



St. Stephen Lutheran Church

Love God, Love People, Form Faith.

If you are seeking God you are welcome here.

If you have been hurt in a judgmental church, here you will not be judged. Here you will be nurtured in the grace and Good News that our salvation has been accomplished in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Here you may discover that, in fact, it is God who has been seeking you!

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost



June 25, 2023

For Your Prayers –June 26-July 2, 2023

Lectionary readings for this week:

Monday: Micah 7:1-7; Revelation 2:1-7 ;Psalm 6

Tuesday: Jeremiah 26:1-12; Revelation 2:8-11; Psalm 6

Wednesday: Jeremiah 38:1-13; Matthew 10:5-23; Psalm 6

Thursday: Jeremiah 25:1-7; Galatians 5:2-6; Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18

Friday: Jeremiah 28:8-14; Galatians 5:7-12; Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18

Saturday: Jeremiah 28:1-4; Luke 17:1-4 Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18;

Next Sunday's Lessons: Jeremiah 28:5-9;Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18; Romans 6:12-23;
Matthew 10:40-42

Join your prayers for healing with God's desires for **Joe Beene, Ed Brown, Kristin Carter, Karen Einarsen, Jack Harris, Sharon Jacobs, Marilyn Johnson, Evelyn Kernan, Jim Mayfield, and Linda Reuben.**

Pray for those unable to come to worship: **Joyce Behlendorf, Martin Bleck, Ed Brown, Birdie Burton, York Doerr, Bob and Angie Groom, Edith Haecker, Pat Janot, Jeanne Nelson, Joanne Shue, Darlene Simon, and Kay Wasaff**

Pray for these loved ones of our congregation: Dawn Allen, Roberta Barbour, Donald and Carol Baum, Rose Baumgarten, Sally Blackburn, Nelson Blish, Mary Bloom, Jerry & Elijah Connor, Doug Crinklaw, Judy Drezek, Derald Edwards, Deanna Harbison, William Harbison, Char Henry, Brian Johnson, Mason Jones, The Kennedy family, Bob Lamoureux, Ron Luchetti, Julia Mahony, Marnah Lund, Doug Mayes, Detra Michaels, Bob Myers, Gina Peterson, Paula Rega, Betty Roth, Naomi Schmidt, Inge Seiter, David Shoberg, Kelsey Slay, Vasili Soultoukis, Chad Strausbaugh, Marie Talmage, Charley Underdahl, Caleb Winig, Rickey Winsette, Linda Wright, The Graduating Class of 2023

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I. Gathering: *The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God*

Welcome

Centering Music

How Firm a Foundation

Anne Krentz Organ

Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
who greets us in this and every season,
whose word never fails,
whose promise is sure. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God
and of our neighbors.

Merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned.
We have hurt our community.
We have squandered your blessings.
We have hoarded your bounty.
In the name of Jesus,
forgive us and grant us your mercy.
Silence is kept for reflection.

Righteous God,
we confess that we have sinned.
We have failed to be honest.
We have lacked the courage to speak.
We have spoken falsely.
In the name of Jesus,
forgive us and grant us your mercy.
Silence is kept for reflection.

God is a cup of cold water when we thirst.
God offers boundless grace when we fail.
Claim the gift of God's mercy:
you are freed and forgiven
in the name of † Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Prayer of the Day

Teach us, good Lord God, to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, except that of knowing that we do your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

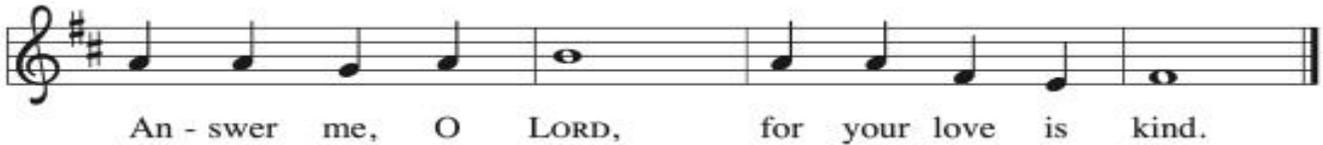
II. Word: *God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song***First Reading****Jeremiah 20:7-13**

⁷O LORD, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all day long; everyone mocks me.

