

## This Week at St. Matthias

### Sunday, June 14

Church Offices Closed

- 9:00 AM Rite II Service with Music & Choir – Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM Boys & Girls Club Check Presentation - Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM Live-Stream Virtual Worship via Facebook
- 10:00 AM Coffee & Conversations – Parish Hall (10am-11am)
- 11:15 AM Rite II Service with Music – Sanctuary

**Nursery Care is Available Every Sunday**

8:45 am to 12:15 pm  
Sunday School Building

### Monday, June 15

*Hope & Hannah Blume on Vacation*

- 9:00 AM Count Team Three – Church Office
- 9:00 AM Tutoring – Sunday School Building (9am-7pm)
- 6:00 PM Claudia's Al-Anon Book Club – Library
- 7:00 PM Al-Anon Meeting – Library

### Tuesday, June 16

*Hope & Hannah Blume on Vacation*

- 9:00 AM Everyone's Counseling Center – Counseling Office
- 4:30 PM Vestry Meeting – Church Office

### Wednesday, June 17

*Hope & Hannah Blume on Vacation*

- 9:00 AM Everyone's Counseling Center – Counseling Office
- 10:30 AM Bible Study with Wanda – Parish Hall
- 12:00 PM Ladies' Luncheon – Salt Shack, Clermont

### Thursday, June 18

*Hope & Hannah Blume on Vacation*

- 10:00 AM Alzheimer's Fundraiser – Parish Hall (10am -4pm)
- 11:30 AM Beth Knight Counseling – Counseling Office
- 4:00 PM Choir Social Time – Music Room
- 4:15 PM Choir Rehearsal – Music Room & Sanctuary
- 7:00 PM Al-Anon Meeting – Library

### Friday, June 19

Juneteenth Freedom Day

Altar Guild Team Three

Church Offices Closed

No Events Scheduled for Today

### Saturday, June 20

Church Offices Closed

No Events Scheduled for Today

### Sunday, June 21

Happy Father's Day!

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- 9:00 AM Rite II Service with Music – Sanctuary
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#### SERVICE ATTENDANCE

DATE	SERVICE	ATTENDANCE
6.7.2026	9:00 AM Service	66
6.7.2026	11:15 AM Service	39
<b>Total In- Person</b>		<b>105</b>

## Those on Our Prayer List

### Immediate & Urgent Prayers

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|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Maria Aureliani   | Linda Denslow  | Diana Mahoney |
| Eric Barefoot     | Morgan DiSilva | Nadia Mashhi  |
| Sandra Bradshaw   | Sharon Hess    | Marcia Smith  |
| Mother Jane Clark | Larry Lock     |               |

### Parish Family Continued Prayers

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|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Doreen Asregadoo  | Jeannine Helm   | Sheila Seale          |
| Renee Babcock     | Linda Hines     | Jim Storr             |
| Tristen Babcock   | Deidre Huffman  | Mary Sturges          |
| Josef Boeni       | Anne Luposello  | Joe Sturges           |
| Esther Catino     | Kathy Mahoney   | Kayla Taylor          |
| Michael Clark     | Imantee Mallay  | Linda Thorp           |
| Hugh Dial         | Stanley Mallay  | Connie Tracey         |
| Gerri Engel       | Lorna Manny     | Liane Trainello       |
| Robert Eyer       | Don Manny       | Sandy Unger           |
| Miranda Foster    | Edna Marcus     | Stuart Wilson         |
| Michael Giallella | Olive McPherson | Vera Wilson           |
| Diane Gustafson   | Tracy Morelli   | Dolores Wilson-Malone |

### Family & Friends Continued Prayers

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|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Nathan Allabaugh | John Floyd         | Autumn Rose           |
| Anakin Boeni     | Bob Gourley        | Gene Ruryk            |
| Isabel Boeni     | Frances LaCroix    | Suzanne Ruryk         |
| Cooper Coole     | Jennifer Lacroix   | Denise Thibault Vespa |
| Mary Dorn        | Danny Nemeth       |                       |
| Cheryl Ferrell   | Felicidad Robinson |                       |

### Military & First Responders

- Jeff Blumenauer, U.S. Army Reserve
- Nicole Blumenauer, U.S. Army Reserve
- Vick Boothe, U.S. Army, Undisclosed Location
- Delani Carter, U.S. Military Academy at West Point
- Spencer Coole, U.S. Air Force, Charleston Air Force Base, SC
- Greta Gaasch, U.S. Army Reserve
- Lucas Freiberg, Federal Corrections Officer, Coleman Federal Prison
- Jeremy Linney, U.S. Army, SOCOM, MacDill Air Force Base, FL
- Tyler Mathews, U.S. Army, Iraq
- Ryan Moore, Clermont Fire Department Station #3
- Stephen Nettles, U.S. Navy, NAS Pensacola, Flight School
- Luca Newby, U.S. Marine Reserves
- Tyler Reece, U.S. Army, Afghanistan
- Logan T. Wells, U.S. Marine Reserves

### Those Celebrating Birthdays

- 6.17** Nadia Mahshi
- 6.19** Tristen Babcock

### Those Celebrating Anniversaries

- 6.17** Tom & Denise Montgomery
- 6.18** Fred & Fanya Jones
- 6.20** Mike & Jane Boyack

### The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God & St. Matthias Church

and in Loving Memory of Russ Hope  
and in Celebration of a Life Well Lived  
Given with Love by Peggy Hope & Family

and in Loving Memory of Noel Kirton  
Given with Love by Arlene Kirton

### The Sanctuary Candle is given to the Glory of God & St. Matthias Church

and in Loving Memory of Noel Kirton  
Given with Love by Arlene Kirton

**HOPE BLUME & HANNAH BLUME ON VACATION:** Hope and Hannah Blume will be on vacation the week of Monday, June 15, 2026. All emails and voicemail messages will be answered when they return to the office on Monday, June 22, 2026. If you need immediate assistance, you can contact Michael Giallella (352.394.3855 or michaelgiallella@stmatthiasfl1.com).

