St. Philip Information and News (SPIN) A weekly electronic newsletter

July 20, 2016

Greetings,

Below is your weekly St. Philip Information & News (SPIN). We hope that it will help you stay informed about the events here at St. Philip, encourage you to pray for those in our St. Philip community, and to help you prepare your hearts for worship this coming weekend.

If you do not wish to receive this weekly email publication, please let Linda Goodnough know by replying to this email.

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Worship News

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers were donated by Sue Riecks, in loving memory of her mother, Becky Martin and aunt, Alice Kay Melchior.

Video from Sermon 7-10-16

Video of the Week: Pastor Brad mentioned a video he wanted to play on Sunday, but would have it available for you to watch on your own. Please follow this link to view this video about how healing is going on throughout the nations of the world because of God working through our hands: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jj0shQtQxqY.

Scripture Readings for July 23-24, 2016

FIRST READING: Genesis 18:20-32

In today's reading, Abraham undertakes the role of a mediator between God and sinful humanity. Appealing to God's justice, Abraham boldly asks for mercy for the city of Sodom, for the sake of the few righteous people who are in it, including Abraham's nephew, Lot.

²⁰Then the LORD said, "How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! ²¹I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know." ²²So the men turned from there, and went toward Sodom, while Abraham remained

standing before the LORD. ²³Then Abraham came near and said, "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked?" ²⁴Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? ²⁵Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?" ²⁶And the LORD said, "If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake." ²⁷Abraham answered, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the LORD, I who am but dust and ashes. ²⁸Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?" And he said, "I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there." ²⁹Again he spoke to him, "Suppose forty are found there." He answered. "For the sake of forty I will not do it." 30 Then he said. "Oh do not let the LORD be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there." He answered. "I will not do it, if I find thirty there." ³¹He said, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the LORD. Suppose twenty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it." ³²Then he said, "Oh do not let the LORD be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there." He answered, "For the sake of ten I will not destroy it."

SECOND READING: Colossians 2:6-15 [16-19]

Paul warns his congregation in Colossae about "the empty lure" of philosophies and traditions that compromise faith. Through the gift of faith, the church is mystically connected with Christ in his death and resurrection, which is enacted in baptism.

⁶As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, ⁷rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught,

abounding in thanksgiving.

⁸See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. ⁹For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, ¹⁰and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. ¹¹In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; ¹²when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. ¹³And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, ¹⁴erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. ¹⁵He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it.

GOSPEL: Luke 11:1-13

In teaching his disciples this prayer, Jesus also reminds them to focus on God's coming reign, God's mercy, and the strengthening of the community. Jesus encourages his disciples to child-like trust and persistence in prayer.

¹[Jesus] was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." ²He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. ³Give us each day our daily bread.

⁴And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial."

⁵And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; ⁶for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' ⁷And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' ⁸I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

⁹So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. ¹⁰For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. ¹¹Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? ¹²Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? ¹³If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

Worship Servants for July 23-24, 2016

Saturday worship, July 23, 2016

- Pianist Becky Miller
- Cantor Tom Schnickel
- Usher Joanne Ermold
- Altar Guild LeRae Schnickel
- A/V Jerry Jantz

Worship Servants for Sunday, July 24, 2016		
	8:00am	9:30am
Assisting Minister	Bill Shepard	Bill Shepard
Lector	Suzanne Peterson	Jonathan Anderson
Acolytes	OPEN	OPEN
Communion Deacons	Linda Baker, Linda Vehrs	Jan Philpy, Gary Philpy
Ushers	Jerry & Colin Black, Chuck Krieger, Roy Hager	Dick Rusch, Greg Luer, Will Rogge
Prayer Partners	n/a	n/a
Altar Guild	Barb Delong	Diane Michael
A-V Sound & Slides	OPEN	John Wall & family
Greeters	Bob & Robert Kidder	
Ambassadors	Char Nauman & Lorren Ballard	
Coffee Cart	Phyllis & Larry Kemp	
KeyKeepers	Saturday (7/23): Carolyn Rapp	Week beg. 7/24: Chris White

Sharing the Good News

Silver Sages Say "Thank You for Your Support"

Thank you, St. Philip, to all of you who have attended and supported our events. Your generous support made it possible for the Silver Sages to make a donation in May to support the confirmation students who were attending camp at Rainbow Trail this summer.