⁸For whenever I speak, I must cry out, I must shout, "Violence and destruction!" For the word of the LORD has become for me a reproach and derision all day long.

⁹If I say, "I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name," then within me there is something like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot. ¹⁰For I hear many whispering: "Terror is all around! Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" All my close friends are watching for me to stumble. "Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him, and take our revenge on him." ¹¹But the LORD is with me like a dread warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble and they will not prevail. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonor will never be forgotten. ¹²O LORD of hosts, you test the righteous, you see the heart and the mind; let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause. ¹³Sing to the LORD; praise the LORD! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

Reader: "The Word of the Lord." Response: "Thanks be to God."



⁷Surely, for your sake I have suf- | fered reproach,
and shame has cov- | ered my face.

**⁸I have become a stranger to | my own kindred,
an alien to my | mother's children.**

⁹Zeal for your house has eat- | en me up;
the scorn of those who scorn you has fall- | en upon me.

**¹⁰I humbled my- | self with fasting,
but that was turned to | my reproach. Refrain**

¹¹I put on | sackcloth also,
and became a by- | word among them.

**¹²Those who sit at the gate mur- | mur against me,
and the drunkards make | songs about me.**

¹³But as for me, this is my prayer to you, at the time you have | set, O LORD:
“In your great mercy, O God, answer me with your un- | failing help.

**¹⁴Save me from the mire; do not | let me sink;
let me be rescued from those who hate me and out of | the deep waters. Refrain**

¹⁵Let not the torrent of waters wash over me, neither let the deep swal- | low me up;
do not let the pit shut its | mouth upon me.

**¹⁶Answer me, O LORD, for your | love is kind;
in your great compassion, | turn to me.**

¹⁷Hide not your face | from your servant;
be swift and answer me, for I am | in distress.

**¹⁸Draw near to me | and redeem me;
because of my enemies de- | liver me. Refrain**

Second Reading

Romans 6:1b-11

^{1b}Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? ²By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? ³Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

⁵For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. ⁷For whoever has died is freed from sin. ⁸But if we have died with

Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. ⁹We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. ¹⁰The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. ¹¹So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Reader: "The Word of the Lord." Response: "Thanks be to God."

Gospel Acclamation



Gospel

Matthew 10:24-39

Response after announcement of the Gospel: "Glory to you, O Lord."

[Jesus said to the twelve:] ²⁴“A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; ²⁵it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!²⁶“So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. ²⁷What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. ²⁸Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. ²⁹Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. ³⁰And even the hairs of your head are all counted. ³¹So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.³²“Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; ³³but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.³⁴“Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.³⁵For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; ³⁶and one’s foes will be members of one’s own household. ³⁷Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; ³⁸and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. ³⁹Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.”

Response at the conclusion of the Gospel: "Praise to you, O Christ."

The Hymn of the Day will be announced in a few moments. First, please take time during the silence: What are your prayers in response to the sermon?

Hymn of the Day*Will You Come and Follow Me*

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Prayers

*Each petition concludes, "Lord in your mercy." Response: "**Hear our prayer.**"*

III. Meal: God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ**Offering**

Offerings are gathered for the mission of the church: preaching and teaching the good news of our salvation through the death and resurrection of Christ, and caring for the poor. During the offering, the table is set for the Lord's Supper.

