



ST. STEPHEN

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

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- Music and RCIA*, Scott Goudeau.....130
- Life Teen Band*, Renee Campbell 615-516-2067

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays at 4:00 pm in the Reconciliation Room and by appointment.

INFANT BAPTISM CLASS: For registered members of the parish. Third Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm in the worship space, unless otherwise noted.

MARRIAGE: Contact one of the following: Deacon Hans Toecker, Deacon Tom Samoray, Deacon Steve Molnar, Deacon Paul Taylor, Rev. Davis Chackaleckel, or Rev. Emmanuel Dirichukwu (see contact numbers above) at time of engagement.

SICK LIST: If you are going into the hospital or are homebound, please call the office, 615-758-2424.

24-HOUR CRISIS HOTLINE: If you are feeling lonely, depressed, overwhelmed, a caring voice is just a phone call away at 615-244-7444, 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

What prompts you to make the decisions you make? When confronted with a decision, whether one that is more trivial and mundane or one that is more significant and profound, we rely on guidance. That guidance can be the result of impulse and passion or the fruit of the interior voice of conscience. Decisions made on impulse and passion can be misguided and erroneous. Decisions based on conscience, or the moral voice within, will reflect the depth and maturity of our soul work. A more contemplative soul will make more contemplative decisions. A less developed conscience will make decisions based on the individual's level of development.

Conversion and a change of heart are at the core of Jesus' message precisely because of this reality. We are works in progress. For the person on fire with the Holy Spirit and centered on God, life reflects an ever-deepening awareness and heightened sense of God's presence and a greater willingness to do God's will. What is happening internally is validated by what is witnessed externally. The hypocrite is the one who says yes when they really mean no. From the start, they had no desire to do the virtuous act but wanted to outwardly appear as if they did.

Where are you on the road of integrity? Honesty is all that is required. God is good with that. It is okay to struggle with our decisions and wrestle with ourselves. Consciences on the path to maturity and greater depth are not always going to know what action is immediately best. We may, at first, say no to what we know is right and, after prayerful reflection and thought, come around to doing it. Conversion happens when our no changes to yes, regardless of how sinful or out of sync we may be at the time. God is anxious to welcome us to Himself. But we cannot embrace Him unless we want to. Learning to orient our gift of free will to what is of divine origin, right, and best is a discipline we must always tweak and perfect.

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**MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTION SCHEDULE
 SEPTEMBER 26-OCTOBER 4**

Saturday	5:00pm..... Tom Malone
Sunday	8:30am..... Cecilia McDevitt
	11:00am..... Magdalena DeMello
	5:00pm..... People of the Community
Monday	8:00am..... Marty Graham, Jr.
	12:00pm..... Marguerite Patterson
Tuesday	8:00am..... K. C. Varkey
	6:30pm..... Tom Doss
Wednesday	8:00am..... Lillian Reed
	12:00pm..... Gene & Virginia Westcott
Thursday	8:00am..... Jose Plasencia
	6:30pm..... Michele Bilodeau
Friday	8:00am..... Anna Shepherd
	12:00pm..... Joan Celli
Saturday	8:00am..... Robert Siy
	5:00pm..... Dave Bradley
Sunday	8:30am..... Carol Rose
	11:00am..... Ivan Borgen
	5:00pm..... People of the Community



Registration in the Parish: Forms are available in the office during office hours, in the literature racks in the narthex of the church, or on our website (www.saintstephencommunity.org) and can be filled out and returned electronically.

Sunday Adult Education meets from 9:45-10:45 am. **Monday Group** meets at 9am. Both groups meet in the Multipurpose Room of the Church.

LIFE TEEN All high school age youth of the parish are invited to attend the LIFE TEEN Mass held every Sunday at 5pm followed by LIFE Night in the Multipurpose Room of the Church.

PREP (Parish Religious Education Program) Classes for youth, age 3 through grade 8, are held on Sundays during the school year.

The Nursery is open during Sunday Masses for all children 12 months (and walking) through 3 years, located in the Holy Family Center.

