

St. Mark's Sacred Ground

Schedule of Events for January - June 2026

JANUARY

Monday, Jan 19

Church Wide Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service

Mahon Hall 10 a.m. - 12 noon

- Card Writing for those on St. Mark's prayer list
- Assemble Birthday Bags for Glen House Food Pantry
- Assemble Personal Care kits for Glen House Food Pantry

Tuesday, Jan 27

Monthly Meeting Library 7:30 - 9:30 pm

Pre-Civil War Quilts: The Secret Codes to Freedom on the Underground Railroad

In this 60-minute multimedia historical presentation, Connie Martin tells stories from family history, safe routes, and sharing secret codes in the patterns of Pre-Civil War Quilts used by escaping slaves on the Underground Railroad to freedom in Canada.

FEBRUARY

Wednesday, Feb 25 **Lenten Series** Library 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Soup, Film, & Discussion -- Separated: Part 1

MARCH

Wednesday, March 4 **Lenten Series** Library 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Soup, Film, & Discussion - Separated, Part II

Wednesday, March 11 **Lenten Series** Library 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Soup, Film, & Discussion - Living Undocumented?

Wednesday, March 18 **Lenten Series** Library 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Soup, Film, & Discussion - Living Undocumented?

April

Saturday, April 18 **Field Trip** - 42nd Chicago Latino Film Festival is scheduled for April 16-27, 2026. Films have not yet been selected or scheduled. More info soon.

Meet at church at 10 a.m. - Carpool to Chicago for film festival. We will plan to have lunch in Chicago and return to St. Mark's between 3 and 4 p.m.

Tuesday, April 28 Monthly Meeting Library 7:30 - 9:00 pm

May

Tuesday, May 26 Monthly Meeting Library 7:30 - 9:00 pm

Saturday, May 30 Field Trip to the Healing Gardens in St. Charles, led by Tammy Minuti
Details to follow.

June

Friday, June 19 – Juneteenth Celebration in collaboration with One Community/Interfaith Prayer Breakfast/People's Community Church

Tuesday, June 23 – Monthly Meeting Library 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.