



Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd

# Weekly News - June 19, 2022



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## Bagzilla Sunday & Feminine Care Product Drive

Did you know that necessary feminine products are not covered by SNAP or any other welfare program? This month we join Dunedin Care's efforts to collect maxi pads, mini pads, panty liners and tampons through physical donations or through their Amazon wish list.

Of course we are also collecting food and monetary donations this and every 3rd Sunday. You are welcome to bring your donations with you to a Sunday service, or drop them off in designated bins inside Kirk Hall during the week when the campus is open.

[Amazon Wish List](#)

[Food Pantry Wish List](#)

### A Message From Rev. Whitney



Dear Friends,

After two years of Communion with Bread only, this Sunday we will reintroduce the option of wine. COVID is still among us, and as of today, at a High Level in our county, so I encourage everyone to consider your options and make the best decision for you and your family.



We will return to communing at the Altar Rail where you can either kneel or stand. You will have three options:

1. *You can continue to take the wafer and not take the wine.* If this is your choice, please know that Communion in one kind (i.e. bread only) is valid and FULL communion. It always has been in our tradition, and always will be.
2. *You can sip from the chalice.* Studies have shown that sipping from a silver chalice is actually the safest way to engage in the Common Cup because of the properties of silver and the way in which we wipe and turn the chalice between sips.
3. *You may have the Eucharistic Minister Intinct (dip the wafer) for you.* For the time being, there is no option to dip your own wafer, but our Chalice Bearers are ready to do it for you and return the wafer to your hand.

I will give detailed instruction in the service, but I wanted to give everyone some time to prayerfully consider how you feel called to receive Holy Communion in the coming weeks. If you have any Questions, please don't hesitate to call or email me.

Rev. Whitney+

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## **THE WAY OF LOVE** *Practices for Jesus-Centered Life*

**Summer Sermon Series:**  
**The Way of Love**  
**June 19 - July 31**

Shortly after his Election, Presiding Bishop Michael Curry encouraged the Church to engage in The Way of Love, a return to the ancient pathways and Rules of Life that Followers of Jesus have observed for Centuries. In our Summer Sermon Series, we will dive into and recommit ourselves to these Practices to help us live deeper into our faith and show Jesus' message of love to the world.

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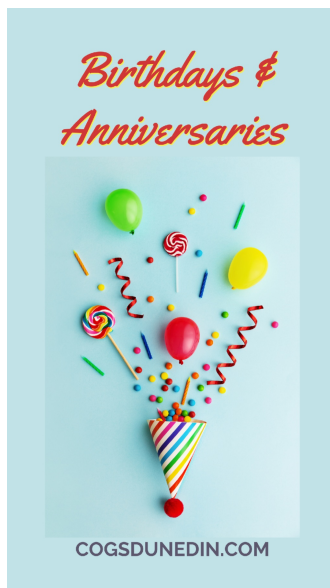
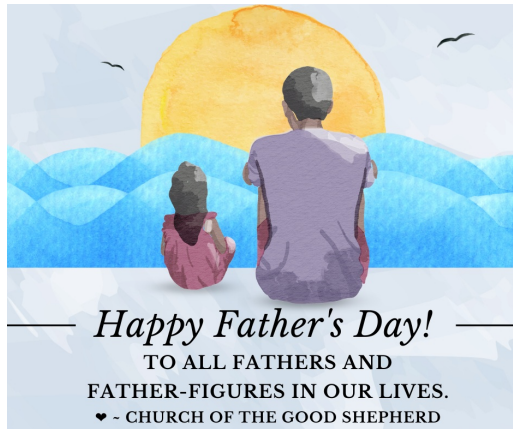
### **New Member/Confirmation Class**

This 4-6 week class beginning in the fall is for anyone, new or otherwise, who would like to learn more about the Episcopal Church, our history, Sacraments, and theology. If you are interested in learning more about Confirmation, Reaffirmation, or Reception into the Episcopal Church in



November, this class is also for you!

If you are interested in attending, please let Rev. Whitney know at [wburton@cogsdunedin.com](mailto:wburton@cogsdunedin.com). Once we know who is interested, we will decide on a day and time.



## Celebrations

Give thanks to those whose lives touch ours!

Let us celebrate with joy and pray for those who have birthdays and anniversaries this week:

### **Birthdays:**

Jun 21 Leslie Kulikauskas  
Jun 22 Margaret Bowman-Pensel  
Jun 22 Robert McClure  
Jun 23 Owen Elder  
Jun 24 Edward Hopwood

### **Anniversaries:**

Jun 20 Jay & Sharon Ozbun  
Jun 20 Edward & Maryalyce Steponaitis

## PRAYER REQUESTS?

We can help with that. Contact the church office online with prayers to be read during the Prayers of the People each Sunday.

[cogsdunedin.com/prayer-requests](http://cogsdunedin.com/prayer-requests)

**Prayer Requests for the Week of June 12**



Bridget, Robin M, Elena G, Darleen & family, Priscilla & Tony, Dimeta & family, Bill GW, Gail-Marie, Joanne Carol, Judy R, Cam B, AJ, Carmella A, Julie L, Teresa K, Anita & Steve M, Marge, Chris & Steve E, Celena G, Jerry, Diane M, Milly & Brian L, People of Ukraine, Kristen G's Mom, Bonnie L, Heather S, Colette S, Paul B, Ally & Ray F, Bob R, Joy & Doug, Debbie & Gres, Greg M, and Wendy.

New requests to be read aloud during Sunday services can now be submitted online. Use the web-form or contact the church office directly.

***Prayers submitted by Thursday at 9:00 a.m. will be included in that Sunday's read list.***

[Prayer Request Form](#)

[Email the Office](#)



## **Opportunities to Worship**

Sunday 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I  
*In-person worship*

Sunday 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II  
*Live stream and in-person worship*

Wednesday Worship at 6 PM  
*In-person worship*

[YouTube Live Stream](#)

[Worship Bulletin for Sunday](#)

[Online Book of Common Prayer](#)

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## Beginner Tai Chi Classes

**Monday June 27<sup>th</sup> 2022 at 6 PM**

**Church of Good Shepherd**

**\$5 donation requested**

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