



God is Good!

God is good! God is bringing new people to our church, some we have invited, but others because God has invited.

Most visitors tell me that we have a very friendly church! I would agree as your friendliness is what drew Cathleen and I to our church.

As new people come to join us, we must not only welcome them, but also incorporate them into the life of our church.

Hospitality, Invitation and Incorporation (HII) must become our mantra in order to grow Christ's church.

So start thinking about inviting new folks into our groups in order to incorporate them into our life with Jesus.

God is working in our church. We thank God for blessing us again and again!

See you Sunday!

Michael+

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- *Prayer Shawl Ministry*
- *Alternative Gift Fair*
- *Want to be on the Vestry?!*
- *Haunted House*

Announcements

Blessing of the Animals

The 10:15 service will be held in the meadow on
October 12th.

There will be a parish luncheon for *ALL*
parishioners at 11:30
in Douglas Hall.

Please invite friends and neighbors to join us!



*Lectio Divina is held the first Saturday of the
month at 9:30 am (note the change from 9:00
am). Our next gathering will be
Saturday, October 4th in the Sanctuary.*

Prayer Shawl Ministry

If you would like to participate in this exciting
new ministry, please contact

Liz Jones at 303/679-1301 or

Georgine McCarthy at 303/670-0887.

EDSE

Our first month of school at EDSE has flown by and has been tremendously successful. All the children, even our newest students, have settled into their classrooms, bonded with their teachers, made friends, and learned the routines and rules. We have worked on the letters A, B and C, learned about our magnificent selves (body parts, emotions, etc), and explored fall changes and apples. One class even made apple pie! In music we sang, danced and played rhythm instruments, while in art we fingerpainted, marble painted, and made collages. The Pre-K has made a yummy chicken salad and a dip in Cooking class, and they and the Explorers are starting Computers today. KinderKixx soccer started last week, too, with about 8 kiddos enjoying the after school activity, playing games and soccer with Coach Donnie. And assessments are well underway so we can plan our curriculum and determine each child's individual needs. We are excited about October with our themes of Community Helpers (with the extra special visit from the fire department!) and Halloween (with neighborhood trick-or-treating and our first class parties). We just want to thank you for trusting us with your children and their education, and we hope the beginning of school has been smooth and positive on your end. Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions, concerns, or feedback. Thank you!

Church of the Transfiguration Staff and Vestry

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Tuesday 10-5

Wednesday 10-5

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Arwen Berry

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www.GiftTwice.org

14th Annual
**ALTERNATIVE
GIFT FAIR**
November 15 & 16, 2014

2014 AGF FACT SHEET

WHO: Evergreen/Conifer area faith-based organizations sponsor an annual event that helps non-profit organizations raise funds needed for more than 50 worthwhile local, national and international causes. The volunteers from a diversity of local congregations work together to make the weekend event a warm and welcoming community initiative in the true spirit of the holidays.

WHAT: The two-day Alternative Gift Fair features hand-made crafts, jewelry, textiles and some food items. The funds raised from the sale of these gifts go to the charities. Shoppers from around the region visit the Fair to find unique gifts that will GIFT TWICE.

WHEN: Saturday, November 15 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
& Sunday, November 16 from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

WHERE: Hosted by Evergreen Lutheran Church on Highway 73 in Evergreen, CO 80439

WHY: GIFT TWICE means that purchases not only provide unique all occasion gifts for loved ones, the funds raised also go to charities to make a difference for people in need. The Alternative Gift Fair attracts shoppers from around the region who want to find unique gifts that GIFT TWICE.

Each year, the Alternative Gift Fair provides a broad selection of items and a delightful shopping experience away from the commercialism and hustle-bustle of shopping malls. In 2013, the thirteenth year of operation, the Fair raised the sum of \$106,815 from the sales, all of which was distributed to the charities participating.

