



# ST. MARK *the* EVANGELIST

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

### *Our Mission*

To invite all  
on our journey to:

**L**earn

**O**rar (Pray)

**G**iVe

**E**vangelize

### *All Are Welcome!*

If you are a visitor,  
we hope you will find our bulletin  
to be a reflection of  
our vibrant and  
spirit filled parish,  
and that you will consider  
becoming part of our family!

To join us,  
please register online at  
[www.stmarktampa.org/join](http://www.stmarktampa.org/join)  
or call the Parish Office at  
813-907-7746.

*For more information,  
visit our website at  
[www.stmarktampa.org](http://www.stmarktampa.org)*



**July 3, 2022**

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**



## Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM  
Sunday: 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 5:30 PM  
Sunday in Spanish: 12:30 PM  
Monday\* & Thursday: Noon  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 8:30 AM  
\*Mondays that fall on a holiday: 8:30 AM

### Reconciliation

Saturdays 3 PM - 3:45 PM (or by appt.)

### Rosary

Every weekday half hour before Mass

### Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Every weekday after Mass

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Open during Parish Hours

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

First Wednesday of Month: 9 AM - 7 PM  
Closes with Benediction at 7 PM

### Church Hours

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday  
8 AM to 4 PM  
Wednesday 8 AM - 8 PM  
Friday 8 AM - Noon

## Pastor

### Rev. Richard Jankowski

FrRichard@stmarktampa.org

### Assisting Deacons

Deacon Moises Gutierrez

DeaconMoises@stmarktampa.org

Deacon Jose Moronta

DeaconJMoronta@stmarktampa.org

Deacon Scott Paine

DeaconScott@stmarktampa.org

Deacon Hector Rios

DeaconHector@stmarktampa.org



## Parish Hours

### SUMMER SCHEDULE

Mon through Thurs 9 AM - 4 PM  
Friday 9 AM - Noon  
(changes on holidays - please call)

Phone: (813) 907-7746

Fax: (813) 907-7556

9724 Cross Creek Blvd  
Tampa, FL 33647.

Website: [www.stmarktampa.org](http://www.stmarktampa.org)

Email: [info@stmarktampa.org](mailto:info@stmarktampa.org)

Venetian Rental Info: (813) 508-2735

### Events Calendar and Tickets

[www.stmarktampa.org/calendar](http://www.stmarktampa.org/calendar)

### Bulletin Submissions

[Bulletin@stmarktampa.org](mailto:Bulletin@stmarktampa.org)  
Weekly deadline: Tuesdays at 9 AM  
the week prior to publication,  
earlier holiday deadlines TBA

## Ministry Contacts

To find out more information about our many ministries  
or to contact the ministry leader visit our website:

[www.stmarktampa.org/ministries](http://www.stmarktampa.org/ministries)

Or contact our Ministry Coordinator at  
[mstrickland@stmarktampa.org](mailto:mstrickland@stmarktampa.org)

## Sign Up Now! [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org)

Enjoy Catholic content (like Netflix!) all in one place!  
Go to <https://formed.org/> - Choose "I'm a Parishioner of a Parish"  
next type in our name: "St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church"  
and then out of the many St. Mark the Evangelist parishes...  
choose the one with our address  
(9724 Cross Creek Blvd, Tampa, FL 33647).  
That's all there is to it!

## Deanery Events

For more information about our Deanery and their events,  
visit our website:

[www.stmarktampa.org/our-deanery](http://www.stmarktampa.org/our-deanery).

## Social Media



[www.facebook.com/stmarktampa](http://www.facebook.com/stmarktampa)



[www.instagram.com/StMarkLOVE](http://www.instagram.com/StMarkLOVE)

## Donate / Support

Credit Card/Online: [www.DonateStMark.org](http://www.DonateStMark.org)

Text to Give: 813-296-5116

To set up Recurring Automatic Donations: Contact

Joe Phillips at [jphillips@stmarktampa.org](mailto:jphillips@stmarktampa.org) or 813-907-7746 x 304

## Sacramental Preparation

### Baptism

Please call (813) 907-7746 to sign up  
for required pre-baptism classes.  
Brochures, forms, and sponsor letters can  
be found online at: [stmarktampa.org/baptism](http://stmarktampa.org/baptism).

