

St. Philip Information and News (SPIN)

June 22, 2022



Church News

Church Office Summer Hours

Please note that the church office will close at 4pm Monday-Thursday during the summer months.

50th Anniversary Summary

It has been one month since the 50th anniversary celebration. The committee and I have been receiving lots of compliments about our celebration. We want to thank you, the congregation, for all that you did to make it possible.

We have paid all of our expenses. It is with great pleasure that I report to you that it was your donations that funded the celebration. We did not take any funds from the church budget to pay for the celebration. Not a penny! Thank you! You can take pride in the fact that it was funded through Thrivent matching funds, endowment funds, memorial donations, a bake sale, golf donations, raffle tickets, and ornament purchases. You can thank yourselves for putting this celebration at the forefront with your support. It has been a pleasure to serve as the chair of this committee. I can't put it into words to say how gratifying it was to have the church full for the service and the country club full to the brim with members who helped to make this journey of 50 years!

~ Laurie Selander

Bread Bakers and Sacrament Servants Needed

Are you a baker? If so, you are encouraged to sign up to bake communion bread for our Sunday worship service. The recipe is very easy and located in the narthex next to the sign-up sheet. If you have any questions, please contact Sandi Stevermer (303.928.9010) or Angela Seep in the office.

The Sacrament Servant Team is looking for volunteers (can be anyone over the age of 12, families, or individuals) to either set up communion prior to worship service and/or clean up the communion elements following worship. It takes about 15-30 minutes depending on efficiency and, training will be given. There is also a very detailed description of the process, along with pictures, to help you. If you, your family, or member of your family is interested, please contact Sandi Stevermer (303.928.9010).

Visitation Team Relaunching at St. Philip

Do you have a heart for visiting members in their homes? Consider serving on the visitation team. Team members will be given simple instructions and will include giving communion. We are seeking team members to make visits once a month to 1-3 folks. If interested, please see Deacon Korra or contact her at klooschen@stphilip-co.org.

Welcome and Witness Team

St. Philip strives to be a place where people feel welcome and where meaningful relationships are formed. Help us to be that place for our first-time guests. We are seeking people to serve in the following ways:

- Serve as greeters and ambassadors
- Participate in a small short-term team to discuss ways we might reach out to the

community more
If you have a passion for hospitality and are interested in discussing ways we can improve in this, please contact Deacon Korra.

Community Garden News

Do you have an hour to spare once a week? Consider helping us water the garden. In these hot, dry months, it needs to be done every day. We need 1-2 committed individuals to water 1-2 times per week over the summer. Specific instructions will be provided. If interested, please contact Ana Tolentino at 303.949.6088.

Check out the new “seed library” in the red mailbox by the community garden. Take a packet of seeds or leave a packet of seeds to share. Enjoy!

Children, Youth, & Families

Save the Date!

Church Family Picnic—**Sunday July 31 from 2-6pm**
Progress Park in Littleton
Fun For ALL! More details coming soon!

Vacation Bible School

July 11-15, 2022 from 9am-noon

Open to all kids 4 years old to entering 4th grade

St. Philip Lutheran Church, partnering with Rainbow Trail Lutheran Camp, presents Vacation Bible School, **July 11-15 from 9am-noon!** We are so excited to welcome your children into our church home to play and learn about God's love. And we are thrilled to offer VBS this year for **FREE!**

We are also looking for volunteers! Youth going into 5th grade through high school can volunteer to help, and we also need adults to shepherd the kids and assist with various jobs.

Register your child for VBS and yourself as a volunteer by going on the web to stphilip-co.org/vbs/.

If you have any questions please contact Melinda Svenkerud, Director of Children, Youth and Family Ministries, at 303.979.4491 or msvenkerud@stphilip-co.org.

Fine Arts Academy

July 11-14, 2022 from 12:30-4:30pm

Open to all kids/youth entering 5th grade & up

Come explore your creativity! Each student will participate in Music and Bible Themes classes, as well as two electives. Electives include: Outdoor Creation, Watercolor Painting, Dance, Lego Creation, Quilting, and Woodworking.