Offering of Music*Will You Come and Follow Me*

arr .Sandra Eithun

Offertory Prayer

God of field and forest, sea and sky,
you are the giver of all good things.
Sustain us with these gifts of your creation,
and multiply your graciousness in us,
that the world may be fed with your love,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

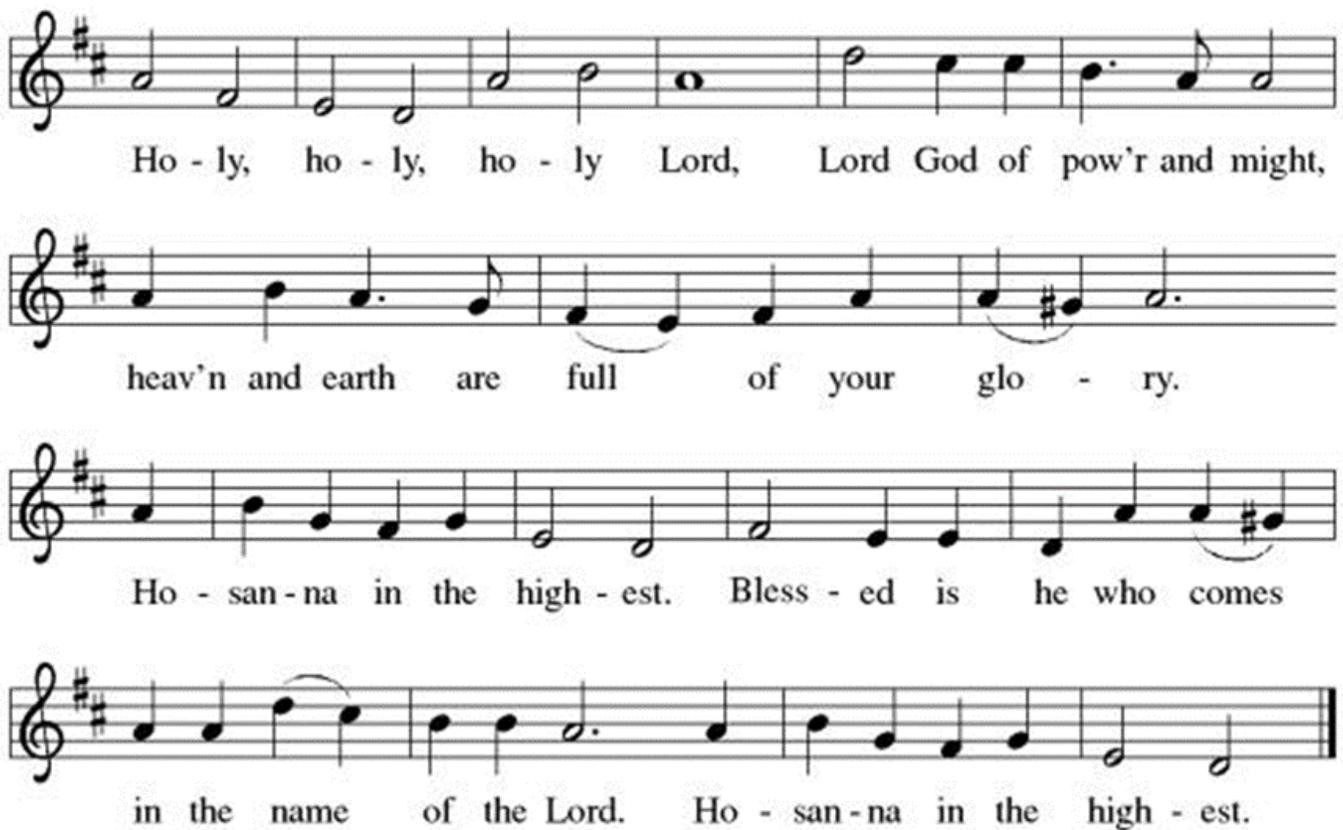
The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ;
who on this day overcame death and the grave,
and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.
And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
 heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
 Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
 in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Words of Institution

