



August 8, 2024

***Quick Links of the Week***  
**[Belong, Believe, Become](#)**

For the most up-to-date information and a comprehensive list of upcoming events and activities, [please visit our website](#). Here are just a few of the exciting things on the horizon. Click on the blue hyperlinks for more information.

Join us in the Chapel of Saint Luke the Physician after worship on Sunday for beverages, a bite to eat and some great conversation before you are on your way. Sign up in the chapel to bring a nibble to share.

As part of our efforts to better connect and support our church community, we are requesting contact information from everyone in our database and from those who would like to be included but have not yet signed up. This is to ensure we have your correct information. Please take a moment to [fill out this form](#) and **return by August 14**. If you have any questions, contact [Jill Kyler](#).

Join us on August 10 from 1-4 pm in the Music Room for the Holiday Market Crafting Workshop. We'll be making Christmas-themed gift items to sell at our annual Christmas Market. All supplies provided. No crafting experience necessary—just bring willing hands and hearts. Take-home kits available if supplies allow. RSVP appreciated but drop-ins are welcome. Invite a friend. For RSVP or questions, please contact Diane Maguire at 602.697.9344 or [email](#) her.

There will be a brown-bag lunch for those who would like to meet with Canon Holly to process the death of our long-time friend, Sue McConnell. Meet in the Parish Hall after hospitality on Sunday, August 18 at 10:45 am. All are welcome.

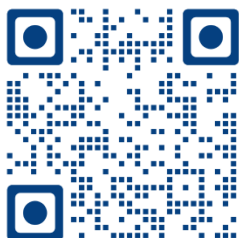
It's time to sign up for our fall session of Dining on the Desert. These groups consist of 6 or so people deciding when, where and how often they will meet to build friendships over a meal. The fall session goes from September 1 – December 31. [Sign up online](#), at the

ministry table after worship or on the bulletin board. For more information, contact Vicki at [jdvhowell@yahoo.com](mailto:jdvhowell@yahoo.com) or 928.358.2666. Sign up by August 18.

On August 25, you have the opportunity of singing in the pickup choir. Whether you've sung before or not and would just like to try it, this is your opportunity. Just show up at 8 am on Sunday morning. Reach out to [Darren](#) for more information.

Saint Anthony on the Desert and The Church of the Epiphany in Tempe are partnering for a pilgrimage to England and Scotland in July of 2025. You need not be participating in either faith community for consideration. Space is limited. Reach out to [Canon Holly](#) for a brochure or stop by the Welcome Center after worship on Sundays.

And lastly, thank you all so much for your incredible generosity during the backpack and school supply drive. We collected more than 110 backpacks and over 1,000 school supplies, far exceeding our expectations. Your support has made a real difference, and these donations are already bringing joy to many children and their families. Thank you so much for your kindness and for making this effort such a success.



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*Faith is a living, daring confidence in God's grace, so sure and certain that a man could stake his life on it a thousand times.*

Martin Luther

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