It's a Girl!

Congratulations to Scott & JoHanna Buchholz, on the birth of their daughter, Lydia Adell Greene Buchholz, born on Friday, July 8th, at 1:52pm, weighing in at 6lbs, 10oz. Baby Lydia surprised many with her early arrival, but in the baby pool Beth Faerber was the closest with the date of birth, Kyle Pitts was closest with the time of birth, Jennifer Fischer was closest with the birth weight, and Pastor Nathan, Monica Auch, and Roseanna Doty all guessed correctly that it would be a girl. Welcome to the world, baby girl! Your St. Philip family is eager to meet you!

Rock On!

We had eleven spry men show up to move about 78,000 lbs of rock around the new storage garage, the older sheds, and around the church building. Many hours were spent preparing the grounds, clearing out old debris and old weed block, raking out old rocks, laying down new weed block and finally moving the new rock in. Thanks to the following for all their hard, laborious work: Jerry Mydlach, Tom Schnickel, Michael Stevermer, Gaylen Rapp, Larry Edwards, George Rasmussen, Peter Mielke, Bob Kidder, Bill Shepard, and Mike McNamara. Gentlemen—YOU ROCK!!

Worship & Music Ministry

Greeters Needed

If you would like to put on a happy face and shake hands with all of your friends - old and new - we could use you! Sign up in the narthex to be a greeter at either first or second service. All you have to do is arrive about 20 minutes early and greet people as they come in at the east parking lot door. It's lots of fun!! You might even meet someone new!! Contact Nancy Oelz if you have questions at 303.973.5541 or email her at nancyoelz@gmail.com.

Interested in Being an Usher?

Men and women of St. Philip, please consider joining the usher team! This is an easy way to get involved and to meet some more people at St. Philip. At St. Philip we have 12 usher teams; 6 early service teams, and 6 late service teams. Each team ushers two months out of the year, six months apart. (Example: one team ushers in April and again in October.) Each team should have 4 members, which allows for individual flexibility. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Charlie Petersen at 303.948.7953 or petersens@q.com.

Community Care & Compassion Ministry

<u>Jeffco Connects Meeting – Wednesday, July 27, 2016</u>

Suicide, depression, substance abuse, divorce, alcoholism: All are linked to disconnection and a sense of isolation. All are a part of Jefferson County. We are lay leaders of local congregations, pastors, educators, suicide prevention advocates and mental health care professionals who are committed to work together towards a healthier community. We want to promote factors that keep our young people and community safe from suicide and violence, which includes supporting strong connections to community, school, positive peers and caring adults. Please join us on July 27 at 6:30 to 8pm in the fellowship hall to learn how you can deepen community connections with your neighbors and make a difference. Light refreshments will be served.

Sharing with Sheridan Needs Fresh Produce

Have extra garden produce? Sharing with Sheridan can use it! Just bring your extras to the church by noon on Thursday, and leave it on the Sharing with Sheridan table in the narthex. We will take it over to the food pantry. Thank you for sharing the bounty of your garden with us!

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry – A Family Opportunity

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry—a family opportunity to help! Any family! Singles, couples, groups! Volunteers are needed to work at Food Bank of the Rockies on **Saturday, July 23rd** from 9am until noon. Families with older elementary school-aged children and above are welcome! Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry gets food credit for all hours worked. Contact Carole Kessler at 303.238.6873 or ckess911@aol.com.

Holy Hammers Work Dates for July

The next volunteer work dates for the Holy Hammers Habitat for Humanity house in Denver will be **Friday**, **July 8 and Friday**, **July 22**. The address is 4101 N Fraser Way, just northwest of I-70 and Chambers Road.