### Marriage

Couples planning their marriage should call  
(813) 907-7746 ext. 317 at least six months  
prior to their wedding date in order to complete  
their pre-marital assessment, discernment,  
and marriage preparation enrichment.  
For info go to: [stmarktampa.org/marriage](http://stmarktampa.org/marriage).

### RCIA

Adults, older children, or teens who have not  
been baptized, or have been baptized in another  
Christian Community, who desire to enter into  
full communion with the Catholic Church,  
please call (813) 907-7746 ext. 317.  
For info go to: [stmarktampa.org/RCIA](http://stmarktampa.org/RCIA)

### First Communion & Confirmation

Adults who have been baptized, but have not  
received their First Communion and/or Confirmation,  
should call (813) 907-7746 ext. 317.

Children and Teens: Students must attend  
two consecutive years. Preparation in the parish  
is necessary for the sacraments  
(even for those at parochial schools).  
Brochures and forms can be picked up at the  
Parish Office or found online at:  
[stmarktampa.org/communion](http://stmarktampa.org/communion) or  
[stmarktampa.org/confirmation-1](http://stmarktampa.org/confirmation-1)



## Mass Intentions

MASS INTENTIONS: Monday, July 4 through Sunday, July 10

Mon., July 4	8:30 am	Tomas Martinez (I) By Samuel & Angeles Porrata
Tues., July 5	8:30 am	Christine Esposito (d) By Bill Palmer
Wed., July 6	8:30 am	VOCATIONS
Thurs., July 7	Noon	Roger Haig (d) By Kathy Haig
Fri, July 8	8:30 am	Cesar Tinio (d) By Randy & Mitos Villasenor
Sat., July 9	4:00 pm	Janet Tomasán (d) By the Merriman Family
Sun., July 10	8:30 am	Josephine Pilla (d) By Lois & Chuck Lewandowski
	10:30 am	Parishioners of St. Mark
	12:30 pm	Iris Nunez (d) By Altagarcia Nunez
	5:30 pm	John Michael Hater (d) By Ann Hater

The Sanctuary Candle burns this week in honor of Marian Thomas-Hussen  
By Hilary Gittens

## DID YOU KNOW?

\*Low gluten hosts are available  
(0.001% gluten)  
*See Luther Ferris*

\*Our Monthly St. Mark Financial Information  
can always be found on our website at  
<https://stmarktampa.org/finances>

\* You can reserve rooms for your  
Ministry Meetings and Events at  
[roomschedule@stmarktampa.org](mailto:roomschedule@stmarktampa.org)

Enjoy the Daily Readings!  
[www.usccb.com/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.com/bible/readings)

## URGENT USHERS NEEDED at our 5:30pm Mass

(Men, Women & Youth - will train)

See our 5:30pm Mass Head Usher: Robb Walton  
before or after Mass.

## Orar ~ Pray

### Pray for Our Heroes

Brian Artienda  
Ulio & Francisco Arocho  
\*Christina Bennett  
Morgan Boruty  
\*Stephen Brown  
Tanya Buckley  
\*Ron Caputo  
Neal Cheramie  
Ryan Clisset  
Adrian A. Cruz  
Tyler Emerick  
\*Jorge Farchakh  
Christopher A. Garcia  
\*Ian Garia  
Andrew Gephart  
Kevin Howell  
Samantha Howell  
\*Bryan Hunt  
\*Ryan Irwin  
Mark Kieweg  
Harold La Rock  
Jason Larson  
Leticia Larson  
Robert Letzeisen Jr.