SUPPORT: In order for proceeds to go to the participating charities, the event relies heavily upon designated donations from area congregations, businesses and individuals to cover operational expenses that include credit card fees, consumable supplies, and equipment rentals. Our popular bake sale raises funds to defray the promotional costs, such as printing costs for flyers, newspaper advertising space, signs and banners. Volunteer crews come together to set up, take down and operate the event each year and it could not succeed without volunteer workers who generously give their time and their talents. There is no paid staffing. The Alternative Gift Fair is created and operated entirely by volunteers.

SPONSORS

- ◆ Church of the Hills, Presbyterian USA ◆ Evergreen Lutheran Church
- ◆ Christ the King Catholic Church ◆ Congregation Beth Evergreen
- ◆ Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration ◆ Evergreen Christian Church (DOC)
- ◆ Jefferson Unitarian Church - Evergreen Campus
- ◆ United Methodist Church of Evergreen



CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY SCHOOL



Parent of Guardian's Name(s): _____

Children's Name(s): _____

Age _____ Birthday _____ Baptized? Yes No

Age _____ Birthday _____ Baptized? Yes No

Age _____ Birthday _____ Baptized? Yes No

Age _____ Birthday _____ Baptized? Yes No

Address:

Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

E-mail: _____

Would you like to receive e-mails of the church newsletter and other church related announcements? Yes No
circle one

People authorized to pick your child(ren) up from the classroom:

Are there any allergies, activity restrictions or other information we should be aware of?

Thank you for filling out this form. This form is for contact information in case there is a change in the Sunday School schedule and other Sunday School related information or in an emergency. Please return it to the Sunday School teacher, to the church office (the building next to the church – St. Mark's), or mail to
Church of the Transfiguration, P.O. Box 1630, Evergreen, CO 80437.

Stone Soup Volunteers and Break Bakers

Stephanie is stepping down from the soup ministry that she has handled so ably for so long, and for which we thank her so much. Sara Gadenken will be in charge instead. Since Sara attends the 8 o'clock service, we will make soup after that service on the third Sunday of each month. In September I (Sara) messed up on the timing, and the work was all but done before the 10:15 volunteers arrived. I sincerely apologize for this and have taken steps to see that it does not happen again.

The corn bread as well as the ham and bean soup that we made delighted EChO, and we would like to try corn bread again in October, when we will make Sloppy Joe soup under Georgina's able direction. Corn bread will go well with that, and bringing it allows those who cannot come at 9 to help cook to be part of this rewarding ministry. So please, if you can, come help at 9 or bring corn bread (or both) to either service on **October 19th**.

In need of bread bakers
and/or bread baking
alternates!

Please contact
Georgine McCarthy for
information.





Soup Ministry

Homemade soups in the freezer are available for parishioners and friends that are sick, shut-in or need some TLC. Feel free to give soup to someone you see at church that is hurting, or take soup to someone you are going to visit. The soups are in the freezer on the east wall of the kitchen.

Mary Carlson's Sloppy Joe's

1/2 cup chopped onion (or 1 pkg lipton's onion soup)

1 1/2 pounds lean hamburger or ground pork)

2 tsp brown sugar

1/2 tsp chili powder

1 tbsp paprika

1 tsp salt

1 tsp mustard

1/8 tsp cayenne pepper (or squirt of Sriracha)

2 tbsp Worcestershire sauce

1/4 cup white vinegar

1/2 cup tomato sauce

1/4 cup ketchup

Brown meat and onion. Drain grease. Add remaining ingredients. Cook on low for at least two hours. Can use a crock pot for the long cooking period.

Serves 6

Prep time: 15 mins Cook Time: 2 hrs

REMEMBER TO MULTIPLY BY 8 FOR EChO RECIPE!