This is a two-story, three bedroom townhouse. We are on summer hours now from 8:30am to 3:30pm, therefore we will leave the church by 7:00am each day. Please contact Roger Bracken, 303.795.5603 to volunteer. We are committed to four volunteers each day, but will welcome additional workers.

ATTENTION! Special event on July 28th! Groundbreaking for Sheridan Square, the biggest development in the history of Habitat for Humanity of metro Denver! See the Community Events section for details.

Family Promise Here Again in August

Great news for all of our faithful volunteers! Our next Family Promise rotation will be **July 31 – August 7**. Sign-up sheets are ready for your review at the Family Promise table in the narthex. Please take a look and sign up where you think you can best help

in our ministry to host homeless families here at St. Philip. Call Bob Delong – 303.973.3996 with questions.

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry - Donation Needs

Specific non-food needs include feminine products and deodorant and other toiletries; all items that cannot be purchased with food stamps and are not readily available from Food Bank of the Rockies. Food items needed include protein items such as beans or canned meats and seafood. We also welcome any monetary contributions; these may be made through the church office.

Volunteers Needed at Renewed Treasures

Volunteer at Renewed Treasures, the Love INC thrift store! Discover new friends and talents as you serve our community and Love INC. Renewed Treasures Resale Shoppe, located at 6512 S. Broadway, is looking for new volunteers to join their team. Please contact Donna at 303.550.4555 or email her at donna4555@hotmail.com for more information.

Discipleship Ministry

Summer Youth Group

Summer Youth Group is a time for youth (those who will be in 7th grade in the fall through graduating high school seniors) to hang out, learn about God, play games, do service projects, and go on fun outings. We hope and encourage you to bring your friends with you! The Summer Youth Group schedule changes each week, so make sure you check the SPIN or get onto Pastor Brad's text list to ensure you get the most up to date information. Most events will take place on Wednesdays, and when the youth group is at the church, it will take place from 6:30-8:30pm. If you have any questions, please contact Pr. Brad at bdoty@stphilip-co.org.

- ❖ July 20 Servant Event ACS Lift Food Bank and Community Garden from 6:00pm-8:30pm. Meet at the church at 6:00pm.
- ❖ July 27 No Youth group Sr. High Camp Week
- ❖ August 3 Fellowship event, Rockies game! Meet at church at 5:30pm. Cost: \$5
- August 10 Youth group at church
- ❖ August 17 Youth group at church

The Flat Jesus Project

Summer is here, and that means members of our St. Philip family are taking vacations, visiting family, headed to camps, and enjoying the outdoors! Wherever summer takes you, stay connected to your St. Philip family and be reminded that "Jesus sticks with you" by participating in **The Flat Jesus Project**. Pick up a "flat Jesus" at the welcome kiosk or download one from our website: www.stphilip-co.org/childrens-ministries. Color flat Jesus, cut him out, and take him with you wherever you go this summer. Take photos and post them on St. Philip's Facebook page, or pin them to the flat Jesus

bulletin board at church. Check-in to see where all flat Jesus has been, share with others where you've seen Jesus, and remember that Jesus is always with you!

Evangelism & Global Outreach Ministry

Update on Campbell Soup Label Program

For many years St. Philip has helped the Navajo Indian Reservation School in AZ by sending in "Labels for Education" from Campbell Soup products and also General Mills products called "Box Tops for Education." Hundreds of churches like us participate in this program helping this school receive vehicles, school supplies, etc. each year.

Recently Campbell Soup sent out a letter saying they were discontinuing the "Labels for Education" program due to a lack of participation. HOWEVER, any school that is already enrolled in their program for "Labels for Education" can turn in these labels with this program (such as the Navajo School) until August 2017. Campbell Soups corporation is no longer enrolling any new schools in the label program.

