

ST. STEPHEN'S NEWS

Sunday, May 10, 2026

The Sixth 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 Luncheon at Maria Bonita

Thursday, May 14, 2026
1:00 PM

Please RSVP to Bonnie & Dave Warburton

 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 office@st-stephens.org no later than 5:00pm on Thursdays with all of the relevant details.



Ascension Day Service

Thursday, May 14th at 7:00am - Chapel



Pentecost
CHILI COOK-OFF
AND POTLUCK
SUNDAY, MAY 24
SPURLING HALL
12:00 PM

Calling all chili enthusiasts and culinary wizards!

Why join?

- Delicious Chili
- Fun For All Ages
- Competitions & Prizes

HOW TO PARTICIPATE?
SIGN UP ONLINE OR IN PERSON IN THE HALL TO BRING CHILI OR ANY OF THE SIDES



Join us on Sunday, May 24th for a Pentecost Chili Cook-off and Potluck! You can sign up to bring chili, a side, drinks, dessert, or all of the above! We look forward to seeing you there!
<https://tinyurl.com/du8an6vh>

UCLA Health Blood & Platelet Center

Please sign up to
Donate Blood
this *Spring!*

**St. Stephen's
Episcopal Church**

is hosting a

UCLA Blood Drive

Wednesday, May 20th

12:30 PM - 5:30 PM - Spurling Hall

Go on-line at www.ucedonor.com
Click **Blood Drives** and enter **SSECH**
in **Zip Code** or **Account Code Box**

Appointments are Highly Encouraged

All Eligible donors will receive a
Promotional Item as a thank you!

SAINT STEPHEN'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH
& PRESCHOOL

QUEER MOVIE NIGHT

Everyone is welcome to
this night of laughter, fun,
and community.

**FRI. MAY 22
6:00 PM**

**POTLUCK SNACKS
& DRINKS**

24901 Orchard Village Rd,
Valencia, CA 91355

Rated: **PG-13**
Movie starts at 6:30 pm



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 st-stephens.org/giving. You can also text your donation by texting the word GIVE to 661.228.8909 and following the prompts. Click here for an easy [How To Use Text Giving guide](#). We are deeply grateful for your commitment and support

St. Stephen's Prayer List

Current Needs: Joanne, Innocent victims of global and domestic conflicts and wars, especially in the U.S., Israel, Iran war, **Jim and** Judy, Laura, Trudy, Gayle, Lisa and Lou, Lella, Eliza, Janet, Gail, Summer, Bill, John and the Nelson family, Marie, Lilly and husband, Nevelle, Patrick, Amy, Dolores and family, Steve, Heather, Maria, Jerome, Moses, Joy and Dennis, Nancy, Don, Greg, Debbie, Terry, Hank, and their family, Ron, Rebecca, Jose Manuel, Peggy, Sandy H., Fred C., Carlos and the Tuck/Nold families, Barbara, Jenny, Kevin, Brisa, Sandra, Claudia, Rosemary, Ivy, Keith, Mary, Amy, Marionette, Malcolm, Patsy, Mehar, Angie, Brook, Robert, B.J. **Vickie, Rae, Susan, Yesenia, the Klein family, Samantha and Nate**

Rest in Peace: Ken Tuck, James Andrew Hedge, Felipa de Leon Peréz, Lynn Williams, Sean Wiggins-Rubin, Carlos Benitez, **Alfredo Mendez, Nancy Atkins-Klein, Elena Grace Simley**

If you would like to have prayers for yourself or someone else, please email Peggy Stabile at pstable@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 Week		May 10, 2026 to May 17, 2026	
TODAY'S SERVICE		7:45 & 10:30 AM	
SUNDAY 5/10	VPOD: John Alexopoulos		
7:45am	Holy Eucharist		
10:30am	Holy Eucharist (also livestreamed via Facebook live)		
10:30am	Sunday School / Spurling Hall		
MONDAY 5/11			
6:45pm	Troop 2019 / Spurling Hall		
TUESDAY 5/12			
6:00pm	Finance Committee meeting / Room 8		
WED. 5/13			
9:30am	Circle of Gratitude / Zoom		
6:00pm	EfM / Room 8		
THURS. 5/14			
7:00am	Ascension Day Service / Chapel		
9:30am	Book Study Group / Sacristy		
1:00pm	SAGES Luncheon / Maria Bonita		
6:30pm	Troop 2222 / Spurling Hall		
7:30pm	Parish Choir rehearsal / Church		
FRIDAY 5/15			
SAT. 5/16			
NEXT SUNDAY 5/17		VPOD: Cheryl Sena	
7:45am	Holy Eucharist		
10:30am	Holy Eucharist (also livestreamed via Facebook live)		
10:30am	Sunday School / Spurling Hall		
12:00pm	YESS / Youth Room		