



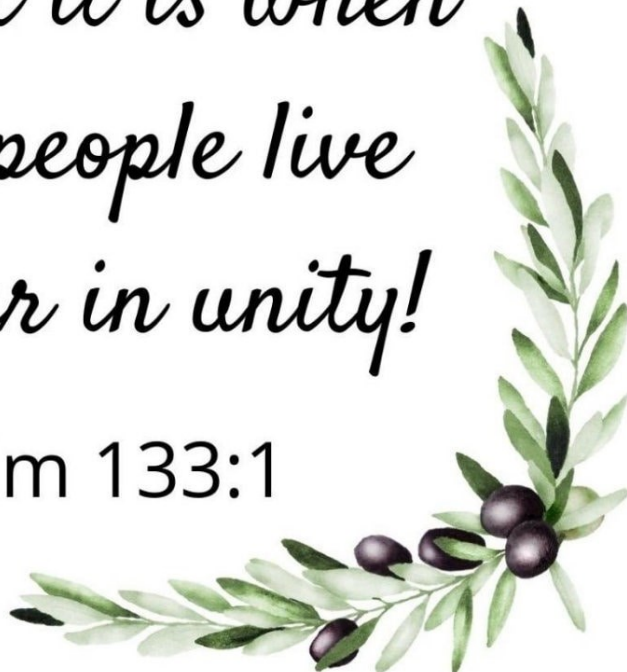
Good Shepherd Episcopal Church
Weekly Highlights
August 14, 2026



Family

*How good and
pleasant it is when
God's people live
together in unity!*

Psalm 133:1



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CLAY COUNTY
COMMUNITY *for* STUDENTS

We are partnering with Clay County Community for Students for their **Stuff-a-Bus school supply drive**. We will do a **final pick-up on August 17**. Copies of the supply list can be found on the credenza & the collection box is located in the Narthex. Please contact Amanda with questions.

School Supplies needed:

Headphones and Earbuds (Not wireless)
Trapper Keeper style Zippered 3 ring binders
Tab dividers for binders
Baby Wipes
Disinfecting Wipes
Tissues
Hand soap
Paper Towels
Hand Sanitizers
Sandwich bags that zip closed (Gallon, Sandwich and quart)

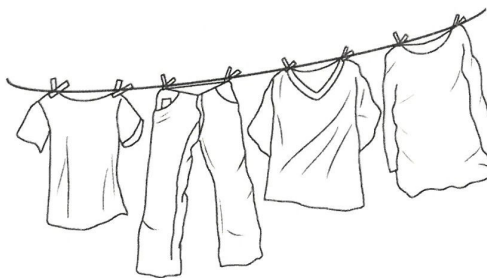


CCCFS Supplies to help with families in need requests

Plastic bags (ingles, walmart, dollar general ect)
Deodorants both male and female
Hair Brushes
Shampoos/Conditions
Towels

