

# M Saint Matthew's Episcopal Church

201 East Frederick Drive • Sterling, VA 20164

## NEW WONZ: THE WAY OF LOVE

**Starting Wednesday, Feb 24th at 7pm**

Join us for WonZ (Wednesdays of Zoom) as we begin a new series on "The Way of Love" podcast with Presiding Bishop Michael Curry. Our first session will be an introduction with no preparation necessary.

Zoom ID: 849 0700 9439

## PALM SUNDAY PARADE FILMING

**Saturday, March 6th 10am-1pm**

We will be individually filming the kids outside parading around the church to be used for the 9:30am Palm Sunday Online Service. Please contact Adrian at [adrian@stmtts.com](mailto:adrian@stmtts.com) if your child would like to participate.

## SPRING BREAK VBS

**Monday, March 29th 7:00-7:45pm**

Join us on Facebook Live for a One Day Spring VBS! Registration is free. Register by March 5th to receive an activity bag with the Imagination Station Gizmos and craft kits. Register by emailing [Adrian@stmtts.org](mailto:Adrian@stmtts.org)



## LINK HELP NEEDED

### LINK Treasurer Needed

LINK is seeking a volunteer to assume the role of Treasurer immediately. A background in accounting with knowledge of QuickBooks is recommended. Approx. 1-4 hours per week. To learn more, please contact [treasurer@linkagainsthunger.org](mailto:treasurer@linkagainsthunger.org) or Lisa Lombardozi, President at [president@linkagainsthunger.org](mailto:president@linkagainsthunger.org)

### LINK Food Coordinators Needed

LINK is seeking volunteers to help coordinate food deliveries to our families/individuals. A knowledge of EXCEL (we use Google Sheets) and flexible hours during the day via phone calls are needed. Each coordinator takes 4-6 weeks each year; 1-2 hours a day during your weeks. To learn more, please contact Lisa Lombardozi, President at [president@linkagainsthunger.org](mailto:president@linkagainsthunger.org)

## Connect Virtually

### Live Stream Sunday Services

Sundays at 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00am

### Faith Factory for Kids

Sundays at 10:30am

Email [Adrian@stmtts.org](mailto:Adrian@stmtts.org) to join

### Youth Bible Study/Topical Discussion

Sundays at 10:30am

Google Meets:

<http://meet.google.com/jya-nkrr-sis>

Password: jya-nkrr-sis

### Noon Day Prayer on Facebook Live

Monday - Friday at 12:00pm

Facebook Live: [stmtts.org/live](https://www.facebook.com/stmtts.org/live)

### Social Time with Candace

Mondays at 12pm

Zoom Meeting ID: 681-861-620

### Bread of Life Co-Ed Book Group

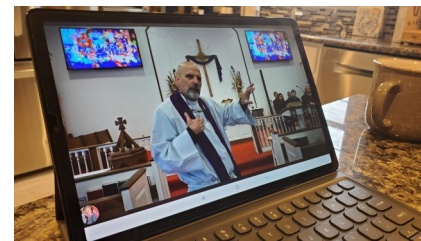
Mondays at 7pm

Email [Office@stmtts.org](mailto:Office@stmtts.org)

### Sandwich Generation Small Group

1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 7:30pm

Email: [Office@stmtts.org](mailto:Office@stmtts.org)



### Women's Uncommon Prayer

Thursdays at 12:00pm

Office@[stmtts.org](mailto:stmtts.org) to join

### Men's Group

Saturdays at 8:00am

Zoom Meeting ID: 581 005 941

### YoPro's Young Professionals

2nd & 4th Sundays at 12:00pm

Zoom ID: 832 1051 7955

### Social Time with Kevin

Mondays at 8:20pm

Email [Kevin@stmtts.org](mailto:Kevin@stmtts.org)

**Starting Feb 24th**

**WonZ with Rev. Margaret Mary**

Wednesdays at 7:00pm

Zoom ID: 849 0700 9439

## FAITH FACTORY

**Sundays at 10:30am**

Faith Factory will continue to meet on Zoom. Contact Adrian for information on how to join Faith Factory and get the meeting ID and password at [Adrian@stmtts.org](mailto:Adrian@stmtts.org)

## BACKPACK BUDDIES

Although most students are still on distance learning, Backpack Buddies is still supporting families in our community. We are particularly in need of financial donations, but we are also accepting shelf-stable food items as usual. To drop off items at the church, please stop by Tuesday or Thursday between 8am and 4pm, leave the items outside the office, then contact the office to bring them inside. Individual shelf-stable milks (chocolate and white), soups (canned or ramen), and non-tuna proteins (canned chicken, Chef Boyardee, Vienna sausages, chili, etc.) are particularly needed. Thank you for keeping tummies full. If you have any other questions, please contact Hilary Hultman-Lee at [HLLlearning@gmail.com](mailto:HLLlearning@gmail.com)