Adult Choir & Children's Choir practices vary according to Mass times. Everyone is invited. Contact: Scott Goudeau.

Christian Initiation (RCIA) and (RCIC) All non-Catholic adults interested in learning about or becoming members of the Catholic Church contact Scott Goudeau. Meets every Thursday at 7:00pm in the Multipurpose Room of the Church. Youth, age 7 or older, contact Connie Blevins.

Catholics Returning Home. "Welcome home!" If you have been away from the Church for awhile and are wondering how to transition back, help is available. Contact Jerry Marcec (630-362-7150 or marceccj@yahoo.com).

Parent's Day Out. Located at 108 Brookhollow. Call Nancy Otting at 615-754-8432 or email nancyotting@gmail.com for information and availability.

Buddy Break: Respite program for families with children of special needs. 3rd Friday of each month. Email Mary Karn for more details at mkam58@msn.com.

AA every Wednesday morning at 10:30am in the Lounge of the Holy Family Center.

Al-Anon meets every Tuesday and Thursday at 12:00 noon in the Lounge of the Holy Family Center. We can help, you are not alone.

Funeral & Bereavement Ministry. Information to share on ways to save on the cost. Pre-planning allows us to establish a personal relationship ahead of time. After the death of a loved one we all need to journey with our grief in order for closure to take place. For questions about Catholic funerals or to pre-plan, call Theresa Bradley at 615-758-2424, Ext. 111.

Financial Report—9-20-2020

Regular Collection	\$25,770
Capital Improvements Debt.....	\$5,591
Monthly Loan Payment.....	\$18,675
Debt Owed.....	\$3,217,660
Income YTD (starting 7/1/2020)....	\$341,467
Income Last Year.....	\$359,825

Electronic donation is available on our website, www.saintstephencommunity.org. Click the Online Giving button on the bottom of the page, and the program will walk you through the steps to set up your account.

FAITH FORMATION



Adult Faith Formation classes meet on Sunday and Monday. The Sunday group has been cancelled until groups of more than 10 can meet. The Monday group has been cancelled until groups of more than 10 can meet. *The Sunday group meets at 9:45am in the Multipurpose Room of the Church. *The Monday group meets at 9am in the Multipurpose Room of the Church.

Catholic Basics Wednesday mornings at 8:45am. Join us on Zoom as we look at *Discovering Old Testament Origins*. Email Greg Karn (gkarn@ssccohtn.org) for the link.

Wednesday Morning Scripture Group from 10am-11:15am. Join us on Zoom. We are studying Scripture by looking at the readings used at Mass for the upcoming Sunday. This helps prepare us for the Sunday liturgy in a thoughtful way. **If you'd like to join in on Zoom, call Joan Dwyer at 615-818-4937 with your email address so she can send you the link.**

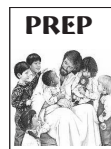
A Time to Seek—chapter-a-day readings: Luke 13:1-21, 22-35, 14:1-24, 25-35, 15:1-10, 11-32, 16:1-18.



This Week: Life Teen continues. Parents, check email and Sunday text for details. Not getting emails or texts from Life Teen? Contact Angie at abosio@ssccohtn.org.

Next Week: Life Teen continues.

LIFE TEEN Recycles: LIFE TEEN is collecting cellular phones and inkjet printer cartridges for recycling as a fund raiser for our trip to Covecrest, the Life Teen summer camp. LIFE TEEN receives up to \$3 for each phone and ink cartridge received. Deposit inkjet cartridges and cell phones in the marked box in the Donation Room off the Social Hall. **No chargers or other accessories please, only phones and batteries.** Contact: Angie at 615-758-2424 x 113.



• Due to the on-going COVID-19 pandemic, PREP-EDGE classes for the 2020-2021 Faith Formation Year will not begin until Sept. 23.

• Class timing and formats have not been finalized and will be dependent on Diocesan instructions for in-person gatherings and guidance provided by civil authorities, if necessary.

• What is certain is that we will need many more catechists this Fall in order to be able to provide religious education in a safe and healthy environment.