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

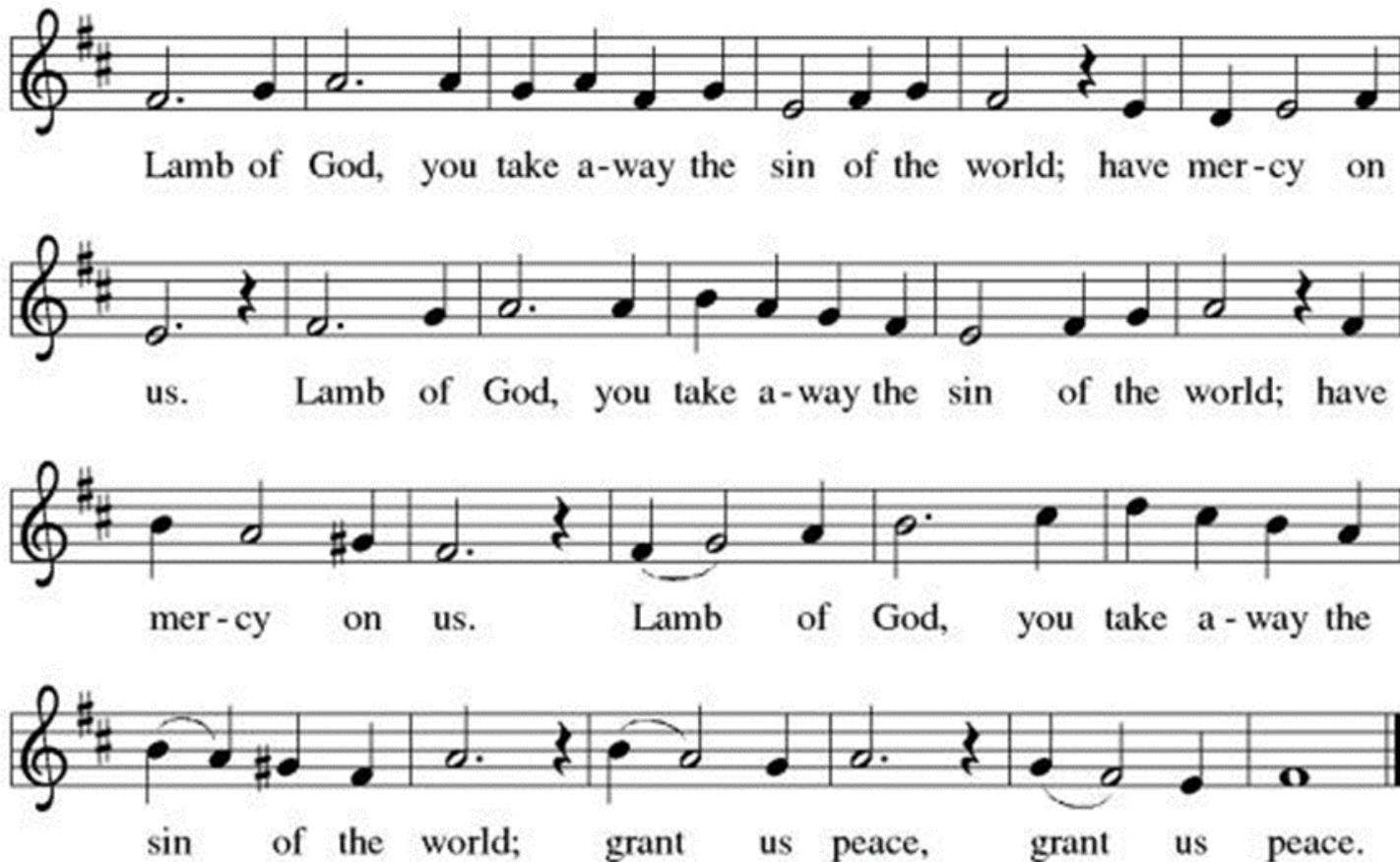
Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come,
 your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.
 Amen.**

Holy Communion

When receiving Communion, either stand or kneel at the Rail. Pastor will distribute the bread and a Communion Assistant will come with a tray of pre-filled cups of wine and grape juice. The juice will be in the middle of the tray. Gluten-free wafers are available as an alternative to bread. St. Stephen is a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, so all are welcome to receive Christ's body and blood in the Lord's Supper.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Music *Down to the River to Pray*

Arr. Anna Laura Page

Communion Hymn *Children of the Heavenly Father*

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Prayer after Communion

We thank you, generous God,
for the refreshment we have received at your banquet table.
Send us now to spread your generosity into all the world,
through the one who is our dearest treasure,
Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

