



Week of August 30 – September 5, 2020

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ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Dear St. Stephens Community,

Our next **Zoom Book Study** will begin in a few weeks. Here are the book possibilities:

Love is the Way: Holding on to Hope in Troubling Times by Bishop Michael Curry

White Fragility: Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk About Racism by [Robin J. DiAngelo](#) and Michael Eric Dyson

How to Be an Antiracist by [Ibram X. Kendi](#)

The Way of Love: A Practical Guide to Following Jesus

by [Scott Gunn](#), Brendan O'Sullivan-Hale, et al.

Radical Welcome: Embracing God, The Other, and the Spirit of Transformation by Stephanie Spellers

I am open to other suggestions. Please email them to me at bethamacke@gmail.com. I will be sending out a separate email later this week to pick the book and meeting time.

In this time of physical distancing, Mike Staubitiz suggested that we take advantage of the Zoom offerings of nearby larger parishes. Below are the listings for St. Paul's Evansville.

Exploring our Faith: Living as the Episcopal Branch of the Jesus Movement

Join us for Exploring our Faith: Living as the Episcopal Branch of the Jesus Movement, starting on August 2 on Sundays at 4 - 5 p.m. on Zoom. Take six weeks to explore what it means to worship in an Episcopal way, how we are connected with the larger Anglican communion, deepen your own personal spiritual practice, and practice how to live life with God for the good of the world. New to St. Paul's? This course introduces you to our community. A life-long Episcopalian? Join us to deepen your faith. Interested in being confirmed or received? This course prepares you for those rites.

Can't attend all six sessions but would like to jump in and learn when you can? Join us.

The course will operate on a flipped classroom model where we will send out the content ahead of time and we will spend our time together discussing and exploring. We will then meet weekly from 4-5 p.m. on Zoom.

Meeting link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86297548016?pwd=bXd6VDBJN1lzTXd4WVNmalovSzY4dz09>

Happy Hour

Bring a funny story from the great isolation, whether you have witnessed it or just heard about it? Mine involves assisting with Seventh Grade Math and dominating at family game nights. Susan Huck will host on Zoom!

Time: Sept. 7 @ 5 p.m. Join Zoom Meeting link

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82892142560?pwd=YThqOXM3cmxwanJYMncrRmJabVowdz09>

Meeting ID: 828 9214 2560 Passcode: 409994

Tuesday Night Bible Study Tuesdays at 7 p.m.

Join us Tuesday at 7 p.m. while we hear perspectives on gratitude. After watching a short video, Keith Wyatt and Kara Hartz will lead participants through discussion on the topic.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88091565554?pwd=ZTVmNWNNeIFOWmxRMUxiMU9ZeTJQU09>

Meeting ID: 880 9156 5554 Password: 419519

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Daily Office Join Holly+ and others from the diocese at the Facebook Virtual Abbey page <https://www.facebook.com/IndyDioVirtualAbbey/>. Morning Prayer is at 7 a.m. Central in English, 7:30 a.m. in Spanish. We pray Compline daily at 7 p.m. Central, 7:30 p.m. in Spanish.

Youth Formation Hour will meet virtually for the foreseeable future. We will continue our exploration of the Book of Exodus on Sunday's at 9:15 a.m. Youth will need to download the free Zoom app on their phones or computers and will need access to a Bible. Bible Gateway is a great website if they do not own a hard copy of the Bible.

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8656388178>

Zumba on Zoom Zumba with Jen Venson continues on Tuesday and Thursday at 6 p.m, Just click on this Zoom link <https://zoom.us/j/3751274674>. It is the same for every class.

I invite you to mark the sixth month of our journey through the pandemic by reaching out to new folks in a new way, however, that works for you.

God's peace,
Beth+

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

	Service Place	Leaders	Coffee Hour Time/Host
Sept 6 Pent 14	National Cathedral	N/A	Staubitz Family
Sept 13 Pent 15	Christ Church in Indianapolis	N/A	Mumford Family
Sept 20 Pent 16	H.E. Outdoor Service	Dr. Beth	N/A
Sept 27 Pent 17	Morning Prayer on your own. Cindy Bernardin preaching	Cindy Bernardin with Dr. Beth recording	Dr. Beth

Liturgical calendar

September 6, 2020

Exodus 12:1-14
Psalm 149
Romans 13:8-14
Matthew 18:15-20

September 13, 2020

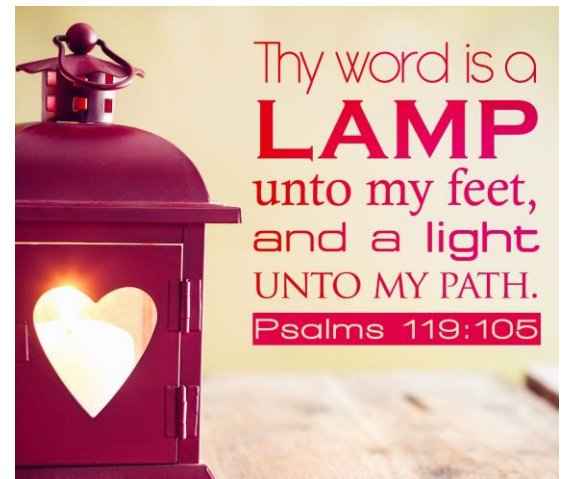
Exodus 14:19-31
Psalm 114
Romans 14:1-12
Matthew 18:21-35

September 20, 2020

Exodus 16:2-15
Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45
Philippians 1:21-30
Matthew 20:1-16

September 27, 2020

Genesis 28:10-17
Psalm 103
Revelation 12:7-12
John 1:47-51



We ask for Continued Prayers:

Linda H.; Betty; Connie’s mother; Barbara Macke; Sally & Charles; Scotty; Steve D.; John; Liz M.; Luke Randall; Tom & Odessa; Mary Ellen & Gary; Sheila, Greg, & Ivy; Karen, Rachel, & Trevor; Those recovering from the path of Hurricane Laura; All who have suffered from or been Affected by COVID; Equal rights and treatment for all; For peace and positive solutions in our country and the World

And for those serving in the Military:

EB; Alex; Caitlyn; Brady; Jackson; All who serve

And for Safety in Travel for:

All truck drivers and delivery persons; Jacob

Those who have died:

Those who died in the wake of Hurricane Laura; All who have died from COVID; Maxine Hempfling

For those who celebrate Birthdays in September:

September 3 – Vicki Campbell
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September 4 – Margaret Blank
September 5 – Charles Huck
September 8 – Will White
September 15 – Levi Cox
September 16 – Margaret Diemer
September 20 – Wayne Hall
September 25 – Greg White
September 29 – Tom Straw

For those who celebrate Anniversaries in September:

September 6 – Brenda & David McFarland

And for those serving in our Diocese, including Bishop Jennifer Bakserville-Burrows; our companion Diocese Brasillia, their Bishop Mauricio, and the people and Diocese of Haiti and St. Andre’s in Mithon

Blessings:

Guardianship for Trevor; Shelter; Our Community



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