

**St. Stephen's
Episcopal Church**

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Third Sunday of Easter



**Adult Studies in April
Plan to Join Us!**

SUNDAYS

10am in the Worship Center & Zoom Lectionary-based Sunday School

WEDNESDAYS

9:45am with Fr. Rob in the Sanctuary & FB
"Caritas in the Gospel of John" (thru May 26th).

12noon with Fr. David in the Worship Center
Current study "Fearfully and Wonderfully: The Marvel of Bearing God's Image" has two remaining classes: April 21st & April 28th.

6:30pm with Fr. Rob in the Worship Center & FB
"The Acts of the Apostles: following Jesus after Easter" (thru May 26th).

THURSDAYS

4pm with Fr. Rob in the Worship Ctr. & Zoom
Readings in the Gospel of John through the Lens of Peace and Justice" (thru May 27th).



**Vestry Meeting
This Tuesday,
April 21st,
6:30pm on Zoom**

If all goes well, we anticipate resuming in-person meetings after this month. Yay!

Camp Wingmann Summer Camp Dates

Incoming 3-5 Graders
June 20-25

Incoming 6-8 Graders
June 13-18 & July 4-9

Incoming 9-12 Graders
June 6-11 & June 27-July 2

Registration information at
campwingmann.com
(scholarships are available)



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



2021-Liz Barham, David Dresser, Debbie Powell
2022-Charles Bradford, Steve Meyer, Missy Sabine
2023-Karen Beasley, Richard Eijo, Carol Reynolds
Treasurer: Charles Bradford
Bookkeeper: Cathy Zielinski

Flower Donors Needed for Upcoming Dates

April 25

May 2

May 23

May 30



If you would like to donate, you may call the office, email ststlinda@gmail.com or fill out a form in your worship area and place it in the collection plate. Thanks for your generosity.

YOUTH GROUP MEETING 6:30PM TONIGHT



Thanks to the George Jenkins High Wrestling Team for planting our Easter flowers on the grounds and removing damaged fencing. We appreciate your help!



HOLY HIKES BEGIN THIS THURSDAY, APRIL 22

Breathe deeply! Walk gently! Commune together!

Beginning this Thursday at 9am, join Fr. Rob for a hike at nearby Se7en Wetlands, 500 W. Carter Rd., Lakeland, FL 33813, meeting at the Gopher Tortoise Gate in Loyce Harpe Park.

- We will meet and start together for prayer and mutual encouragement! But we may not finish together—so, you just leave when you are done!
- Participants walk at their own pace!
- Participants walk their own distance! Three miles, two, one, or even 1/4 is just fine! Whatever works for you!
- All planned hikes will be relatively easy (on prepared or paved paths): Seven Wetlands, Circle B, Colt Creek SP, Lake Hollingsworth, Carter Road, among others.
- Participants must have water bottles (as required by many state and local parks!)



Verse of the Week—Psalm 4:1

**Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause;
you set me free when I am hard-pressed;
have mercy on me and hear my prayer.**

Daughters of the King Meeting Next Sunday, April 25th, 10:15am in the Parish Hall

After a lengthy time of isolation, our parish Daughters of the King will resume 4th Sunday meetings next week, masked and socially distanced.

The mission of this Order is the extension of Christ's Kingdom through prayer, service and evangelism.

If you would like more information about joining Daughters of the King please speak with Karen Beasley, 863-838-3028.



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."

April 11, 2021

Attendance:	9:00am	22
	10:00am	27
	11:00am	16
Total		65

Total Offerings available next week

Thank you for your continued faithfulness



**Church Office Water Repiping Job Was Complicated But is Now Completed
Still to Come—Drywall Patching**

Join the Flower Guild

Ever wish you knew how to arrange flowers?

Our flower arrangers would love to begin training new volunteers to assist with this important ministry.

For more information, please call Linda Toalster in the office 863-646-6115 or Yoli Howes, 863-646-6955.





*The flowers on the altar have been
given by Bill Warneke
in honor of his son, Jeff's birthday*



April Birthdays

- 4 Jackie Monts de Oca
- 5 Kit Duncan
- 9 Ryker Dillon
- 12 Emma Moses
- 13 Jami Beasley
Sally Flanagan
*Mavis Walker
- 17 Maria Peoples
- 18 Gail Wortman
- 19 Bill Brink
- 22 Pam Maul
Roger Statzer
- 23 Juliana Walker
- 24 Nathan Irwin
- 25 Jenna Walker
- 27 Lee Carter
Mary Gillan
Lincoln Grandone
- 28 Sam Rosenberger
Barbara Yeaple
- 29 Bill Thompson
- 30 Mahlon Sale



Aoril Anniversaries

- 4 Jim & Karen Beasley
Michael & Stacy Englert
- 6 Ernest & Melissa Palmer
- 22 Rick & Marty Tallent
Philip Thomas & Elizabeth Koshi
- 26 Pedro Enriquez & Janelle Kalle

St. Stephen's Prayer List **(Parish Members are in Bold)**

Prayer Needs: Kevin Ames (**David Dresser's** cousin), Shannon Black (from **Kathy Leahy**), Rachel Blackwell (**Karen Spiller's** daughter-in-law), **Betty Calhoun, Stephen Calhoun**, Tomasso Casini (son of **Janet & Italo Casini**), **Deborah Cole, Roger Doyle**, Laurie Dresser (**David Dresser's** sister), Lily Dresser (granddaughter of **David & Patricia Dresser**), **Evalyn Duncan, Kit Duncan**, former member Pat Dupont, **Eileen Fox, Michele Giberson, John Gove, Bill Heath**, Nicole Hernnkind (**Karen Spiller's** sister), **Dan Howes, Kevin Jackimowicz**, Dorothy Jensen (**Bob Martin's** sister), Scott Johnson (**Judy Horne's** brother), Ken & Clair Jones (friends of **Roger Doyle**), Fronnie LeBlanc (**Morgan Goers'** sister-in-law), **Pat Martin**, Charlie Meade, **Janell Repsher, Roy Reynolds**, Donna Roberts (**David Dresser's** sister), Mike Robinson (**Kai Richardi's** grandfather), **Marion Stewart, Marge Stockwell**, family of **Marty Tallent's** great niece, **Bill Thompson, Carol Vonesh, Dahlia Walker, Juliana Walker, Bill Warneke.**

Pregnant: Akeythia Goers (granddaughter of **Jim & Penny Schmidt** and **Bruce & Morgan Goers**)

Homebound or Skilled Nursing Facility: **Tony Barfield, Brouck Boyd, Susan Cardman, Tom Crawford, Dawn Flynn, Tom Haney, Carmen Kight, Rick Rahn, Mavis Walker, Jo Willey**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
18 9:00am Worship . WC & FB/YouTube 10:00am Worship, Sanct. & FB/YouTube 10:00am Sunday Schl for all ages 11:00am Worship, WCtr & FB/YouTube	19 8am Online Morning Prayer 8pm Online Compline	20 8am Online Morning Prayer 6:30pm Vestry Zoom Mtg 8pm Online Compline	21 8am Online Morning Prayer 9am Euch, Sanct 9:45am Bible Study, Sanct. 12noo Book Study, WCtr 6pm Bible Study in Worship Ctr. 8pm Online Compline	15 8am Online Morning Prayer 4pm Bible Study in Worship Ctr 8pm Online Compline	23 8am Online Morning Prayer 8pm Online Compline Office Closed	24
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