

To Know and Share God's Love

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church

Second Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, June 2, 2024 · 8:00am



OUTREACH VOLUNTEER EVENT **SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 11AM-1PM!**

What better way to celebrate the end of the school year than to host a group of Rolling Ridge Elementary students and their families for a day of fun! (rain or shine) The day of fun will include burgers and hot dogs, games, bouncy house, petting zoo, face painting, and more!

This event will take a village and we hope you will be part of it - sign up to help and celebrate summer!
stmmts.org/SummerOutreach



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL **JULY 22-26, 2024**

REGISTER :[STMMTS.ORG/VBS](http://stmmts.org/vbs)

Join us for our favorite Summer Camp Experience, VBS! This summer, kids will dive into an ocean of discovery, learning God is a real friend who loves them forever!

To make VBS an awesome experience for our community, we need many volunteers, both adults and teens. Teen helpers are invited to stay each evening after VBS for special fun activities! Service hour certificates are provided.

WELCOME

We know that going to church or to a new church for the first time can be nerve-racking. We want to help make your first experience at St. Matthew's a great one!

If this is your first visit to Saint Matthew's, we welcome you. Please join us between services for coffee, tea and refreshments in the Parish Hall. For more information about our community, visit our website www.stmtts.org. We are so glad you are here!



COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

All baptized Christians are welcome to participate in communion. If you would like to receive, simply place one hand on top of the other, palms up, and the priest will place bread in your hand. You may then consume the wafer. If for any reason you prefer to receive a blessing, simply cross your arms across your chest and the priest will give you a blessing. Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

Would you like to learn more about baptism? Please visit our website: stmtts.org/Baptism or contact our office via email at Office@stmtts.org or phone at 703-430-2121.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

The Saint Matthew's intercessory prayer list is for those in or related to our community who are in need of prayer. It is designed so that all members of our community can pray for each other on an ongoing basis. In order to pray for those on the list, simply ask God to be with them and help them in any way needed - God knows what is going on, so we don't need to.

Please pray for the following:

James, Sean, Sieg, Chuck, Lea, Bonnie, Arthur, John G, Gina, Glo, Deb, Teresa, Mel, Eric, Debbie, Marshall, Ruth, Rennie, Webster, Julia, Madison, Nora, Robert, Missy, Tom, Lynne, Arianna, Amy, Jackie, Ann, Kay, Jane, Panita, Mary Ann, Sharp Family, Amelia, Kassadi, Kyle, Samantha, Dawn, Rudy, Kay, Clarissa, Huxsten, Dottie, Jonathan, Ageanna, Becky, RL, Priscilla, Darla, Gerry, Paul, Jenny, Reena, Sarah, Brandi, Barbara, Michael, Peggy, Emmett, Cathleen, Ray, BMR, Asley, Robyn, Emma, Frances, Christy, Nick, Gus, Jim, Bill, Aldana, Clint, Chealsie, Edgar, Rusty, Anne, Shelby, Kiera, Marty, Verdun, Candace, Kevin, John, Ome, Renee, Grace, Kristina, Wesley, Fire Victims, Freya, Ava, Steve, Natalie, Kristen, Sophia, Sadie, Shaundra, Larry, and Don.

If you or someone you care about are in need of Pastoral Care, please call 703-430-2121.

8 AM SERVICE

The Word of God

Opening Prayer	
Acclamation and Collect for Purity	355
Holy God	356
Collect of the Day (contemporary)	Insert
Lessons	
First Reading • 1 Samuel 3:1-10	
Psalm • 139:1-5, 12-17	
Second Reading • 2 Corinthians 4:5-12	
Gospel • Mark 2:23–3:6	
Sermon	Genevieve Zetlan
Nicene Creed	358
Prayers of the People, Form VI	392
Confession of Sin and Absolution	359-360
Peace	360
Announcements & Welcome	

The Holy Communion

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

(An offertory plate is not passed at this service. If you wish to make a donation, the collection plate can be found at the back of the church, or donations are accepted online at www.stmmts.org/give)