The label is generally on Campbell soup cans and has a UPC. The UPC must not be marked through. The label has a tiny red apple in the corner. Please continue to turn in any labels you have, and keep cutting them off the soup cans. Also, do continue to save and turn in the "Box Tops for Education" that are on many General Mills products such as cereal, Bisquick, snacks, hefty bags, ziplock bags, Motts applesauce, etc. General Mills did not discontinue their program. Look for the decorated can in the narthex when you bring in your donations. Carolyn Rapp is our contact person for the label program, and she sends the labels once a month. Please continue to support the Navajo Indian reservation school - they have benefited a hundredfold from these labels.

Family Life Ministry

What and Who are the Silver Sages?

It is a group of seniors from St. Philip Lutheran Church, age 55 and older, married, single, or single with a significant other, who gather together for fellowship and learning, where we can connect and build relationships. Everyone is welcome.

Silver Sages Picnic Planning Session

Please join us on Wednesday, **August 3**rd, at 9:30am at church as we plan our August picnic. Anyone interested in helping us plan this event is welcome. The more hands, the lighter the work! Please contact Chris Youngren with any questions.

Silver Sages August Picnic

Join us on **August 10th**, from 11:30a.m. to 2p.m. at Jo & Dick Rock's community room (5529 W Hoover Drive, Littleton). Donation: \$10. On the menu: pulled pork sandwiches, potato salad, veggies, salads, desserts, and beverages. **Please bring a folding chair**

with you. Please sign up on the sheet at the Welcome Center kiosk no later than August 3rd. Need more information? Please contact Jo Rock at 303.978.0352 or Chris Youngren at 303.973.3096 or ctyoungren@gmail.com.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR - Silver Sages Oktoberfest

September 23rd, from 5pm to 7pm at Glenn and Louanne Isernhagen's home, 7789 S. Waverly Mountain, Littleton. Donation: \$10.00 On the menu: Bratwurst, sauerkraut, German potato salad and salads, desserts, coffee. Bring your own beverage if you like. Everyone one is welcome to come and enjoy the food, fellowship, and music. We had a great time last year!!! Watch for a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center kiosk.

Ruth Circle is on Summer Break

Ruth Circle will not meet in July or August, but will resume their meetings in September. Contact Flo Figge at 303.932.6197 with questions.

St. Philip Book Club

The St. Philip Book Club is open to all who enjoy reading interesting literature. The Book Club meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the church at 6:30pm. Light refreshments are usually served. The next meeting will be: **Tuesday, August 9th**.

The August book selection is: *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Frye* by Rachel Joyce. Coming up in September, the book selection is *Doc Susie* by Susan Anderson. We hope you will join us for some great discussions!

Needed! Meals for the Buchholz Family

The Buchholz family would appreciate receiving some meals while they adjust to being new parents. If you are interested in helping, please follow the instructions below to access the "Take Them a Meal" website. The password is: Buchholz.

Meals for Members Program

We are beginning a program to sign up for meals for our members who may need some help during a difficult period of time, or even for 1 day. We will be using a website called TakeThemAMeal.com to help us plan and schedule meals. Each week in the SPIN we will have a list of people who would like meals brought in. When you check your email, the SPIN will have a list of person/persons that need help with a meal. The process for signing up is as follows:

- 1. Read your weekly SPIN, see the names listed in the Family Life Take Them A Meal section.
- 2. Go to website, www.TakeThemAMeal.com.
- 3. Enter person's name when prompted: example: Smith, Mary
- 4. Enter the password. Password is the person's last name: Smith
- 5. Sign up for whatever you can do.

If you know of a member who may appreciate having meals brought to them, but whose name isn't listed, please call Karen Rossi at 720.935.3021 (cell). Karen will contact the person/family, and set it up with them on the administrative side so their name will appear on the website. They will be included in the next week's SPIN list so others may

sign up as well. Please be sure to leave a voicemail for Karen – she checks her messages often. Thank you for your support as we move forward in our Caring ministry for our beloved members.

Church News

Did you see the flyer in your church mailbox?