HAUNTED HOUSE

A HAUNTING IN EVERGREEN

OCT 24, 25, & 31

6-9 PM

CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION CAMPUS

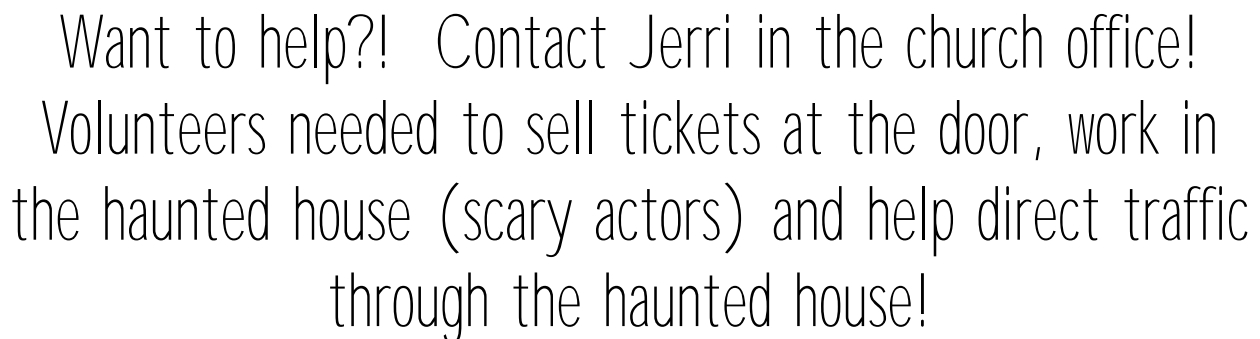
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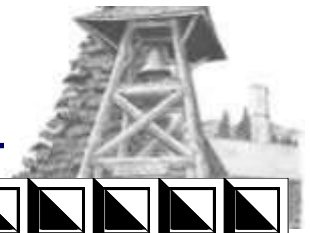
\$5 PER PERSON FOR TWO WALK THROUGHS

PROFITS GO TO BELL TOWER RESTORATION

[FACEBOOK.COM/AHAUNTINGINEVERGREEN](https://www.facebook.com/AHauntingInEvergreen)



Want to help?! Contact Jerri in the church office!
Volunteers needed to sell tickets at the door, work in
the haunted house (scary actors) and help direct traffic
through the haunted house!



Check out the new Realm system that provides an easy way to send emails and messages to group members! It is a great way to stay linked to all of the ministries in the church!

Contact David Black to learn more about this system!

davidtblack01@gmail.com



September 15, 2014

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If you are interested in joining the Vestry, please fill out the biography on the next page

All parishioners are welcome to sit in on the open sessions of the Vestry meetings.



Vestry Nominee “Bio-Sketch”

I am prepared to give generously of my time, energy and ability in fulfilling the responsibilities and expectations that come with Vestry service.

What excited and or interests me most about the mission and vision of Transfiguration is/are: _____

The aspect of the Vestry’s ministry I most look forward to experiencing is: _____

The main gifts and talents I would bring to the Vestry ministry are: _____

How Vestry service might “stretch” me and encourage me to grow spiritually: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Please submit a current photo with your biography.

Biographies that are received without photos will be published without a picture.

The Transfiguration Book Club

Monday, October 27th—6:30—9:30 PM in the Church

Art of Hearing Heartbeats by Jan-Philipp Sendke

All are invited to join in on this fun and interesting group—ladies AND gentlemen!

Even if you have never come to any of the meetings before, please **come.....and bring friends! You can come even if you haven't read the book, too!**

Please bring a snack and drink to share!

Future Readings:

November 24 *Orphan Train: A Novel*, by Christina Baker Kline

January 26 *Anne Evans - A pioneer in Colorado's Cultural History: The Things That Last When Gold Is Gone*, by Barbara Edwards Sternberg

If you have question or concerns, email:

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JOIN US ON
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7TH
FOR MOVIE NIGHT!!!

SHOWING: IT'S A GIFT
starring WC Fields

Announcements



!!!Needed!!!

Acolytes for 8:00 and 10:15
services

October 10:15 Service Acolyte Schedule

October 5, 2014 Stephanie Park, Mary
Hatfield, Shelley Black

October 12, 2014 Meadow
(Jennifer Francis, Tom Lukich, Kristy
Morrison)

October 19, 2014 Mary Jean Bedard,
Shelley Black, Diane Hutchison-
Earle, Kaleb Horsely

October 26, 2014 Stephanie Park,
Jennifer Francis, Isobel Tutchton



Prayers

Anointing and Healing Prayers

Anointing and healing prayers are offered by Father Michael and the Daughters of the King during the 10:15 service on the last Sunday of each month. All are welcome to come to the front of the church after communion for this special offering. This month the prayers will be on October 26.