IV. Sending: *God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world*

Sending Hymn

I'm Going on a Journey

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Blessing

**The God who calls across the cosmos
and speaks in the smallest seed
✠ bless, keep, and sustain you
now and to the end of the age.
Amen.**

Dismissal

Go in peace. Share the harvest.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude *Hornpipe from "Water Music"* arr. Anna Laura Page

Our music today is provided by a Handbell Sextet:
**Jane DeSolms, Marj Gottschalk-Trone, Terri Larsen, Jennifer Dabel, Jim
Larsen, Sandy Reed-Bryant**



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Will you come and follow me/Our God Reigns #CGB1056

Contributors: Sandra Eithun

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Down to the River to Pray #1164859 List

Type: Music

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Hornpipe from Water Music #CGB1104-3 List

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Handbell arrangement for 12 bells

Contributors: Anna Laura Page

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How Firm a Foundation

1 How firm a foun - da - tion, O saints of the Lord,
 2 "Fear not, I am with you, oh, be not dis - mayed,
 3 "When through fi - 'ry tri - als your path - way shall lie,
 4 "Through - out all their life - time my peo - ple shall prove

is laid for your faith in Christ Je - sus, the Word!
 for I am your God and will still give you aid;
 my grace, all - suf - fi - cient, shall be your sup - ply.
 my sov - 'reign, e - ter - nal, un - change - a - ble love;

What more can he say than to you he has said
 I'll strength - en you, help you, and cause you to stand,
 The flames shall not hurt you; I on - ly de - sign
 and then, when gray hairs shall their tem - ples a - dorn,

who un - to the Sav - ior for ref - uge have fled?
 up - held by my righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand."
 your dross to con - sume and your gold to re - fine."
 like lambs they shall still in my bo - som be borne."

Will You Come and Follow Me

The Summons



1 "Will you come and fol - low me if I but call
 2 "Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call
 3 "Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call
 4 "Will you love the you you hide if I but call
 5 Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call



your name? Will you go where you don't
 your name? Will you care for cruel and
 your name? Will you set the pris - 'ners
 your name? Will you quell the fear in -
 my name. Let me turn and fol - low



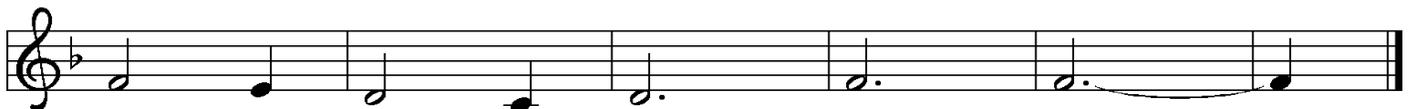
know and nev - er be the same?
 kind and nev - er be the same?
 free and nev - er be the same?
 side and nev - er be the same?
 you and nev - er be the same.



Will you let my love be shown, will you let my
 Will you risk the hos - tile stare, should your life at -
 Will you kiss the lep - er clean, and do such as
 Will you use the faith you've found to re - shape the
 In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and



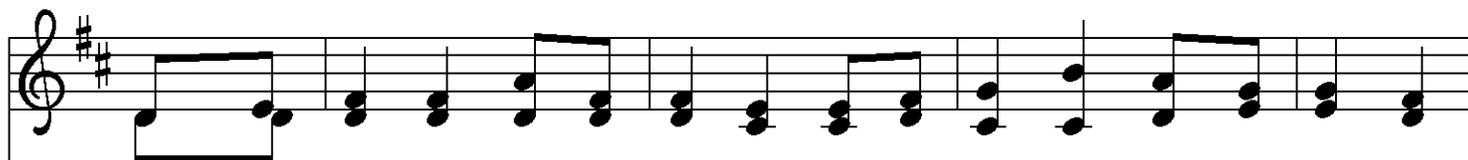
name be known, will you let my life be
 tract or scare? Will you let me an - swer
 this un - seen, and ad - mit to what I
 world a - round, through my sight and touch and
 foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and



