St Stephen's Announcements Mar 31-Apr 6 2022

- We are taking up weekly collections for the Ukrainian refugees. Loose money can be placed in the small basket for the cause or checks can be given with "Ukraine" on the memo line. Episcopal Relief & Development is providing humanitarian aid in response to the crisis in Ukraine they will help meet critical needs for people fleeing the violence including food, cash, blankets and hygiene supplies. <u>www.episcopalrelief.org/ukraine-crisis</u>.
- **Dottie Gutwein ordination to the Diaconate** June 4th in Phoenix at the Cathedral. Donations towards the purchase of a set of Deacon stoles for Dottie is appreciated as our gift from the church to Dottie.
- New Stations of the Cross Wednesdays in Lent at 10:30am in the church, following the Wednesday 9:30am morning worship. All are welcome.
- Christian Ed Forum Study of the Book of Revelation continues Sat 4pm and Sun 12:30pm.
- Living with Loss A support group for those processing grief from losing someone you love. Next meeting Friday April 22nd 4pm in Parish Hall (usually monthly on 3rd Friday of the month at 4pm, but off a week this time due to Good Friday being on the 3rd Friday).
- First Friday film night next showing April 1st 5:00pm in the Education Building We will show season 1, episodes 6 & 7 of "The Chosen" TV series... each episode is about an hour. Come watch and share your thoughts afterward. If you missed the first few episodes, find them online for free at: https://watch.angelstudios.com/thechosen . Soup dinner provided. Bring your own beverage.
- April 9th Ladies Tea and creating Easter Bonnets for Easter morning We will meet in the Parish Hall at 11am for tea, pastries, and making Easter Bonnets. Invite a friend to come along and have a great time. Bonnets, decorations provided. Bring a flavor of tea and a pastry to share. Email Rev. Allison to indicate your attendance to be sure we have the right number of bonnets available.
- Second Saturday St. Stephen's Supper group will meet Saturday April 9th 6:30pm Following the 5pm service (about 6:30pm) meet at Mimosa Pizzeria Restaurant (Hereford). All are welcome.
- Palm Sunday April 10th at 9am will be at Sierra Evangelical Lutheran Church, 101 N Lenzner Ave, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635. This will be the ONLY Palm Sunday service for our church. No service at St. Stephen's that morning.
- Maundy Thursday April 14th 6pm will be in Benson at St. Raphael in the Valley Episcopal-Lutheran Church. This will be our ONLY Maundy Thursday service. No service at St. Stephen's on that day. Address for St. Raphael's is 730 S. Hwy 80, Benson, AZ 85602.
- Good Friday April 15th 6pm at St. Stephen's. Both Sierra Lutheran and St. Raphael's will join us for this service at our church.
- Easter Vigil Saturday April 16th 5 pm and Easter Sunday April 17th at 11am With an Easter Brunch to follow Sunday's service in the Ed Building at noon. Please see sign up sheet to bring something to share for the Easter Brunch and join us for a time of celebration and fellowship.