Jack Manning  
Jacob Meier  
Yerandy Molina  
Merridith Morrison  
Brandon Nidasio  
Ismael A. Olivo-Alvarez  
Anthony Orcajo  
Christopher Parkes  
Jorge A. Perez III  
James Phillips  
Paul Pita  
Pedro Rico  
Daniel Sabarese  
Nicholas Stiegler  
Tiffany Stiegler  
Bobby Thomas  
Ana Maria Vargas  
\*Camilo Andres Vargas  
Disney Velez  
Khiry White  
Daniel Woodard  
Steven Woodard  
Robert Woodards

### Get Well Prayers

Erick Young  
Juan Alberto Urbano  
Richard Buckley  
Lexie Class  
Ann Pianka  
Mrs. Streick  
Cindy Hipple

Please send your request to [Prayers@stmarktampa.org](mailto:Prayers@stmarktampa.org)

### Dearly Departed

Ernesto Rosias  
Jack Somerstein  
Richard Buckley  
Toni Martin



**Merridith  
Morrison**

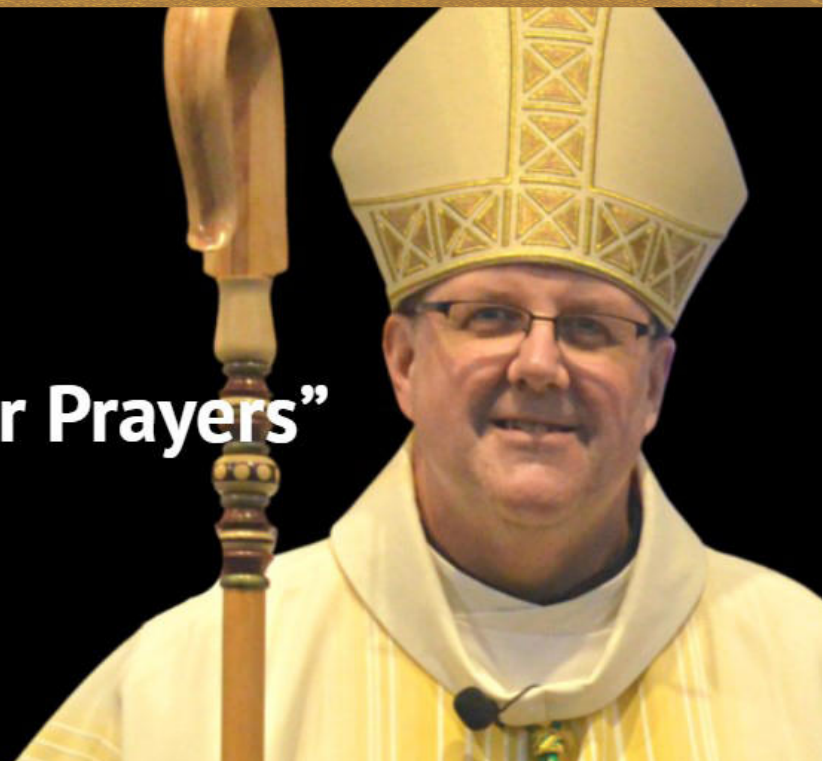
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**“Grateful For Your Prayers”**





# Learn ~ Aprender

Deacon Jose Moronta

## **The first initiative of evangelization was like a sales campaign**

Today's gospel tells us about Jesus sending 84 of his disciples for a missionary journey.

«...the Lord appointed seventy-two others whom he sent ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit...»

(The seventy-two "others" is a number in addition to the Twelve. That's why I said 84)

Before they depart, their teacher and leader gives them a "motivational speech" and some instructions. It's like we were listening to a sales manager preparing his staff as they get ready to set out on a new sales campaign. Jesus' disciples will go out to execute a sales job. They will be selling the Good News. His instructions are practical and specific, and might be applied to any other kind of endeavor:

- 1) Stay focused on the project at hand; allow no distractions.
- 2) Remember, you do not work alone; God is with you.
- 3) Pray and trust in God's help.
- 4) Stay alert at all times. Pay attention.
- 5) Value your product, because it is important.
- 6) Carefully discern when it is time to speak, time to be still.
- 7) If people are closed to you, you are wasting your time; move on.
- 8) Even then, leave a seed behind to take root and bear fruit later.
- 9) Remember, Christ will do the follow-up work; you prepare the way.
- 10) Pray for more workers; that's an essential part of the plan.