• If you are not currently receiving emails from Greg Karn, Director of Religious Education and Youth Formation (gkarn@ssccohtn.org), send an email so your

email address is captured or corrected.

• Do you have general questions about St. Stephen Parish Religious Education classes or specific questions about class registration, class schedules, class formats, and/or Sacramental Formation for First Eucharist and Confirmation for Spring, 2021? Contact Greg Karn for more information at 615-579-6975 (text), or gkarn@ssccohtn.org (email).

• Student Registration for all 2020-2021 Faith Formation Classes is available online. Use this link to register students: <https://web4u.forms-db.com/view.php?id=824891>. In order to accommodate all students, while maintaining diocesan social distancing guidelines, it will be necessary to phase-in classes and change the scheduled times and locations for classes. Times, days, and locations will be reviewed at the end of December, 2020 (in keeping with the diocese timetable for reevaluation), and may be changed as necessary. **In-person classes for 7th and 8th grade started on Wednesday, Sept. 23. In-person classes for Grades 2-6 will begin on Sunday, Oct. 11.** 3-4-5 Church, kindergarten, and 1st grade will be conducted in-home.

• Any families wishing to conduct Faith Formation at home will receive materials for their specific classes provided by the Religious Education office.

• Families that were registered in St. Stephen Faith Formation classes for the 2019-2020 Faith Formation Year will receive registration links sent directly to them by email.

• Registration for catechists and volunteers for the 2020-2021 Faith Formation Year is also available online, using the link: <https://web4u.forms-db.com/view.php?id=824891>. We will need many more catechists this year in order to provide religious education in a safe and healthy environment.

• Attention Parents of Students that Prepared to Receive the Sacrament of Confirmation last Spring: We have a date for Confirmation! **The Mass for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be held at 7pm on Friday, Oct. 9 at St. Stephen.** Bishop Mark Spalding will confer the Sacrament!



"Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves..." (Philippians 2:3) Pride and ego are hard things to control.

We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put into our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your life: your family, your friends, and those who make you angry.

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

In a letter dated July 30, Bishop Spalding extended the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days through the end of the calendar year, but will carefully monitor the situation and may modify the dispensation as circumstances warrant. Watch St. Stephen's website and Facebook for more up-to-date information as it becomes available.

On Sunday you can **join with us on Facebook for Mass starting at 8:30am**. Once it's up, it's up, so join us at your convenience. Watch at a time when everyone in your household can pray together, sing together and make your responses during the Mass together." **Anyone over the age of 65 or anyone who is worried that attending Mass would add undue stress or jeopardize their health or the health of a person with whom they live are encouraged to remain at home and live stream the Mass at their convenience.**


We have an additional Mass each weekday if you'd like to attend during the week: **Monday at 8am and 12pm; Tuesday at 8am and 6:30pm; Wednesday at 8am and 12pm; Thursday at 8am and 6:30pm; and Friday at 8am and 12pm.**


Please wear a face mask and follow the instructions of the ushers for seating when you attend Mass.

ALL non-liturgical events, including small faith meetings, have been cancelled at St. Stephen until guidelines have been updated. Visit the Church's Facebook page and website (www.saintstephencommunity.org) for the latest parish news, photos and lots of other great resources.

Bishops' Emergency Disaster Fund: A marked basket will be on the Baptismal Font this weekend (Sept. 26-27) to collect donations to support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services to help those affected by the recent hurricanes and wildfires.

The church office will be closed on Tuesday, Sept. 29 for the annual Staff Retreat.

 **October is Respect Life Month.** This year's theme is Live the Gospel of Life "to imitate Christ and follow in his footsteps" from the Gospel of Life by Saint Pope John Paul II. Watch for a weekly Respect Life Post on Facebook. **The KCLA will conduct our annual baby bottle campaign in October.** If for any reason you do not get a baby bottle, you can make a check out to KCLA with a memo of baby bottle. Place the check in an envelope and mail to the parish or place in the collection basket. The money will be split between Tennessee Right to Life and Wilson County Right to Life. Both organizations do a lot to support life, such as a paid counselor who answers the phone and helps pregnant Moms find the help they need.

