



# **A LION'S SHARE**

The Weekly Newsletter of St. Mark's Church A Parish in the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island

# ST. MARK'S CHURCH

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# **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

## **SUNDAY SERVICES**

8:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Livestreamed)

### THURSDAY SERVICES

11:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 5:00 p.m.—Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer or Compline

The Rt. Rev. Lawrence Provenzano
Bishop of Long Island
The Rt. Rev. Geralyn Wolf
Assisting Bishop of Long Island
The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey
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# ST. MARK'S VOICE-PARISH NEWS

Monday (01/16) Parish Office Closed
Tuesday (01/17) Parish Office Closed

6:30 p.m. Vestry Meeting

Wednesday (01/18) 12:40 Staff Meeting in the Rector's Office Thursday (01/19) 10:00 a.m. Bible Study in the Rector's Office

11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing (Rector's

Office)

12:30 p.m. Threshold Singers Choir Practice (Atwater Room) 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline in the

Chapel

5:30 p.m. Choir Practice in the Church

Saturday (01/21) 10:00 – 2:00 p.m. Winter Market in the Parish Hall

Sunday (01/22) 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist in the Church

9:00 a.m. Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall 9:15 a.m. Choir Practice in the Church 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist in the Church

10:00 a.m. Sunday School in the Atwater Room 11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall

# Serving Today, Sunday, January 15, 2023 at 8:00 AM

LEM Virginia Gilmore
Lector Tom Simson
Usher Steve Turner
Altar Guild Virginia Gilmore

# Serving Today, Sunday, January 15, 2023 at 10:00 AM

LEM Madeline Glover Lector William Glover

UshersEric Christensen, Steve DeCaroAltar GuildCatharine Nobiletti, Ashley McLean

<u>Congratulations on the Birthdays of</u> Emmett Boone, John Stewart, Laura Hille, Julia Melo and Deborah Caccavano.

Best Wishes on the Wedding Anniversary of Tom & Yolande Hadlock

<u>The flowers on the Altar are given in the Glory of God</u> by the Andria & Melo families in Celebration of Julia Melo's birthday and by Victoria Garcia in Celebration of the birthdays of her sisters, Penelope Rees & Diana Scutts.

*For those serving in the Armed Forces:* Amanda E. Degener, Kyle M. Degener, George L. Degener, Jesse Fritz, Nicholas LoRusso, Joshua Rudd, and Michael Keegan.

<u>We ask that you remember those for whom prayers are requested:</u> Deana Chiusano, Nancy Fraser, Anthony Graviano, Noel Hayes, Barbara Ireton, Cathy Jones, Gretchen & Jim Jubinski, Cole LoRusso, Jock McLean, Sean McLean, Jeanette Navas, Sudie Nostrand, Paul Oele, Cassie Panzarino, Joan Petrella, Betty-Rose & Stuart Richardson, Jean Scopinich, Sarah Witters, The Reverend Abigail Murphy, Rosemary Rees, and Cheryl Grove.

# THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>The Offering Envelopes for 2023 are in the Narthex.</u> Please pick yours up on your way out. If you are no longer using envelopes, please contact Kate in the church office. Thank you.

MLK Jr. Service on Monday, January 16<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m. via zoom The Hamptons Interfaith Association is hosting a service to commemorate the life and work of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Please use the link below to join the service:

Join Zoom Meeting

https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/2897237617?pwd=SlZtNVdsNnVRQnB3QnNkSEFCUU1UZzo9

Meeting ID: 289 723 7617 Passcode: QUOGUE

# The Church Office will be closed Tuesday, January 16th for Martin Luther King Day.

**<u>Bible Study</u>** is taking place on Thursday at 10 AM in the Rector's office. All are welcome!

Mid-Week Services on Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing in the Rector's office and at 5:00 p.m.—Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline in the Chapel.

<u>Choir Practice</u> is on **Thursday at 5:30 PM in the church.** The only requirement is the desire to make a joyful noise. For further information contact Stephen Hunt at stephenhuntmusic@gmail.com.

<u>Anniversaries & Birthdays</u> – Contact Kate in the church office if there are any anniversaries or birthdays you would like added to our current list for the service bulletin.

<u>We Need Your Help on Sunday Mornings as a Lay Eucharistic Minister or Acolyte.</u> Please contact John Kern at John@jkernlaw.com.

<u>Altar Flowers:</u> If you would like to dedicate flowers for the Altar contact Laura Bott at 631-722-4749 or email her at laura.bott17@gmail.com. Each vase is \$40. There are two vases available for January 22 and 29. There are two vases available for February 12, 26 and one vase for the 5, 19.

<u>Ways to Help the People of Ukraine</u>...When the donated non-perishable items were delivered to the Ukrainian Church in Riverhead we were told that what they need right now are bandages, pain killers, burn care products and <u>new winter clothing</u>. A complete list is posted on the bulletin board next to the church office. Please help us collect as much of these necessary items as we can. There is a box for them in the narthex. You can also visit our website at <u>www.stmarkswhb.org for</u> ways to help.

