

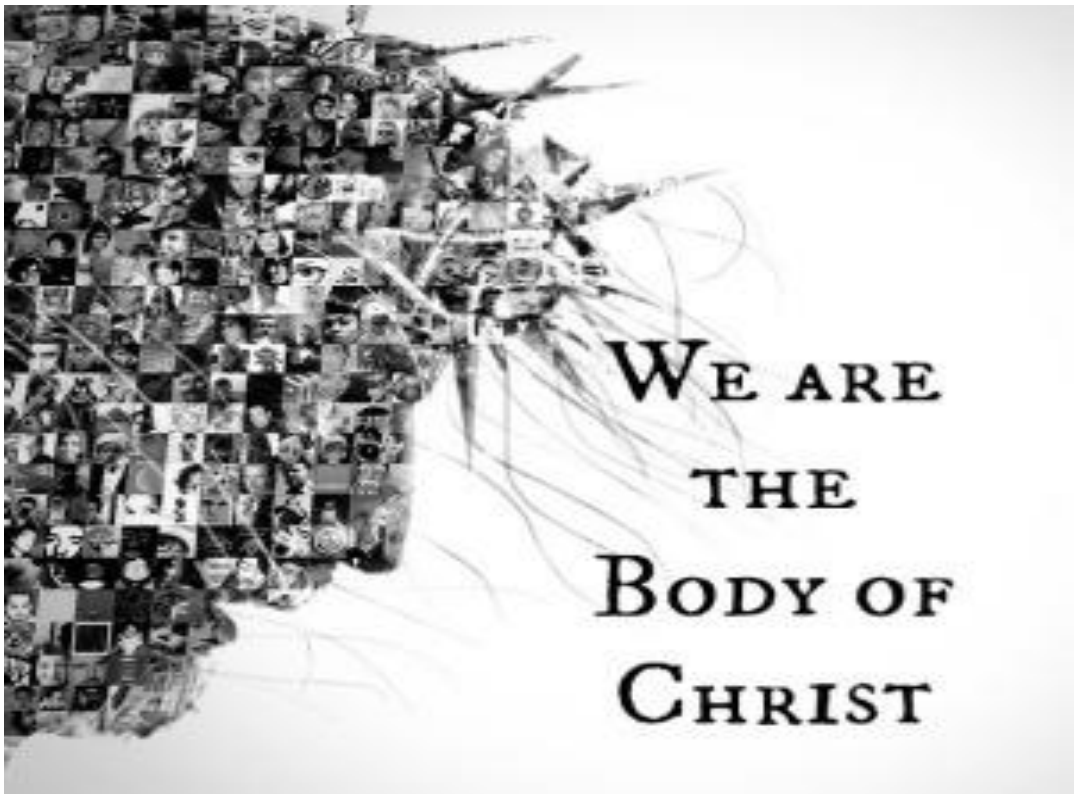
Welcome to



ST. STEPHEN'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Saint Stephen's welcomes everyone who wishes to follow Christ, worship together, grow in faith and share God's love through service to others.

**THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SEPTEMBER 2ND & 3RD 2017
MORNING & EVENING PRAYER**



St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

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Sunday's Hymns (10:30 am)

Processional Hymn: <i>Come, Labor on</i>	#541
Gloria:	#S280
Offertory Hymn:	<i>Piano Voluntary</i>
Doxology:	#380 Vs 3
Recessional: <i>Just as I am, Without One Plea</i>	#693
Organist: Wes Moulton	

Today's Readings & Readers

Lesson 1: Jeremiah 15-15-21

Psalm 26:1-18

Lesson 2: Romans 12:9-21

Gospel: Matthew 16:21-28

	5pm Sat	7:30am Sun	10:30am Sun
Officiant:	Dottie Gutwein	Dottie Gutwein	Dottie Gutwein &
Lay Reader(s):	Jeff Speer		Peggy Brown
Lector(s):	Sharon Douglas	Doris Millard	Fred Orman
Acolyte:			Tabitha Brown

Announcements

- Our Salvation Army's Food Locker is quite empty. Please consider donating to it just like we did for the Chaplain's Food Locker. The same need exists within the ex-military and civilian population.
- Don't forget to sign up to host the coffee hour after your favorite service time/date.
- While the Flower fund is coming back to life, but it still needs your support for fresh flowers weekly.