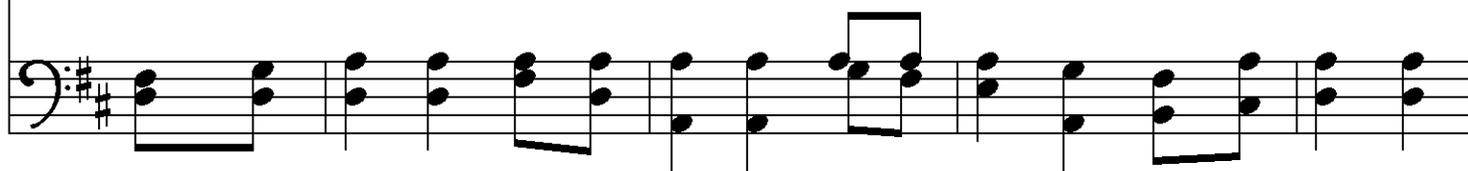
grown in you and you in me?"
 pray'r in you and you in me?"
 mean in you and you in me?"
 sound in you and you in me?"
 grow in you and you in me.

Children of the Heavenly Father

Tryggare kan ingen vara



Tryg - ga - re kan ing - en va - ra än Guds lil - la bar - na - ska - ra,
1 Chil - dren of the heav'n-ly Fa - ther safe - ly in his bo - som gath - er;
2 God his own doth tend and nour-ish, in his ho - ly courts they flour-ish.
3 Nei - ther life nor death shall ev - er from the Lord his chil - dren sev - er;
4 Though he giv - eth or he tak - eth, God his chil - dren ne'er for - sak - eth;



stjär - nan ej på him - la - fäs - tet, få - geln ej i kän - da näs - tet.
nest - ling bird nor star in heav - en such a ref - uge e'er was giv - en.
From all e - vil things he spares them, in his might - y arms he bears them.
un - to them his grace he show - eth, and their sor - rows all he know - eth.
his the lov - ing pur - pose sole - ly to pre - serve them pure and ho - ly.



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I'm Going on a Journey



1 I'm go-ing on a jour-ney, and I'm start-ing to-day. My



head is wet, and I'm on my way. Christ's mark is on me;



it's on you, too; it says he loves me, and he loves you, too!



2 I'm be-com-ing this day a saint of God. It



real-ly does-n't mat-ter what roads I trod. Wher-ev-er I go, God's



been there, too. God's love has touched me and will car-ry me through.



3 There are oth-er saints who have said a-men. They'll



keep me faith-ful to my jour-ney's end. A - long the way



I want to be the kind of per-son that God set free.

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As We Gather

Parents! Thanks for bringing your children to worship.

- Did you know that intergenerational worship is the single most important activity encouraging children's faith formation? (See vibrantfaith.com)
- When parents and children need to take a break for a few minutes, there's a play area with toys and books in the room right beneath the Worship Space.
- Age-appropriate activity bags are available in the Gathering Space – ask an usher for assistance.

Assistance is Available for You:

- **An induction loop** is provided for the benefit of hearing aid users. To use, please switch your hearing aid to "T."
- **Large print** worship materials are available - ask an usher.
- **Rest rooms** are accessible through the door in the wing to the left of the altar.
- **If someone should need emergency medical assistance**, CPR supplies, and a first aid kit are located in the hallway next to the Fellowship Hall.

Health Update:

We always encourage you to monitor yourself for symptoms of illness and to worship from home if you are experiencing any. We have masks and hand sanitizer available for use in our building should you require.

What's Happening Today

Flowers this morning are given by Tim and Stephane Judy in honor of their 8th Wedding Anniversary!

