



## Saint Mark Family Ministry

## **Vision Statement for Family Ministry**

We believe, through the grace of Jesus Christ, that God has called our church to be a place where people of all ages grow in Spirit and Service together. Saint Mark family ministry strives to follow the example of Jesus Christ by being welcoming and inclusive as we guide and support families along their journey of faith together.

## As we do this we seek to provide...

-an environment where children and families are encouraged to find joy in worship together, -tools, resources and hands-on experiences to help the spiritual development of children and their parents, -support and guidance as parents and families navigate the challenges that arise in our lives and in the world (for example: the use of technology, violence in schools, illness, racism, divorce, natural disasters),

-opportunities to serve as a family to address needs present in Saint Mark, the community, and the world, -ways for relationships to be formed and nurtured through sharing life together, reflection on Scripture, worship, and praying for one other.