<u>Maureen's Haven:</u> "Thank you" for donations to Maureen's Haven. A box for donations, along with a list of suggested items such as individual containers of non-perishable food, is in the office lobby.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

January 21 - April 2023: Winter Market in the Parish Hall 10 AM - 2 PM.

# **Last Week's Attendance:**

Sunday, January 8, 8:00 AM: 24

**10:00 AM:** <u>38</u> (plus 93 households viewed us online.)

Total: 62

Pray for your parish family every day at 12:00 Noon And Pray for the People in Ukraine!

# THE LITURGICAL GUIDE AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Liturgical Color	January 8, 2023 1 Epiphany Baptism of Jesus	January 15, 2023 2 Epiphany	January 22, 2023 3 Epiphany	January 29, 2023 4 Epiphany	
Lectionary Readings	Isaiah 42:1-9 Psalm 29 Acts 10:34-43 Matthew 3:13-17	Isaiah 49:1-7       Isaiah 9:1-4         Psalm 40:1-12       Psalm 27:1, 5-13         1 Corinthians 1:1-9       1 Corinthians 1:10-18         Iohn 1:29-42       Matthew 4:12-23		Micah 6:1-8 Psalm 15 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 Matthew 5:1-12	
	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	
LEM	Sundy Schermeyer	Virginia Gilmore	Virginia Gilmore	Sundy Schermeyer	
Lector	Tom Hadlock	Tom Simson	Carol Johns	Carol Jubinski	
Usher	Tom Hadlock	Steve Turner	Tom Simson	Pete Williams	
	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	
LEM	John Kern	Madeline Glover	John Kern	Madeline Glover	
Lector	Helen Horton	William Glover	John Andren	Helen Horton	
Greeter/Ushers	Rich Caccavano William Glover	Eric Christensen Steve DeCaro	Tim Feil Sandy Wyman	Rich Caccavano Larry Andria	
Altar Guild	Victoria Garcia Jean Scopinich	Catharine Nobiletti Ashley McLean	Lee Wadelton Diane Feil	Laura Bott Louise Reeves	
Coffee Hour	Can you bring something to share?	Can you bring something to share?	Can you bring something to share?	Can you bring something to share?	

# SERVICES AT ST. MARK'S

# **WEEKENDS**

Sunday—Holy Eucharist 8:00 am & 10:00 a.m.

# **THURSDAYS**

11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist with prayers for healing 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline

Baptisms, Weddings, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation by Appointment

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# **EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF LONG ISLAND**

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To see the readings for the next two Sundays, click on the links at the top of the schedule on this page

or visit lectionarypage.net

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Holy Name of Jesus New Year's Day 10:00am Holy Eucharist 11:00am Coffee Hour	2 Parish Office Closed	3 School Resumes 12:40pm Staff Meeting	4 [Elizabeth Seton, Vowed Religious and Educator, 1821]	[Sarah, Theodora, and Syncletica of Egypt, Desert Mothers, fourth-fifth century] 10:00am Bible Study-The Book of Common Prayer 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers Choir Practice 5:00pm Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline 5:30pm Choir Practice	6 EPIPHANY The Epiphany of our Land Jesus Christ	7 10:00am Winter (Farmers) Market
8 1 Epiphany: The Baptism of our Lord Jesus Christ 8:00am Holy Eucharist 9:00am Coffee Hour 9:15am Choir Practice 10:00am Holy Eucharist 10:00am Sunday School 11:00am Coffee Hour	9 Julia Chester Emery, Lay Leader and Missionary, 1922 Parish Office Closed 2:00pm Blood Drive at Immaculate Conception Church	10 William Laud, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1645	11	12 Aelred of Rievaulx, Monastic and Theologian, 1167 10:00am Bible Study- The Book of Common Prayer 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers Chair Practice 5:00pm Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline 5:30pm Choir Practice	13 Hilary of Politiers, Bishop, 367	9:00am Men's Breakfast 10:00am Winter (Farmers) Market 11:00am A Memorial Service to Celebrate the Life of Christine Allan
2 Epiphony 8:00am Holy Eucharist 9:00am Coffee Hour 9:15am Choir Practice 10:00am Holy Eucharist 10:00am Sunday School 11:00am Coffee Hour	Martin Luther King Jr. DAY  [Richard Meux Benson, Priest, and Charles Gore, Bishop, 1915 and 1932]  Martin Luther King Jr. Day  Parish Office Closed	17 Antony of Egypt, Monastic Parish Office Closed	18 Confession of St. Peter the Apostle 12:40pm Staff Meeting	Wulfstan of Worcester, Bishop, 1095 10:00am Bible Study- The Book of Common Prayer 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers Choir Practice 5:00pm Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline 5:30pm Choir Practice	20 Fabian, Bishop and Martyr, 250	21 Agnes (and Cecilia) of Rome, Martyrs, 304 [and c.230] 10:00am Winter (Farmers) Market
3 Epiphany 8-00am Holy Eucharist 9:00am Coffee Hour 9:15am Choir Practice 10:00am Holy Eucharist 10:00am Sunday School 11:00am Coffee Hour	23 Phillips Broaks, Bishop, 1893 Parish Office Closed	24 Florence Li Tim-Oi, Priest, 1992	25 Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle	26 Timothy and Titus, Companions of Saint Paul 10:00am Bible Study 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers Choir Practice 5:00pm Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline 5:30pm Choir Practice	2.7 John Chrysostom, Bishop and Theologian, 407	28 Thomas Aquinas, Fria and Theologian, 1274 10:00am Winter (Farmers) Market
29 4 Epiphany No Sunday School Today 8:00am Holy Eucharist 9:00am Coffee Hour 9:15am Choir Practice 10:00am Holy Eucharist 11:00am Coffee Hour	30 Parish Office Closed	31 (Marcella of Rome, Monastic and Scholar, 410) 12:40pm Staff Meeting	1 Brigid of Kildare Monastic, c.523	2 10:00am Bible Study 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers Choir Practice 5:00pm Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline 5:30pm Chair Practice	3 Cornelius the Centurion, or [Manche Masemola, Martyr, 1928]	4  Cornelius the Centurion, or [Manche Masemola, Martyr, 1928] 10:00am Winter (Farmers) Market





