## *ST. STEPHEN'S NEWS* **Sunday, April 21, 2024** The Fourth Sunday of Easter

## WELCOME!

If you are worshipping at St. Stephen's for the first time today, you are welcome to share in the Holy Communion. Please fill out a "Visitor" card at one of the Greeters tables and/or the guest book on the podium before you leave and get a welcome packet.

## COMMUNION

If you are in need of a gluten free wafer during Communion, please let an usher know before the offertory or let one of the persons serving the host know. If you have a mobility problem, please let an usher know before the service begins and communion will be brought to you.

## LOOKING FORWARD



SAGES Movie Day Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm Laemmle Theatre - Newhall

EAGLE

BOJ



(Plaque shown is an example



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spots available). Each plaque will have 5 recognized donors and be placed near the center of tabletops. OR Make a Secure Donation: Contribute any

amount conveniently through the church giving portal online if you do not wish to donate for a plaque.

Hi, my name is Ethan Saenz, I am a Boy Scout in Troop 2222 and I am working on my Eagle Project for St. Stephens Episcopal Church. The purpose of this Eagle Project is to provide better seating and tables for the courtyard. Replacing the current tables, these new tables will offer better seating, shade, and appearance overall for the area. I will build 4 tables, 2 of which will have accessibility seating.



To make a donation towards a plaque, or a general donation towards the project, please use this link: https://tinyurl.com/ycxswy5k The deadline is May 6<sup>th</sup>



St. Stephen's Preschool is having a fundraiser! Mendocino Farms on Valencia Blvd. will donate 50% back!

Have dinner and then wander a few doors down to Yogurtland to get dessert! Yogurtland is also giving 50% back to the Preschool! (see flyer on next page).





# GIVING TO ST. STEPHEN'S

If you are able to continue supporting

the mission and ministry of St. Stephen's, you can pay your pledge or make a new or recurring donation online here <u>st-stephens.org/giving</u>. You can also text your donation by texting the word GIVE to 661.228.8909 and following the prompts. Click here for an easy <u>How To Use Text Giving</u> guide. We are deeply grateful for your commitment and support.



If you wish to have your birthday or anniversary prayed for during Sunday services or if you would like a white rose to signify a death in your family

or a red rose to signify a birth in your family, please email Tracy in the Church office at <u>office@st-stephens.org</u> no later than 5:00pm on Thursdays with all of the relevant details.



The Santa Clarita Public library is partnering with ARTree to collect plastic bottle caps (any size, any color) to create a "Bottle Cap Mural". All caps much be turned in by May 17. If you can't drop caps off at the library, you can bring them to the recycling event on May 4<sup>th</sup> here in the parking lot. If you can't do either of those, you can leave the caps in the box marked "Food Collection/Recycle" that is in the Narthex.

## St. Stephen's Prayer List

**On-Going Needs**: Joanne, Mary Lou,

**Current Needs:** Susan, Byron, Wilson, Sister Miriam, Craig, Vickie, Janet, Michelle, Cinda, innocent victims of Middle East conflict, Bill, Janet, Domingo, Elaine, Monique, Mary Lou, Jim and Judy, Dave, Lisa and Lou, Steve C., Judy and Ron, Matt, Rebecca and Bill, Baby Rachel Rose, Matt and Alejandro, , Angelo, Maria, Kay, Bonnie S., Darlene, Ken, Lella, Laura, Trudy, Gayle, Shelly, Stewart, Jay, Donna, Jeff, Rick, Adriana, Mary, Ellen, Robert, Parnell and family, Julia, Brittany, Baby Vincent and family, Cheryl and Peter, Malcolm, **Charles, Tom, Jack** 

**Rest in Peace:**, Rose Etta "Ronnie" Cook, Patricia Cahill, **Ellen Steinberg, David French** 

If you would like to have prayers for yourself or someone else, please email Peggy Stabile at pstabile@pegasus2.net or call the church office at 661.259.7307. Please be aware that your prayer request content will be shared with the members of the prayer chain. If you wish for Peggy to hold your prayer request in confidence, please clarify that in your submission. Prayer requests remain active for 4 weeks and must be renewed thru Peggy or the office to be on the list again.

St. Stephen's	April 21, 2024 to
Week	April 28, 2024
TODAY'S SERVICE 7:45am & 10:30am	
SUNDAY 4/21	
7:45am	Holy Eucharist-VPOD Kathleen Jensen
10:30am	Holy Eucharist (also streamed via Facebook Live) — VPOD Marianne Zinkewicz
10:30am	Sunday School / Spurling Hall
12:15pm	YESS / Pathfinders / Youth Room
MONDAY 4/22	
4:45pm	Den meeting / Spurling Hall
6:45pm	Troop 2019 / Spurling Hall
TUESDAY 4/23	
6:30pm	Vestry meeting / Spurling Hall
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WED. 4/24	
7:00am	Holy Eucharist
7:45am	Breakfast at Lily's Cafe
9:30am	Circle of Gratitude via Zoom
7:00pm	PFLAG / Spurling Hall
THURS. 4/25	
1:00pm	SAGES Movie Day / Laemmle
6:30pm	Troop 2222 / Spurling Hall
7:30pm	Parish Choir rehearsal / Church
EDIDAN 4/20	
FRIDAY 4/26	
SAT. 4/27	
NEXT SUNDAY 4/28	
7:45am	Holy Eucharist-VPOD Steve Plote
10:30am	Holy Eucharist (also streamed via Facebook Live) — VPOD Lorn Vriniotis
10:30am	Sunday School / Spurling Hall