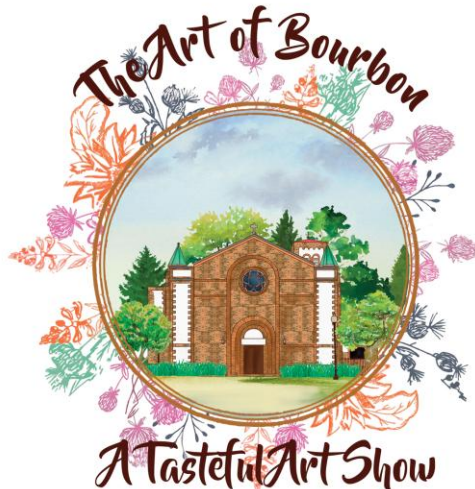


Don't forget... Bring back your Pantry Plus boxes Sunday, April 28th, for an offering and blessing to the hungry.

The Weekly Word

April 28, 2019



St. Mark's Episcopal Church
 Presents the Flair of Local Artists
 And the Flavor of Bourbon
 Live Music and Cash Bar on
May 11th - 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
 Art show continuing on Mother's Day
May 12th - 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
 In the Gilbert Gym
 This is a free event.

St. Mark's Calendar

This Week:

April 28

Bishop's Visit

May 1

Worship and Wisdom on Wednesday

5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer

6:00 p.m. Supper

6:30 p.m. Class

May 3

UBI Caritas Craft Beer Festival

at Courville's, HWY 90

5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Save the Date:

May 5

First Sunday Forum

9:05 a.m. - Payne Hall

May 5

St. Mark's at Lamar Baseball

1:00 p.m.

May 11-12

The Art of Bourbon: A Tasteful Art Show

May 11, 6:00 -

9:00 p.m.

May 12, 9:00 a.m. -

3:00 p.m.

May 12

Acolyte and High School Senior Recognition

10:15 a.m.

May 19

Splash Day

11:30 a.m.

May 27

Memorial Day

Parish Office Closed

June 24-28

Vacation Bible School

Rector's Reflections...

Why host an art show (Saturday, May 11, 6-9 PM and Sunday, May 12, 9 AM to 3 PM) at St. Mark's? Three reasons come to mind for me:

The first reason originates in our Catechism for The Episcopal Church (see The Book of Common Prayer, page 845) where we proclaim that "we are part of God's creation, made in the image of God." I believe the God in whose image and likeness we are made is an artist. An artist who uses the natural world for his creative work. Painting with broad brush strokes to create a vivid sunset. Shaping the earth like a potter to form majestic mountains and canyons. I believe an art show celebrates God the artist and celebrates that creative image in all of us.

The second reason connects with our focus on the generous sharing of the time, talent and treasure entrusted to us as God's stewards in creation. As a congregation in downtown Beaumont, we are blessed and entrusted with a remarkable physical plant - multiple buildings, ample parking and beautiful green spaces - and like good stewards, I believe we are called to share these God given resources with our neighbors in the Golden Triangle. So we host an art show and invite our friends and neighbors.

Finally, an art show celebrates beauty. We can look around as see and hear so much that is not beautiful in our world and an art show, a presentation of beauty, can light a beautiful candle in the darkness of an often not so beautiful world.

Warmest regards,
 Fr. Tony Clark

Please Pray For...

Margo Abshire	Carol Bayard	Laura Leigh Birdwell	Michael Boyer	Angela Broussard	Gabriel Carreon	Richard Clark
Hal Clarke	Ann Cobb	Howard Cobb	Rebecca Couverette	Marty Craig	Brenda Davis	Chris Dobson
Carleen Faucett	Chad Ferguson	Tracy Mabry Fink	Misty Ford	Bill Gajeske	Grey Gallier	Katherine Gardner
Tommy Gaspard	Mary Anna Glasgow	Elizabeth Gwin	Cherie Ball-Harding	Cindy Harland	Margie Nell Harris	Pryce Haynes
Brittney Henslee	Bridget Hoke	Jessie Hoke	Jeannie Hood	Lauren Johnsen	Kevin Kabelle	Betty Kirwin
Wanda Lawhorn	Amber McKinley	Eileen Monte	Emilie Neild	John Nelson	Neal Nielson	Clare Parker
Sherry Perkins	Judy Pierce	J. T. Richard	Joyce Richardson	Dale Robinson	Shirley Salisbury	Chris Sherman
Sue Simcox	Melissa Miller Sitos	Katie Smith	Sheila Smith	Larry Talley	Millisent Taylor	Anne Thomas
Charlie Thompson	Sharon Wagner	Pat Walker	Marjorie Welch	Margaret Wheelus	Kelly Wilson	Ben
Beverly	Raphael					

For those who have died...

Billy Adkins Wilbur Butler

For those serving in the Military...

Joe Alexander	Danny Anders	Christian Bornefeld	Justin Clark	Stephen Davis	Travis Goodwin	Isaiah Grant
Brad Holton	Jimmy Howell	James Fredericks	Kaffrey Jacobs	Erwin Jasmin	Madison Johnsen	Michael Koblijak
Lucas Low	Joseph Lynch	Joshua Lynch	John Matlock	Colton Means	Collin McBride	Logan Nunez
Will Odham	Tony Ogden	Stephen Ricker	Gavin Ritchie	Donnie Romero	Jesse Russell	Grady Salisbury
Adam Schlegal	Brian Shajari	Daniel Lee Smith	Matthew Smith	Morgan Smyth	Gary Tipton	Tim Uncapher
Stuart Williams	Roland Zech					



Happy Birthday!

Apr 28 – Meredith Gideon

May 1 – Shea Kent

Sunday and Wednesday Classes

Worship and Wisdom on Wednesday Classes...Beginning April 24 ~

Movies as Modern Day Parables – Movies can do so much more than just entertain. They can show us grace, evil, beauty and glimpses of the divine through a camera angle, dialogue or a musical score. We will watch and discuss film clips from a wide variety of movie genres, from Disney to Lucas to Spielberg. Facilitated by Father Tony Clark

Becoming a Woman of Purpose gives us an understanding of God’s intended purpose for us as a people of God, and for you as a unique creation. We will discuss fulfillment, loving others, waiting with hope, and trusting through suffering. Facilitated by Mrs. Sally Lombardo

Worship and Wisdom on Wednesday
5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer
6:00 p.m. Supper
6:30 p.m. Classes

Sunday mornings...Beginning April 28 at 9:05 a.m., in the Guild Room ~

The Sunday Morning Letters: Selections from Revelation – Adults
Our Sunday worship includes readings from New Testament epistles or letters. This weekly class will explore the Sunday morning epistles for the Easter season – selections from the Revelation to John - with an eye toward the Spirit’s message for our congregation in Beaumont today. *The Guild Room 130*

Parish Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday
9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
Friday
9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Weekday Worship:

Holy Eucharist -
Tuesday 12:00 Noon
Thursday 9:45 a.m.
Friday 7:00 a.m.

Morning Prayer -

Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m. (The Abbey Room)

Sunday Worship:

Holy Eucharist at
8:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m. and
6:00 p.m.

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Monday – Friday 10:30 a.m. -
6:00 p.m.

April 28, 2019

Second Sunday of Easter

*Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”
John 20:21*

Jesus offers two messages to his followers: be at peace, and get to work. As stewards, our work is to build up the kingdom Jesus preached, the kingdom of justice, love and peace.