As any other good sales manager would do, Jesus also provides His workers with some information about the competition. There will be "snakes and scorpions," he warns them, using imaginative language to picture the obstacles they will have to overcome. Because He has prepared them so well, however, they have nothing to fear from any competitor. His sales crew is ready for the challenge. And it worked because upon their return they were excited and reported to Jesus,

«...The seventy-two returned rejoicing, and said, Lord, even the demons are subject to us because of your name...»

Even after being born two thousand years later, we're also members of Jesus' sales crew. We have been commissioned to sell the Good News to others... by word and example, by attitudes and behavior. When we come to Mass, when we read the Bible, when we meet with other Christians, we refresh our knowledge of the "product" we are called to sell. Let's be a champion team and beat the competition!

And have in mind that after doing the Lord's work we'll listen the same words he addressed to his apostles and disciples,

«Nevertheless, do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven...»



**In observance of Independence Day,  
the Parish Office will be closed  
and  
Daily Mass will be celebrated at 8:30am  
and  
the Church will close for the rest of the day.**

## **PRAYER FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY**

**God, source of all freedom,  
this day is bright with the  
memory of those who declared  
life and liberty are your gift to  
every human being.**

**Help us to continue a good  
work begun long ago.**

**Make our vision clear and our  
will strong: that only in human  
solidarity will we find liberty,  
and justice only in the honor  
that belongs to every life  
on earth.**

**Turn our hearts toward the  
family of nations: to understand  
the ways of others, to offer  
friendship, and to find safety  
only in the common good of all.  
We ask this through Christ  
our Lord.  
Amen.**

**- Prayer from "Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers"**



**dosp.org**



# Learn, Orar, giVe & Evangelize (& Engage!)



All those interested in joining SMARTS are always welcome. SMARTS Meetings are held at The Venetian, 11:00 AM. Contact Bob Stucker, 813-783-3507 or [rjstucker@verizom.net](mailto:rjstucker@verizom.net)

Please note, with the major renovations occurring in the Venetian this summer, there will be a temporary disruption to the normal SMARTS activities.

Please follow the announcements in the bulletin for updates to the activities.



Our Choir is always looking for more lovely voices and now specifically, we are in need of a

**HIGH SCHOOL  
TRUMPET PLAYER.**

If you are interested, please see John Paul at the organ for more information.



**Our Food Pantry  
Is open for those in need!**

**Drive-up open  
on 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month  
from 1 pm - 4 pm**

**Please help stock our Food Pantry!**

**Canned Tuna or Chicken**

drop off at the cart inside our Social Narthex

by our Information Desk during the week  
or

outside during Weekend Mass Hours.

Drop off times will coincide with our church hours:  
&  
at all Masses

Thank you for your continued support!

If you would like to volunteer to help distribute food at our food pantry please go to: [www.stmarktampa.org/FoodPantrySchedule](http://www.stmarktampa.org/FoodPantrySchedule) to check the schedule for vacant dates & send an email to: [smpantry@gmail.com](mailto:smpantry@gmail.com) with the vacant date(s) you would like to volunteer.

SvdP Thrift Store: 12310 N. Nebraska Ave in Tampa. (813) 977-7057.

Please consider joining our  
**St. Mark the Evangelist Legacy Society**

To remember St. Mark in your will or trust, please ask your attorney to use the following terminology:

**I give, devise, bequeath (amount, article, stock, property, etc.) to  
St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church  
9724 Cross Creek Blvd,  
Tampa, FL 33647**

For more information, please contact Val anytime at 813-508-2735 or [vmainguy@stmarktampa.org](mailto:vmainguy@stmarktampa.org)

**At the bottom of our website  
[www.StMarkTampa.org](http://www.StMarkTampa.org) - Click on**

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You shop. Amazon gives.