Each class is led by qualified adults who are passionate about sharing their artistic gifts with others. Students share their creations at a program on **Thursday, July 11**. Cost is \$40 per participant, \$30 per each additional participant. Register by going on the web to stphilip-co.org/arts-academy/.

Volunteer Opportunities/Donations

Sharing with Sheridan Food Pantry

Last week we served 110 families. Items we can use for this week include:

- Canned pasta
- Canned chili
- Jelly/jam
- Pasta sauce
- Low sugar, no sugar, vegetarian, vegan and gluten-free donations are welcome



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 volunteersharingwithsheridan@gmail.com.

Preparing for Worship - June 26, 2022 Third Sunday after Pentecost
First Reading: I Kings 19:15-16, 19-21
Second Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-25
Gospel Reading: Luke 9:51-62

Worship Servants for Sunday, June 26, 2022	
Deacon Korra Looschen, preaching; Pastor Brad Doty, presiding	
Assisting Minister	Anne Krause
Lector	Jim Smith
Communion Servant	Amy Rahne
Sacrament Servant	Monica Auch
Ushers	Jerry Black, Tom Flatley
A-V Sound & Slides	Beth Mielke
Key Keeper	Week beginning June 26: Mark Pixley

Our Prayer List

Members

Paul Stortz, Dianne Mydlach

Family Members

Sean Miller (Sue Miller's son)
Marty (Janet Shibly's cousin)
The Malmstrom & Counter families (Anne
Casson's cousins)

Bruce Johnson (Anne Krause's uncle)
Betty Wicklund (Janet Shibly's aunt)
Ryan Ermold (Joanne Ermold's son)
Dr. Thomas Flatley (Tom Flatley's father)

Friends

Jean Peterson (Donaho)
Cherie (Morin)
Erin Mulcahey (Krause)

Hudson Walker (SPELC family)
Emeli Bowers (Ermold)

Prayers for the Early Learning Center as they search for a new director and hire new teachers.

Prayers for all healthcare 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 of strength, hope, and tranquility for caregivers.

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.



Calendar of Events

(June 22-July 3, 2022)

Wednesday, June 22 Rainbow Trail Junior Camp 6:30p – Summer Youth Group (YR)	Tuesday, June 28 Confirmation Camp at Rainbow Trail 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 10:00a – SPLC Staff Meeting (MC-3) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator 7:00p – Boy Scouts (FH)
Thursday, June 23 Rainbow Trail Junior Camp 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 7:30a – Men’s Breakfast (offsite) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator	Wednesday, June 29 Confirmation Camp at Rainbow Trail 6:30p – Summer Youth Group (YR)
Friday, June 24 Rainbow Trail Junior Camp <i>Church office open 8am-noon</i> 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 9:00a – Rocky Mountain Flute Ensemble	Thursday, June 30 Confirmation Camp at Rainbow Trail 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 7:30a – Men’s Breakfast (offsite) 5:30p – Camp Gladiator
Saturday, June 25 Rainbow Trail Junior Camp 8:30a – Creative Caring Quilters (FH) 9:00a – Serenity’s Child (MC-4/5) 10:30a – Al-Anon (MC-3)	Friday, July 1 Confirmation Camp at Rainbow Trail <i>Church office open 8am-noon</i> 5:30a – Camp Gladiator 9:00a – Rocky Mountain Flute Ensemble
Sunday, June 26 Rainbow Trail Confirmation Camp 9:00a – Worship Service (Sanc.) 11:15a – Congregation Council Mtg (MC-4/5)	Saturday, July 2 Confirmation Camp at Rainbow Trail 10:30a – Al-Anon (MC-3)
Monday, June 27 Confirmation Camp at Rainbow Trail 5:30p – Stretching Over Scripture (FH)	Sunday, July 3 9:00a – Worship Service (Sanc.)

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

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