# WINTER MARKET

Saturdays from 10AM-2PM

Starting **December 10**, **2022** through **April 29**, **2023** 

St. Mark's Episcopal Church
Main Street & Potunk Lane, WHB



Thursdays

11am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing

5pm Holy Eucharist, Evening Prayer, or Compline

feed your soul!



# **Epiphany: Witnessing Luminosity in All Things**

Stars and guidance have followed each other in many different traditions for all of Time. The Magi's encounter with Jesus is far from an unfamiliar allegory for us; it's a particularly memorable and pageant-worthy tale. And while at Epiphany we remember a certain infamous star that guided these mystics far away from their homes to pay homage to one remarkable newborn child, we may find in our own timelines that there are other far subtler luminosities from which to take guidance. If we are curious enough, we can look for the ways in which God, Christ, and the Holy Spirit manifest in the very mundanity of our surroundings. Perhaps in stars, but in other forms of luminosity, too: for me, it's the laughter of a close friend or the way my cat stretches when the afternoon sunlight hits her favorite nap spot just right.

The season of Epiphany is a stark and luminous reminder that signs of the divine light of Christ can be both tenderly subtle and glaringly obvious. You might notice that light and likeness imagery often go together in Scripture. Despite our apparent differences, class, race, or circumstance, we all share in the likeness of God. And in sharing likeness, we all share God's light as well. It's notable that the Magi's encounter with Christ's light on that day also shined a light on their differences, in home, wealth, and livelihood. To imagine their comparatively lavish arrival with gifts of frankincense, gold, and myrrh alongside the humble nativity scene brings light to the fact that all kinds of light can exist in the same space, even if they seem contradictory.



Where do you witness luminosity in your life? How will you allow for more than enough light to brighten your life? What light do you offer?

During the Advent season, we prepared our awareness to our inner fullness. For Christmas, we extended that grace to our relationships. And by Epiphany, just like the Magi, we are ready to witness the manifestation of Christ's light in all things, people, and the Earth that we steward. And not only to witness and find beauty and remarkability in it, but how we humbly offer our valuable gifts and reverence for others and the world. As we continue to notice these signs, big or small, there is an abundance of light and likeness to be found in our lives. | †350 org

Elise Mills, TENS' Staff Writer, is a recent graduate, writer, and musician from San Francisco. She looks forward to taking afternoon naps with her cat. She is a member of Holy Innocents, San Francisco.





January 5, 2023

Greetings from Camp DeWolfe,

My name is Debbie Davis and I am the office assistant here at Camp DeWolfe in Wading River. I am reaching out to your parish to share our Service Saturday flyers with your parishioners. We would greatly appreciate it if you would kindly display them in your church and out-buildings. If you would like a digital file to share on email, please reach me at <a href="mailto:info@campdewolfe.org">info@campdewolfe.org</a> and I will be pleased to forward you the file.

Our Service Saturday flyer explains our volunteer program that assists us in the maintenance of our beautiful facility. We do projects such as painting, landscaping, gardening, beach clean-up and more. For those unaware, we are a Family Camp and Retreat Center, a ministry of the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island.

We would enjoy hosting a group from your parish and hope that we will see you on one of our Service Saturdays! If you are interested in planning a service visit, please feel free to reach out to Rev. Matt Tees or myself at 631-929-4325 or email us at this address.

Thank you for your time and consideration of our program.

Kind Regards,

Debbie Davis
Office Assistant

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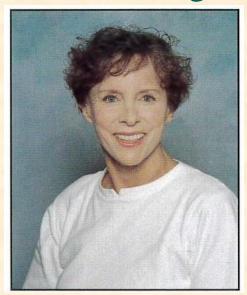
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# Rites of Passage



Christine Allan
July 13, 1940—December 24, 2022

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord!



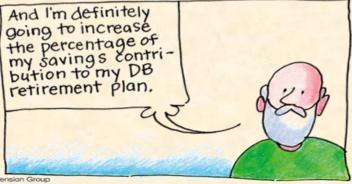
# On the Lighter Side...

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS









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