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# 2022-2023

**Begins MAY 1st!!**

**To Register: Make an appointment at  
[ffmregistration.youcanbook.me](https://ffmregistration.youcanbook.me)**

**Options: Traditional, Family Faith& Homebased**





## Exposition This Wednesday

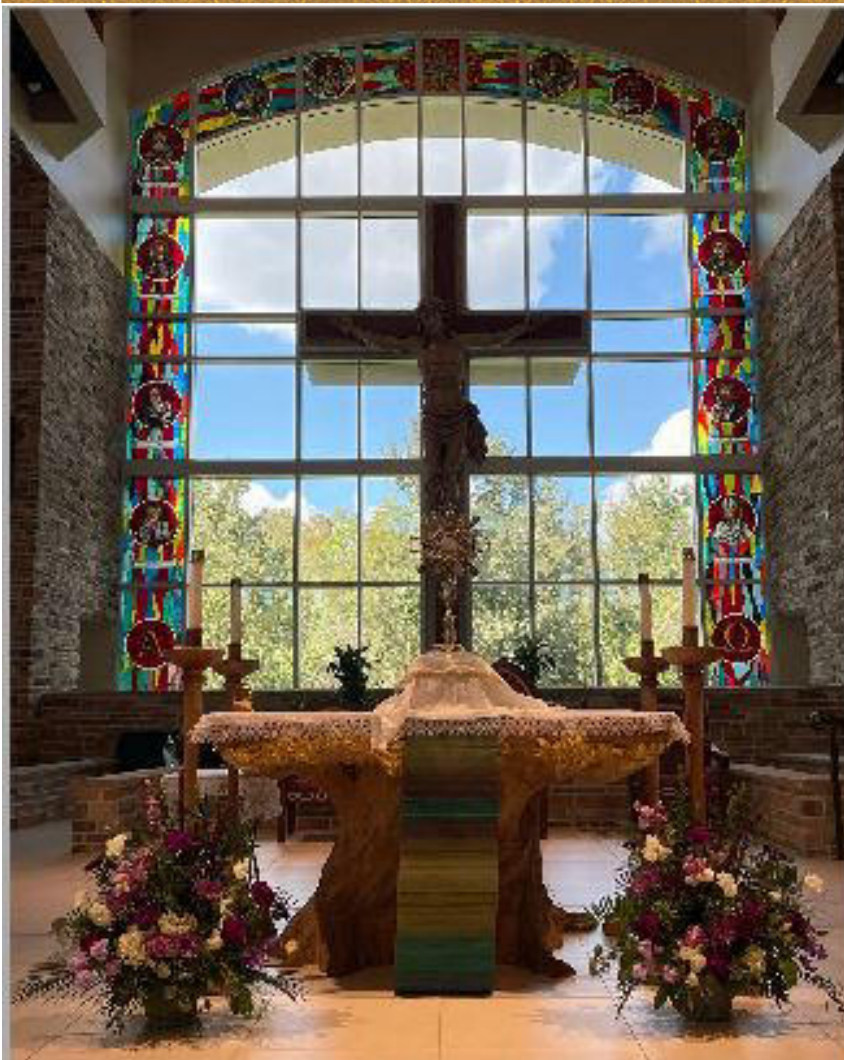
### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Come join us in prayer on the first Wednesday of every month from 9:00am to 7:00pm with closing benediction rite.

Exposition is a time of Eucharistic adoration when a consecrated host is revealed in the Monstrance. It can be a time to allow the Lord to restore our soul. A chance to be present as we are in front of the Lord, and for Him to gaze back at us.

"When you look at the crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now"

St. Teresa of Calcutta



YOUNG ADULT GROUP  
(22-37)

Meeting every other Wednesday in The Venetian (John 1 & 2 room)  
@ 7pm

This little group is picking up steam and blossoming. Great place to build community with young Catholics. Come learn, eat and drink and meet new people. Our format is: food, teaching, discussion. Last meeting we learned and talked about the realities of marriage.

