



Acts 7:55-56

Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, looked up to heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see heaven open & the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God."

St. Stephen

Catholic Church



Iglesia Católica San Esteban

1300 NE J St, Bentonville, AR 72712

June 5, 2022

Pentecost Sunday

Domingo de Pentecostés

Weekday Mass

Misa Entre Semana (Inglés)

Mon–Fri / Lun–Vie 12:00PM

Sunday MASS & Saturday Vigil

Misas de Domingo y Misa de Vigilia

Saturday 5:00PM

Sunday 7:45AM

Sunday 10:00AM

Sunday – *Español* 11:45AM

Sunday 5:00PM

Reconciliation

Reconciliación

Mon – Fri / Lun – Vie 11:30–11:55AM

Sat (Bilingual) / *Sáb (Bilingüe)* 3:00–4:00PM

Adoration Hours

Horario de Adoración

Mon – Thu / Lun – Jue 9:00–11:30AM

..... & 12:45–3:00PM

Fri / Vie 9:00–11:30AM

Blessed Stanley Rother Church in Decatur:

Mass Time (Spanish Only): Sat. 6:00PM



Pastor

Rev. Msgr. Scott L. Marczuk, J.C.L.

Associate Pastor

Pastor Asociado

& Administrator of Blessed Stanley

Rother Church in Decatur

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Office Hours

Horario de Oficina

Mon–Thu / Lun–Jue 9:00AM–3:00PM

Friday / Viernes 9:00AM–12:00PM

Membership: We extend our hands and hearts in Christian Fellowship. Longtime residents or newly arrived, contact the parish office to register.

Membresía: *Extendemos nuestras manos y corazones en Cofradía Cristiana. Los residentes o recién llegados, póngase en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia para registrarse.*

Infant Baptism: Offered once a month in English and Spanish. Baptism preparation required. Parents must be registered members of St. Stephen. No baptisms in December.

Bautismo Infantil: *Se ofrece una vez al mes en inglés y español. Se requiere preparación para Bautismo. Los padres deben ser miembros registrados de San Esteban. No habrá bautismos en diciembre.*

Catholic Marriage: Marriage preparation required. Contact the parish at least 9 months in advance. Two additional months' notice for wedding in another country. If you plan on getting married, always contact the church before booking a reception site or setting a date.

Matrimonio Católico: *Preparación Matrimonial requerido. Comuníquese con la parroquia por lo menos con 9 meses de anticipación. Dos meses de antelación adicionales para la boda en otro país. Si planea casarse, póngase siempre en contacto con la iglesia antes de reservar un lugar de recepción o fijar una fecha.*

RICA: Sessions open to those interested in learning about or renewing their connection to the Catholic Faith.

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Registration for Fall Classes: Classes for Religious Education for kids/youth 4yrs through the 12th grade will start in July for the 2022-23 year. We will be introducing a new online platform so stay tuned for more information. Please also consider volunteering as a co-teacher or small group leader and religious fees will be waived.

Inscripción para clases de Educación Religiosa: Las clases de educación religiosa para niños/jóvenes de 4 años hasta el grado 12 comenzarán en julio para el año 2022-23. Estaremos presentando una nueva plataforma en línea, así que permanezca atento para obtener más información. Considere también ser voluntario como co-maestro o líder de un grupo pequeño y no se aplicarán las tarifas religiosas.

Ministry Schedule: Work will be starting soon on the ministry schedule for the months of July, August and September. Please let us know of any conflicts you might have for the next quarter before Wednesday, June 15th by emailing us at ststephen@ststephenbentonville.com or calling the church office. No response indicates that you do not have any conflicts for your preferred Mass time. A friendly reminder that the parish office does not find subs.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSBC): Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSBC) Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God's love for them. Pantry needs: pancake mix, syrup, canned fruit, toilet paper.

Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl (SSBC): Tu donación en la Caja de Pobres de San

Vicente de Paúl ayudará a los pobres a creer en el misterio del amor de Dios por ellos. Necesidades de la despensa: mezcla para panqueques, jarabe, fruta enlatada, papel higiénico.

Join us for Summer Outdoor Movie Nights: Friday, June 10th: Veggie Tales: The Pirates Who Don't Do Anything. Friday, July 22nd: Narnia: The Lion, Witch and Wardrobe.

Time: At dusk at the main entrance of the church. Bring a blanket or chair to sit on! If it rains, we will move the movie to the Parish Live Center.



Sunday, June 12th after the 10am Mass, join us for a light reception to wish Fr. Bala all the best on his next journey.

Sunday, June 25th after the 10am Mass, join us for a reception celebrating Ken Hunter's Deacon ordination.

Corpus Christi Festival: This year's festival is canceled. Thank you to all our willing volunteers and participants. Stay tuned for next year's plans!



