

Christian Formation 8-30-26



STARTING SEPTEMBER 6: The Sunday Schedule

9:00 Christian Formation

Children: 6mo – 5K to Nursery, 1st – 5th grade, Large Classroom.

Adults: Andy Donnan in the Kelly Room starting Sept. 13, or Holy Grounds in the St. Matthew's Kitchen.

10:00 One Sunday Service

Evening

EYC at 5:30 pm w/Derek. 'till Sept. 13.

Bible, Bread & Wine w/Father Paul at 5:30 pm in the Kelly Rm.

Children's Formation Today 8-30-26, 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, Education Bldng. through September 13th.

Bible, Bread & Wine this evening at 5:30 pm with Fr. Paul in the Kelly Room. Join us for light snacks, deep conversations, and Holy Eucharist. Please let Lindsay know if you can host in your home, or text her at 303-870-2108 with questions! Thanks to the members who've hosted at home!

Compline Every evening www.facebook.com/groups/stmattsc. 9:15 pm.

Wednesday Evening Holy Eucharist with Healing

6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. A quietly moving service rich in prayers of adoration, thanksgiving, petition, intercession, praise, and faith.

Stewardship Pledge Packets are available now

The happiest people are those who have discovered the joy of giving. St. Matthew's 2026/27 stewardship campaign is the perfect opportunity to pledge the time, talent and treasure you'll give next year to help our church continue to thrive. Please return your pledge cards in person or by mail by Sunday, Sept. 20 (St. Matthew's Sunday), when all pledges will be blessed by Father Paul. **Plan on attending the potluck luncheon after church in the gym!** If by some chance you have not yet come to one of our potluck lunches, you are in for a treat!

PreSchool is in session! And it's not too late to enroll. Families join us throughout the fall for many reasons – new to the area, plans have changed, or still looking for the right fit. If you're still searching, or if you have a friend looking for placement for their child, we'd be delighted to help. With low student-to-teacher ratios, a nurturing environment where children grow socially, emotionally, spiritually, and academically, and a beautiful convenient campus, The PreSchool at St. Matthew's is a wonderful place for a child to begin their learning journey. **Learn more and register at:** stmatthewsepiscopal.org/preschool/what-makes-us-special

Women's Bible Study 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, in the Library. **Morning Edition**, resumes September 8. Starting the reading year with The Gospel of Matthew from our own Bibles. Study Guides will be made available. Kathy Ellis 864-587-7321, Cathy Whitworth 864-590-3418, or Jeannette Ford 864-978-4137.

Evening Edition, same Tuesdays, at 6:30 pm. Same agenda.

The Brotherhood of St. Matthew is Calling all Men

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

The Prayer for the Calling of Our New Rector

Gracious Father, whose Word declares there is a season for everything and a time for every matter under heaven, we humbly ask Your Holy Spirit to guide the minds and hearts of our family of Saint Matthew's as we seek and choose a new rector. We pray You will help us receive a faithful pastor who will care for Your people and equip us in our ministries, such that we may continue to preach, teach, heal, and make disciples with joy and thanksgiving for the glory of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

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: Simply visit stmatthewsepiscopal.org/giving, (you can use the QR code below) choose Recurring, and select the schedule that works best for you. It's secure, convenient, and easy to change at any time. If you have any questions or need assistance setting up recurring giving, please contact Jane Bird, Church Administrator, at (864) 576-0424.



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