



THE PARISH
OF ST. MARK
ANGLICAN CHURCH

THE MANE LION

APRIL 11, 2020

INFORMATION NEEDED FOR NEW DIRECTORY

In my attempt to gather contact information, I've realized that many of you think I already have your information based on a past directory. No, I do not have a St. Mark directory, so unless you have emailed me your information or put it on one of the information sheets that were on a table in the Parish Hall on Easter Sunday, I have no updated information for you. Those sheets will be on clipboards and on the tables again this Sunday. Please take a moment to jot down your contact information or email it to me. Let's get this directory done!! - Kim Brooksby, Sr Warden



WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER AND MEDITATION ON THE MYSTERIES OF THE HOLY ROSARY

There's never been a time in the church's history when beads such as the rosary haven't been used. In the earliest centuries of the church when the first monastic religious communities were arising in the deserts in and around Egypt, the daily prayers of those first Christian monks and nuns consisted of reciting all one hundred and fifty of the Psalms (which, incidentally, you had to prove you had memorized before you were even allowed to take your vows!) It was found that a useful tool for this great task of devotion was a string of one hundred fifty beads ... - Deacon Jacques, learn more in the attachment included with this week's Mane Lion

Service Schedule

April 12

Deacon's Liturgy
8 am and 10 am

Outreach committee meeting at 9 am

April 19

Deacon's Liturgy
8 am and 10 am

Wednesday Nights
BCP Book Club
After 6 pm Evening Prayer

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All my discoveries have been made in answer to prayer. - Sir Isaac Newton



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Evenstar Ensemble Concert Saturday, May 2 @ 7 pm Prelude begins 6:15

The upcoming concert, presented by Evenstar Ensemble, is this group's season finale. You won't want to miss it. The music program, titled Path to Venice, explores the music of four composers who developed and exemplified the Venetian style in the Renaissance – Jean Mouton, Adrian Willaert, and Andrea and Giovanni Gabrieli. These are 15th and 16th century composers!

One thing that stands out in particular about the selection of music for this concert is the sacred nature of every piece. And in keeping with our love of traditional music, this program lands at the heart of our Anglican faith with a focus on reverence. It prioritizes choral excellence in its most traditional forms and is designed to enhance the sensory experience of worship. Although these pieces are not being sung in the form of a worship service, one will undoubtedly feel the connection to the devotional music while being surrounded by the beauty and holiness of our historical and sacred sanctuary.

To complement this program, we are hosting a special pre-concert talk we're calling the 'Concert Prelude' available to all ticket-holders beginning at 6:15 pm. Tickets are available through the link on our parish website (see red banner on home page) OR click here .



Evenstar Ensemble is handling the ticket sales differently for this concert than in the past. Our parishioners received the discounted price of \$20 per ticket (regular price is \$30) on previous concert tickets, however, the new system allows attendees to 'pay what you can' for every ticket in an effort to bring this music to all who wish to hear it. You can 'pay it forward' to help the ensemble grow; you can pay 'fair market value' which is the \$30 general admission price; or you can 'pay what you will' which could be your previous admission of \$20 at the discounted price. You decide! And no more messing around with a discount code! It's simple. You can also buy your ticket at the door on the evening of the concert IF any tickets remain available. But for ease of attending the 'Concert Prelude' and the concert itself, buying your ticket in advance is surely recommended.

We will have more about the music in next week's Mane Lion or you can see the music selections at the Evenstar Ensemble website . This is going to be a special evening!