It's on! We are getting ready to put together a new pictorial church directory, and we are going all out to get 100% participation from our congregation! Bettinger Photography will be taking the photos. And you can start right now! Go online to www.BettingerPhoto.com or call the Bettinger studio directly at 303.400.6023 to schedule a photo session at their studio – you can choose an indoor or outdoor setting; you can even bring your family pet! Or, you can schedule your photo session here at St. Philip in September – our photo dates are September 6 and 7, and September 9 and 10. <a href="https://www.there.com/Ther

Please start making plans for having your photographs taken – now is the perfect time for families who have college students home for the summer, or for those who like to give photographs as Christmas gifts. If you have questions, or need more information, please contact Linda Goodnough in the church office.

Need a Preschool? Parent's Day Out?

Haven't found the perfect 4 hour Parent's Day Out, preschool or pre-kindergarten program for the 2016-2017 school year? Stop by or give us a call for a tour! Visit our website at www.StPhilipELC.org or call 303.972.9774.

Think Ahead! Save the Date for the 2017 Golf Tournament

Next year our golf tournament fundraiser will be on **Saturday**, **June 24**th. Our proceeds will be used to permanently repair the outside of the building so we can get rid of the woodpeckers without killing them. So, please mark your calendars now. It should be the best one ever!

Thrivent Financial Choice Dollars – Last Chance to Sign Up

Thrivent Financial is giving away a \$20 bonus to qualified Thrivent members who have never directed their Thrivent Choice Dollars to an organization before or to members who never qualified to give Thrivent Choice dollars before. This is a one-time bonus and **the offer expires August 1, 2016**. Choice Dollars can be distributed by going onto the Thrivent web page, signing in and then following the menu for Choice Dollars or they can call Bryan Vinz at 303.220.8614 for assistance.

Calendar Events This Week (July 20 – July 31)

Wednesday, July 20 9:30a – Women's Bible Study (FS) 2:00P – Prayer team (Sanc) 6:30P – Youth Group (YR)	Monday, July 25 St. Mark's mission trip group (FH, YR, MC-4/5) 6:30P – Prayer Shawl Ministry (FS) 7:00P – Church Council mtg. (FH-1) 7:00P – Troop 554 PLC mtg. (MC-3)
Thursday, July 21 7:00a – Men's Breakfast (IHoP @ Bowles Xing) 7:00P – Overeaters Anonymous (MC-3)	Tuesday, July 26 St. Mark's mission trip group (FH, YR, MC-4/5) 6:30a – Holy Fit (church courtyard) 1:30P – SPLC Staff meeting (MC-1) 6:30P – Troop 554 meeting (FH, entry, K)
Friday, July 22 (office open 8am - noon) 9:30a – Drop the Rock book study (MC-3)	Wednesday, July 27 St. Mark's mission trip group (FH, YR, MC-4/5) 9:30a – Men's Bible Study (MC-1) 2:00P – Prayer team (Sanc) 5:00P – Jeffco Connects (FH, FH-1) 6:30P – Youth Group (YR)
Saturday, July 23 St. Mark's mission trip group (YR, MC-4/5) 9:00a – ACA/Serenity's Child (MC-3) 10:30a – Al-Anon/Columbine AFG (MC-3) 5:30P – Worship	Thursday, July 28 St. Mark's mission trip group (FH, YR, MC-4/5) 6:30a – Holy Fit (church courtyard) 7:00a – Men's Breakfast (IHoP @ Bowles Xing) 12:00N – Women's Luncheon (off-site) 7:00P – Overeaters Anonymous (MC-3)
Sunday, July 24 St. Mark's mission trip group (YR, MC-4/5) 8:00a – Worship 9:00a – Coffee Fellowship (narthex) 9:30a – Worship	Friday, July 29 (office open 8am - noon) St. Mark's mission trip group (FH, YR, MC-4/5) 9:30a – Drop the Rock book study (MC-3)
	Saturday, July 30 St. Mark's mission trip group (FH, YR, MC-4/5) 9:00a – ACA/Serenity's Child (MC-3) 1:00P – Eagle Court of Honor (FH, Sanc) 10:30a – Al-Anon/Columbine AFG (MC-3) 5:30P – Worship
	Sunday, July 31 Family Promise Week begins; guests arrive 8:00a – Worship 9:00a – Coffee Fellowship (narthex) 9:30a – Worship

