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Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Family Episcopal Church

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Our Staff:

The Rev. Michael Galvin, Rector The Rev. Cathy Scott, Deacon

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Summer Office Hours:

Summer hours vary, please call before you visit.

The Vestry:

Senior Warden Bryan Luce, **Junior Warden** Dan Chillemi; *Treasurer* Betty Bogeman; Abby Galvin (youth), Wade Nichols, Ginny Olsen, Ben Paden, Lauren Hendrickson, Elaine Pickens, Marty Blake, Doug Tannas, *Clerk* Ruth Everett

The next vestry meeting will be held at 7 PM on Tuesday, July 21st. All are invited to attend.

Serving This Sunday, July 12:

Celebrant: The Rev. Steven Giovangelo
Homily: The Rev. Steven Giovangelo
Deacon: The Rev. Cathy Scott
Music Director: Bethany Paden

Opening World III

Organist: Dawn Waddell
Greeter: Joe Spangler

Ushers: Bob French, Joe Schrock

Readers: Sandra Cline, David Emerson, Patrick Burke, Joan Head

Prayers: Wade Nichols, Barb Spangler

Chalice: Nancy Thomas, Ruth Everett, Lauren Hendrickson Acolytes: Paul Mundie, Ellen Everett, Matthew Johnston, Lily Butt

Healing: Wade Nichols, Patrick Burke

LEV: Patrick Burke

Almoners: Wade Nichols, Lauren Hendrickson

AG Sat. Set Up: Patrick & Lexi Burke, Holly Forman

AG Bread: Holly Forman

AG Set Sun. 10 a.m.: Ginny Olsen/Amy Mundie

AG Clean Up: Patrick & Lexi Burke, Holly Forman

Popcorn: Chillemi

Summer Sabbatical

Should you have pastoral care needs this summer while Father Mike is on Sabbatical, please contact Deacon Cathy for emergency and regular pastoral needs. Cards with contact information are available in the church office. You may meet with Father Steve via appointments scheduled through the church office. admin@hfec.org



Sunday's readings:

First Reading Amos 7:7-15 Psalm 85:8-13 Second Reading Ephesians 1:3-14 Gospel Mark 6:14-29

Our Mission

We bear witness to the Light of Christ by serving as the heart and hands of Jesus, nourishing people and transforming lives.

Worship and Feast Days

<u>Taizé Service</u>: On July 11th, at 7 PM, we will host a Taizé-style service in the outdoor worship space. All are welcome to join us for a contemplative and meditative service in the beautiful new space!

<u>Altar Flowers:</u> The 2015 sign-up sheet for altar flowers is on the wall in the Narthex. Perhaps you would like to purchase flowers for the altar to celebrate a special occasion or to remember a loved one. The cost is \$55.00. Please put your check in the offering plate or drop it off in the church office.





On June 28th we began receiving funds toward our three-year capital campaign effort. The first fruits in the Old Testament were the first parts of any crop that, in Hebrew thought, were considered holy and therefore belonged to the Lord. First fruits, as a foretaste of more to come, were offered to God in thanksgiving for his goodness in providing them. We ask that you submit a Pledge Planning Card describing how you anticipate fulfilling your pledge over the coming years. If you have not made your pledge, do not worry - it is not too late!

On Sunday, July 5th, Father Bruce Boss referenced the sermon given by Presiding Bishop Elect Michael Curry at the closing Eucharist of General Convention in Salt Lake City. Please take a few minutes to watch this engaging sermon and call to action.

Christian Education

<u>Sunday School and Adult Forum</u>: All Christian formation classes will be on hiatus for the summer. Our anticipated start date is September 13th - classes will resume with modified groupings based on available space.

Nursery: The Nursery will remain open during the 10 AM service for children under the age of three.

Outreach Opportunities

<u>Outreach Theme</u>: July is <u>Lunches</u> and <u>Lessons month at Holy Family</u>. The Haitian unemployment rate is 40% and 47% of Haitians are illiterate. Please Contact Charles Forman for ways to help.

<u>Delaware Township Food Pantry</u>: As we enjoy the summer months, we become more aware of families in need that rely on school breakfast and lunch programs. The township has asked us to help focus on the following items for donation during the summer: oatmeal packets, granola bars, applesauce, breakfast cereal, peanut butter, jelly, and macaroni & cheese. They also need toilet paper and cleaning supplies.

<u>Missionaries of Charity</u>: Sister Martinella has requested the following items to support their residents and the children they serve in their VBS program - powdered laundry detergent, bleach, Capri Sun single-serve drink pouches. Bless your generosity!





Tools 4 School: It's hard to believe it, but it's time to start thinking about helping our friends at IPS School 57 in Indianapolis with school supplies. A complete list of requested items is available in the Narthex - please take one with you and consider picking up a few supplies to add to our donation. School starts for IPS on August 3rd, so we would prefer that most items be collected by Sunday, July 26th.

<u>Items requested by IPS</u>: Backpacks, "Expo" Dry Erase (Fat) Markers, Hand Sanitizer, Kleenex, Poly folders with pockets, Crayons (24 count), Pencils, Sandwich-size zip lock bags, Erasers, Colored Pencils, Clorox Wipes (Optional), Spiral notebooks, Composition notebooks, Glue sticks

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Fellowship Gatherings

Breakfast Buddies: Join us for our adult meal group gathering beginning at 8:30 AM on Saturday, July 11th at the Roost in Fishers. No cooking, no clean up!

<u>Prayer Shawl Ministry</u>: Our crafters will gather at a private home beginning at 7 PM on Wednesday, August 5th. Please contact the church office for directions. admin@hfec.org



Other News



<u>Summer Music</u>: Anyone interested in providing an offertory solo or ensemble this summer (instrumental or vocal) please volunteer! Please contact Music Director Bethany Paden or the church office (<u>admin@hfec.org</u>) for more information and to schedule your Sunday. We are able to provide accompanists if needed, so DON'T BE SHY!

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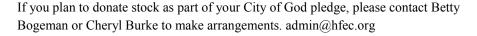
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Men's Breakfast: All men of the church are invited to a manly breakfast from 10AM - 12PM on Saturday, July 25th. Please see Joe Spangler to RSVP.

Garden Talk: Join James Keith and Joel Bruns of the Fishers Community Garden for the next Garden Talk on Saturday, August 1st. The presentation will include a discussion about the food pantry we support with garden donations. The talk will be held at 9 AM in the Holy Family Episcopal Church sanctuary and is free to the public.

City of God Gifts of Stock







July 10
July 11
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Thanks Be to God

- The Reverend Bruce Boss for blessing us with his time and talent during the first half of Father Mike's sabbatical leave
- The congregation members serving on our Finance and Building Design committees for the expansion project



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