*All things come of thee, O Lord,
And of thine own have we given thee.*

Great Thanksgiving • Eucharistic Prayer A	361
The Lord's Prayer	364
Breaking of the Bread	364
Invitation to Communion	364
Communion of the People	
Post-Communion Prayer	366
Blessing	
Procession into the World	366

9:30 AM SERVICE

The Word of God

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Opening Songs (stand through the Gospel)

Song • All These Things That I've Done

Song • This is Your Life

Gospel • Mark 2:23–3:6

Sermon

Genevieve Zetlan

Prayers of the People

Peace

Announcements & Welcome

The Holy Communion

Offertory

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Great Thanksgiving (stand through Communion)

Eucharistic Prayer

Sanctus

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

Communion of the People

Song • Heaven

Closing Prayer (stand through dismissal)

Blessing

Closing Song • Hanging By a Moment

Dismissal

11 AM SERVICE

The Word of God

Processional Hymn • #616 • Hail to the Lord's Anointed (vs. 1, 2, & 3)	
Acclamation and Collect for Purity	355
Gloria • S280	
Collect of the Day (Contemporary)	Insert
Lessons	
First Reading • 1 Samuel 3:1-10	
Psalm • 139:1-5, 12-17	
Second Reading • 2 Corinthians 4:5-12	
Gospel • Mark 2:23-3:6	
Sermon	Genevieve Zetlan
Nicene Creed	358
Prayers of the People, Form VI	392
Confession of Sin and Absolution	359-360
Peace	360
Announcements & Welcome	

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem • A Round of Praise	
Presentation of Tithes and Offerings	
Doxology •	
Great Thanksgiving • Eucharistic Prayer C	369
Sanctus • Hymnal S114	
The Lord's Prayer	364
Breaking of the Bread	364
Invitation to Communion	
Communion of the People	
Communion Hymn • #691 • My Faith Looks Up to Thee (vs. 1, 2, & 3)	
Post-Communion Prayer	366
Blessing	
Procession into the World • #690 • Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah (vs. 1, 2, & 3)	
Dismissal	366



YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

YOUTH MISSION TRIP

Mission Trip meeting—**TODAY**, Sunday, June 2 at 10:30 AM in classroom four.

YOUTH GROUP ON SUNDAYS

Donuts and Discovery: Middle and high school students are invited to meet on Sundays at 9:30 AM in classroom four. After a quick welcome, the group will divide for breakout sessions. Each group will enjoy donuts and discussion around a new series, Follow.

Regardless of what you believe,
Regardless of how you behave,
Jesus invites you to . . .
Follow.



Stay updated with all the youth happenings by using Band App! Scan the QR code to join for group updates, chats, & event reminders.

Summer Kick-Off—**TODAY!** Sunday, June 2, 1PM–3PM

Join Ben at the church for a bonfire and games! There will be wiffleball, pickleball, and more along with burgers and smores. Rising 6th graders are invited! If you can help cook for this event or chaperone let us know through BAND!

****Save the date for July 10—trip to NYC to see Hamilton!****
STMTTS.ORG/YOUTH-EVENTS



LUNCH & LEARN

FREE CLASSES FOR HIGH
SCHOOL GRADS &
YOUNG ADULTS

LUNCH & LEARN SUMMER SERIES TUESDAYS AT 12PM

STMTTS.ORG/LUNCH-AND-LEARN

Are you a high school graduate or college aged young adult eager to gain valuable skills? This series of free classes is designed to equip you with essential tools for personal and professional growth. Visit the link above for the details on the weekly topic. Week one, June 4 is Identifying your strengths.

Bring along a bag lunch, something for taking notes, and be prepared to engage and learn! Friends are welcome to join us!



BACCALAUREATE SERVICE & DINNER

CELEBRATING

The Class of 2024



CELEBRATE OUR GRADUATES! SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 5:00 PM

Everyone is invited to join us for a special worship service as we celebrate our 2024 high school, college, and trade graduates.

Graduates and their families are invited to stay for dinner immediately following. Graduates must RSVP if you plan to attend: Office@stmtts.org. Contact the office if you are available to assist.



