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SEPTEMBER 11, 2020



"Whoever you are, and wherever you find yourself on the journey of faith, you are welcome at St. Stephen's!"

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### ONE ON ONE & GROUP MEETINGS AVAILABLE WITH THE NEW RECTOR



One of the most valuable things our new rector, Fr. Kevin LJ Schubert, has learned from God is the importance of relationship. With this in mind, he has invited us to share our stories and to hear his story as we become friends through God.

#### **ONE-ON-ONE APPOINTMENTS**

To make an appointment for you and/or your family unit with Fr. Kevin, first email Lydia, <u>office@ststeve.org</u>, with your general availability, i.e. days of the week, mornings or afternoons. Right now we are scheduling for October and November. After receiving your email request with your date options, Lydia will be in contact with you to confirm your booking.

#### **GROUP ZOOM**

Fr. Kevin will also be holding several "Meet the New Rector" group Zoom sessions. No need for an appointment. Simply click the link provided to you in that morning's e-mail to Zoom into the session. Each session is 60 minutes and you can join at any time during that scheduled hour.

Wednesday, September 16, 10:00 a.m., Zoom Wednesday, September 30, 10:00 a.m., Zoom Wednesday, October 7, 10:00 a.m., Zoom

### NEED 10 MORE VOLUNTEERS FOR ROADSIDE CLEANUP: Saturday, September 19, 2020

Saturday, September 19 is quickly approaching. The Roadside Cleanup ministry leaders report that we need 10 more



volunteers and invite you to "Wear the Vest!"

"With the cooler weather and in a spirit of re-connecting with old friends and beautifying the roadside, too, there's no better time," urges Becki Smith, ministry co-leader.

Having 20 people get the job done really does help cover the 10 miles of roadside that is assigned to St. Stephen's Church.

Becki assures us, "there is PLENTY of room to spread out and be socially distanced." So, if you have been itching to get back into action, here's a safe way to do it.

Vests and bags will be outside McArthur hall in the courtyard beginning at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 19. Partners are assigned ahead of time, so plan on arriving at the same time as your partner.

Remember to bring your own water and snacks for safe refreshment. If you have more questions and/or are ready to sign up, contact: Becki Smith, <a href="mailto:colorsmith1@yahoo.com">colorsmith1@yahoo.com</a>

# LOOK FOR FR. KEVIN'S WRITE-UP IN THE UPCOMING FALL/WINTER WELCOME TO WIMBERLEY PUBLICATION

You will see our new rector's photo, write-up, and church ad in the upcoming "Welcome to Wimberley" Fall/Winter issue. Be on the lookout for this popular publication available soon around town. Why not pick up an extra copy for a neighbor and invite them to come with you to Morning Prayer in the St. Stephen's courtyard on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning October 6 at 9:00 a.m.





#### SCHEDULE FOR VIRTUAL COFFEE HOUR

Sunday, September 13, 2020 Sunday, October 4, 2020

Virtual Coffee Hour will be held this Sunday, September 13, immediately following the airing of the 10:30 a.m. CDT Holy Eucharist Service. Virtual Coffee Hour, hosted by Fr. Kevin, is held on the St. Stephen's Zoom. See dates below for the next two Virtual Coffee Hour times.

Sunday, September 13, 2020 Sunday, October 4, 2020

Reminders with links to the Sunday Service and Virtual Coffee Hour will be emailed to you Sunday mornings.

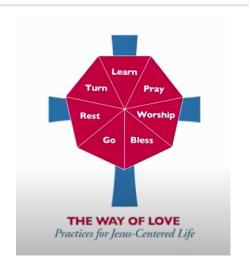
#### 2020 FALL BIBLE CLASSES ARE HERE

FRI 9.11	5:00 PM	TWEENS	ZOOM
SUN 9.13	9:00 AM	AGES 7-10	ZOOM
SUN 9.13	9:15 AM	ADULT	ZOOM
SUN 9.13	5:00 PM	TEEN	ZOOM
MON 9.14	12 NOON	WOMEN	ZOOM
TUES 9.15	10:30 AM	COED	ZOOM
TH 9.17	5:00 PM	WOMEN	Nancy's home



The fall virtual Bible School classes for tweens ages 11-12 will be held by Zoom using Orange with teachers Melissa Odell and Elisa Webster. Classes begin today, Friday, September 11 and will be held by Zoom at 5:00 p.m.