 **Coming soon.** Rosary prayer/procession... Watch the bulletin for date, time and location.

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration: Our monthly First Friday Eucharistic Adoration on **Friday, Oct. 2 will be live streamed on Facebook at 7pm.** If you attend in person, please follow the guidelines for attending Mass.

St. Stephen Free Outdoor Movie Night: Movie: *Nightmare Before Christmas*, **Saturday, Oct. 3 at 7:30pm.** We will be projecting the movie against the church. Sound will be broadcast on the FM stereo of your car. Spaces are limited and **reservations are required.** For reservations, call Amy Taylor (615) 754-6963 or email lpaultaylor@comcast.net. Masks are required when outside your car. Parking spaces will be allocated to provide social distancing. Bring lawn chairs and/or blankets to sit in the space adjacent to your car. The church will be locked and **no restrooms will be open.** Bring your own snacks and beverages and please pick up and remove all trash.



Blessing of the Animals: Oct. 4 at 2pm (rain or shine) under the covered courtyard. Fr. Davis to officiate. Social distancing will be observed. Please wear a mask. Donations of pet products for the Mt. Juliet Animal Shelter will be greatly appreciated. Blessed St. Francis medals and prayer card will be free.

Habitat for Humanity: St. Stephen volunteers will be working on a Habitat for Humanity home on **Sunday, Oct. 11** as part of the 2020 Wilson County Faith Build. Due to the Covid 19 pandemic there are new safety and health procedures: 1. A limit of 15 volunteers per house. 2. Volunteers will work in smaller groups and practice social distancing to the extent possible. 3. New hardhats, safety goggles and gloves for each volunteer can be kept by the volunteer. 4. **All volunteers will wear face masks.** 5. Extra hand sanitizer will be available. 6. New processes for cleaning tools at the end of the day. 7. Food must be served in individual wrappers or boxes. We will be working on the third weekend of the build. Construction tasks would normally include: interior painting, installing interior doors, installing and caulking floor trim and kitchen cabinets installation. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact John McCarthy at mccarthy-cpa@tds.net or 615-557-7121. Anyone over 65 worried that volunteering would add undue stress or jeopardize their health or the health of those they live with is encouraged not to volunteer.

Register now for RCIA for Youth (RCIC). Contact Connie Blevins at 758-2424, Ext. 114 or cblevins@ssccohtn.org. **Sessions begin Oct. 15 at 7pm. You must register before attending.**

Prison Ministry: This year has been difficult for everyone in particular for the incarcerated, with volunteers and visitors restricted from entering the facility. We are asking for **monetary donations** to be able to **provide Christmas packages** for these individuals. **Please donate to the Prison Ministry by Sunday Nov. 1.** Thank you.

Bishops Annual Appeal for Ministries supports vital ministries, seminarian training, religious education for all ages, youth and children's ministries and support for the poor and needy throughout our diocese. We need YOUR help to reach

our parish goal! **As of Sept. 22, St. Stephen Catholic Community has reached 75% of our dollar goal and 90% of our participation goal.** You can give online at www.dioceseofnashville.com/appeal or mail your gift to the diocese at: 2800 McGavock Pk., Nashville, TN 37214.

K of C Council 9282 Corner: Thanks to everyone who supported our September *Meals to Go* project. We are pleased to announce our meals for October. On Oct. 8, we celebrate Oktoberfest with Smoked Sausage served with Mashed Potatoes and Sauerkraut. On Oct. 22 we will have a Mexican meal with chicken, rice and corn. Place your dinner order on the Knights website: <https://kofc9282.org/home/coming-events/meals-to-go/>

