

St. Stephen's E-NEWS

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

July 8, 2022

SUNDAY WORSHIP

This Sunday is the fifth Sunday after Pentecost, and.

Our Sunday readings will be:

- Amos 7:7-17
- Psalm 82
- · Colossians 1:1-14
- · Luke 10:25-37

LEMONADE IN THE GROVE



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

If it's raining, please join us in the Parish Hall!

FR. BAILEY OUT OF OFFICE

Fr. Bailey will be out of the office on Monday, July 11th and Tuesday, July 12th, 2022. He will return to the office on Wednesday, July 13th. You can still contact him on his phone at 865-323-1417 or sent him a text, if necessary.

IT'S A JOLLY HOLIDAY...

Fr. Ashton Sims will be going to the Anglican holy land this summer for some continuing "edu-vacation"! He will be at Keble College at the University of Oxford. It's a nerdy church tour!) Norwich, Walsingham, Canterbury and finishing in London. He will enjoy High Mass at All Saint's Margaret Street. He will be out of the office from July 17th to 26, 2022. He will preach on July 31st at St. Stephen's.



Simon will also be travelling abroad on a working vacation with the University of Tennessee! He will be going to Edinburgh, Scotland and then to York and London, England with the UT Chamber Choir as their organist. He will be leaving on July 17th, and returning on August 2, 2022.

We thank Cathy Whitten and Joy Fournier for filling in as our organists while he is gone!

CLEARFORK CAMP

Food insecurity is a serious concern for the families in Clearfork. We are planning to provide snack bags for 35-40 kids which provides 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. Snacks can be left in the Catechesis Room next to the elevator!



We can also use some extra plastic grocery bags. If you have extra plastic grocery bags, we could use them as part of a tie-dye art project!

We could really use a volunteer to help assemble the snake bags this coming week! The camp runs from July 18 to 22, 2022, so we are getting very close to the kickoff!

~ The Clearfork Committee

WEEKLY PRAYERS

We pray for Parish Members

Ed and Jamie LaRose
Camille, Elijah, William, and Leo Mauk-Olson
Ada and Liam LaRose
Bill Lawrence
Jack Lee, Jr.
Kate Lee
Temple and Sarah Lee

Please include these people in your prayers.

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.