June Congregational Meeting: We will hold our June business meeting today, **join us after service in the fellowship hall.**

2023 Giving Statements are available in the gathering space. Please remember to pick yours up before you leave.

Worship: Summer Worship Schedule. Starting today, **June 25th** we will be moving to **one worship service** for eight Sundays, **ending August 13th**. We will have **coffee at 9:00 AM and worship at 9:45 AM** on these Sundays. This worship service will be live-streamed as well. We hope that this joint service will help foster connections between "8:30 folk" and "11:00 folk" as well as give our worship leaders a lighter Sunday morning for these weeks of summer.

Upcoming

Communal Life: Pub & Grub. Join us on **Monday, June 26th at 7:00 PM** at Billsburg Brewery for some food, drinks and conversation!

Communal Life & Education: Church Office Closed. **The church office will be closed the week of July 4th** as the Preschool is closed and much of the staff will be out of town.

Communal Life: Pastor Jon on Vacation. Pastor Jon will be out of the state from **June 27-July 12** for vacation. In his absence Pastor Jim Larsen will be covering **June 27-July 3** and Pastor Harvey Nelson from **July 4-July 12**.

Communal Life: Dinner Small Groups. All ages are invited to participate in our new dinner small group fellowship, a flexible program in which each group: Meets to share a meal together during a three month period, and decides together the best location and meal details for its members. Made up of about 8 people, each group will set its own “approach” for meals. The purpose? Fellowship, inclusivity, relationships, breaking bread together, building connections. Sign-up on the bulletin insert, or call or email the church office throughout June. Each group will meet at least once during July-September.

Service: Looking for Job Opportunities. The Williamsburg UMC is trying to find employment for the Rasuli-Sayeed family whom they are hosting from Afghanistan (we were hoping to host some other members of this extended family before talks between the US and Taliban broke down). Know of an opportunity? Please contact Brian Agor with info.

Service: Shoes for Grove. This is the 18th year that St. Stephen members have the purpose-filled opportunity to provide sneakers for Grove community students so they can start school this fall in style! If you like to shop, please buy **GIRLS** sneakers in any size from 6 to 11 or **BOYS** sneakers any size from 6 to 12, including half sizes for both—these are the most needed sizes but any size will do! **Deliver them to the Gathering Space by Sunday, July 30** and we will take them to Grove. If you would prefer to make a monetary donation, please make the check out to St. Stephen Lutheran Church with **SHOES FOR GROVE** on the memo line.

Communal Life: Cybersecurity Reminder. While we have not had any recent incidents, we would like to remind the congregation that no one associated with St. Stephen will ever ask you for money or a gift card or anything like that. If you received a suspicious email, text, or direct message, please feel free to call the church office directly and double check!

Service: Please support the Crockpot Ministry in July and August as we feed two homeless families every Thursday. Hopefully they will receive from us two recipes suitable for preparing in a crockpot each Thursday along with the ingredients to make dinner on Thursday and Friday. Since their refrigerator space is limited, perishables will be purchased with any monetary donations received for the project or please advise that they are in the refrigerator at St. Stephen. Questions can be addressed to Jane Gingerich or Susan Neidlinger.

Service: Habitat is coming back to James City County. The need for affordable housing has not decreased since St. Stephen's last involvement with Habitat. They have continued to build 200 homes and rehab 400 others in their history in this area. Since their latest builds were in New Kent County, it made it difficult for us to be involved. They are in the process however of securing land in James City County. The Social Ministry hopes we can again be involved in the fall of 2023. In the meantime, other opportunities to show support are available: On August 19 four sponsors are holding a 1mile fun run/5K run or walk. Registration is at www.RunSignUp.com.

Communal Life: Cookies or Bites for our summer services! We are asking 3 people to bring 2-3 dozen cookies or little bites each Sunday for the 9:00 Hospitality time, before the service. If you would like to help out please sign up on the insert and indicate which Sunday would be able to help. Thank you!

Blood Pressure checks

We will begin having blood pressure checks on **July 16**. This particular Sunday will be during the one service time so I will be available in my office during coffee time starting at 9am. Then, in August, I will be available in my office between services on the third Sunday of the month.

