

St Stephen's Announcements Jan 4-10 2024

- **Giving Envelopes are here!** Please pick-up this weekend. Any not picked up will be mailed out to you next week.
- **January Newsletter now available.** A few copies printed will be on table in the church for those without computers.
- **Rev. Allison changed office hours between January and May:** Rev. Allison will be in the office on Mondays (except holidays), Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Not on Thursday as she is empaneled on a Grand Jury in Bisbee on Thursdays for 4 months.
- **5 January – First Friday Film Night: We will watch “The Lion in Winter”** starring Katherine Hepburn and Peter O’Toole in this historical drama about Christmas in the family of Henry II and Eleanor of Aquitaine. Some great one-liners in this movie. Soup supper. Bring your own beverage. Starts at 5:15pm goes to about 7:30pm. Bring a friend.
- **13 January – Second Saturday Supper: 6:30pm Join us for supper out at Native Grill and Wings** for a time of fellowship and feasting. Address 3950 Martin Luther King Jr Pkwy, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635. Menu can be found at this link: <https://nativegrillandwings.com/menu/general-menu/> . Invite a friend to join us.
- **21 January – Sunday ANNUAL MEETING:** Be sure to come to church Sunday at 10am for the combined annual meeting and worship. This will be followed by a **Mexican Food potluck** in the Parish Hall with a “build your own Taco” Bar. Rev. Allison will use the sermon time to deliver the “State of the Church” address and present the 2024 church budget. New vestry elections and gratitude recognition.
- **26-27 January – New Vestry Retreat** for all vestry members in Parish Hall. Friday 26th 5:30 pm to 8pm. Saturday 8am to 2pm.
- **January 23rd – One day only, “A Case for Love”, a movie featuring Presiding Bishop Rev. Michael Curry, in theaters.** Closest movie theater showing the movie is in Tucson. Only two showings on that day. We will try to get the DVD video for a future viewing at the church.
- **First Friday Film Night – We will attend the Season 4 Showings of “The Chosen” at the movie theater at the mall in Feb and March.** Feb 2nd 4:40pm – Episodes 1-3, Feb 16th 4:50pm – Episodes 4-6, March 1st 3:50pm – Episodes 7-8. Tickets online or at the theater. Can get all 8 episodes for \$30 when purchased at the same time.
- **Rev. Allison attending the Diocesan Priest Retreat Feb 5-7 at Chapel Rock.**
- **13 February – Pancakes and Sausage Shrove Tuesday Supper. 5pm to 6pm in Parish Hall.**
- **14 February – Ash Wednesday. Services at 9:30am and 6pm.** Lent starts early this year.
- **23 February – 6pm Professional Pianist John Nilsen in concert** at St. Stephen’s in the Church. Free will offering and wine/sparkling soda/hors d’oeuvres reception to follow.
- **Please continue to drop off your aluminum cans and pull tabs** – We will continue to take to Animal Shelter to donate for them.