

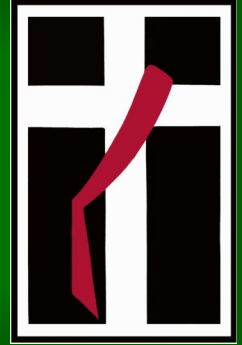
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FYI 2021

**June 20, 2021 Volume 19 Issue 25
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**



**Grilled hot dogs & burgers
today after 10am worship**

Join us!



**It's
Finally
VBS
Week!**



We will welcome approximately 50 Kindergarten to Fifth Grade children to our campus this **Monday thru Friday from 6pm to 8:30pm**. There will be loads of fun as they learn about Jesus and experience His love.

Thanks to our volunteers who have helped prepare the facility for this event and to those who will be helping with the children during the week.

Thanks also to all who came to spaghetti dinners and helped raise money so this is a free event for the kids. Please keep VBS participants in your prayers this week.

What's Happening?

**Adult Education
Opportunities
Every Wednesday**

- 9:45am Bible Study on Philippians with Fr. Rob in Small Grp Rm & on Facebook
- 12noon Book Study on "Out of the Silent Planet" with Fr. David in Worship Ctr & Facebook/YouTube/Zoom
- 6:30pm Bible Study on Acts with Fr. Rob in Small Group Rm (not mtg VBS wk)



***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



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***Next Holy Hike is at
Circle B Bar Reserve
4399 Winter Lake Rd., Lakeland
Thursday, June 24th
Join us!***

***Meet at 9am in the main parking lot
For Pre-Hike Prayer & Prep***



Many of our ministries are reorganizing after our Covid isolation and could use some volunteers. If you would like to learn more about these ministries or rejoin them, please let us know!

Altar Guild Karen Spiller

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Reading on Sundays Sharon Crosdale

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Daughters of the King Karen Beasley

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Hospitality (food) Marcia Heath

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Music on Sundays Susie Stewart

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Lay Eucharistic Ministers Deacon Doug Jump

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***SOCIAL LUNCH BUNCH WILL RESUME
THURSDAY, JULY 15TH, 11:30AM
(DETAILS TO FOLLOW)***

Verse of the Week—1 Samuel 17:47

**All those gathered here will know that
it is not by sword or spear that the Lord saves;
for the battle is the Lord's.**

Livestreamed Weekly

Access through our
church website at
centralfloridachurch.com



*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."*

June 13, 2021

Attendance:	Inside	39
	Outside	42
Total		81

Month of May Income	\$27,125.17
Month of May Expenses	30,519.81

*Please remember your pledge and
offerings during the summer*

SUMMER Fellowship

We're all enjoying the after-worship fellowship this summer! It's so nice to be together again!

Upcoming fellowship events include:

- June 27 VBS Sunday with VBS snacks and a cake
- July 4 **(still need a sponsor)**
- July 11 Ice Cream Social sponsored by Tom & Marion Stewart
- July 18 **(still need a sponsor)**
- July 25 DOK Sunday—cake to celebrate new members and rededication of our Daughters of the King chapter.
- August 1 **(still need a sponsor)**

July

August

Please let us know if you have ideas or are willing to help sponsor a fellowship activity for one of our three open Sundays.





**The flowers on the altar have been given
by Buck & Barbara Merritt
in memory of Marsha Merritt**



June Birthdays

- 1 Tricia Walker
- 2 Beverly Meyer, Carolyn Phillips
- 3 Kayla Blackwell
- 4 Renda McNeill, Betty Woodward
- 6 Erica Brink, Hayley Naples
Carol Weatherington
- 7 Tom Kempinski
- 8 Liz Barham
- 9 *Jo Willey
- 10 Melissa Palmer, Carrie Peoples
Cheyanne Steadman-Jones
Dylan Steadman-Jones
- 11 Lauren Caperonis
- 16 Italo Casini, Tom Haney
- 19 Anthony Binnion
- 20 Wendell Hunt, Susie Stewart
- 23 Patricia Dresser
- 27 Karen Spiller
- 28 Richard Abbey
- 29 Matt Grandone



June Anniversaries

- 1 Wendell & Donna Hunt
- 2 Walter & Janelle Repsher
Gary & Allison Westberry
- 3 Dan & Yolanda Howes
Art & Bonnie Rowbotham
- 4 David & Connie Befus
- 6 John & Pete McArthur
- 8 Joe & Robin W. Adams
Troy & Sue DeMan
- 12 Robert & Brittany Sale
- 22 Tom & Ginny Hiber
- 30 Paul & Briann Peterson


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, Annie Delling**, Martha G. Duncan (neighbor of **Susan MacGilvray**) **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**, Lana Guisinger (**Linda France's** sister), Carol Haigst (sister of **Donna Hunt & Susan MacGilvray**), **Bill Heath**, Nicole Hernnkind (**Karen Spiller's** sister), **Dan Howes, Kevin Jackimowicz**, Jeannie (from **Betty Pratt**), 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, Derek Newberry (friend of **Harry Solloway**), **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, Carol Weatherington.**

Pregnant: Akeythia Goers (granddaughter of **Jim & Penny Schmidt** and **Bruce & Morgan Goers**), Sereck & Missy Peterson (grandson of **Linda France**)

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

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20 10:00am Worship, Sanct. & Outdoors, also FB/YouTube followed by hot dogs/burgers on the grills 	21 8am Online Morning Prayer 8pm Online Compline	22 8am Online Morning Prayer 1pm Cards & Fellowship, PH 8pm Online Compline	23 8am Online Morning Prayer 9am Euch, Sanct 9:45am Bible Study, Sm Grp Rm 12noon Book Study, WCtr 6:30pm No Bible Study 8pm Online Compline	24 8am Online Morning Prayer 9am Holy Hike at Circle B Bar Reserve 8pm Online Compline	25 8am Online Morning Prayer 11am DOK Training 8pm Online Compline Office Closed	26 10am Jim Willey funeral, Sanctuary 2pm Ray Bruno Committal
Crazy Days VBS, 6-8:30pm, W Ctr./P Hall/Classrms/Outdoors						
27 10:00am Worship, Sanct. & Outdoors, also FB/YouTube followed by VBS cake and snacks	28 8am Online Morning Prayer 8pm Online Compline	29 8am Online Morning Prayer 1pm Cards & Fellowship, PH 8pm Online Compline	30 8am Online Morning Prayer 9am Euch, Sanct 9:45am Bible Study, Sm Grp Rm 12noon Book Study, WCtr 6:30pm Bible Study in Sm Grp Rm 8pm Online Compline	1 8am Online Morning Prayer 9am Holy Hike at Se7en Wetlands 8pm Online Compline	2 8am Online Morning Prayer 8pm Online Compline Office Closed	3