
- 12/12-Russ Shirk
- 12/19-Jack Garner
- 12/26-Paul Shearer

January - to be announced

Cafe:

- Food Providers:
- 12/5-Patti Shearer, Kitty Updegraff, Lori Houser
 - 12/12-Sylvia Stark, Jestena Yeagley, Diana Blace
 - 12/19-Dyan Branstetter, Elizabeth Courtright, Ken Gephart, Jean Ann Harter

12/26-Cora Lynn Gingrich, Sandra Gingrich

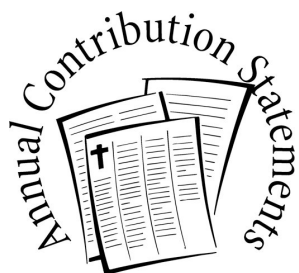
Set-up:
12/5-Bob Kerlin

Pick-Up Doughnuts:
Bob Kerlin

January - to be announced



2010 Year-end Giving Statements:



Statements can be printed directly from the Church Website.

Go to www.stmarksmtjoy.com and login. (If you don't have a login and password, request one on the website or contact the church office at 653-5493 to set one up!)

If you forgot your password, click on the link under the login that will resend your password.

Once you are logged in, click on *PEOPLE* on the top taskbar. Type your *LAST NAME* and click on your name in the drop down box. On your profile page, click on *FINANCIAL*, then click on *GIVING STATEMENT*, enter a date range, click on *CREATE*, and *PRINT* your year-end statement.

MAKE YOUR HOLIDAYS EASIER!

TRY E-GIVING!



Sign up for E-giving this Holiday Season! It's easy and once it's set up, you never have to worry

about writing a check or remembering your contributions envelope for your weekly offering.

Sign up today to have your contributions automatically withdrawn from your checking or savings account.

Log onto www.stmarksmtjoy.com and click on the link for E-Giving OR fill out an E-Giving Authorization Form located in the Welcome Center or in the Church Office. Return it in a sealed envelope to the attention of Janice Schell in the church office and we'll get you set up.

Have other questions? Contact Janice at the Church Office 653-5493, extension 225

SIGN UP TODAY!



For an up to date look at financial giving, go to our website at www.stmarksmtjoy.com and log on. Select Groups, then Files, and select Weekly Financial Report.

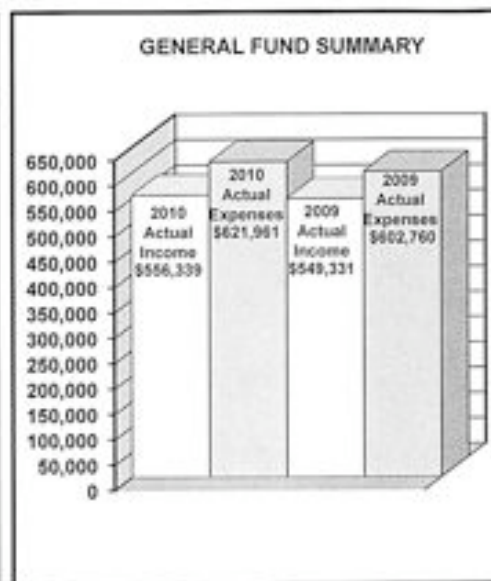


Financial Giving Report



YEAR 2010 GIVING REPORT January 1 - October 31, 2010		
General Fund		Y.T.D.
Actual Income	\$	556,339 *
Budget Needed	\$	731,158
Actual Expenses	\$	621,961
Building Fund (Renovation Loan)		
Actual Income	\$	86,715
Budget Needed	\$	58,333
Loan Balance =		112,503
Mission Giving		
Mission of the Month-Labala	\$	994
Commitment of Month	\$	1,000
Total Mission Giving	\$	30,560
St. Mark's Emergency Fund		
Actual Income	\$	14,583
Actual Expenses	\$	12,311
Special Offerings		
Actual Income	\$	16,001
TOTAL GIVING 2010	\$	704,198
TOTAL GIVING 2009	\$	703,830

* e-Giving = 21 participants



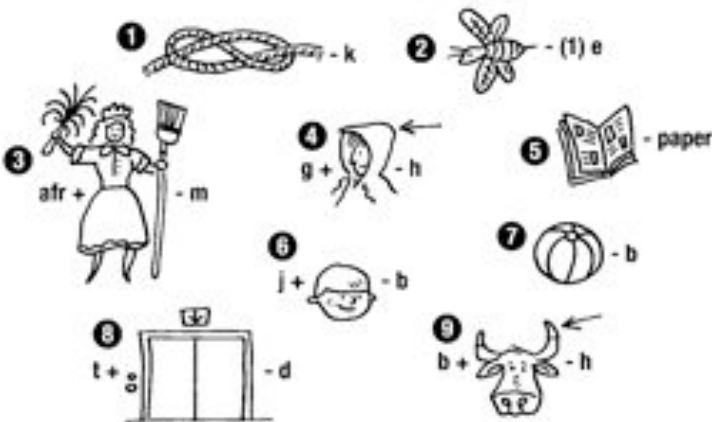
Kid's Page



The angel's message

On the first Christmas Eve, shepherds were watching over their flocks when an angel suddenly appeared.

Use the picture clues below to find out what the angels said to the terrified shepherds.



"Do _____ I bring you _____
 _____ of great _____ that will be for _____ the people.
 Today in the _____ of David a Savior has been _____

to you; he is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:10-11, NIV

STAINED-GLASS STAR COOKIES

These star cookies will remind you of the star that led the Magi, or wise men, to our Lord Jesus. Enjoy these treats for yourself or give them as gifts.

What you need:

- An adult to help
- 3 cups flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup (2 sticks) margarine or butter, softened
- 2 eggs
- 1½ teaspoons vanilla extract
- Plastic wrap
- Hard candy such as Life Savers in assorted colors
- Zippered baggies
- Rolling pin
- 2 star cookie cutters, one much smaller than the other
- Aluminum foil

What you do:

1. Mix the flour, baking powder and salt together.
2. Cream the sugar and butter. Add the eggs and vanilla.
3. Add the flour mixture and beat until well blended.
4. Divide the dough into four equal pieces. Wrap each piece in plastic wrap and refrigerate for about 30 minutes.
5. Separate candies by color and place each color in a sealed, zippered baggie. With a rolling pin, crush candy into small pieces (not a fine powder).
6. One at a time, roll out each chilled dough piece on a well-floured surface.
7. Use the large cookie cutter to make stars, and then place them on a foil-lined cookie sheet. Then press the small star cookie cutter into each large star and remove the small piece of star-shaped dough.
8. Place some crushed candy in each star-shaped hole.
9. Bake at 350 degrees for 10-12 minutes or until golden brown. (The candy will melt and be translucent when cooled, like a stained-glass window.)

Bible Quiz

The gospel of Luke tells about Joseph and Mary taking the baby Jesus to the temple "to present him to the Lord" (Luke 2:22, NRSV). An old man approached and said the Holy Spirit had revealed to him that he wouldn't

die before he saw the Messiah. Seeing Jesus and being moved by the Holy Spirit, this man proclaimed that the baby was indeed the Messiah.

- What was the man's name?
- A. Simeon
 - B. Simon
 - C. Phanuel
 - D. Zechariah

Answers:

Bible Quiz Answer: A (see Luke 2:25)

Answers: 1. knot-k-nor; 2. bee-(1)e-bec; 3. afr+maid-m=araid; 4. r+hood-h=good; 5. newspaper-paper=news; 6. j+boy-b=joy; 7. ball-b=all; 8. f+down-d=town; 9. b+horn-h=born

"Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:10-11, NIV

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