SUPPORT BACKPACK BUDDIES

BACKPACK BUDDIES/HRTS STERLINGHELP.ORG

June 4 and 11 will be our last packs of this school year! We'll also be packing during Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall on June 2. See you then!

We are accepting donations of shelf-stable, single-serve pantry items (e.g. canned tuna, ramen, snacks, fruit cups).

Please contact Hilary Hultman-Lee at Hilary.Hultman-Lee@hrtsterling.org



SUNDAY SUMMER FUN

Join us for worship each Sunday and also enjoy fun and games with our summer interns in between the 9:30 and 11:00 AM services!

- Sunday, June 2–Pickleball
- Sunday, June 9–Water Games
- Sunday, June 16–Father's Day Kids vs. Adults Kickball Game (Adults wear red, Kids wear blue)
- Sunday, June 23–Bubbles & Chalk
- Sunday, June 30–Red, white, and blue popsicles and Capture the Flag



LINK FOOD PANTRY STMSTS.ORG/LINK

Looking for a great volunteering opportunity for your family, college kids home for the summer, or a small group of friends? The LINK food pantry needs help delivering food to local families! It's easy and a fun way to give back to the community. Use the link to choose delivery dates and other volunteer opportunities.

Non-perishable food donations are accepted year round. Questions? Ask Miriam at Office@stmsts.org.



JUNE BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAYS AT 7PM AND THURSDAYS AT 12PM

For the month of June, we'll take a closer look at what it really means to put love into practice using various passages from the Bible.



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MESSAGE ON THE GO

CHECK OUT OUR WEEKLY PODCAST

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CELEBRATION GARDEN STMTTS.ORG/GARDEN

We have started our weekly work in the garden. Volunteers of all ages are welcome to help supply fresh produce to those in need in our community! Join us every Tuesday morning at 8:30AM. Questions? Contact Heidi at garden@stmtts.org.



MEN'S GROUP SATURDAYS AT 8AM

All men are welcome to meet in the classrooms on the hill for fellowship, Bible study, and encouragement. Contact mensgroup@stmtts.org.



FRIDAY FLASH EMAIL NEWS

Subscribe today at Office@stmtts.org to stay up to date on all the happenings this summer at St. Matt's.



CELEBRATE FATHER'S DAY SUNDAY, JUNE 16

This Father's Day, we invite you to create lasting memories with us! Join us for heartwarming worship with a special message from Fr. Rob.

Then between our 9:30 and 11 AM services, enjoy meatball sliders and prepare for an exciting Adults vs. Kids kickball showdown for the coveted Golden Meatball. Led by esteemed captains Tom Leary (Adults) and summer intern Rachel Leary (Kids), it's a friendly competition you won't want to miss! Adults - wear blue; Kids - wear red and be part of the fun. It's a chance to start your Father's Day in a unique and memorable way. See you there!



WOMEN'S MINISTRY STMTTS.ORG/WOMENSGROUPS

Registration for our **2024 Women's Retreat**, September 20-22, is open. Visit the link above for details and registration. Space is limited.



2 PENTECOST

Second Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 4



Revised Common Lectionary
TRACK ONE

June 2, 2024

COLLECT

Traditional

O GOD, whose never-failing providence ordereth all things both in heaven and earth: We humbly beseech thee to put away from us all hurtful things, and give us those things which are profitable for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Contemporary

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Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place. Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening." [Then the Lord said to Samuel, "See, I am about to do something in Israel that will make both ears of anyone who hears of it tingle. On that day I will fulfill against Eli all that I have spoken concerning his house, from beginning to end. For I have told him that I am about to punish his house forever, for the iniquity that he knew, because his sons were blaspheming God, and he did not restrain them. Therefore I swear to the house of Eli that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be expiated by sacrifice or offering forever." Samuel lay there until morning; then he opened the doors of the house of the Lord. Samuel was afraid to tell the vision to Eli. But Eli called Samuel and said, "Samuel, my son." He said, "Here I am." Eli said, "What was it that he told you? Do not hide it from me. May God do so to you and more also, if you hide anything from me of all that he told you." So Samuel told him everything and hid nothing from him. Then he said, "It is the Lord; let him do what seems good to him." As Samuel grew up, the Lord was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. And all Israel from Dan to Beer-sheba knew that Samuel was a trustworthy prophet of the Lord.]