Contact: [youngadult@stmarktampa.org](mailto:youngadult@stmarktampa.org)



# Fr. Edward Lamp Pilgrimages



## Fatima, Lourdes, Paris & Medjugorje

Spiritual Leader: **Fr. Edward Lamp**

Date	Duration	Destination
June 12 - 27, 2023	15 days	Portugal, France & Medjugorje

Lisbon (St. Anthony) \* Fatima \* Lourdes (St. Bernadette) \* Paris (Miraculous Medal) \* Medjugorje

**\$6,389 per person from Tampa (TPA)**

Roundtrip air, taxes & fuel charges  
Centrally located hotels  
Breakfast daily and some dinners (with wine)  
Transportation by air conditioned motor coach  
Register today \$400 deposit

**Group Leader - Mary Seaman / Parishioner Email [nursingsuccess@icloud.com](mailto:nursingsuccess@icloud.com)  
Register Online: [www.pilgrimages.com/frlamp](http://www.pilgrimages.com/frlamp)**



## DIVINE MERCY CENACLES

(SMALL FAITH SHARING GROUPS) have resumed.

Come join us as we once again delve more deeply into the writings of St. Faustina and the messages Jesus gave to her regarding the Eucharist and the message of God's great love and mercy. Cenacles are held the 2nd and 4th weeks of each month. Cenacles (English) meet on Tuesdays at 9:30 and Thursdays at 1:30 in the St. Michael classroom located in the Church. For more information, please contact the Divine Mercy Ministry at [leader-divinemercury@stmarktampa.org](mailto:leader-divinemercury@stmarktampa.org)

### CENACULO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA EN ESPANOL.

Te invitamos a unirte a nosotros, somos fieles que nos reunimos los miércoles a las 7 pm de la segunda y la cuarta semana de cada mes, para profundizar los mensajes de Jesús a Santa Faustina sobre el amor y la misericordia. ¡Te esperamos!

Para ingresar a la reunión, por zoom el Meeting ID es : 8139077746 y el password es: Mercy

Para información, por favor escribir a:  
[leader-divinemercury@stmarktampa.org](mailto:leader-divinemercury@stmarktampa.org)



## Catholic Youth Sports Tampa

### St. Mark the Evangelist Church Soccer

A Catholic Youth Sports supported soccer program for boys and girls ages 5 – 17 and all athletic abilities is ready for a third (FALL 2022) season at St. Mark.

**Season** begins on August 27 with one practice (early evening) and one game (Saturday mornings) per week at St. Mark the Evangelist soccer fields as well as possibly a few other churches in the North Tampa area.

**Program** uses small sided games (4 to 5 players depending on age group).

**Teams** are projected include U(nder) 6 (born before 1/1/2016), U8 (1/1/2014), U10 (1/1/2012), U13 (1/1/2009) and U18 (1/1/2004) depending on registrations.

**Register** online using the link at [www.stmarktampa.org/sports](http://www.stmarktampa.org/sports). Early registration opened on 6/1/2022. Cost per player is \$110 for a one or two players, \$100 per player for three or more from same family. Early registration pricing ends July 23. After that date cost will be \$150 per player.

**Contact Us:** Don at [soccer@stmarktampa.org](mailto:soccer@stmarktampa.org) for more information or if you would like to volunteer. Coaches and referees are always needed and will be trained through the program at St. Mark.



# Our Virtual Church Offerings

[www.stmarktampa.org](http://www.stmarktampa.org)

## Sunday Masses:

Our Saturday 4pm Vigil & Sunday 12:30pm (Spanish) Masses will be Livestreamed onto our Facebook Page or our YouTube Channel.

To view the Livestream Mass, on Facebook: type into your URL: either [www.facebook.com/stmarktampa](http://www.facebook.com/stmarktampa) or [www.youtube.com/stmarktampa](http://www.youtube.com/stmarktampa).

## Ways to Give:

Donate online to support St. Mark at [donatestmark.org](http://donatestmark.org)

**Please Note:** Drive Thru Communion has ended.

## Additional Offerings:

Deacon Jose's weekly **Bilingual Liturgical Reflections**: Website.

Deacon Scott holds a livestream **Morning & Evening Prayers** daily:  
Facebook - Deacon Scott Paine.

Abbot Isaac & the Benedictine Monks celebrating their **LIVESTREAMED Daily Mass at Noon each weekday**: Facebook - St. Leo Abbey.