Collection Church in Latin America: Will be June 18-19. The collection for the Church in Latin America promotes solidarity throughout the hemisphere by providing for pastoral projects in Latin America and the Caribbean. The funds are used to make grants and partnerships that support catechetical and lay leadership programs, youth ministry, evangelization programs and formation programs for religious, priests and deacons. This collection allows the Catholic faithful in the western hemisphere to work together and help each other.

Colecta Iglesia en América Latina: Se llevará a cabo el 18-19 de junio. La colecta para la Iglesia en América Latina promueve la solidaridad en todo el hemisferio al brindar proyectos pastorales en América Latina y el Caribe. Los fondos se utilizan para realizar subvenciones y asociaciones que apoyan programas de liderazgo laico y catequético, ministerio juvenil, programas de evangelización y programas de formación para religiosos, sacerdotes y diáconos. Esta colecta permite a los fieles católicos del hemisferio occidental trabajar juntos y ayudarse unos a otros.

Charlee's Angels: Is a brand new miscarriage ministry started by women from St. Stephen's parish to provide grief support to families experiencing pregnancy loss (also known as miscarriage) or stillbirth by connecting you to community resources like local women and families who have also experienced pregnancy loss, and by suggesting educational material related to miscarriage, stillbirth, and grieving. If you would like to connect with us, please Call (479) 397-2111.

Martha's Meal Ministry: Ministry blesses families with meals during major life events such as in celebration of the birth of a child, in support after the death of a family member (including pregnancy loss or still birth), or to help you recover after major surgery. Ministry members will deliver a meal to families at their home. Find us on Flocknote to become one of our volunteers! Please call (479) 397-2111.

Search #150 Retreat: Registrations are now being accepted for Search #150, a retreat to help juniors and seniors in high school get to know themselves better, deepen their friendship with Christ, and find support in living out their faith. The summer Search is open to in-coming juniors, seniors, and recently graduated seniors. Search #150 will be held at St. John Center, Little Rock, over the dates of June 24-26, 2022. The fee is \$135.00. For more information and registration forms visit our website at: <https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/search-150.pdf> If you have questions, you may contact Trish Gentry tgentry@dolr.org at the Diocese of Little Rock Youth Ministry office: 501-664-0340, ext 418.

Prayer for the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit:

Lord Jesus Christ,

Send down your Spirit upon me.

When I am uncertain, grant me **wisdom**.

When I am confused, grant me **understanding**.

When I am ignorant, grant me **knowledge**.

When I am wandering, grant me **counsel**.

When I am afraid, grant me **fortitude**.

When I am separated from you, grant me **piety**.

When I am selfish, grant me the **fear of the Lord**. I ask for an outpouring of your Spirit with all of these gifts in your name.

Amen. www.TheReligionTeacher.com

Pentecost Sunday: Pentecost concludes the Easter Season, which leads into Ordinary Time. It is considered the birthday of the Church, for it was on this day, that the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles and filled them with the gifts they needed to lead the Church. This event took place 10 days after Jesus ascended into heaven and promised the coming of the Advocate. This year, Pentecost Sunday is celebrated June 5th.

"When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim." (Acts 2:1-4)

According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Pentecost instituted the "age of the Church, during which Christ manifests, makes present, and communicates his work of salvation through the liturgy of his Church, 'until he comes.' In this age of the Church, Christ now lives and acts in and with his Church, in a new way appropriate to this new age. He acts through the sacraments in what the common Tradition of the East and the West calls 'the sacramental economy'; this is the communication (or 'dispensation') of the fruits of Christ's paschal mystery in the celebration of the Church's 'sacramental' liturgy." (no. 1076).

And through the sacrament of confirmation, specifically, we receive the

Holy Spirit and are able to experience how Pentecost is not just a feast day we celebrate, but a special and unique relationship that is always present both in the body of the Church and each of its members individually.

"Sometimes we may forget that within the Blessed Trinity, the Holy Spirit is a Divine Person distinct from the Person of God the Father and the Person of God the Son, and that he helps us in specific and unique ways. Specifically he gives us seven gifts: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord. At the sacrament of confirmation we are sealed with the Holy Spirit and receive from him these seven gifts which help us to live out our baptismal promises. These supernatural gifts will increase in strength within us as we deepen our prayer life and grow in virtue." Learn more, including what the saints have said about the Holy Spirit, by reading "After Pentecost: Catechesis on the Holy Spirit from the Saints." - dolr.org

Domingo de Pentecostés: *Pentecostés da conclusión al Tiempo de Pascua, lo cual conduce al Tiempo Ordinario. Es considerado el nacimiento de la Iglesia, porque fue en este día, que el Espíritu Santo descendió sobre los Apóstoles y los llenó con los dones que necesitaban para guiar la Iglesia. Este evento se llevó a cabo 10 días después de que Jesús ascendió al cielo y prometió enviar al Protector. Este año, el Domingo de Pentecostés se celebra el 5 de junio.*