Morning Prayer Service

sponsored by the Daughters of the King and in fellowship with EDSE is offered on THURSDAY mornings at 9:30 AM in the church. The Daughters and Friends of the Episcopal Day School extend an invitation to all to attend this wonderful service. Please feel free to walk the Labyrinth after.

Evening Prayer Service

also sponsored by the Daughters of the King is offered on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 5:30 pm in the Chapel of St. Mary and St. Joseph. The next Evening Prayer services will be October 13 and 27.

Marcia Younger and Sara Gadeken want to revive the dinners that used to happen on the first Sunday of the month (usually) that brought the parishioners from both services together for feast and fellowship. We need committee members to help plan, set up, sometimes cook and especially to clean up afterwards. If you would be willing to serve on such a committee, please contact Marcia or Sara or leave your name at the office. If you want to come to the dinners but dislike driving at night, we will make transportation arrangements for you.

The first feast, we thought, should be an all-parish Thanksgiving feast on November 23rd, the Sunday before Thanksgiving, a tradition started by the Houston's and the Langworthy's, and one that we all enjoyed. We have so much to be thankful for this year -- a great new rector and a great new-rector's wife, new energy in the congregation, new members, new life. We need to come together and give thanks for these great blessings.

We would start at 5 pm. Children are welcome, even longed for. Members of the committee will cook the turkeys and everyone else should bring a dish that he or she especially associates with Thanksgiving. If bringing a dish is difficult, come anyway. There will be plenty of food.