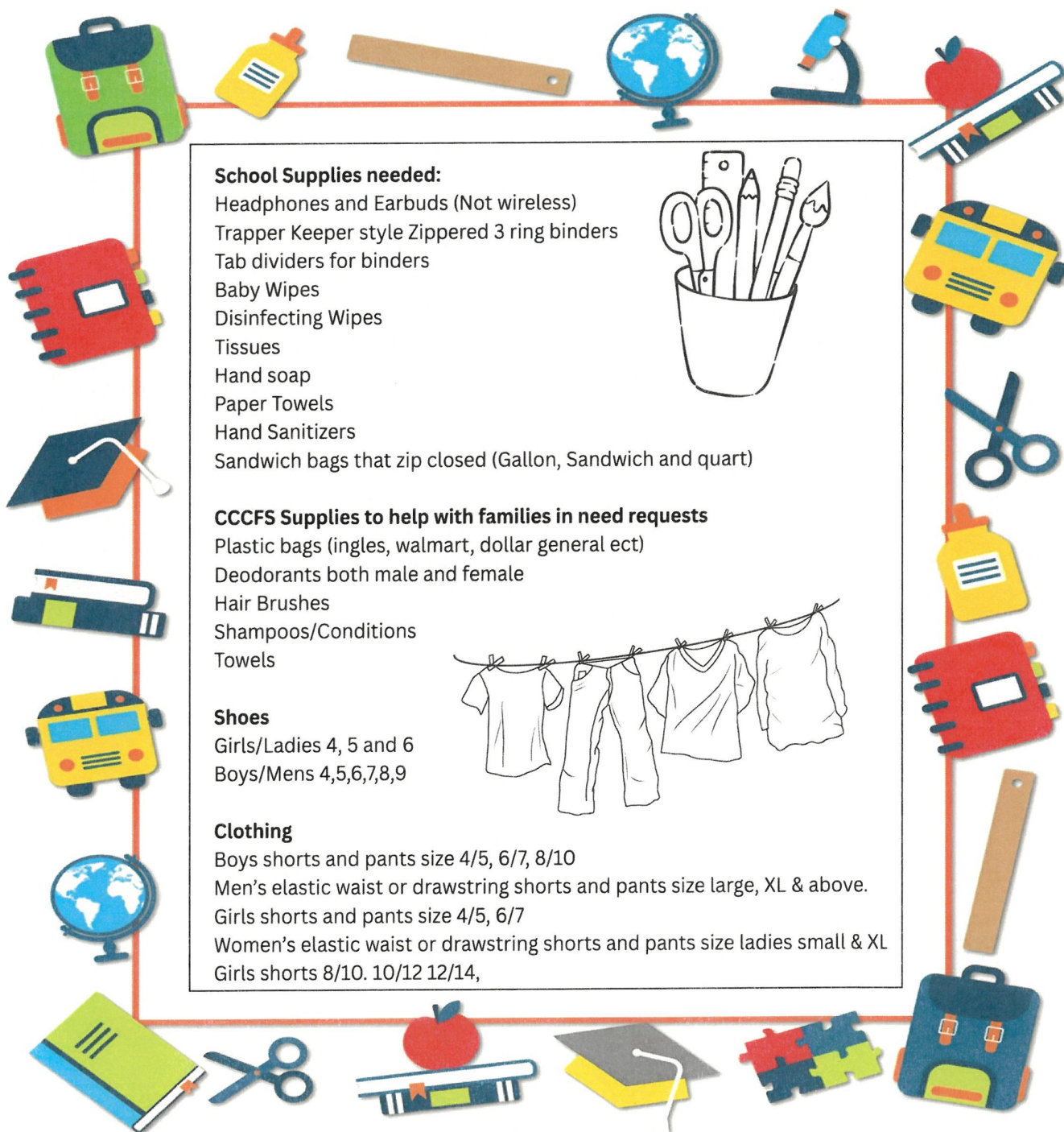
Shoes

Girls/Ladies 4, 5 and 6
Boys/Mens 4,5,6,7,8,9



Clothing

Boys shorts and pants size 4/5, 6/7, 8/10
Men's elastic waist or drawstring shorts and pants size large, XL & above.
Girls shorts and pants size 4/5, 6/7
Women's elastic waist or drawstring shorts and pants size ladies small & XL
Girls shorts 8/10, 10/12, 12/14,



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Christian Education

Lectionary Bible Study – Currently meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm in the Library. This group works through the appointed readings for the following Sunday. Please contact Fr. Bill for more information.

Parish Life and Church Community

Coffee Hour- Please join us after our 9 & 11am services Sunday morning for a time of fellowship!

Please note: Due to a family emergency, **ALL Tai Chi & Moving Meditation classes are TEMPORARILY CANCELLED**. Notice of classes resuming will be posted in future bulletins.

Calling all **Grazers** to the sign-up sheet in the information hallway! It is time to get in on good food, conversation and fellowship for the three months **September, October and November**. Any questions, see Nora Broszeit.

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Mark your calendar for Mater Sunday, August 23rd.

It's time once again to celebrate one of our favorite Southern summer treats...the simple and delicious 'MATER SANDWICH served with homemade mayonnaise, 'tater salad, and 'nana pudding. Kathy Wright will provide this tasty lunch after the late service on **August 23rd**. There will be sandwich fixings, salad, and pudding.

In this stewardship season, you are invited to a conversation on and discernment of the grace given you for the building up of the body of Christ. Apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers are just some of the roles within the church.

For what service has God graced you? Join us for our **Gifts Discernment Workshop** and see! This workshop will be offered **September 6, 2026 @ 12:30pm in the Parish Hall**.

This workshop is led by Fr. Bill+



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Parish Life invites you to join us for **camping and/or just a picnic** (weather permitting), **September 11th at 5:00pm, at Clay County Rec Park and Campground**. We reserved the first shelter (with bathrooms) when you first enter the parking lot and have it all day. Parish life will provide hot dogs, buns, and condiments. Please, bring your favorite campsite dish & your own non-alcoholic beverages. **DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR FAVORITE COMFORTABLE CHAIRS**. If you wish to camp, you will have to make your own individual camping reservations on www.reserve.gov. If you need any help with this, please contact: **Jane Bortiz (941) 914-5233**. You can also reserve at Gibson Cove and walk/drive over to the Picnic Shelter. A sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board. Please indicate whether you will camping and/or picnicking with us. **MORE DETAILS TO COME IN FUTURE BULLETINS!**

The **Bethel Guidry Scholarship** awards 2 scholarships each year to deserving students at the 2 local high schools. Our Annual **Golf Tournament** raises money for these scholarships and will be held this year on **September 26th**. Donations payable to Good Shepherd (memo: Golf Tournament) can be left in the church office, in the offering plate, or with Sanford or Kevin in the parish hall after services. Additionally, volunteers are needed to help serve lunch and run the fund raising games on the 26th. See Kevin Conley, Sanford Freeman or Phil Klenke if you have questions.

