

**St. Stephen's
Episcopal Church**

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The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost



Priscilla Bradford Kight

August 1, 1950 – July 12, 2020

It is with great sadness we announce the death of our Parish Administrator Priscilla B. Kight on Sunday, July 12, 2020 due to complications from Covid-19. Priscilla entered the Lakeland Regional Health Medical Center on June 30th for surgery to address lung cancer and she became infected with pneumonia and the Covid-19 virus. She was unable to fight this off in her diminished post-surgical state.

Priscilla was born in Asheville, NC (and loved to return as often as she could) to Charles A. Bradford and Barbara Bobst Bradford. After traveling the world as a Navy dependent, she attended high school and college in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Priscilla and her family settled in Lakeland on July 4, 1980 and called it their home. She worked at the Lake Miriam

Book Mart and then as our parish administrator.

Priscilla was predeceased by both her parents and leaves behind her devoted and loving husband of 50 years, Major L. Kight, III. She is survived by her three children Suzanne Kight, Matthew Kight (Nhu) and Victoria Naples (Steve) and grandchildren Monica, Amanda and Naomi Kight and Hayley and Ava Naples; her brother Charles A. Bradford, (Debra) and sister Elizabeth B. Bradford, (Michele); nephew and nieces Evan, Melissa and Marissa; "Sister Cousin" Judy Dexter and numerous cousins, relatives and friends accumulated over her life.

A strong woman of faith, she reminds us that faith does not go away with our human condition, our limited vision, or our wavering mind but it does give us the power to walk where the earth is not firm, to see where the air is not clear, and to set sail when the sea is not calm. Priscilla could always sense when others needed her and had a special gift of calming the waters when their seas were rough. Her life and her legacy show us the power of hope in the midst of despondency, to love in the midst of indifference and to smile in the midst of misunderstanding.

Due to current pandemic precautions a private service was held at St. Stephen's on Saturday July 18, 2020 at 10:00 AM and was live streamed on [facebook.com/ststchurch](https://www.facebook.com/ststchurch) or [youtube.com/ststchurch](https://www.youtube.com/ststchurch). An interment ceremony open to the public will be held at St. Stephen's on a future date.



VBS July 20-24 Cancelled

With the rising virus cases in Polk County, our upcoming VBS dates of July 20-24 no longer seem workable. If there is still time and better circumstances before the beginning of the school year, we will try to reschedule.

**St. Stephen's ...
To Love and Serve
God and Neighbor**



2020-Mike Whitt, Bill Baggett, Carol Reynolds

2021-David Dresser, Liz Barham, Debbie Powell

2022-Charles Bradford, Steve Meyer, Missy Sabine

Treasurer: Charles Bradford

Bookkeeper: Cathy Zielinski



**Holy Eucharist II
Wednesdays, 9am
in the Sanctuary
with Fr. Rob**

**Looking for a smaller service to return
to in-person worship? Try this one.**

**A Message from Our Diocese:
Companion Diocese of Honduras
Needs Our Help**

The Church in Honduras is in dire need. Many families are in desperate need for financial assistance.

Honduras' Bishop Lloyd warns that without significant aid people will die. Please help send relief to our companion Diocese of 35 years.

- Text "DCF Honduras" to "73256" to donate via credit/debit card or bank account (leave a space between "DCF" and "Honduras". Letters are not case-sensitive.)

- Online via credit/debit cards or bank account at www.tinyurl.com/HondurasRelief

- Send a check payable to "Diocese of Central Florida" memo line: "Honduras Relief". Mail to: Diocese of Central Florida, 1017 E. Robinson St., Orlando, FL 32801.



**Online
Activities Still
Available
to You**



at centralfloridachurch.com

Livestreamed and available later for viewing:

Sunday Worship Service

Sundays, 9:00am

Morning Prayer with Fr. Rob

Monday-Friday at 8am

Narnia Series— starting this week

"The Last Battle" with Fr. David

Monday-Friday at 10am

Compline with Fr. David

Monday-Friday at 8pm

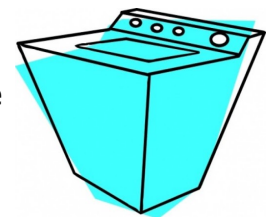
**Is There Anything
We Can Do for You?**



In this time of isolation and furloughs do you have needs that we should know about? Please email us at ststoffice@gmail.com, call during office hours, or leave a message to let us know.

**Got a New Washing Machine—
Used One Free to a Good Home**

If you are in need of a medium capacity Kenmore top-loading washing machine in good working order, please text Karen Spiller, 863-513-0035.

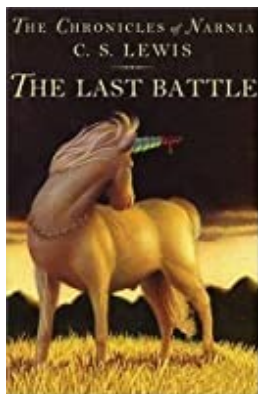


Verse of the Week—Romans 8:17

**Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God
and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings
in order that we may also share in his glory.**

Narnia Series Book *The Last Battle* Starts This Week On Facebook

ONE FINAL ADVENTURE IN NARNIA. The Chronicles conclude, starting this week, as Fr. David reads *The Last Battle*, each morning at 10:00am. I can't recommend this enough. Everything we've read, every adventure we've shared, it all comes down to this!