Contact: Elisa Webster





Sunday School for ages 7-10 will be using the Orange curriculum and will be holding class virtually this Sunday, September 13 @ 9:00 a.m. CDT through Zoom. Teachers: Donna Hoyland and Elisa Webster are eager to Zoom with you.

Contact: Elisa Webster

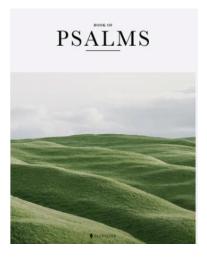


Sunday School classes for teens ages 13-17 will be held by Zoom this Sunday, September 13 using "The Journey to Adulthood" Rite 13 and J2A as their curriculum. Teachers will be Melissa Odell and Elisa Webster.

Contact: Elisa Webster

The fall virtual Bible classes for adults will be held by Zoom using "The Way of Love" book and "Traveling the Way of Love" videos with teachers Becky and Bob Denton. Classes begin Sunday, September 13 and will be held by Zoom at 9:15 a.m.

**Contact: Becky Denton** 



The Monday Bible Babes will begin meeting by Zoom using the *Book of Psalms*. **Class starts** *Monday, September 14, 12 noon*. A reminder email will be sent with the class link and the week's video.

#### **Contacts:**

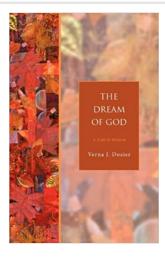
<u>Becky Denton</u> Cindy Taylor



Thursday Bible Babes will hold their *first fall meeting on*September 17 beginning at 5:00 p.m. at the home of Nancy Cooke-Jenkins' outdoor patio. If inclement weather, Thursday Bible Babes will meet using Zoom. They will be using the "Dream of God" by Verna J. Dozier.

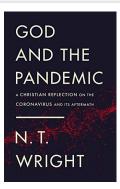
Contact:

Nancy Cooke-Jenkins



Adult Coed classes will begin meeting by Zoom using the *The Dream of God.* Class starts *Tuesday, September 15, 10:30 a.m.* Before the first class you are invited to purchase a copy through Amazon or other booksellers and read the first 15 pages.

Contact: **Bob Reed** 



#### **SNEAK PREVIEW:**

Starting Sunday, November 1, Fr. Kevin will be leading an adult bible class using N.T. Wright's new book, "God and the Pandemic."

This five week class will begin after the conclusion of the seven week class led by Becky and Bob Denton. More details coming.



# TAKE 5: Episode 16 Thursday, September 17, 2020, 10 a.m. CDT YouTube link

On Thursday, September 17, you are invited to join host Allen Hennig and guest Anne Jones as they treat our ears, eyes, and spirit, to a five minute music break during TAKE 5's episode 16. We will hear a song that was penned by Charles Wesley and inspired by Isaiah 25:4 called "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

Watch your e-mail's inbox for the <u>YouTube</u> and <u>Facebook</u> links on the morning of each airing. All TAKE 5 episodes will also be accessible through the <u>church</u> website.



#### **GODLY PLAY FALL SERIES TO DEBUT SOON**

Sunday, September 20, 2020, 10 a.m. CDT YouTube link

The Godly Play story of "The Ark and the Tent" as told by Darelle Jordan with help from Elisa Webster and Tom Dawson will air on Sunday, September 20, 10:00 a.m. CDT. Although these Godly Play stories are especially geared for PK and Kindergarten ages, they can be enjoyed by your whole family.

For more information, contact: Elisa Webster, elisawebster@gmail.com.

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