Crockpot Ministries

Just because the lazy days of Summer will soon be upon us, does not mean the needs of the financially challenged become less. To ease their burdens the Social Ministry is offering the rest of us several opportunities to ease their concerns.

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Questions can be addressed to Jane Gingerich or Susan Neidlinger and thanks for helping

Crockpot Chicken Pasta

1 can shredded chicken
2 cups chicken broth or stock
16 oz. of pasta
16 oz. cream cheese
1 pkg. ranch dressing mix
2 cups of shredded cheddar cheese
1 Pkg of precooked bacon

Crockpot Spaghetti

1 26oz. jar Spaghetti sauce
1 15 oz can of Diced tomatoes
½ cup of water
8oz. of spaghetti pasta
2 cups of shredded mozzarella cheese
Can of Parmesan cheese

St. Stephen Calendar –June 25-July 2 , 2023

*Our worship service is available on our website www.saintstephenlutheran.net,
click on “Worship with Us” and “Services.”*

SUNDAY, June 25

9:00 AM Coffee & Conversation (Gathering Space)

9:45 AM Worship – Holy Communion (*livestreamed on our YouTube channel*)

11:00 AM Congregational Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

MONDAY, June 26

9:00 AM Staff Meeting (Pastor Office)

7:00 PM Pub and Grub (Billsburg Brewery)

TUESDAY, June 27

9:00 AM Repairs/Construction (Gathering Space) ALL DAY

WEDNESDAY, June 28

7:00 PM AA Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

THURSDAY, June 29

12:00 PM Staff Bulletin Review (Library/Conference Room)

FRIDAY, June 30

SATURDAY, July 1

5:30 PM AA Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

SUNDAY, July 2

9:00 AM Coffee & Conversation (Gathering Space)

9:45 AM Worship – Holy Communion (*livestreamed on our YouTube channel*)

Leading our Worship and Hospitality Today

Acolyte/Crucifer.....	Stan York
Altar Guild	Rosalie Frey and Rita Kristiansen
Audio-Visual Team.....	Tobias Janke
Bread Baker.....	Pat Fretz
Cantors	Jim Larsen
Communion Assistants	Heidi Flatin and Emily Rossiter
Flower Delivery	Carol Wiers
Greeters/Hosts	JR & Diana Lyons & Susan Kauffman
Lectors.....	George Martin and Jane DeSolms
Tellers.....	John McCurry, Carol Harman, Sandy Croushore
Ushers.....	Brian Agor and JR Lyons

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Love God, Love People, Form Faith.

(St. Stephen Lutheran Church Vision Statement)

All of Us, Called Through Our Baptisms

Pastor Jon Nelson (320-295-8861)

Karen Ives – Director of Music (757-229-6688)

Hollie Jones – Parish Administrator (229-6688)

Diana Tiller-Dichtel – Parish Nurse (232-5924)

Kristie Kelley – Preschool Director (229-6688)

Peninsula Pastoral Counseling Center (873-2273; counselors are in Williamsburg on Thursdays)

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Welcome to St. Stephen Lutheran Church!
Please fill this out and drop it in the offering plate
or give it to an usher.

June 25, 2023

Name: _____

For guests and members with changes:

Address (Home) _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

Telephone # _____

E-Mail Address _____

Guests Only:

I belong to _____

Church Address _____

Please check as many as pertain:

____ Member

____ First time guest

____ Regular guest

____ Guest (out of town)

____ Student at William & Mary

____ Looking for a church home

____ Desire to speak with pastor

____ Would like more information about Stephen Ministry

____ Would like a Parish Nurse to contact me

Any comments? Please be sure your name is above, so we may respond, if necessary.

Prayer Requests

Please **add** to the prayer list in this month's bulletin and next month's *Quill*:

Name: _____

Please **remove** from prayer concerns:

Name: _____

___ I/We need a name tag: _____

___ Yes I'm interested in being in a dinner small group!

include name _____

phone _____

email _____

and #of participants in family _____ with

kids' ages _____, and indicate if transportation is needed

___ Y/ N ___

_____ I can bring cookies/ little bites for Sunday _____