

St Stephen's Announcements

Week of Jan 21-27 2021

- **Back to Phase I:** Our church will be operating in Phase I from Jan 11 to Feb 14 with only online worship on Sunday mornings at 10:30am. Other in-person church activities are suspended for the coming month. Mark and Rev. Allison will work remotely from home much of this time. We will re-evaluate on Feb 14th whether we can once more resume in-person worship. Please see letter to the congregation emailed 1/6/21 for more details.
- **Annual Meeting of the Church** - Sunday January 24th at 1pm via zoom. To join Zoom Meeting click on the following link or copy and paste into your web browser:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2286669229?pwd=M1pMbnRscXRRbmlvZ3Vpc29RanpHUT09>
Meeting ID: 228 666 9229 Passcode: 515266
From your phone, Dial in [+1 669 900 6833](tel:+16699006833) US (San Jose) [+1 253 215 8782](tel:+12532158782) US (Tacoma)
All members of the church are strongly encouraged to attend the meeting so that we can approve the budget, elect new vestry members, and hear the Rector's State of the Church Address. Up to 20 can attend in person in the Ed Bldg if you do not have computer access.
- **Rev. Allison and other diocesan clergy on retreat Jan 26-28.** Rev. Allison will not be available for these three days. See Senior Warden Tim Holsonback or Junior Warden Sherry Simon.
- **Jan 31st 10 am MST - Worship with the Diocese and Bishop Reddall:** Bishop Reddall is providing an online bilingual diocesan Morning Prayer service on Sunday, January 31 at 10:00 a.m. via Zoom to provide clergy around the diocese a week off. The login information is below. A Zoom account is not required to join, but the Zoom application will need to be downloaded onto your computer. Use the link or call in *number (including the password)* below.

For those who don't want to use Zoom, Morning Prayer will also be live streamed on the diocesan YouTube page (www.youtube.com/azdiocese1).

A diocesan coffee hour with Bishop Reddall will follow the **service**.

Diocesan Morning Prayer and Coffee Hour Time: January 31, 2021 10:00 AM Arizona

Join the Zoom Meeting (using a webcam):

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81156254572?pwd=eEdXckV4YkpNTGdqWFFJSlhzeHQ0Zz09>

Meeting ID: 811 5625 4572 Passcode: bishop

Join by audio only: 602-753-0140 (Phoenix)

- **New Vestry Retreat after Annual Meeting:** Will be on vestry Retreat Feb 5th noon til 5pm and Feb 6th 8am to 4pm. Time to meet together to understand roles and responsibilities and to begin team building and planning for the coming year.
- **Coming in the new year:** An online zoom course on "How Jesus teaches us to meet and overcome challenges in our life... "1) Situations that Worry Us, 2) Death and Taxes, 3) People who annoy us, 4) Fear of the unknown."