Refrain

Lord, you have searched me out and known me.

Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17 *from the Book of Common Prayer*

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| 1 Lord, you have searched me out and known me; * you know my sitting down and my rising up; you discern my thoughts from afar. | 2 You trace my journeys and my resting-places * and are acquainted with all my ways. |
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- 3 Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, * but you, O Lord, know it altogether.
- 4 You press upon me behind and before * and lay your hand upon me.
- 5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; * it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
- 12 For you yourself created my inmost parts; * you knit me together in my mother's womb.
- 13 I will thank you because I am marvelously made; * your works are wonderful, and I know it well.
- 14 My body was not hidden from you, * while I was being made in secret and woven in the depths of the earth.
- 15 Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished in the womb; all of them were written in your book; * they were fashioned day by day, when as yet there was none of them.
- 16 How deep I find your thoughts, O God! * how great is the sum of them!
- 17 If I were to count them, they would be more in number than the sand; * to count them all, my life span would need to be like yours.

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 4:5-12

WE DO NOT PROCLAIM ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be made clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be made visible in our bodies. For while we live, we are always being given



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THIS WEEK AT ST. MATT'S

Sunday, June 2nd

- 8:00 am - Rite II Worship Service
- 9:30 am - Festival Worship Service
- 9:30 am - Faith Factory
- 9:30 am - Middle & High School Student Groups
- 10:30 am - Backpack Buddies Packing
- 10:30 am - Youth Mission Trip Mtg
- 11:00 am - Classic Worship Service
- 1:00 pm - Youth Summer Kick-off
- 6:30 pm - Girl Scout Troop 2274

Monday, June 3rd

- 12:00 pm - Social Time with Candace
- 5:00 pm - Girl Scout Troop 2157
- 7:00 pm - Bread of Life
- 7:30 pm - Free to Live
- 8:00 pm - Compline (on line)

Tuesday, June 4th

- 8:00 am - Celebration Garden Harvest
- 10:00 am - Staff Meeting
- 12:00 pm - Lunch and Learn for Young Adults
- 12:00 pm - Backpack Buddies Packing
- 6:30 pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
- 7:00 pm - Education for Ministry
- 7:00 pm - Band Rehearsal
- 8:00 pm - Compline (on line)

Wednesday, June 5th

- 12:00 pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
- 8:00 pm - Women's NA Group
- 8:00 pm - Compline (on line)

Thursday, June 6th

- 9:30 am - Tree of Life Harvest
- 11:00 am - Anam Cara (closed group)
- 7:30 pm - Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00 pm - Compline (on line)

Friday, June 7th

- 8:00 am - Flower Harvest & Bouquet Creation
- 7:00 pm - Old Dominion Dancers
- 8:00 pm - Compline (on line)

Saturday, June 8th

- 8:00 am - Men's Group
- 6:30 pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
- 7:00 pm - Narcotics Anonymous
- 8:30 pm - Narcotics Anonymous

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- June 3rd: Mary Scherer
- June 5th: Sebastian Pigulewski, Gerry Wardell
- June 7th: Corrine Boddy
- June 8th: Charle Acierto, Kelsey Golden

ATTENDANCE

May 26th, 2024

Time or Place	Attendance Online	Attendance In-Person
8:00 AM	18	26
10:30 AM (PICNIC)	23	147
Faith Factory		27
Youth Group		9

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**WORSHIP
OPPORTUNITIES**

In-Person & Online

8:00AM | This is a traditional communion service using Rite II from the Book of Common Prayer.

9:30AM | This is a vibrant communion service with our very own live band. If you are looking for a joyous family service with some of the best music around, this is the service for you.

11:00AM | A classic communion service with our fabulous choir. We use Rite II from the Book of Common Prayer.

Compline (evening prayer) Mon.–Fri. at 8pm on Facebook

Online Worship
stmmts.org/live

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