On Facebook at 10:00am
each weekday
with Fr. David.
(Also available later if
you miss it.)



*"Each of you should give what you have
decided in your heart to give,
not reluctantly or under compulsion,
for God loves a cheerful giver."*

July 12, 2020

Attendance:	9am: 11
	10am: 24
	11am: 36
Total:	71

Income: \$2,580.00

**WHAT HAVE YOU
BEEN DOING
THIS SUMMER?**

Send us pics to share
ststoffice@gmail.com



JULY Sign-Ups

Help us maintain our
capacity requirements—
reserve a spot at one
of our three Sunday Services:
9:00am, 10:00am, & 11:00am

You can find an easy link button
to register on our website at
centralfloridachurch.com.

Call the church office
if you need help.
If you forget to register
don't let that keep you away.



4 ways to continue to give your pledge during the summer of a pandemic:

- Mail your check to the church. We check the mailbox every day.
- Set up a bill pay request through your bank.
- Use the "donate" tab on our website at centralfloridachurch.com (you can use a debit or credit card)
- Drop your offering in the collection plate near the entrance to our in-person worship service

If you have any questions please call the
office & we'll try to help you figure it out,
or email Cathy Zielinski
at ststtreasurer@gmail.com.

*Thank you for your continued faithfulness
during this time of personal separation.*

Church Office Hours
Monday-Thursday,
9:00am-3:00pm
863-646-6115
ststoffice@gmail.com
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*The Flowers on the Altar have been
given by Susan Helms in thanksgiving
for her St. Stephen's Parish Family*



July Birthdays

- 1 Mary Roach
Rick Roach
- 3 Ellen Irwin
- 6 Juanita Spence
- 8 Susan Barham
- 9 Betty Sutton, Bill Warneke
- 11 Tim Trimbath
- 12 Jack Flanagan
- 14 Amy Ling
- 15 David Leahy
- 16 Ayla Binnion, Erica DeMan,
Judy Horne
- 17 Pat Dupont
- 19 Sue DeMan, Stacy Englert
- 22 Tony Barfield, Gary Westberry
- 23 Adrian Gomez
- 24 Jameson Ausmus
- 25 Fr. David Peoples
- 27 Mickey Kilpatrick
- 28 Debbie Bradford,
Marge Stockwell
- 30 Ken Horne, Robin Pittman,
Glen Richardi



July Anniversaries

- 2 David & Patricia Dresser
- 10 George & Gabby Tobgui
- 17 Bill & Mariela Brink
- 21 Mickey & Cecilia Kilpatrick
- 23 Glen & Cathy Zielinski
- 25 Francisco & Jessie Gomez
- 31 Dennis & Dawn Flynn


St. Stephen's Prayer List

(Parish Members are in Bold)

Prayer Needs: Ken France (**Linda France's** husband), **Jan Benware, Pat Dupont, Carol Vonesh, Steve Sabine, Roger Doyle, Kristin Ausmus, Marion Stewart, Carolyn Phillips,** Michele Moore, Mary Castle, **Tony Barfield,** Jeeje Kelly, Ralph, **John Gove, Celeste Cooper,** Mel Conrad (**Carol Reynolds' sister**), **Megan Stoddard, Susan Eapen, Anna Butler, Evie McCormick, Stephen Calhoun,** Laurie Dresser (**David Dresser's sister**), **Jackie Monts de Oca,** Richard Welch (**Marge Stockwell's brother**), **Evalyn Duncan, Bill Warneke,** Richard & Bonnie Morrison (**Michael & Stacy Englert's** Aunt/Uncle), Jessica Sherotski, Shannon Black, **Scott Barham,** Bryan Stockwell (**Marge Stockwell's son**), Karen Stockwell, Peggy Taylor, **Rick Roach,** Regina Victoria, Ernie Palmer, **David Dresser, Pat Martin,** Scott Johnson (**Judy Horne's brother**), **Rick Rahn, Janell Repsher, Trudi Lithgow, Roy Reynolds, Michele Giberson,** Carol Kahlenberg (**Evie McCormick's friend**), **Sandy Gibson,** Salena & her family (**Janet Casini's family**), Kevin Jackimowicz (**Kim's husband**), Isabel Clayton (**Evie McCormick's friend**), **Gene Dumaresq, Lindsay Zielinski, Mavis Walker, Dahlia Walker,** Humphrey Walker, Whitney Hand, Mr. Havlett, Cindy & family, Mike Bower, Nancy Misiazek, Christy O'Steen, Ken & Clair Jones, Missy Messer (friend of **Roger Doyle**)

Pregnant: Matt & Hilary Cyr (**Pat Dupont's** grand niece), Kevin & Samantha Leahy (**David & Katherine Leahy's** son)

Homebound or Skilled Nursing Facility: Dawn Flynn, Tom Haney, Carmen Kight, Susan Cardman, Tom Crawford, Alicia Weber, Jo Willey

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
19 9am Worship Center & online 10am Sanctuary 11am Worship Center	20 8am Morning Prayer 10am Narnia Series 8pm Compline	21 8am Morning Prayer 10am Narnia Series 8pm Compline	22 8am Morning Prayer 9am Eucharist 10am Narnia Series 8pm Compline	23 8am Morning Prayer 10am Narnia Series 8pm Compline	24 8am Morning Prayer 10am Narnia Series 8pm Compline Office Closed	25 Fr. David's birthday 
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