

## St Stephen's Announcements Aug 14-20 2025

<b>Ongoing Weekly Discipleship Opportunities</b>		
<b>Education for Ministry (EFM)</b> – Discipleship program meets end of August to end of May in person or on zoom. See Deacon Sherry for information on joining this program.		
<b>Saturday Morning Bible Study</b> – Starting Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup> at 10am in Parish Hall: The Book of Genesis. See Deacon Dottie for more info.		
<b>Adult Forum</b> – Sat 4pm & Sun 12pm “Sermon on the Mount” by Emmett Fox book study	<b>Bible Study on Zoom</b> – Tues 4pm See Deacon Sherry for Zoom connection	<b>12-Steps for anyone meeting</b> Wednesdays 5pm in Parish Hall. Currently reading book on growing spiritually by Eckhart Tolle

- **Welcome Visitors! We are glad to have you worship with us.** Enjoy our service, participate as much as you feel comfortable doing so. Let this worship time be our gift to you and your soul. Don't worry about putting anything in the collection as a visitor. Your being here is your gift to us.
- **Welcome to the Venerable Amy Bryan, Archdeacon for the Diocese of Arizona:** We are glad to have you worship and visit with us Sunday August 17<sup>th</sup>.
- **Be sure to RSVP for Rev. Allison's farewell lunch, Aug 24<sup>th</sup> 11:30am at Pizzeria Mimosa in Hereford.** The deadline has passed; see Anne Roth, Dottie Gutwein, or Nancy Rae for last-minute additions.
- **Rev. Allison's last weekend as St. Stephen's Pastor is August 23-24.** Be sure to come that weekend for her farewell sermon and parting gifts.
- **We welcome Fr. Henri Capdeville as supply priest for August 30-31<sup>st</sup>.** Our Senior Warden, Jeff Speer, is making arrangements with the Diocese for a supply priest (Fr. Henri, if available?) for the coming weeks. More info TBD.
- **Coffee-Hour Helpers wanted** – With Wilma out sick for the near future with a hernia problem and pending surgery, we can use a few folks to assist with getting the coffee hour ready and cleaning up afterwards. Please come by 9:30am to set up and help clean up around 11:30am.
- **As summer vacations continue,** remember to try to keep your pledges current over the next few months.
- **Donations for Huachuca City UMC distribution to people with needs:** You may donate toothpaste, toothbrushes, powder laundry detergent or detergent dissolvable sheets to assist Lay Pastor Sara Evans with folks in Huachuca City. Please put powder detergent into smaller Ziplock sandwich bags for easier distribution to people with needs. Donations can be placed in the tub/bin in the pew at the back of the church next to the info table.
- **FREE TABLE – Please check each week for items on the Free Table or in the fridge Free Drawer.** If you put something out for others and those items are not taken after two weeks, please take them back and donate them to other organizations in our community.