And last - a link to our FREE Catholic "Netflix-type" resource: **FORMED.org**

# The Venetian Event Center

<http://thevenetiantampa.com>



- ◆ Over 11,000 sq ft Event Space
- ◆ Seats Up to 880 Banquet Style
- ◆ Seats Over 1,000 Theatre Style
- ◆ Wet Bar / Cafe & Reception Area
- ◆ Outdoor Event Space available on our Terrace
- ◆ Piano Available
- ◆ Adjustable Lighting and Room Darkening Shades
- ◆ Tables Included
- ◆ Floating 16 ft x 9 ft HDMI Projection Screen
- ◆ Shure Clear Audio and Components
- ◆ Your Choice of Caterers & Vendors
- ◆ Catering Staging Area



Wedding Receptions ~ Anniversary Parties  
Banquets ~ Quinceañeras  
Birthdays ~ Concerts

For rental information call or text 813-508-2735



[www.DonateStMark.org](http://www.DonateStMark.org)

Text to Give: 813-296-5116

## It is in Giving that we receive

Thank you ALL for your support through the pandemic  
and your continual generosity!

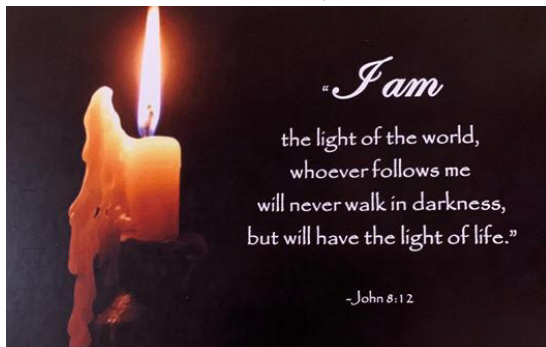
## God Bless You!

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Joe Phillips at [jphillips@stmarktampa.org](mailto:jphillips@stmarktampa.org) or 813-907-7746 x 304

### Sanctuary Candle

Stop by the Parish Office to request your  
Sanctuary Candle. In order to accommodate  
the requests of our many parishioners, we limit  
one Candle per family. Requests are on a first  
come availability basis.

The cost is \$25.

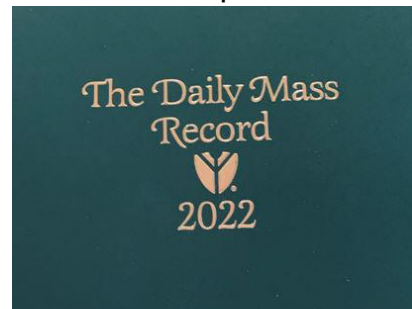


### Mass Intentions are Available!

Stop by the Parish Office to request your Mass  
Intentions for 2022. In order to accommodate the  
requests of our many parishioners, only four Mass  
Intentions per family will be allowed and only one  
of those can be a weekend mass.

Requests are on a first come availability basis.

The Mass Stipend is \$20.



### A Great Gift & Donate to St. Mark

by purchasing a

### Memorial Brick

at the entrance of our beautiful new

### Blessed Mary Shrine and Rosary Garden

Each 4x8 inch brick  
is a **tax deductible** donation  
of \$500 (cash or credit).

Includes engraving of 3 lines  
of 13 characters each.

For more information or to purchase:

Contact Val at (813) 508-2735  
or [vmainguy@stmarktampa.org](mailto:vmainguy@stmarktampa.org)





# Tax Free Contribution Information

If you are over 70 ½ and have an IRA or similar retirement account you may be required to take annual distributions prescribed by the IRS. These distributions are usually taxed at your ordinary income tax rate.

**A new law was passed on 12/15/2015 which may allow you to contribute any part of your IRA including these required distributions to St. Mark TAX FREE!**

**Example: If you contribute \$5000 from your IRA to St. Mark and are in a 20% tax bracket, the church receives the \$5000 and you may save \$1000 in taxes.**

***A WIN-WIN for both the church and the parishioner!***

If your tax advisor agrees and you want to contribute from your 2021/2022 required annual distributions or even from your current IRA,

instruct your IRA custodian to make the check out to: St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church.

They can either send it to you or directly to the church.

**This is a great way to fulfill your pledge and/or contribute your annual offering in a lump sum.**