

As Introduced

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S. R. No. 301

Senator Gardner

A RESOLUTION

Honoring St. Mark's Lutheran Church on its Centennial.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend St. Mark's Lutheran Church
on its One Hundredth Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Recognition of this significant milestone is a
fitting tribute to St. Mark's Lutheran Church, for throughout the
past century, it has achieved a praiseworthy record of service to
the area. The accomplishments of this fine house of worship are a
justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection not only
on the church itself but also on its devoted leaders, including
Pastor Rob Spicer, on its members, and on the Bowling Green
community; and

WHEREAS, More than a mere building, a church is the dedicated
individuals who have joined to bring life to the House of the
Lord. Whether celebrating a religious holiday or attending weekly
worship, the congregation of St. Mark's Lutheran Church has truly
experienced and manifested the living faith of Christianity; and

WHEREAS, Since its establishment in 1916, St. Mark's Lutheran
Church has enhanced the quality of life within the surrounding
area, and its generous contributions have earned it the gratitude
and respect of the many citizens it has so capably served. We are
certain that in the years to come, the church will maintain the
tradition of spiritual enlightenment that has long been its
hallmark; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud St.
Mark's Lutheran Church on its Centennial and extend best wishes
for continued growth and prosperity; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	28
authenticated copy of this Resolution to St. Mark's Lutheran	29
Church.	30