"Cuando llegó el día de Pentecostés, estaban todos reunidos en el mismo lugar. De repente vino del cielo un ruido, como de una violenta ráfaga de viento, que llenó toda la casa donde estaban, y aparecieron unas lenguas como de fuego que se repartieron y fueron posándose sobre cada uno de ellos. Todos quedaron llenos del Espíritu Santo y comenzaron a hablar en otras lenguas, según el Espíritu les concedía que se expresaran." (Hechos 2, 1-4)

De acuerdo al Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, el Pentecostés instituyó el "tiempo de la Iglesia, durante el cual Cristo manifiesta, hace presente y comunica su

obra de salvación mediante la Liturgia de su Iglesia, 'hasta que él venga'. Durante este tiempo de la Iglesia, Cristo vive y actúa en su Iglesia y con ella ya de una manera nueva, la propia de este tiempo nuevo. Actúa por los sacramentos; esto es lo que la Tradición común de Oriente y Occidente llama 'la Economía sacramental'; esta consiste en la comunicación (o 'dispensación') de los frutos del Misterio pascual de Cristo en la celebración de la liturgia 'sacramental' de la Iglesia." (Núm. 1076)

"Algunas veces olvidamos que dentro de la Santísima Trinidad, el Espíritu Santo es una Persona Divina distinta a la Persona de Dios Padre y a la Persona de Dios Hijo, y que él nos ayuda de maneras específicas y únicas. Particularmente él nos concede siete dones: sabiduría, entendimiento, consejo, fortaleza, ciencia, piedad y temor del Señor. En el sacramento de la Confirmación somos sellados con el Espíritu Santo y recibimos de él estos siete dones que nos ayudan a vivir nuestras promesas bautismales. Estos dones supernaturales aumentarán nuestra fortaleza a medida que profundizamos en nuestra oración y crecemos en virtud". Aprenda más, incluyendo lo que tienen que decir los santos sobre el Espíritu Santo, leyendo "Después de Pentecostés: Catequesis sobre el Espíritu Santo de los Santos." (en inglés)



Church Operations for June

Operating ExpensesN/A
 Loan BalanceN/A

At Pentecost, the Lord helps us in our weakness, pouring out upon us the gifts of the Great Holy Spirit, empowering us to do His Holy Will, becoming missionaries of the Good News throughout the world. Though His Body the Church has many parts with various abilities, gifts, talents and resources, may they all be used for the glory of God.

| Revenue | Month-to-Date | Monthly Goal |
|---------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Stewardship & Other | N/A | \$105,000.00 |
| Growth Fund | N/A | \$20,000.00 |

Scripture Readings for 06/12/2022

Prv. 8: 22-31
 Psalm 8: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
 Rom. 5: 1-5
 John 16: 12-15

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Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 4

9:00AM All Souls
 5:00PM William "Bill" Fuchs †

Sunday, June 5

7:45AM Parishioners/Feligreses
 10:00AM Ralph Scholl †
 11:45AM Víctor Perdonés †
 5:00PM Msgr. Scott Marczuk

Monday, June 6

12:00PM No Noon Mass

Tuesday, June 7

12:00PM No Noon Mass

Wednesday, June 8

12:00PM No Noon Mass

Thursday, June 9

12:00PM No Noon Mass

Friday, June 10

12:00PM Chris Teague & Family

Saturday, June 11

5:00PM Ron D. Smith †

Sunday, June 12

7:45AM Madelyn Spiller †
 10:00AM Parishioners/Feligreses
 11:45AM Familias Almaraz-Mejía
 5:00PM Monica Shoemaker & Family

| June 11-12 | Lector | Eucharistic Minister HEM & Vessels | Eucharistic Minister Host | Usher | Lock Up | Sacristan & Vessels |
|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--------------|---------------------|
| Saturday, June 11 5:00 PM | Michael Janick | Mark Jechura | Jill Saulsbery Margie O'Grady | Andy Fosdick Dave Brandenburg Steve Saulsbery NOT FILLED | Mark Jechura | Mark Jechura |
| Sunday, June 12 7:45 AM | Pat Moberley | Chris O'Shaughnessy | Kira O'Shaughnessy Tom Stawicki | Amanda Cantu Geri Oswald Len Oswald Karen Howard | | Amanda Cantu |
| Sunday, June 12 10:00 AM | María Méndez | Joe Hartnett | Gina Koch Theresa Brauburger Ted Brauburger | Tim Koch Paige Koch Charlotte Champagne Steve Harrington Daniel Cruz Ken Butler | | Joe Hartnett |
| Sunday, June 12 11:45 AM | Teresita Pérez | Iván Sanabria | Beatriz Aguirre María Elena Calderón | Bertha Valdez María Dalia López Victor López María Barajas María Salcedo Martha Mendoza | | Iván Sanabria |
| Sunday, June 12 5:00 PM | Chris Davis | Cary Richards | Melissa Godoy Terry Shepard | Rob Brothers NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED | Cary Richard | Cary Richard |