## THIS WEEK AT ST. MATT'S

FEB 21	8AM, 9:30AM, 11AM Virtual Services Coffee Time after the 8AM & 9:30AM services 10:30AM - Middle and High School Student Discussion
FEB 22	12PM Social Time w/ Candace 12PM - Noon Prayer w/ Kevin 7PM - Bread of Life 7:30PM - Free to Live 8PM - Compline 8:20PM - Social Time w/ Kevin
FEB 23	12PM - Noon Prayer w/ Kevin 7PM - Education for Ministry 7PM - Vestry 8PM - Compline
FEB 24	12PM - Noon Prayer w/ Kevin 7PM - WonZ w/ Rev. Mary Margaret 8PM - Compline
FEB 25	12PM - Noon Prayer w/ Kevin 12PM - Women's Uncommon Prayer Bible Study 6:30PM - Youth Group Pathfinder 8PM - Compline
FEB 26	12PM - Noon Prayer w/ Kevin 8PM - Compline
FEB 27	8AM - Men's Group 10:30AM - Park View Food Share

## Welcome...

...to Saint Matthew's. We trust you will find us to be a church of joyful worship, loving community, and vibrant witness to our Lord Jesus Christ. We could not be more excited about all that God is doing in our midst. We are grateful for this opportunity to worship with you today. We look forward to sharing our life with you in whatever way God leads – whether just this Sunday or as a long-time member.

**Ways to Financially Support Ministry:**  
Online: [Go.stmtts.org/give](https://go.stmtts.org/give)  
Download ACS Church Life App  
(Site #111141)

**CONTACT INFORMATION**  
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Caitlin Dronfield, Kristin Drummond,  
Akila O'Grady, Martha Olson,  
Dan Robertson, Syd Severino,  
Sara Warnick,

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

FEB 21	Martha Williams
FEB 21	Tess Frawley
FEB 21	Sofia Sonntag
FEB 22	Taylor Tattersall
FEB 23	Aidan O'Hara
FEB 23	Jim McKeown
FEB 24	Carl Albrethsen
FEB 24	Tom Leary
FEB 24	Jake McKeown
FEB 25	Andrew Plaisted
FEB 26	Tony Solomon
FEB 26	Tricia Fischer
FEB 26	Allison Gradich

**Check Friday Flash for Upcoming Youth Activities.**  
**Check out our Facebook Page and the St. Matt's Instagram account for more details!**

**GIVE ONLINE**  
FAST | SIMPLE | SECURE  
[stmtts.org/give](https://stmtts.org/give)

Virtual  
Coffee Hour



Join us for social time  
each Sunday morning.  
Enter the Zoom ID number  
to join us for conversation and fun.  
9:00am - 680 390 2602 (PW: church)  
10:30am - 827 5213 2603 (PW: church)

## 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, Alexis, Abby, McKeown family, Lane, Jones, Debbie, Ray, Bill, Ashley, Frankie, Romaine, Mabel, Gary, Betty, Ray, Liisa, Luke, Ella, Jackie, LK, Madison, Katie, Lorraine, Dan, Don, Kelsey, Dai, Carmen, Bishop, Susan, Virus Victims, Those alone and lonely during this period, Lynda, Renee, Phil's family, Kathy, Sandra, Kenny, Cheryl, Beckett, Rudy, DeWayne, Nenette, Black Lives, Wilma, Chase, Jacoby family, Sandra, Rita and Family, Lynn, Maureen, Marcy, Raquel, Joe, Ben, Helen, Ray, Christy, Maxton, Abigail, Joyce, Colleen, the Nehman family, the Fowler family, the Morgan family, the Habab Family, Brandon, Jane, Polo, Alex, Brian, Ellen, Walter, All Fire Victims, Jake, Angela, JP, Jeff, Simone, Kevin and Kelly, Carline, Rita, Brown family, Emily, Bailey, Jennie, Boyd, Clara, DeWayne, Leila, Kamala, Joe, COVID-19Victims, Heroes, Chris, Margaux, Larry and Sue Kenzie, Shannon, Sebastian, Bob, Crystal and family, Fiaschetti family, Olivia, Jessica, Terry, Tiana, Herb, Sean, Theresa, Tess, Johnny, Marion, Rob, Lorinne, Patti, Terry, Kathy, Denny, Larry, Chris, Anna and Lucas

**If you or someone you care about are in need of Pastoral Care, please do not hesitate to call 703-430-2121.**

## Prayer Shawls

To request a prayer shawl for yourself or someone else, please send a request to [office@stmtts.org](mailto:office@stmtts.org).