St. Philip Information and News (SPIN)

July 14, 2021

Church News

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers for this coming Sunday have been given by John Breed in memory of his wife Diane Norell's birthday and life.

Sign up for altar flowers while you are here for in-person worship, or contact Angela in the church office. There can be two bouquets per Sunday, but it isn't required. The cost is \$25. You may take your flowers after the worship service. Please return the vase to church when you are finished.

Taylor White Senior Recital

Please join Taylor White and her family for her Senior Recital at St. Philip. All from St. Philip are welcome! Join us **Sunday, August 1 from 2-4pm** Reception following in the Fellowship Hall. RSVP to Ern White at erinwhite16@hotmail.com.

50th Anniversary Committee Meeting

The 50th anniversary of St. Philip is May 22, 2022 (5-22-22). We need lots of help to celebrate this great accomplishment. Our next meeting is **July 29 at 10:00am** at the church. Please gather with us to begin planning a year from now. We need ideas and thoughts about how you would like this day to look. Contact Laurie Selander at 303.518.1457 or p73101@msn.com.

We are also looking for email addresses and/or home addresses for former staff and members who might be interested in attending the 50th anniversary celebration. We would like to send them a Save the Date reminder. Contact Laurie Selander at the phone or email above with anyone from St. Philip's past you think might want to attend.

Ready, Set, School!

Ready, Set, School! is an annual Integrated Family Community Services (IFCS) program that supplies eligible low-income Kindergarten-8th graders a new backpack, school supplies, and gift card for shoes. This year we had a 137% increase in the number of kids who need your help. Due to the ongoing uncertainty that the Covid-19 crisis is causing, IFCS will once again provide a Virtual Shopping experience for sponsors and donors. Roonga partners with non-profits like ours to streamline in-kind giving. Please follow the link to visit our Ready, Set, School! Drive: https://www.roonga.com/ifcsrss.

We are also asking that donations with a suggested amount of \$25 per child be made to IFCS for providing basic food boxes filled with nutritious, shelf-stable food items for each student. https://donorbox.org/ready-set-school-3



Yard Workers Needed

The Property Team is in need of people willing to mow and trim at the church on Fridays starting around 8:30-9am. All are welcome and there is no need to sign up. Contact Jerry Mydlach with questions.

Grateful Threads Quilters

Grateful Threads Quilters is a group that makes quilts, following the Quilts of Valor Foundation guidelines, to honor and heal our service members and veterans touched by war. We are currently meeting on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month from 9:30am to 1:30pm at St. Philip. We are looking for people that are interested in contributing their time and talents. For more information, contact Kathy Gillett at 303.359.7383 or Barb Donaho at 303.794.1796.

Summer Fun Events

Hey kids! Join us for some more summer fun events! 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Games, Crafts, and Fun! Open to all kiddos age Pre-K – 4th grade Register at the links below

Thursday July 29 – Ocean Exploration Summer Fun Day https://stphilip-co.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/899326

Thursday August 5th – Outdoor Adventures Summer Fun Day! https://stphilip-co.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/899331

St. Philip Early Learning Center

Enrolling for Fall

Ages 1 and walking through Prekindergarten
Please email bstrickland@stphilip-co.org or call
303-972-9774 to learn more and schedule a tour.



Volunteer Opportunities/Donations

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry

Last week we served 100 families. We appreciate your support! Items we need:

- Canned corn
- Meal soups
- Canned green beans
- Canned tomato products

For those who wish to drop off donations directly at the food pantry, please take them to the east door of the Sheridan Recreation Center on Thursdays only between 11:30am and 1:00pm. You can also bring items to church anytime.

Attention Spanish Speakers

Sharing with Sheridan is looking for people with some Spanish capability to help with check-in on an occasional Thursday. High school Spanish students are welcome—it's a great way to practice! Contact Carole Kessler (ckess911@aol.com or 720.341.7333).

Events

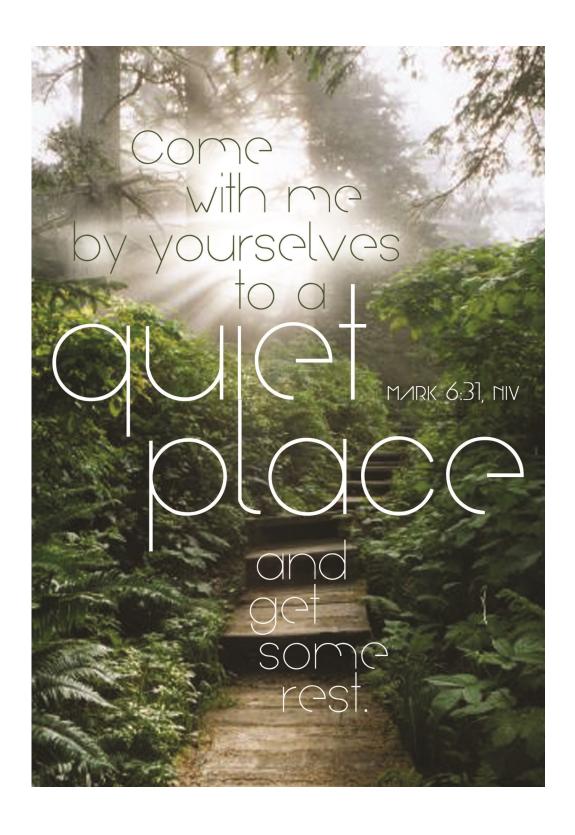
Courtyard Concert Series at Augustana Lutheran Church