Community Events

Groundbreaking Ceremony for Sheridan Square

Please join us as we celebrate the start of the largest development in the history of Habitat for Humanity of Metro Denver! The groundbreaking ceremony will take place at 3700 S. Irving Street in Sheridan (corner of Kenyon & Irving) on **Thursday, July 28th at 10am.** This 4.35-acre former elementary school site in the city of Sheridan will include 63 new, energy efficient homes that will provide affordable and stable housing for approximately 130 adults and 225 children. We are grateful to our generous supporters and the 40,000 volunteers who collective work it will take to build Sheridan Square. Please RSVP to stemple@habitatmetrodenver.org if you are able to join in for this exciting milestone!

Christian Concert at Elitch Gardens

The group "Skillet" will be performing on Saturday, August 13th at Elitch Gardens. The concert is free with your admission ticket. A special rate of \$25.99 is available, but you must purchase your ticket in advance online.

Go to www.elitchgardens.com/groups/religious-youth-groups to get discount ticket information. There are also several admission and meal options available online.

Coming in October – 2016 Empty Bowl

Please plan to attend and encourage others to come for this 7th annual event, which supports the Love INC mission. The Empty Bowl team is also seeking auction items and sponsorship now. The Empty Bowl event will take place on **Thursday**, **October 13th** at the Wildlife Experience. For more information, please email emptybowl@loveinclittleton.org.

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Members of St. Philip: JoAnn Breitbach, Hope Bergren, Zach Simons, Renate Muthart, Dale & Marlene Hackstaff, Kirstine Rand, Dianne Mydlach, Ron Rossi, and Tim & Chris Youngren.

Family Members: Tracy Murphy (daughter of Paul & Kathy Stortz), the family of Harry Taylor (cousin of Susan Fagerness), Adrienne Rone (relative of Michael & Sandi Stevermer), Katy Erickson (daughter of Hal & Jan Erickson), Clara Nedved (mother of Steve Nedved), Steven Hnatko (cousin of Marc Roswech), Craig Buchholz (father of Scott Buchholz), Scott Worman (son of Monica Auch), Ryan Ermold (son of Joanne Ermold), Nathaniel Knight (son of Robin & Galinda Knight), Jim Dawson (uncle of Dave Husted), Bill Orf (son-in-law of Howard & Nancy Hanson), Ron & Louise Carlson (Kirstine Rand's parents), Erika Kuenne (Carl & Rita Kuenne's daughter), and Sally Casterline (Nancy Hanson's sister).

Friends: Cindy A. (Anderson family), Eva Field and her family (Jonathan Anderson), Susan Cash (Amy Rahne), Ed & Maureen (Kuennes), Lynn Baron and her family (Carolyn Endecott), Pr. Vernon Gunderman (Seep), the Terwilliger family, Pastor Kate Killebrew (Paul & Nancy Jacobs), Rev. Rick Thompson, JoAnn Beckham (Brackens), Emily Mulhollen (Celusniaks), Nick Quintana (Knight family), and Dr. Jill Pechacek (Roswech family).

Prayers of healing and compassion for our nation, that people will overcome their fears and will come together to work for a better community and world. Prayers of comfort for those who suffer because of terrorism.

Prayers for peace and healing for the people of Madagascar. Prayers of support and love for our companion synods and friends in Madagascar, and our Madagascar missionary Kirsten Laderach.

Prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of Lydia Adell Greene Buchholz, daughter, of JoHanna and Scott Buchholz, born July 8th.

Prayers of remembrance and love for all our homebound members.

Prayers for all servicemen and women deployed around the world, especially those with ties to St. Philip. Prayers for healing and comfort for those suffering with physical and mental injuries.

If you have a prayer concern, please call the church office at 303.979.4491, or send an email to Sue Riecks at sriecks@stphilip-co.org. Prayer requests will run for two weeks unless otherwise requested.

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