

**St. Stephen's
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The Fourth Sunday of Easter



Beach Weekend 2019

**Staff Meeting
on May 13th @10:30**



**Talbot House
Chili Night is this
Tuesday,
May 14th
at 5:00pm**

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



**OUR
VESTRY**

2019-Richard Eijo, Karen Beasley, Marcia Heath
2020-Mike Whitt, Bill Baggett, Ben Cochran
2021- David Dresser, Liz Barham, Debbie Powell
Treasurer: Bruce Goers
Book keeper: Cathy Zielinski



Adopt a Senior Project

The Sunshine Committee, Polk County Schools, Learning Support Division is trying to collect items to put into a rolling duffle bag a basic set of the recommended daily living items. St. Stephen's Daughters of the King (DOK) would like for St. Stephen's to help us help them. We will place a tub in the Sanctuary and one in the Worship Center to collect these items to be included in the duffle bags. The DOK will be responsible for getting them to the Learning Support Division. We would like for this to be an ongoing part of our service to our community. Therefore, we would like for it to be something we continue to bring to your attention.

The following items are requested:

Shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste

New twin sheet sets, preferably solid colors

Washcloths & Towels

Pocket size first aid kit

Pocket size sewing kit

Small pocket size flashlight w/ batteries

Poncho

Pod Laundry detergent (Pod only, please)

Food/Restaurant gift cards in low denominations (\$5, \$10, \$15)

Monetary donations: Checks payable to Polk County Schools (\$125 provides everything, including the rolling duffle bag) These can be given to Karen Beasley to give to the Learning Support Division of Polk County Schools.

Please consider this valuable service opportunity.

Sincerely,

St. Monica Chapter of the Daughters of the King



YOUTH GROUP NEWS



During one of our weekly youth group meetings, the kids and leaders of Youth Group were discussing what trips and outings we might like to do or things we would like to participate in this year. One of the kids said "Hey, instead of going to a theme park why don't we do something that we all enjoy and have a beach weekend for the youth group instead, except lets go to the springs..." Well, we thought that was a great idea, so here we are with reservations to spend the weekend of May 31-June 2, at a place called Castaways on the River in Astor, Florida. We will be renting two 2 bedroom cottages, one for girls and one for boys, and will also have the privilege of using a pontoon boat for a day.

Verse of the Week Revelation 7:17

For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd;
He will lead them to springs of living water.
And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.



May 25th at
11:00am

Adorn your Beach hats and join us for the fun and exciting Women's Ministry Cold Tea Brunch in the Worship Center. We will have a Beach theme and a program entitled "Unlimited Potential" This will be our last Brunch until fall so please try and attend and bring a friend, your daughters and granddaughters.



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."

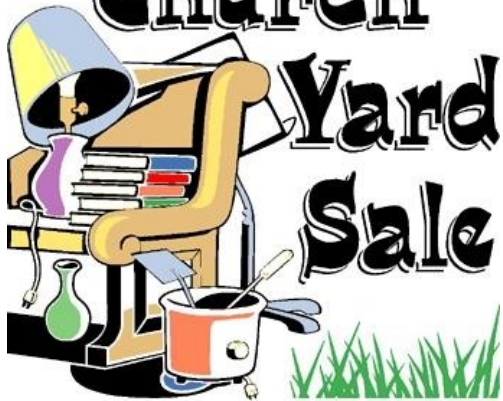
**May 5th, 2019
Attendance: 240
Income: \$4932.00
Bucks for our Buildings: \$55.00**

ULTREYA

There will be a Deanery wide Ultreya on Sunday May 19th @3:00pm at Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Winter Haven.

A pot luck will follow the Ultreya. All Cursillistas and anyone interested in attending a Cursillo weekend are invited to attend.

Church Yard Sale



This fall the church would like to have a Yard Sale. We need some folks that would be willing to head up this project. If this is something you would like to do please call the office at 646-6115



Bible Book Summary for this week is Acts

Copies of the Bible Summaries are in each worship Area.



