

St. Philip Information and News (SPIN)

February 2, 2022



Worship News

Join us this Sunday, Feb. 6 in person or on Zoom for Deacon Korra's first Sunday at St. Philip! Help us welcome her to our church. We will also return to communion at the rail. Individual packets will still be available for those who do not wish to come forward.

Church News

2021 Year-End Statement of Giving

Your 2021 year-end giving statements have been sent via email. Make sure you check your spam, junk, promotions, and social folders in your email if you don't see your statement in your inbox right away. If you do not have email, your statement will be mailed to you. If you do not receive your statement or would like a hard copy, please call the church office.

50th Anniversary Celebration

The St. Philip Lutheran Church 50th anniversary celebration will be held the weekend of **Sunday, May 22, 2022**. We will have a 50th anniversary celebration concert **Saturday, May 21, 2022 at 7pm** in the sanctuary. On Sunday, May 22 after a **10:30 a.m.** church service, a complimentary lunch will be served at the Columbine Country Club at **1:00 p.m.**

We will have fundraising events in the coming months. Please provide an initial RSVP on this Facebook Event (<https://fb.me/e/lnzd7AbcL>) to let us know if you will be attending. A final RSVP will be taken in the Spring. We are excited to celebrate this journey with you!

Calling All Youth Singers

Ken Caryl Concerts is inviting singers in 1st-8th grade to join us in a performance of "This is Me" from "The Greatest Showman" in our next concert, *Musical Misfits*, on **Sunday, March 6 at 3pm**. Music and practice tracks will be provided for all interested singers. All participants must be available for one rehearsal on **Saturday, February 26 from 1-2pm, and a call time of 2pm on performance day**. Contact Kristen Celusniak for more information and to sign up! **Deadline to sign up is Feb. 6.** (303.517.4895 or kristen.celusniak@gmail.com)

Prayer Team

The St. Philip Prayer Team, aka Prayer Warriors, have been meeting online continually through Covid on **Wednesday evenings at 8pm**. All are welcome to join us! Contact Rebecca Near at beckyn6017@gmail.com for more information.

Endowment Committee

The Endowment Committee will be meeting February 8 to discuss grant applications for this year. More information to come.

Creative Caring Quilters

The Creative Caring Quilt group will meet **Saturday, February 5 from 9am-12pm**. We have a number of tops to tie so we welcome anyone who is interested in hand tying to meet with us. Our quilts will be donated to Lutheran World Relief. Recently we gave eight quilts to the Linus Project for ill and traumatized children.

Coffee, snack, devotion, and good conversation are always available at our gatherings. A sewing mini lesson will be available on how to strengthen thread. Masks will be required due to St. Philip's protocols during this Omicron infectious time. Stitching is good for the soul!

50th Anniversary Committee Request

The committee is looking for **pictures of baptisms, weddings, any event** held at St. Philip. You can bring pictures into the office to be scanned, or send your digital copies to office@stphilip-co.org.

Children, Youth & Family Ministries

Bible Buddy Adoption Event - - Sunday February 6 (10:15-11:15am)

All children (all ages) 0 to 6th grade are invited to come and adopt a Bible Buddy! At the event the kids can choose a stuffed animal pet, but these are no ordinary pets! Bible Buddies live on God's Word and encourage our child to do the same! Each pet will come with an adoption certificate, an age-appropriate Bible reading plan, and a personalized pet collar!

We have been focusing on learning the Bible and how to use it over the last few weeks in Sunday school. This event is an opportunity for kids to have fun reading the Bible with their Bible buddy pet. For kids who aren't old enough to read yet, parents can start this journey with them!

Learning to read the Bible is one of the greatest faith foundations we can give our children, especially for our 4th-6th graders as they get ready to enter confirmation classes!

We are looking for some VOLUNTEERS to help with our even this Sunday! If you can help please sign up at the link below:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44abae28a5fcce9-bible>

Volunteer Opportunities/Donations

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry

Last week we served 64 families on a snowy and cold day. Many thanks to the dedicated volunteers who made it possible!. With the recent low numbers we are well stocked, but can still use:

- Jelly
- Cleaning products
- Dish soap
- Laundry soap
- Plastic bags
- Egg cartons



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.

Volunteering at Sharing with Sheridan

Looking for a volunteer opportunity? Sharing with Sheridan needs volunteers on Thursdays any time from 11am-5pm to help with distribution. For more information, contact Chris Hancock at 303.358.9238 or c.hancock@comcast.net.

St. Philip Early Learning Center

Part Time Preschool Teacher (Assistant Teacher, Substitute Teachers)

Ages 1-3

St. Philip Early Learning Center is looking for a teacher who can help to create a loving environment and promote a lifelong love of learning. They will assist in our children's social, emotional, and cognitive development.

We are looking for teachers that love to be with our younger children. The positions we have available are Monday and Wednesday in the Pearl and Ruby classrooms.

We are also in need of substitute teachers. If you are looking to help but cannot commit to a specific schedule, please let us know if you would like to sub.