The deadline to order the sausage dinner is Monday, Oct. 5 at 7pm. The site is open now for your convenience. Meal pick up will be on Thursday, Oct. 8, from 4:30pm to 6:30pm under the portico by the front entrance to the church. Donations for the Mt. Juliet Help Center can be placed in the Donation Room. The Help Center is asking for crackers, Meal Helpers (hamburger/tuna), shampoo, conditioner and feminine pads. *40 Days for Life* began last week. This initiative will have Knights and anyone else who supports Life praying outside the carefree Abortion Clinic in Providence every day from 6am to 6pm until Nov. 1. Come for as long as you can. Fifteen minutes is good or more if you can. For more information, contact Bill Flesch: bnflesch@yahoo.com/319-830-4950. In response to many questions, we are sorry to report **there will not be a Treasure Hunt this year.** We will consider the Fall of 2021 when we do our annual planning in the Spring. Are you a man who is 18 or older at St. Stephen who would like to learn about the Knights? We will be welcoming new members in October. For more information, contact our membership director, Al Go, albertlou@comcast.net/615-275-8805, Chancellor, Jason Brockman, jbrockman@mtjuliet-tn.gov or Grand Knight, Chip Harris, chiph9282@gmail.com/615-289-6767.



Altar Flower Donation

To donate flowers for the altar in memory of a loved one or to remember a special occasion, contact Connie Blevins (615-397-9255).

Mt. Juliet Help Center: Most needed items at the center are: Crackers, meal helpers (tuna/hamburger), shampoo, conditioner, feminine pads. Donations can also be dropped off at the Help Center (3425 B North Mt. Juliet Rd) on Wednesdays from 8:30am to 12:30pm.

40 Days for Life Fall Campaign continues to Sunday, Nov. 1. Please sign up to pray an hour at www.40daysforlife.com/MountJuliet from 6am to 6 pm. Stand on the sidewalk along the road at 5002 Crossings Circle, Mount Juliet. Park in any nearby parking lot, but NOT in the parking lot of the building where carafem is located. We strive to show God's Love through this peaceful and prayerful vigil. Due to a recent court ruling, chemical and surgical abortions can be performed in Mount Juliet. **Stations of the Cross, Sunday, Nov. 1 at 5pm.**

Ladies of Charity Stuff Galore Sale: Tired of looking at your same old stuff? Get new stuff! Where? At the Ladies of Charity Stuff Galore Sale! **Every Thursday and Friday (from 10am to 2pm) and Saturdays (from 9am to 12pm) thru Oct. 31.** You'll find furniture, books, dishes, holiday decor and more! Wear your mask, have your temperature taken (social distancing rules will apply) and shop for a good cause. All proceeds will go to our Emergency Assistance programs in the community. 2216 State Street, Nashville.

Catholic Business League: Join us for the October Catholic Business League meeting, held via Facebook Live on **Thursday, Oct. 8, 8am to 9am.** All are welcome. Pat Nolan, highly regarded political analyst and lifelong Nashvillian will be our speaker, providing discussion on the upcoming elections and analysis on where he sees the races and the political landscape. To join the meeting, visit the Catholic Business League's Facebook page at facebook.com/catholicbusinessleague.

Moss—Marymount Open Scholarship Scramble, Oct. 16, 8:30am, Montgomery Bell Golf Course. Info/registration: 615-799-0410 or suzi@campmarymount.com. Benefits children who cannot afford camp tuition.

Please join us for the 2020 Virtual Advancement of Catholic Education (ACS) Event on Tuesday, Oct. 27 at 6pm. ACE is committed to supporting the mission of Catholic Education. Visit www.dioceseofnashville.com/ace for more information.

Pope John Paul II High School News: Squires Club: Please join the new JP II Junior Knights club called "The Squires Club." Register your child today by going to <https://forms.veracross.com/Forms/jp2/PreApplication/Household.aspx>. Membership in The

Squires Club is free and open to all children from birth - 7th grade. Once you have completed the simple pre-application, your child will be registered and will receive a welcome package followed by quarterly mailings and invitations from JP II. Once COVID regulations lift, all Squires will also be invited to campus events as well as to Squire Club members-only events. Squires Club members will enjoy early-bird notification for summer camp sign-ups, sports clinics, play/musical seating, TATE Scholars Clinic & Dinner tickets, and much more! **Schedule a Shadow Day at JP II:** All eighth grade students are invited to schedule a Shadow Day with a current JP II student! Spend a day in the life of a JP II student firsthand as you walk through the halls, attend classes, and experience all that JP II has to offer you. Interested in scheduling a shadow day? Please fill out the form. If you have any questions, please contact the Admissions Office at (615) 590-6005 or email pat.kennedy@jp2hs.org. **JP II is now accepting applications.** Parents of 8th grade students who are interested in attending JP II can begin the application process for the 2021-2022 school year right now! We are experiencing a high volume of interested applicants, so act fast. Visit <https://www.jp2hs.org/admissions/apply-now> to begin the application process today.