ECHO FOOD BANK NEEDS

*Canned fruit

*Hearty soups

*Toothpaste/toothbrushes

Whole grain anything

Chili

Sugar

Mac & Cheese

Laundry detergent

Toilet paper

Tuna

Dish soap

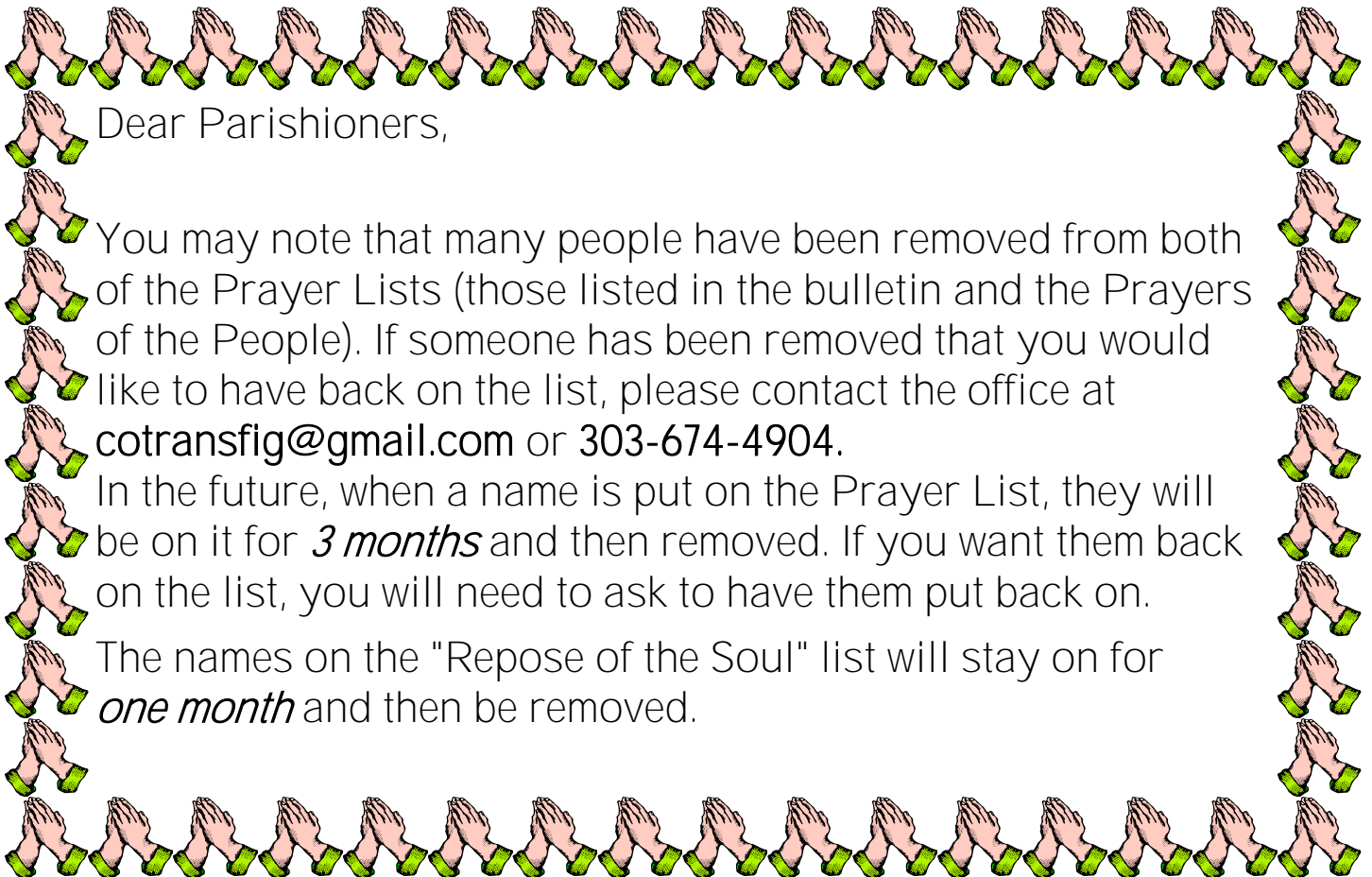
Canned beans

Canned tomatoes

Coffee

Condiments

COT's item of the month—hearty soups



Dear Parishioners,

You may note that many people have been removed from both of the Prayer Lists (those listed in the bulletin and the Prayers of the People). If someone has been removed that you would like to have back on the list, please contact the office at cotransfig@gmail.com or 303-674-4904.

In the future, when a name is put on the Prayer List, they will be on it for *3 months* and then removed. If you want them back on the list, you will need to ask to have them put back on.

The names on the "Repose of the Soul" list will stay on for *one month* and then be removed.

Volunteer with **HistoriCorps** to preserve the historic **Belltower**

at the Church of the Transfiguration



HISTORICORPS[®]
WORKFORCE FOR SAVING PLACES



Built by famous architect Jock Spence, the Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration is a 115 year old landmark in the town of Evergreen, CO. A revered community figure known for his honest nature, Spence's distinctive architectural designs are a point of pride for the community. For many people in town, the Belltower not only holds a special significance because of its architectural promenance, but it is also a comforting reminder of home. Volunteers will remove and reinstall the roof and bell, reassemble the log tower, landscape and hardscape around the building for proper drainage, and replicate logs and replace with in-kind materials. Join us to help save this local historic treasure!



When

Session 1: October 11-13; Session 2: 17-19

Where

The Church of the Transfiguration is located just off CO-74 in Evergreen at 27640 Highway 74, Evergreen CO 80439.

Details

Tools, safety equipment, and delicious meals will be provided by HistoriCorps.

About HistoriCorps:

HistoriCorps saves and sustains historic places for public benefit through partnerships that foster public involvement, engage volunteers and provide training and education.

Read more and register here:

<http://historicorps.org/belltower/>

For more infomation, contact

Amy Eller: aeller@historicorps.org or

(303) 893-4260 ext 225.

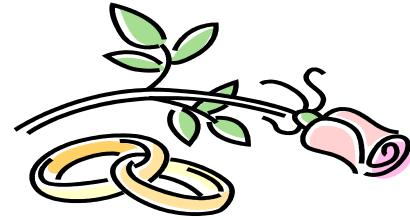


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Celebrate!!!