Augustana Arts is pleased to present a series of outdoor concerts in July, and we invite your members to join us outside in the courtyard under the big tent at Augustana Lutheran Church (5000 E. Alameda Ave. Denver, CO). The concerts will take place **July 16** featuring Voices of Wood/16 Strings, **July 23** featuring Boulder Brassaholics Sextet, and **July 30** featuring Gossamer Winds. All concerts begin at 7:00pm. A special treat is the option to sign up for a 10 minute massage for \$1 per minute by Enbody Works starting at 6:15pm and throughout the evening. Also, we are pleased to bring a yoga session on **July 30** starting at 6:15pm in the same courtyard. Tickets are reserved and the cost is FLEX PAY, meaning that our guests pay a ticket price that fits their budget at any price point, including free! Visit www.AugustanaArts.org to reserve a spot and we hope to see you this summer!

Help Support Seeds of South Sudan

Join us for a summer celebration at Lake Grandby, the heart of Rocky Mountain National Park, to help support Seeds of South Sudan. This is a fun-filled day for the entire family. The date is **Saturday, August 14 from 1-5pm**. To register or for more information, go to seedsofsouthsudan.org.





Calendar of Events

(July 14-25, 2021)

Wednesday, July 14 9:00a – Vacation Bible School 9:30a – Watercolor Group (MC-3) 12:30p – Women's Al-Anon Meeting (MC-4/5) 6:30p – Summer Youth Group	Tuesday, July 20 Sr. Youth Mission Trip 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 9:00a – Quilts of Valor Sewing Group (FH-2) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator (outside) 7:00p – Boy Scouts
Thursday, July 15 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 7:30a – Men's Breakfast (IHOP) 9:00a – Vacation Bible School 5:30p – VBS Dinner & Program 5:30p – Camp Gladiator (outside)	Wednesday, July 21 Sr. Youth Mission Trip 9:30a – Watercolor Group (MC-3) 9:30a – Women's Bible Study 12:30p – Women's Al-Anon Meeting (MC-4/5)
Friday, July 16 Church office open 8am-noon 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 9:00a – Vacation Bible School	Thursday, July 22 Sr. Youth Mission Trip 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside) 7:30a – Men's Breakfast (IHOP) 5:00p – Columbine Townhomes III (MC-3) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator (outside)
Saturday, July 17 9:00a – Al-Anon (MC-4/5)	Friday, July 23 Sr. Youth Mission Trip Church office open 8am-noon 5:30a – Camp Gladiator (outside)
Sunday, July 18 Sr. Youth Mission Trip 9:00a – Worship (Sanc. & online)	Saturday, July 24 Sr. Youth Mission Trip 9:00a – Al-Anon (MC-4/5)
Monday, July 19 Sr. Youth Mission Trip 4:00p – Rocky Mountain Flute Choir (Sanc.)	Sunday, July 25 9:00a – Worship (Sanc. & online) 10:15a – Congregation Council Mtg. (FH)

Preparing for Worship - July 18, 2021 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:11-22

Gospel Reading: Mark 6:30-34, 53-56



Our Prayer List

Members

The Celusniak Family, Rebecca Cooley-Wuest & Family, Sarah Carlson & Family

Family Members

Matt Denker (Carolyn Rapp's nephew)
The family of Mary Spanberger (Sarah
Carlson's mother)
Cathy Truman (Harriet Truman's sister-in-law)
Leah Baisley (Michael & Sandi Stevermer's
great-niece)
Kailee Clough (Parker Clough's wife)

Caroline Carroll (Harriet Truman's daughter)
Fawn Kemp (Larry Kemp's daughter)
Lauren Person (Mary Person's daughter)
Dr. Thomas & Neva Flatley (Tom Flatley's parents)
Ryan Ermold (Joanne Ermold's son)
Erika Kuenne (Carl & Rita Kuenne's daughter)

<u>Friends</u>

Tom (Philpy) Emeli Bowers (Ermold)

Prayers for all those affected by COVID-19. Prayers for all healthcare workers and their families, and prayers for those administering the vaccine.

Prayers for the students supported through the Seeds of South Sudan.

Prayers of support and love for our companion synods and friends in Madagascar.

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 contact Angela Seep at <u>aseep@stphilip-co.org</u> or 303.979.4491. Prayer requests will run for two weeks unless otherwise requested.



"At St. Philip Lutheran Church we intentionally build relationships through Christ to grow and serve."

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