Father Ryan High School News: Father Ryan's Admissions Application is Available Online! To start the application process to become part of the Irish Class of 2025, you can now go online at fatherryan.org/admissions to submit your application. And you can visit often to keep up-to-date on Father Ryan activities during this school year.

St. Cecilia Academy News: It's time for the SCA Sister Scramble Gold Tournament. Sponsorships and reservations are now being accepted for the annual Sister Scramble on **Oct. 12, 11am at Old Natchez Country Club in Franklin.** This event is a great opportunity to support SCA athletics, meet other parents, and have some fun. Last year, proceeds were used to purchase new lights and a new state of the art sound system for the gym. All athletes are directly impacted by your participation. Check out the sponsorship levels **online** today and sign up your foursome for this fun SCA event! Lunch, snacks, beverages, dinner, and great prizes are all included. stcecilia.edu/sisterscramble. **For the following events at St. Cecilia, RSVP to: Megan Gardner 615-298-4525, gardnerm@stcecilia.edu.** Virtual Parent Information Session (Oct. 1). Private Campus Tours for prospective families (Saturdays). Virtual Classroom Experience for Prospective Students (Tuesdays), 8:20am to 9:20am. Virtual Morning Coffee with Admissions (Mondays), 9:30am to 10:30am.

TWO WEEKS AT A GLANCE

Sunday, Sept. 27—26th Sunday in OT

- Streaming Mass at 8:30am
- Masses at 8:30am, 11am & 5pm
- RCIA Zoom Session 10am
- Zoom Life Teen 6:45pm

Monday, September 28

- Mass 8am and 12pm
- Zoom Rosary 6pm
- Life Teen Band 7pm

Tuesday, September 29

- Church Office Closed—Staff Retreat
- Mass 8am and 6:30pm

Wednesday, September 30

- Mass 8am and 12pm
- Prison Ministry Rosary in Courtyard 5:30pm
- EDGE 7pm

Thursday, October 1

- Mass 8am and 6:30pm
- Loaves and Fishes 11am
- RCIA Zoom Session 7pm

Friday, October 2

- Mass 8am and 12pm
- Holy Hour

Saturday, October 3

- Mass 8am and 5pm
- Reconciliation 4pm
- Outdoor Movie Night 7:30pm

Sunday, Oct. 4—26th Sunday OT

- Streaming Mass at 8:30am
- Masses at 8:30am, 11am and 5pm
- RCIA Zoom Session 10am
- Blessing of the Animals 2pm
- Zoom Life Teen 6:45pm

Monday, October 5

- Mass 8am and 12pm
- Zoom Rosary 6pm
- Life Teen Band 7pm

Tuesday, October 6

- Mass 8am and 6:30pm

Wednesday, October 7

- Mass 8am and 12pm
- Prison Ministry Rosary in Courtyard 5:30pm
- EDGE 7pm

Thursday, October 8

- Mass 8am and 6:30pm
- Loaves and Fishes 11am
- RCIA Zoom Session 7pm

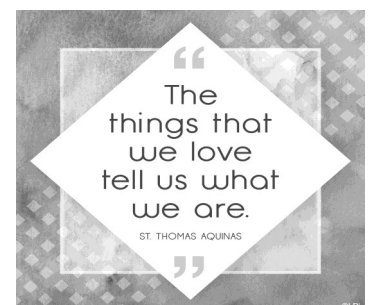
Friday, October 9

- Mass 8am and 12pm
- Confirmation 7pm

Saturday, October 10

- Mass at 8am and 5pm
- Reconciliation 4pm

Please Note: All classes and non-liturgical parish activities cancelled until further notice.



