



ST. STEPHEN'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*The Weekly Announcements and Schedule  
Please take me home with you*

**AUGUST 25<sup>TH</sup> & 26<sup>TH</sup> 2018**



## **The Full Armor of God**

- ~ **Girded with Truth**
  - ~ **Breastplate of Righteousness**
  - ~ **Gospel of Peace**
  - ~ **Shield of Faith**
  - ~ **Helmet of Salvation**
  - ~ **Sword of the Spirit  
which is the Word  
of God**
- ( Ephesians 6:14-17 )**

25 & 26 August 2018

# St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

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Our Website: <http://ststephensAZ.org> Phn: 520-458-4432



**Today's Celebrant:** Rev. Julie Williams  
**Organist:** Wes Moulton

	5pm Sat	7:30am Sun	10:30am Sun
<b>Eucharistic Minister:</b>	Jeff Speer	Bruce Dockter	Dottie Gutwein
<b>Lectors:</b>	Jeff Speer	Carol Dockter	Rosemary Snapp
<b>Acolyte:</b>			

## Announcements

- **Vestry News:**
  - The Search Committee has completed it's task! And is now passing the baton (a recommendation) to the vestry for consideration. Thanks go to the dedicated people who have stuck with it through the entire process, Tim Ash, Erin Bennett, Bill Brunell, Priscilla Burrows, Tim Holsonback, Wendy Kulp and Mindy Saunders. Also thank you MJ Mahland, Fred Orman, Rosemary Snapp and Jeff Speer for their input and interest. The Vestry is now in the process of conducting an interview and will soon make a decision. Your patience as a congregation is greatly appreciated. Keep the prayers coming.
  - The Vestry has voted: St Stephen's is adopting Carmichael Elementary School as its primary school outreach. The new outreach program is lead by Rene Olejnicak. A list of items they need is available in the porch. You can also bring supplies for the school district as a whole, and please don't forget food donations to Peaches' Pantry.
  - A fund to purchase AC has been established by the vestry. Donations to this fund will cool off the church during our hot summers. Check with Bill Brunell (520-508-9474 or Rev. Julie Williams).
  - Dottie Gutwein is now the primary contact for the pastoral ministry. Please contact her at 520-249-1311 or 515-9183 when you are aware of someone who can benefit from a visit or call. *St. Stephen's cares.*
  - There are two important committees being formed.
    1. One is a committee to plan and implement a "**Sunday school**" for children and a Youth Group. Charlotte Stocck is very interested in

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# This Week at St. Stephen's

**Saturday Sep 1**  
5p Holy Eucharist, Church

**Wednesday Aug 29**  
9:30a Prayer Group , Church  
7p Evensong, Church

**Sunday Sep 2**  
7:30a Holy Eucharist, Church  
10:30a Holy Eucharist w/ Choir, Church  
6p New Be Clean, Ed. Center

## Looking forward

- Evensong Aug 29
- Labor Day Sep 3

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(to the right) to visit St. Stephen's  
Activities calendar.



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## Welcome Visitor!!!

Please leave your name and contact info below. If you'd like to speak with someone, please check here

Or you can also use the QRC here to fill this out online.



Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (Mid.) (Last)

Hm: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Adrs: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St., Zip: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

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guiding St. Stephen's in the formation of an educational outlet for children. This is not a one-woman job. Please talk to Charlotte at 459-1408.

2. The other committee is a **facilities committee**. As you might have noticed, the church building is in need of some improvements that go beyond regular maintenance. A committee can help identify, prioritize, and hopefully find ways to fund and make the necessary improvements. Bill Brunell is the man to see or call. His number is 508-9474.
- Please join us for Evensong on Wednesday, August 29, at 7 pm. This is a beautiful choral service. Coffee (decaf included) and cookies afterwards.
  - Remember article submission deadline for the St. Stephen's News Letter is the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month. You may email submissions to [cstocek@gmail.com](mailto:cstocek@gmail.com).
  - Next gathering of the men of St. Stephens will be at Bruce Dockter's house on Sunday, August 26 at 12:30. We will enjoy pizza and follow up on items talked about at the last meeting. More details will be provided by e-mail.
  - ECW's luncheon this Sunday is postponed. Date TBD.
  - Looking for a sound system expert for advice on some new equipment and our setup. Please contact Mark Sowards 520-458-4432.

***Final Walkabout Schedule for the Search for the VI Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Arizona Monday, September 24—Friday, September 28***

**Monday, Sep 24 6:00pm—9:00pm**

St. Luke's Episcopal Church  
2000 Shepherds Ln.  
Prescott, AZ 86301  
(928)778.4499

**Thursday, Sep. 27 2:00pm—5:00pm**

St. Francis in the Valley  
1902, 600 S. La Cañada Dr.  
Green Valley, AZ 85614  
(520)625.1370

**Tuesday, Sep 25 6:00pm—9:00pm**

St. Peter's Episcopal Church  
400 Old Litchfield Rd.  
Litchfield Park, AZ 85340  
(623)935.3279

**Friday, Sep. 28 6:00pm—9:00pm**

Christ Church of the Ascension  
4015 E Lincoln Dr.  
Paradise Valley, AZ 85253  
(602) 840.8210

**Wednesday, Sep 26 6:00pm—9:00pm**

St. Philip's Episcopal Church  
4440 N. Campbell Ave.  
Tucson, AZ 85718  
(520)299.6421

