

Christian Formation 6-14-26

Children's Formation resumes June 14. From 10 am to Eucharist.

Infants through 5K: The Nursery

1st - 5th Grade: The Large Classroom: Adults always welcome!

EYC! Episcopal Youth Community. 5:30 pm w/Derek, Youth Room.

Bible, Bread & Wine 5:30 pm. in the Kelly Room with Fr. Paul.
Summer meeting plans discussed tonight. Please come!

Compline Every evening www.facebook.com/groups/stmattsc. Starts between 9:15 and 9:30 pm.

→ **Parish Q&A** In the gym immediately following the June 21 service.

Will Boyd, Senior Warden, and Father Paul will host a parish wide conversation about what we know so far about the journey ahead, and share a very work-in-progress timeline. We hope everyone will attend with the same love and enthusiasm that makes Saint Matthew's what it is.

Full-Day Summer Camps for 5k - 2nd Grade, 8:30a - 4:30p. M - F.

Nine sessions of faith-based learning, arts, STEM, and fun!

Session 4: Jesus the Carpenter, June 15-19

Session 5: Exploring Animal Ecosystems, June 22-26

Session 6: Travel Around The World, July 6-10

Session 7: The Show Goes On, July 13-17

Session 8: Let's Camp Out, July 20-24

Final Session: STEAM, July 27-31

Registration: stmattwsepiscopal.org/preschool/summercamp

Wishlist: www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/Q3PLN6JMW5SV?ref_=wl_share

An Independence Day Celebration on Sunday, July 5th As we approach Independence Day, we as people of faith give thanks for the freedom to gather in friendship, faith, and gratitude, centered in the love of God and the life we share together. At St. Matthew's, one of the many ways we live that out is through our Foyer Fellowship Groups, gathering in relaxed, unhurried time outside of Sunday morning. And this July, the Foyer Groups and Hospitality Committee are opening that celebration to the whole parish on Sunday, July 5th. More info soon. We hope you'll join us!

Labyrinth Update

In the long list of people we thank for much help coordinating, serving, cutting, taping, spraying sunscreen, bringing water and snacks, filling paint buckets, we FORGOT to thank God for the break in the weather! We had just enough hot sunny days to dry the concrete pad, get a tan during the installation, show it off for the Bishop, and for a drone to take a photo! See it here: <https://stmattwsepiscopal.pixieset.com>

Women's Bible Study 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, in the Library.

Morning Edition, will resume in September. Kathy Ellis 864-587-7321 or Cathy Whitworth 864-590-3418.

Evening Edition, at 6:30 pm. Mary Paul at 864-504-5375.

The Brotherhood of St. Matthew is Calling all Men

As a fellowship and service organization, we want to welcome new men to our numbers as we seek to serve our parish and the surrounding community. Come check us out; we meet the Second Tuesday of every month at 6:30 in the Library Conference Room.

The Parish Photo Album So much has happened in the last two months. Our photo album runneth over. Please send your parish life photos to Susan at sgenglert@gmail.com so they can be added to our Pixieset collections (stmattwsepiscopal.org/learn-connect/parishlife) and shared on social media!

Need a New Name Tag? If you're a new member or need to replace a beloved but worn cross-stitched name tag, we've got you covered. See the order sheet in the lobby.

The Grapevine, St. Matthew's biweekly newsletter

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Stewardship Strong Your giving also supports the way St. Matthew's offers hospitality for everything from planned celebrations to unexpected gatherings. The core Hospitality Team and a devoted crew of volunteers have ensured that every table at St. Matthew's is set with care. Your support makes it possible to welcome one another well, in joy and in grief alike.



Watch The Grapevine for more ways your generosity supports Christ's mission at St. Matthew's. **To learn more or give today, scan the code or visit stmattwsepiscopal.org/giving.** Contact the church at (864) 576-0424 or jbird@stmattwsepiscopal.org.