



St. Stephen's E-NEWS

WHERE GOD IS SEEN, LOVE IS FELT, LIVES ARE CHANGED.

July 1, 2022

SUNDAY WORSHIP

This Sunday is the fourth Sunday after Pentecost, and Luke records the mission of the Seventy and its aftermath.

Our Sunday readings will be:

- 2 Kings 5:1-14
- Psalm 30
- Galatians 6:1-16
- Luke 10:1-11, 16-20



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Every year, Oak Ridge celebrates the 4th of July with a free public concert and fireworks at Bissell Park. If you would like to attend, you are welcome to park at St. Stephen's and walk over to the park to enjoy the festivities!



MORGAN SCOTT PROJECT

Jim Anderson and Roger Johnson helped with the Morgan Scott Project, in partnership with our neighbor, First United Methodist Church. Ministry in action!



LEMONADE IN THE GROVE



During the summertime in July and August, (weather permitting) we will be offering fresh lemonade in the Grove after the 10 a.m. worship service! Please join us for a little refreshment and fellowship in the Grove!

CLEARFORK CAMP

Things are coming together for the Clearfork Learning Camp. This week, we are asking for some **plastic grocery bags**. If you have extra plastic grocery bags, we could use them as part of a tie-dye art project!



We are still collecting snacks for Clearfork. We appreciate everyone who has made a donation for the families of Clearfork. These snacks are for the children to eat and to provide nutritious treats for the entire family. Snack suggestions include:

- Beef jerky
- Granola bars
- Peanut butter crackers
- Fruit cups
- Fruit roll ups
- Small packages of nuts
- Lunch-sized packages of Goldfish crackers

~ The Clearfork Committee

HELPING HANDS

We are looking for a few new helping hands for both our worship services. We need eucharistic ministers, acolytes, lectors, and ushers, especially for the 7:45 service. We have spots for all of them! The commitment is fairly minimal, and those who serve are generally scheduled only once a month. If you are interested, please contact Fr. Bailey at 865-323-1417/revnorman1011@gmail.com or Elizabeth Pack in the Parish Office at 865-483-8497.



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED



In celebration of Independence Day, the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, July 4, 2022. We will not have a service of Morning Prayer that day, and expect to resume on Tuesday, July 5, 2022.

WEEKLY PRAYERS

WE PRAY FOR PARISH MEMBERS

Ed Krieg
Jim and Jeanne Kring
Paul and Jennifer Kruzic, Nate, Jonathan
Carey Land, Olivia,
Gene and Carol Ann Lane

Please include these people in your prayers.