Monthly Newsletter – If you have something you'd like published in the monthly newsletter, you must email it to Amanda at gsepiscopal@brmemc.net **no later than the 20th of the month preceding the month you would like the item to appear**. Anything received after the 20th of the month will not be in the newsletter until the following month.

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Service

Matt's Ministry – Contact Joe Rybicki

Meal Ministry – Contact Kathy Wright

Medical Loan Closet – Contact Helga Reaves

The Order of St. George – Contact Turner Guidry at 828-361-0497

Brotherhood of the Fire – Contact Turner Guidry at 828-361-0497

Meals For Friends– Contact Aline Conley at 504-214-1909

Drivers on **August 18, 2026** are:

<u>Town:</u>	Aline Conley
<u>City:</u>	Larry & Brenda Scheneman
<u>Tusquittee:</u>	David & Teresa Gribble



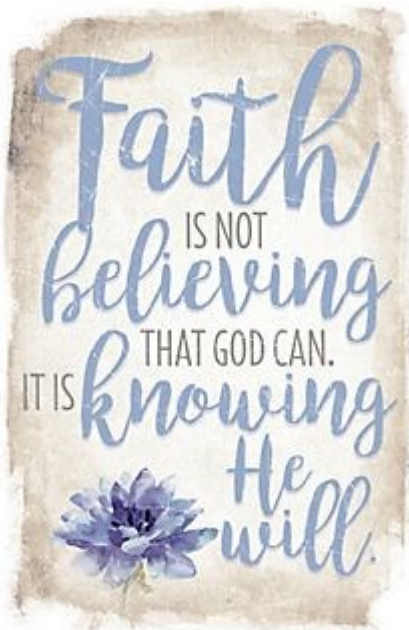
In Our Prayers

Those in Need of Comfort and Healing:

Pat Fox, Denise Fox, Pat Halloran, Chosh Dacey, Helen NaiSmith, Linda Wingo, Pat Hicks, BJ and Bob Schweikert, Bev Larson, Chris Mulholland, Patti Underwood, Ed and Sue Kelley, Jeanne Harper, Nora and Richard Broszeit, Ann Wolf, Philip Bannister, Frank Burdo, Teresa and David Gribble, Cooper Godfrey, Adelaide Fullilove, Anne Hourdequin, Sam Samsil, Lynne Walters, Kenny Waldroup, Alexis Bernal, Jose Arias, Helga Reaves, Bryson Joyce, Janet Beall, Kim Brabon, Jennifer Hiller, Clyde Taylor, Deb Sellers, Gil Nicolson, Hunter Roberts, Kim Whiteheast, Ron Dutton, Ranger Granthum

Good Shepherd Ministries:

This week we pray for *Chancel Choir* at Good Shepherd.



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Those Who Serve



Sunday, August 9, 2026

9:00am

EMs: Randye Williams, Kelly Williams; **Lector:** Sandy Freeman;
Intercessor: Gail Criss; **Usher:** Kathy Wright; **Altar Guild:** Mary Rose Figura;
VPOD: Aline Conley; **Ingles cards:** Joe Rybicki; **Flower Guild:** Kaye TeRonde

11:00 am

EMs: Jim Reynolds, Cindy Nodine; **Lector:** Liz Rybicki; **Usher:** Dave Field;
Altar Guild: Pat Halloran, Beth Hitchcock, Mary Stewart King;
Intercessor: Barb Field; **Altar Linens:** Mary Stewart King;
Nursery: Kathy Marcel, Jean Gora; **VPOD:** Betsi Wilson; **Ingles cards:** Jan Chatterton;
Videographer: Mike Gora; **Flower Guild:** Kaye TeRonde;
Greeter: Judy Bourne

Tuesday, August 18, 2026

Leader: Beth Hitchcock

Prayer Minister: Bill Breedlove

Wednesday, August 19, 2026

Altar Guild: Gail Criss



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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday
August 17

9:00 am	Exercise Class (Parish Hall)
10:00 am	Library Maintenance
11:00 am	Private Group (Undercroft)

Tuesday
August 18

	Meals for Friends
9:00 am	Beginner Yoga Class w/Rita (Parish Hall)
10:00 am	Chair Yoga (Parish Hall)
5:00 pm	Soaking Prayer
5:30 pm	Cancer Support Group
6:00 pm	BOTF

Wednesday
August 19

9:00 am	Exercise (Parish Hall)
11:30 am	Private Group (Undercroft)
12:00 pm	Holy Eucharist
1:00 pm	Lectionary Bible Study (Library)

Thursday
August 20

9:00 am	Beginner Yoga Class w/Rita (Parish Hall)
10:00 am	Community Outreach (Hayesville Square)
10:30 am	A&S Writing Group- "Mining Our Memories"

Friday
August 21

	Church Office Closed
9:00 am	Exercise Class (Parish Hall)

Saturday
August 22

Sunday
August 23

	13 Pentecost – Mater Sunday
9:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite I
11:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:30 pm	Mater Sunday Lunch (Parish Hall)

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