October Birthdays

Jim Malone	1
Brian Avery	6
Shirley Foley	8
Jean Lafond	10
Bob Coursen	11
Susan Courtney	20
Emilie Reznik	22
Dawn Barr	23
Ken Schmidt	24
Wayne Grider	27
Bill Borchelt	28
Mike Avery	29



October Anniversaries

Michael and Karen
Coriden 10/12

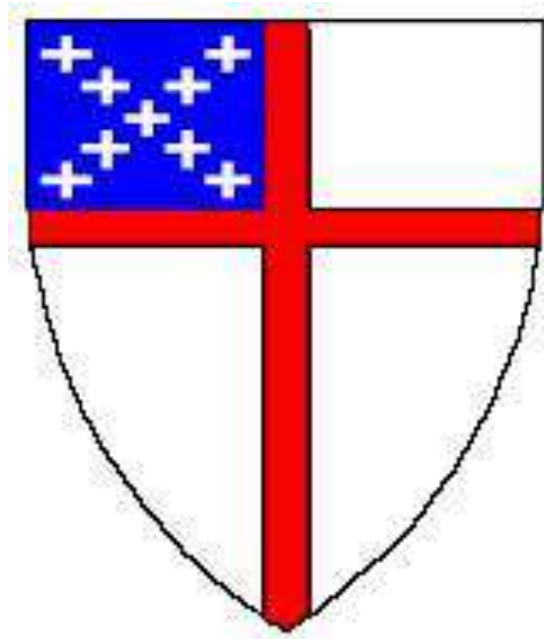


October 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Church Douglas Hall St. Mark's	Meadow Chapel Stuart Lounge		1 9-3 EDSE 1 Prayer Shawl 6 Bible Study 7:30 pm AA	2 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir Diocesan Convention	3 9-3 EDSE Diocesan Convention	4 8 am AA 9:30 am Lectio Divina Diocesan Convention
5 8 am Holy Eucharist 10:15 am Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	6 Bell Tower logs arrive—parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 5:30 EDSE Board Meeting	7 parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 7 Movie Night	8 Bell Tower Work -parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 6 Bible Study 7:30 pm AA	9 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer	10 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE	11 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 8 am AA 10-3—Student Film
12 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 8 Holy Eucharist 10:15 Holy Eucharist & Blessing of Animals and Sunday School 11:30 Parish Picnic	13 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 5:30 pm Evening Prayer	14 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 6 Property Committee	15 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 6 Bible Study 7:30 pm AA	16 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir	17 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE	18 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 8 am AA
19 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 8 Holy Eucharist 10:15 Holy Eucharist and Sunday School 4 pm Park Discern-	20 Bell Tower Work-parking lot CLOSED 9-3 EDSE 5:30 Vestry	21 9-3 EDSE 5:30-9 Friendship Bridge	22 9-3 EDSE 6 Bible Study 7:30 pm AA	23 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir	24 9-3 EDSE 6-9 Haunted House	25 8 am AA 6-9 Haunted House
26 Holy Eucharist 10:15 Holy Eucharist and Healing Prayers and Sunday School	27 9-3 EDSE 5:30 Evening Prayer 6:30 Book Club	28 9-3 EDSE	29 9-3 EDSE 6 Bible Study 7:30 pm AA	30 9-3 EDSE 9:30 Morning Prayer 7 Choir	31 9-3 EDSE 6-9 Haunted House 	

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Newsletter Submissions

Please contact Stephanie Park with ideas, suggestions and monthly reports for the newsletter. Monthly reports to be submitted **no later than the 22nd** of each month.

stephaniepark911@gmail.com

303-564-0210



Have something to add to the newsletter?!?!
Please contact Stephanie Park.
(see contact information to the left).

Upcoming ideas for pages: recipe exchange,
community coupons, trivia and games.

ALL IDEAS WELCOME AND
ENCOURAGED!!!