**Church Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
10:00am-4:00pm**



The Flowers on the Altar have been given
in Loving Memory of
Ken and Sanai Honeycutt
By Robert and Brittany Sale



May Birthdays

- 1 Pat Dayton
- 2 Isabella Goding,
Megan Stoddard
- 4 Nancy Bailey, Alicia Weber
- 5 Melissa Eijo, Elizabeth Koshi
- 7 Charles Bradford, Althea Nye
- 8 Brian Brink, Jean Warneke
- 13 Joanie Boyd, Michael Platt
- 14 K.C. Eapen, Kaelynn Hiber
- 15 Gene Dumaresq, Jim Heal
- 16 Ed Knox, Carla Sauve
- 17 Jim Schmidt
- 18 Betty Calhoun
- 19 Marcia Heath, Sierra Steadman
- 23 Bruce Goers
- 24 Dan Howes
- 29 Bill Monts de Oca



May Anniversaries

- 3 Benny & Samantha Binnion
- 8 Roger & Mary Statzer
- 12 Bill & Genean Thompson
- 15 Ken & Judy Horne
- 21 Brian & Erica Brink
Bob & Pat Martin
- 25 Bill & Jackie Monts de Oca

St. Stephen's Prayer List

(Parish Members are in Bold)

Prayer Needs: Bill Warneke, (vision issues) , Richard and Bonnie Morrison (cancer), **Michael & Stacy Englert's Aunt & Uncle**, Pam Pflam, (Tongue Cancer), Patricia Williams, (Lung Cancer) Jessica Sherotski, breast cancer, Jacob Leahy, Shannon Black, **Scott Barham**, Bryan Stockwell, chronic lymphatic leukemia, **(Marge Stockwell's son)**, Karen Stockwell , Stroke, Peggy Taylor, cancer (Fr. Jim Taylor's mother), **Rick Roach**, stroke, Regina Victoria, **Ernie Palmer, prostate cancer, David Dresser**, Severe Back issues, **Pat Martin**, Multiple Health Issues. Scott Johnson, (**Judy Horne's** brother, Bone marrow transplant for Myelofibrosis) **Sally Templeton**, (heart),**Rick Rahn** (prostate cancer)**Janell Repsher**, lung problems, **Trudi Lithgow, Roy Reynolds** heart problems, **Pat Dupont** back problems, **Ken Horne, Michele Giberson** Autoimmune disorder, Bethany and Stetson Glass, prayers for successful adoption (**Marge Stockwell's grand daughter**) Carol Kahlenberg mental illness (**Evie McCormick's friend**), **Susan Cardman** MS, **Sandy Gibson**, Salena and her family (**Janet Casini's family**) Kevin Jackimowicz back and hip (**Kim's husband**), Isabel Clayton, RA (**Evie McCormick's friend**), **Gene Dumaresq** bladder cancer, Yvonne Kimble, breast cancer (**Betty Pratt's Niece**), Mary K breast cancer, **Lindsay Zielinski** autoimmune disorder, JC and Heather Presley, multiple health issues, **Mavis Walker**, multiple health issues, Dailia Walker, multiple health issues, Humphrey Walker, Stroke, Ron Cain, Sea Scout, cancer, Whitney Hand, multiple illnesses, Ali Smith, Mr. Havlett, Cindy and Family, George and Alice

Pregnant: Jerney and Colleen (**Pat Dupont's grandnephew**), Gretchen and Eric, (**Ginny Martin's granddaughter**), Sam & Donna (**Bob & Pat Martin's grandson**) **Benny and Samantha Binnion**

Homebound or Skilled Nursing Facility: Dawn Flynn, Tom Haney, Nancy Bailey, Jim & Jo Willey, Carmen Kight, Susan Cardman, Roger & Pat Doyle, Tom Crawford

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12 9:00am Holy Eucharist Brunch 10:15 Sunday School 11:00am Children's Church 11:00am Holy Eucharist Brunch	13 Staff Meeting @ 10:30	14 Talbot House 5:00pm	15 MP/Communion & Bible Study 9am Noon Eucharist 7:00pm Book Study	16 Choir Rehearsal 7pm	17 Office Closed	18
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