

We pray for healing in our parish:

Kelly, Monica, Donald, Connie, Joan, Paula, Carlos, Fr. Abraham, Lynette, Eileen, Anna, Gabby, Shirley, Brenda and Doreen.

In our extended fellowship we pray for:

Katie, Jennifer, Matthew, Deborah, Mary, Diane, Dorothy, Delores, Letiticia, Robert, Ceil, Carol, Frank, John, Eileen, Pete, Joseph, Tammy, Brooke, Joseph W., Donnie, Ron, Linda, David and Dale.

In the food pantry community: Dan and Carolyn

In our diocese, we pray for:

Christ Episcopal Church, Susquehanna, PA
St. Mark's Episcopal Church, New Milford, PA
St. Edward's Episcopal Church, Lancaster, PA

In the greater Anglican communion, we pray for:

St. Paul Kasurak Parish, Kajo Keji and
The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
Episcopal Diocese of The Susquehanna

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WELCOME TO ST. STEPHEN'S
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
June 28th, 2026

Processional Hymn Hymnal 397

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever.

Collect for Purity Prayer Book 355

Gloria in Excelsis Hymnal S-280

Collect:

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

1st Lesson Jeremiah 28: 5-9 see Insert

Psalm: Psalm 89: 1-4, 15-18 see Insert

Epistle Lesson Romans 6: 12-23 see Insert

Hymn hymnal 473 (vs 1-2 prior, vs 3-4 after)

Holy Gospel Matthew 10: 40-42 See Insert

Homily

Nicene Creed Prayer Book page 358

Prayers of the People *Form IV* Prayer Book 388

Peace / Announcements

Offertory and Doxology

Sanctus Hymnal S-130

Eucharistic Prayer A Prayer Book 361

Lord's Prayer Prayer Book 364

Fractional Anthem: Hymnal S-155

Prayer of Humble Access

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

COMMUNION

Post-Communion Prayer Prayer Book 366

Recessional Hymn Hymnal 562

Dismissal

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Attendance this past week of June 21st - In person 26
On line: 4

7 Day Reservation Candle has been given this week to the Glory of God, by Carol Holmes in loving memory of Ken Holmes.

Val will be away Friday 6/26 – Sat 7/3. Please let Fr. Tim or Lisa Ligi, Sr. Warden know if you have any questions or concerns while I am away.

Gluten-free communion wafers are available for those with special dietary needs. Please let either our usher Jim Colombo, our Acolyte Steve DeVore or Fr. Tim know before service if you are in need of this.

Food Pantry Items in Need of Donation:

- Pasta – All varieties
- Jelly in plastic containers
- Chef Boyardee products
- Canned spaghetti sauce

Dates to remember:

July 25th - Lorah Farms Roast chicken dinner: order forms are on the back table.

A hearty welcome to any who are visiting with us today. Please join us for coffee hour and fellowship in the parish hall.

We are so pleased that you are with us!