Church of The Holy Family https://www.holyfamilyparkforest.org/ I-Announcements May 13, 2022

Worship with us in person or on zoom

Mask Optional
Sanitizing Station and Masks available
Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

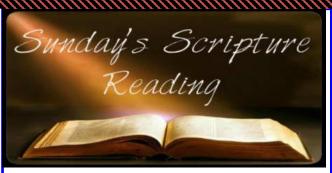
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Meeting ID: 870 1281 0973 Passcode: 989533

Weekday Evening Prayer Monday through Friday at 6:00pm

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Meeting ID: 210 220 8547 Passcode: z8PWS6



Acts 11:1-18 Revelation 21:1-6 John 13:31-35 Psalm 148



Clean and Green Day is Saturday, May 14th from 9am-2pm.

We will plant flowers, trim bushes, and beautify our landscape. Bring your gardening tools. The Lutherans have volunteered to help us. We will welcome donations of flowers, or for the purchase of flowers. Let's make our grounds the prettiest sight you see on Sauk Trail And Orchard Drive.



July 17th @ 10:30

Bishop Chilton Knudsen

will be at Church of The Holy Family



Healing Mark **Special Needs**People of Ukraine
Anne

Departed Jovani Amy **Those Who Mourn**Ebony & Family
Sally & Family

ThanksgivingCox Family

All prayer requests should be submitted to **PrayerRequestsholyfamily@gmail.com** by Tuesday to be included in the I-Announcements.

Any emergency prayer requests that need to be sent out before or after the I Announcements will be emailed to the congregation the day it's received.

Please put "Emergency Prayer Request" as the title and email request to holyfamilypf@gmail.com or leave a voicemail at 708-748-1100.



Anglican Cycle of Prayer

The Scottish Episcopal Church

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Congregations in the Joliet Deanerv:

St. Joseph & St. Aidan in Blue Island; St. John the

Evangelist in Flossmoor; St. Clement in Harvey; St. Edward and Christ in Joliet;

Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:

San Juan Evangelista in Acayucan; St. James in Lathbior

In the Parish Cycle of Prayer

Milton and Brenda Smith, Bread Bakers, La Divina Providencia, Garden of Peace Ministries



Keira Jones Laroux Meredith Georgia Blackstone Melissa Jacobsen Joan Gibson



James & Donna Jones



A multi-church collaboration initiative sponsored by

Calvary United Protestant Church of Park Forest

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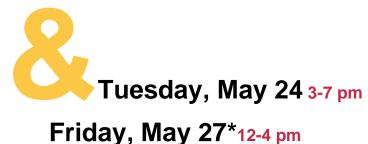
Life Church of Chicago Heights

Living Springs Community Church of Glenwood

St. Paul Lutheran Church of Chicago Heights



Spirit of the Southland (S.O.S.) **Community Blood Drive**



at Living Springs Community Church

19051 S. Halsted, Glenwood (Room 145)

*May 27 donors (only) will receive a \$10 e-gift card to support collections leading into Memorial Day!

To schedule your appointment, call **1-800-7TO-GIVE**, visit versiti.org, or scan below:







MAY 27

Donors may give blood 48 hours after vaccination. Helpful tip: be sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.

Submissions for the Weekly I-Announcements are due by Tuesday of the week to be announced.



Holy Family has an easy amazonsmile fundraising option. If you haven't already done so, sign up for AmazonSmile under Church of

the Holy Family, Park Forest's name.

Then whenever you go to Amazon to make a purchase, it will ask you if you want AmazonSmile. Simple answer yes and a portion of your order goes to Holy Family. It's a small portion, but it is really easy and benefits the church. Once you've used it a time or two, it will go to AmazonSmile first.

Support us every time you shop

https://smile.amazon.com/ch/36-2701340

Holy Family, you now have the ability to contribute your pledge and offering though Zelle®, Simply scan the QR code with your cell phone .

What online payment do you use? CashApp, PayPal,

Venmo?

Let us know and we will check into it!!



Would you like to read a lesson or lead the Prayers of the People at Sunday Service?

We need readers. Even if you attend church via Zoom, you can read a lesson or lead the prayers and all of us will hear now that we have our Meeting Owl.

There are three choices each Sunday – the 1st Reading from the Old Testament, the 2nd Reading from the New Testament, and the Prayers of the People.

Please let Elizabeth Cox or Donna Jones know your dates and preferences and we will add you to the calendar.



EPISCOPAL PUBLIC POLICY NETWORK

Action Alert

Congress will soon consider legislative proposals that could include immigration amendments. We are asking you to raise your voice in support of two key immigration issues this week: the Afghan Adjustment Act and broader immigration reform.

Urge Congress to Support the Afghan Adjustment Act

Since the U.S. withdrawal from Afghanistan, more than 60,000 Afghans have arrived in the United States with many more being processed and screened at U.S. military bases overseas. Episcopal Migration Ministries (EMM) and the other refugee resettlement agencies have taken enormous steps to resettle these arrivals.

We are renewing our call for Congress to introduce and pass the Afghan Adjustment Act to create a specific program that would allow all Afghan arrivals to directly apply for a green card without needing to go through alternate channels such as the asylum system.

President Biden took the important step of <u>including the Act</u> in his congressional request to fund the U.S. response to the war in Ukraine. Given that Congress will be voting on the Ukrainian-focused bill as soon as this week, we believe that Congress should take the President's lead and introduce the Act in this bill and pass it as soon as possible.

TAKE ACTION

<u>orge the Senate to support bipartisan immigration reform</u>

Our immigration system needs reform this year! While the debate over Title 42 continues, we believe this is a moment to push for meaningful immigration reform.

The Episcopal Church has long advocated for fair and humane immigration reforms, including providing undocumented individuals a pathway to citizenship. We must push for meaningful, bipartisan immigration reform at this critical time that upholds our faithful commitment to welcoming new Americans and supporting our neighbors who already contribute to our communities.