

Announcements – September 18, 2022



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Children's/Alumni Choir for Episcopal School Sunday

Calling all children AND St. David's School alumni of all ages: A multi-generational children's and St. David's School alumni choir will sing for Episcopal School Sunday on September 25th. There will be rehearsal today at 3:00 p.m. Join us! Contact Ben with any questions: benc@saintdavids.net

Faith Formation

Join us for breakfast & adult Bible study each Sunday from 9:15-10:15 a.m. in McAllister Hall! And if you miss a week, just hop back in the following Sunday! *Children's formation meets in the Godly Play room, and nursery care is available.*

Giving Your generosity shapes hearts, lives, and futures within our church community and beyond these walls, and we are grateful for your gifts that support the mission of the church. You can make donations online through Tithely by scanning the QR code here, by placing your gift in the offering plate, or by mailing your check to the church office at 1300 Wiltshire Ave, 78209. Please contact Beth Crowley with any giving questions: bethc@saintdavids.net.



Children's Ministry

Please prayerfully consider taking part in our children's ministry. We encourage you to find a partner and sign up as a team to be in children's chapel (during the 10:30 service) and/or faith formation (9:20-10:15) once a month or as often as you can. Even joining us for children's chapel when Mary Hayden is teaching is hugely helpful if you are not ready to teach on your own yet. Email maryhaydenm@saintdavids.net and she will get you set up in our new scheduling software.

Youth Group Dates for the Fall

St. David's Youth – mark your calendars:

- **Senior High (grades 9-12)** will meet for an optional dinner at 6:15 p.m. followed by youth group in the Youth Loft from 7:30-9:00 p.m. on the following dates: 19, 26; October 3, 17 (SnackPak service night), 24, 31; November 7, 14, 28; December 5, 12.
- **Junior High (grades 6-8)** will meet from 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the Youth Loft on the following dates: September 18; October 2, 16, 30; November 13, 27; December 11.
- **Gap Group (grades 3-5)** will meet from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in the Youth Loft on the following Sundays: October 16, November 6 & December 11.

Young @ Heart - St. David's Seniors: Mark Your Calendar

All seniors, 60 and better, are invited to Young @ Heart luncheons on the first Thursday of each month in McAllister Hall at 11:30 a.m.

- October 6: A celebration of 1950's pop culture with inspirational songs and poems of the era
- November 3: Public librarian, Rhonda Woolhouse, will speak on special library assistance and social activities for seniors
- December 1: Historical writer, Dr. Gil Dominguez, will review his new book on historical buildings of San Antonio

For more information, please contact James Willcox at james.b.willcox@gmail.com or 210-557-9186, or Donald Sebesta at DMSEBESTA@aol.com or 210-826-7614.

UPCOMING DATES AT A GLANCE...

TODAY, September 18

Serve Sunday!
Children's/Alumni Choir, 3:00 p.m.
Jr. High Youth, 4:30 p.m.

Mondays

Sr. High Youth, 7:30 p.m.

September 25

Episcopal School Sunday

October 3

Blessing of the Animals

October 23

70th Anniversary Celebration!

Bishop's Golf Classic: November 4, 2022 - Registration Open!

The 17th Annual Bishop's Golf Classic benefiting diocesan Camps & Conferences programming will take place on Friday, November 4th at Canyon Springs Golf Club in San Antonio, beginning at 10:30 a.m. Your participation in the Bishop's Golf Classic is an affirmation of the camping programs of the Diocese. The sponsorships and generosity of our golfers will equip Camp Capers, Duncan Park, and Mustang Island Conference Center to continue for many years to come, enabling Camps & Conferences to reach beyond our borders and foster transformative experiences of Christ's love in mission, worship, fun, and formation.

For schedule, sponsorships, and online registration, visit dwtx.org/events. Questions regarding sponsorship or player registration may be directed to Leslie Mixson, Development Assistant, at leslie.mixson@dwtx.org.

Men's Bible Study returns this fall!

Save the dates for our Monday evening gatherings at the Bishop Jones Center: October 3 & 10, and November 7 & 14. The Rev. Dr. John Lewis will be discussing Paul's letter in 1st Thessalonians. We gather in the Mission Room at 5:30 for socializing, a catered dinner is provided at 6:00, and the lecture series is from 6:30 to 7:30.

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Little Free Library/Pantry

The Little Free Library on the Crestwood lawn doubles as a Little Free Pantry, and the one in front of Wilshire Elementary School (6523 Cascade Place, 78218) does, too. Help us keep them BOTH stocked with much-needed non-perishable food items. Click the link in your e-news or on the website (under Outreach>Serve San Antonio) to sign up for a week!

Altar Flowers

Altar Flowers are a wonderful way to honor a loved one! Click the link in your e-news or on the Giving page of the website to sign up to sponsor the altar flowers for a Sunday morning in 2022. **Minimum suggested donation** is \$50 (you can certainly give more to be used for your arrangements) and can be paid online through Tithely or with a check mailed to the church office. Please note "Altar Flowers" on the memo line. **If you have trouble with the online sign-up, please email whitneyo@saintdavid.net to be added to the calendar.*

Nursery Care

Infants and children up to 3 years will be cared for during Faith Formation and the 10:30 worship service in Bright Beginnings Room 1 (room across from church office closest to the exterior Canterbury Hill door). Please bring all of your child's necessities.

Social Media

Follow us to see updates and photos of our church and school events!

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stdavidchurchandschool Instagram: [@lifeatstdavid](https://www.instagram.com/lifeatstdavid)

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carrying forward Christ's transformative love through
joyful worship, welcoming fellowship, and dedicated service.***

*Email whitneyo@saintdavid.net to add or update an announcement.
Email bethc@saintdavid.net to update your information, make an addition to the prayer list,
or with any financial/giving/administrative questions.*