Morning & Evening Prayer Service

Processional Hymn: (10:30 am see inside of front cover)

Services

	Evening	Morning
Officiant: Opening Sentences	BCP 115	BCP 78
Lay Reader: The Invitatory and Psalter	BCP 117	BCP 82
Jubilate <i>Psalm 100</i>	BCP 82	BCP 82

Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; *
 serve the Lord with gladness
 and come before his presence with a song.

Know this: The Lord himself is God; *
 he himself has made us, and we are his;
 we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
 go into his courts with praise; *
 give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

For the Lord is good;
 his mercy is everlasting; *
 and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

The Lessons

The people sit.

After each Reading, the Reader says:

Reading 1: *(see Insert)*

Psalm Reading: *(See Insert)*

Reading 2: *(See Insert)*

Gloria

(People: 10:30 only: **S280**

At the other services: **BCP p. 94**

**♪ Glory to God in the highest,
 and peace to his people on earth.
 Lord God, heavenly King,
 almighty God and Father,
 we worship you, we give you thanks,
 we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen. ♪**

Reading 3: *(See Insert)*

Services

Evening	Morning
BCP 120	BCP 96

The Apostles Creed

Officiant and People together, all standing

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth;
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Peace

All stand. The Officiant says to the people

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The offertory: 10:30 only: see inside of front cover

Doxology..... #380 v3

♪ **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

AMEN ♪

The Prayers

Officiant : *The Lord be with you.*

People: **And also with you.**

Officiant : *Let us pray.*

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

or

♪
**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil;
for the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen**

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(Music found in Gather Hymnal #7)

Services

Officiant: Suffrage “A”

Evening	Morning
BCP 121	BCP 97

The Collect of the Day and Collect for Purity

Lay Reader: **Prayers of the People Form 3** **BCP 387** **BCP 387**

All: Prayers for the Parish (See back of Lectionary insert)

Officiant: Concluding Collect **BCP 394** **BCP 394**

All: Prayer of St. Chrysostom **BCP 126** **BCP 102**

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. Amen.

Recessional Hymn (*See inside of front cover for Hymn number*)

Celebrant: *The worship has ended let the Service Begin!*

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia, (Alleluia)**

Announcements (cont.)

- **Hurricane Harvey Disaster:** another choice to help the hurricane victims directly is through the Mercy Chefs. They are setting up 2 kitchens in Houston and will be needing staggering amounts of cash to supply groceries to feed the thousands that they expect to feed. Everything donated goes directly to the kitchen sites. A friend of the Society of Companions of the Holy Cross worked with them last year when Baton Rouge was inundated with flooding . For your edification, their website is: www.mercychefs.com. Pray for the Mercy Chefs and all who benefit from their gift of feeding the hungry.
- Sunday **Sept 17** St Stephen's will hold a **Getting to Know You Brunch** between services from 8:30 to 10:15. We encourage members who attend different services to either stay late or come early, to get together and socialize. Please make sure to sign up in the parish hall or on line (just for a head count).
- **SOS: Save Our Stuff:** Gloria Brunell will be hosting a yard/parking lot sale, here at St. Stephen's, to benefit the continuing upkeep/updating of our Church home. The Sale will be **Saturday Oct 7th 2017**. During that week feel free to bring your gently used items to the church. Please go through your home looking for stuff you could part with.
- **San Carlos Apache Reservation Blanket Drive:** Once again this year our parish will be working with All Saints, Safford, AZ to provide blankets for the families in Bylas, AZ along with food boxes. They will be delivered the weekend before Thanksgiving and Christmas. Please place your clean, used blankets on the side pews to be stored away until delivery time. We also appreciate the large clear zipper type bags in which some blankets are sold/or returned in by dry cleaners. Anyone wishing to donate toward the food boxes, may do so . Please mail your checks marked for Bylas Food Drive to All Saints Episcopal Church, c/o Mindy Weisser-Lee, 210 W. Main St., Safford, AZ 85546. Questions? Call Dottie Gutwein 530-515-0679

This Week at St. Stephen's

Monday Sep 4
Labor Day

Saturday Sep 9
5p Evening Prayer, Church

Wednesday Sep 6
9:30a Prayer Group, Church

Sunday Sep 10
7:30a Morning Prayer, Church
10:30a Morning Prayer W/ Choir, Church
6p New Be Clean, Ed. Center

Thursday Sep 7
6:30p Brotherhood of St. Andrew Mtg,
Parish Hall

Looking forward

- Labor Day Sep 4
- Fellowship Brunch Sep 17

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