10% Donations

The following merchant has offered to donate 10% of your total purchase (excluding alcohol and sales tax) to St. Stephen Life Teen and EDGE on the day listed below to help with funding for Life Teen Summer Camp. Please present the bulletin or flyer at time of purchase.

El OK Corral—First Sunday of the month.



Place a floral order for \$25 or more with Brown's Florist and mention "St. Stephen Capital Improvements" and \$5 will be donated to the St. Stephen Capital Improvements Fund. Valid on walk-in or phone orders. Please contact Rip Beazley, Brown's Florist, 269 W. Main St., Hendersonville, TN. Phone: 615-824-0857 or 615-720-6504 (cell). www.brownsflorist.net.



Call the office to add your/ family member name to the prayer list. Names will be kept on the list until the end of the month. Let us know if we should keep someone on longer. Please inform the office of a loved one's death so they may be added to the deceased prayer list.

Prayers requested for the following: Rudy Mertens, Phil Ponder, James Sias, Charles Laborde (brother of Mary Ann Scott), Eric Arhelger, Maritza Perrault, Andres Turcios (friend of Renate Plasencia), Mike Adamescu (friend of Carol Dalglish), Lee Dalglish (son of Carol Dalglish), Jay Hoover, Alan Lancaster, Ken Schmitt, Kari Beckman (friend of Chip Harris), Mary Burke-Kimball, James DiShano, Tammy Coleman, Olivia Harden (cousin of Ted Journigan), J. H. Brennon, Gay Church Wells & Alvin Oliver (friends of Evelyn Davis), Nancy Lena, Aleena Fox (friend of Pat Hopper), John Rollins, Natasha Bratz, Gordon Wathen, Evelyn Davis, Bobby Moore (friend of Regina Norvell), Bill Walsh, Tyler Whelan and Maurice Renshaw (cousins of Chip Harris), Steve Chubb (son-in-law of Bill & Jane Swarz), Anthony DiBella (brother of Sandy Donnell), Joanne Walters (mother of Renee Campbell), Ray Piantoni, Cindy Welch (friend of Nancy Reuther), James Patrick Dolan (son of Tom Dolan), Vicki Pagan (daughter of Charles & Peggy Waterston), Jerry & Judi Schultz (friends of Kathy Roberts), Nicole Bellman (friend of Misty Murad), Beverly Reeder (friend of Aurora Daniels), Marilyn Wegenka, Tina Marcec, Pat Burge (friend of Mary Bryson and Terry Piantoni), Buton Family (friends of Dan & Ellen Damman), Brandon Jones (friend of John Cody), Jim Simpson, Ingo Lindemann, Linda York (sister-in-law of Leigh Ann Kersey), Kenny Sexton, Sally Cuffman (friend of Sandy Donnell), Sue Durbin (friend of Sr. Maria), Pete Braud (father of Teri Bosio & grandfather of Angie Bosio), Anne Bartone (friend of Chip Harris), Jeff Thompson (son of Margaret Thompson), Donna Hess (friend of Wen Marcec), Jack Klinefelter, Fran Branch (friend of Monohan family), Kathy Siggins & Lillian Bosquez (sisters of Della Thompson), Bob Dwyer, Bill Pauly (brother of Burton Pauly), Maureen Copeskey, Joan Gunter, Jim Dooley (brother of Jerry Dooley), Tony Groce (friend of Mark Bailey), James Diehl (grandson of Gary & Joanne Rabideau), Greg Triplett (father of Andrew Triplett), Charles Louwerse (brother of Suzanne Valimont), Victoria Burk (niece of Debbie Short), Ted, and Max Journigan, Derrick Bailey, Ruth Holzwarth, and Margaret Turner (relatives of Renate Plasencia), Angela Young (daughter of Bob Young), Don Farwick (brother of Jan Marks), Ashley Vickers, George Mainville (brother of Betty Micol), Diane Kudrez, Beth Bojanski (niece of Suzanne Valimont), Bishop Mikaelian.

Please remember those who have died, especially:

