

Love to You



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To the Ministry Leaders of SMCC

"But the greatest among you shall be your servant." (Matthew 23:11)

Dear Leader:

As you all know, the church is not a building. The church is made up of people, the body of Christ. Even so, it is vitally important to have structure within the body. *"...and God has put each part just where he wants it." (I Corinthians 12:18)*

I want to thank the Ministry Leaders, both past and present, of St. Mark Community Church for providing the organization and management of the various departments and sections of our congregation. You have truly been pillars of faith, holding up and providing leadership to your groups. You were always faithful. Anyone who's ever done ministry knows that it's not always easy, not always flourishing, not always teeming with volunteers. I commend you for hanging in there during the lean times as well as the thriving times. Thank you for sacrificing of your time, your talents and abilities to keep this ministry interesting and relevant. With God's help, you have upheld and undergirded the mission and vision of this church through your commitment to excellence.

I have enjoyed working with you and assisting you with your various projects over the years. I have an abundance of memories of the many tasks and plans that we worked on together. No matter how small, it was always a pleasure. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of your plans and visions. You have no idea how much I looked forward to your calls and visits to the church office. I could see how you loved and cared about each endeavor. Because of your work and devotion to your mission, and because you came forth in obedience to God and your calling, this church has moved along in a decent and orderly fashion for over fourteen years.

On behalf of Pastor Romes and myself, I thank you and we are grateful for your service and we encourage you to continue on the path that you have begun *"...for the Lord himself goes before you and will be with you."* (Deuteronomy 31:8).

We love you all!

Love,

Sis. Romes