The teacher will be responsible for monitoring the children's progress in our program, developing a curriculum that the children will respond to positively, and partnering with our team and our families to enhance the learning environment at our school. If you love working with young children and have previous experience in an early learning environment we would love to talk to you about our program. Please call 303.972.9774 for more information.

Events

Music of the Vine – A French Excursion

Please join us for a rare opportunity to experience the French region through a sophisticated collage of music, wine, and cheese on **Friday, February 11 at 7pm** at Bethany Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall. Gossamer Winds, a woodwind quintet, will perform French classical and popular music plus other Valentine's Day selections. And distinguished wine expert, author, and educator, Claude Robbins, will share his expertise and enthusiasm for the fine art of wine and cheese pairing – an evening sure to set the mood for your Valentine's weekend. Limited seating for safe distancing. A special date night and/or weekend getaway to France in the relaxing atmosphere of a picturesque Cherry Hills Village Riviera (without the flight). \$35pp /\$60 couple. Masks required; Proof of Vacc./ID verified. Must be 21+ to attend. Reserve tickets at www.AugustanaArts.org.



Preparing for Worship - February 6, 2022
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-13

Second Reading: I Corinthians 15:1-11

Gospel Reading: Luke 5:1-11



Worship Servants for Sunday, February 6, 2022

Assisting Minister	Anne Krause
Lector	Chris Youngren
Communion Deacon	Barb Donaho
Sacrament Servants	Carole Kessler, Lynn Mossbrucker
Ushers	TBD
A-V Sound & Slides	Beth Mielke
Key Keeper	Week beginning 2/6: Mark Pixley

Calendar of Events

(February 2-13, 2022)

Wednesday, February 2 All activities canceled	Tuesday, February 8 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 9:00a – League of Women Voters (MC-3) 10:30a – SPLC Staff Meeting (MC-1) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator 6:30p – Endowment Committee Mtg. 7:00p – Bell Rehearsal (Sanc.) 7:00p – Boy Scouts (FH)
Thursday, February 3 7:30a – Men's Breakfast (offsite) 6:30p – Choir Rehearsal (Sanc.)	Wednesday, February 9 9:30a – Watercolor Group (MC-3) 9:30a – Men's Bible Study (YR) 9:30a – Women's Bible Study (MC-1) 5:00p – Puppet Ministry (FH) 6:00p – Confirmation (FH) 6:00p – Youth Group (YR)
Friday, February 4 <i>Church office open 8am-noon</i> 9:00a – Rocky Mountain Flute Ensemble	Thursday, February 10 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 7:30a – Men's Breakfast (offsite) 1:45p – SPELC Staff Meeting 5:30p – Camp Gladiator 6:30p – Choir Rehearsal (Sanc.)
Saturday, February 5 9:00a – Creative Caring Quilters (FH) 10:30a – Al-Anon (MC-4/5)	Friday, February 11 <i>Church office open 8am-noon</i> 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 9:00a – Rocky Mountain Flute Ensemble
Sunday, February 6 9:00a – Worship 10:15a – Sunday School (FH)	Saturday, February 12 8:30a – Second Wind (FS) 9:00a – Grateful Threads Presentation (FH) 10:30a – Al-Anon (MC-4/5) 11:30a – Al-Anon Business Meeting (MC-4/5)
Monday, February 7 10:00a – Women's Bible Study (FS/Zoom) 11:30a – Gerwig Memorial Service (Sanc.)	Sunday, February 13 9:00a – Worship 10:15a – Sunday School (FH) 12:30p – CMTA Recital (Sanc.)





Bible Quiz



In Luke's account of Jesus calling the first disciples from their work as fishermen to follow him and "fish for people" (NIV), which disciple is not named?

- A. James
- B. John
- C. Simon
- D. Andrew



Answer: D (See Luke 5:1-11.)

Our Prayer List

Members

Family & friends of Hal Erickson, Joel Sigdestad, Rita Kuenne, Mary Jane Rhodes, Paul Stortz, Jack Dice, Dianne Mydlach

Family Members

Don Haas (Renate Haas' husband)
Jonah Lambert (Sandi & Michael Stevermer's great-nephew)
Ryan Ermold (Joanne Ermold's son)
Tina (Chris Youngren's daughter)

Dr. Thomas Flatley (Tom Flatley's father)
Caroline Carroll (Harriet Truman's daughter)
Fawn Kemp (Larry Kemp's daughter)
Erika Kuenne (Carl & Rita Kuenne's daughter)

Friends

Karen (Booth)
Rob Weber (SPELC teacher's husband)
Dave (Rogge)
Carolyn Worrell (Stevermer)

Family & friends of Margie Fletcher (Stevermer)
Emeli Bowers (Ermold)

Prayers for everyone affected by Covid; for those who lost loved ones, struggle with recovery, and live with the after effects. Prayers for all medical workers.

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 aseep@stphilip-co.org or 303.979.4491. Prayer requests will run for two weeks unless otherwise requested.





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intentionally build relationships through Christ to
grow and serve.”***

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