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Sunday School will resume on Sunday, September 13, 2026, at 10:30 am. Registration for Sunday School and Nursery is required at the beginning of each school year for each child. Online fillable forms are available at the following link: [sunday-school-registration-form 8.25.24.pdf](#). Call if you have any questions or concerns. Hugs and Blessings, Karen (703.862.2894 or freibergs4@aol.com)

**NURSERY CARE:** Nursery Care is available in the Sunday School Building from 8:45 am to 12:15 pm for all infants and children aged three months to three years old. Abby Giallella, Nicholas Crumbo, and Elijah Mathews are our amazing caregivers who create a fun, safe, and loving environment for our youngest church family members and visitors. We would love to have all the littles that have and those turning one year of age join us. We have a swing, walker, bed, and LOTS of new toys to play with. You can even stay for a bit to make sure all is well, if you want to. Please contact Karen Freiberg (703.862.2894 or freibergs4@aol.com) if you have any questions.

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Adult Sunday school will be taking a break during the summer months of June & July, resuming in August. Please contact Matt Mobley (407.267.2312) if you have any questions.

**VESTRY MEETING:** Vestry will meet this **Tuesday, June 16, 2026, at 4:30 pm** in the Office. Please contact Coleen Cox (718.757.4388) or Glen Martin (352.391.0430) if you have any questions.

**LADIES' LUNCHEON:** All women of the parish and their friends are welcome to join Norma Sweeney for a Dutch-Treat ladies' luncheon on **Wednesday, June 17, 2026, at 12:00 noon**, at the Salt Shack (846 W Osceola St., Clermont, FL 34711). Please RSVP to Norma Sweeney (516.906.3646 or nsween820@gmail.com) to reserve a seat at the table. We look forward to seeing you there!

**CHOIR REHEARSAL:** Choir practice meets this **Thursday, June 18, 2026, at 4:15 pm** in the Music Room. If you would like to have social time prior to the start of practice, please join us at 4:00 pm in the Music Room, with practice following promptly at 4:15 pm. See what it is like, meet new friends, and lift your voice with us. If you are interested or have questions, feel free to contact Gina Mobley (407.782.3065) or simply show up. We would love to have you!

**HOPE & HANNAH HELP DESK:** The Hope and Hannah Help Desk is available one Sunday each month during fellowship time. This is a great opportunity to receive assistance with Realm Giving, the Realm Directory, completing membership paperwork, background checks, volunteer paperwork, ministry information, directory pictures, and any additional questions you may have. Whether you are new to the church, updating your information, interested in volunteering, or simply need help navigating Realm, Hope and Hannah are happy to assist you. Stop by the help desk during fellowship time for friendly support and helpful resources. **Scheduled dates as of today are June 28, July 26, and August 30 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am** in the library.

**HIGHSCHOOL FIT PROGRAM NEEDS (FAMILIES IN TRANSITION):** During the Summer visits to check in on Families in Transition, the counselors focus on non-perishable food items, and they always appreciate hotel-sized items. The Families in Transition (FIT) program are in need of the items listed below. If you can help with any of the items, please place them in the red rolling bin in the Parish Hall. Thank you very much for your continued support!

breakfast bars • canned meats • canned chef boy r dee • ramen noodles • individually wrapped items  
shelf stable milk and food • Deodorant • feminine products • Soap • toothpaste • wet wipes

**SOCK MINISTRY NEEDS:** We need men's socks (new or like-new) and protein bars (any type that are individually wrapped) for the Sock Ministry. Socks are the number one clothing need of those experiencing homelessness. The *Sock It To 'Em* Campaign aims to put new socks on the feet of men, women, and children experiencing homelessness and/or are in need. At St. Matthias, our goal is to distribute sock packs to those we see in our everyday lives who appear to need warm, dry socks and a little kindness. All donated items can be placed in the bin labeled "Sock Ministry" located in the Parish Hall. Please contact Kathy Mahoney (321.200.7032 or kathleen7219@outlook.com) if you have any questions.

**REALM DIRECTORY TRAINING:** Hannah Blume will be holding instructional classes on Wednesdays in July on how to download and navigate the online directory and online giving. **Please add your name to one of the dates and times listed on the sign-up sheets in the Parish Hall** and/or contact Hannah Blume if you have any questions (352.394.3855 or hannahblume@stmatthiasfl1.com). **Classes will be limited to 6 participants per time slot** to ensure Hannah has the time to answer everyone's questions and provide individual assistance if needed. Please be sure to bring all the devices you want to be able to access the directory on (laptop, mobile phone, iPad, tablet). The dates and times are as follows:

DAY	DATE	PLACE	TIMES
Wednesday	July 1, 2026	Church Office	10:00 am 2:00 pm
Wednesday	July 8, 2026	Church Office	10:00 am 2:00 pm 6:00 pm
Wednesday	July 15, 2026	Church Office	10:00 am 2:00 pm
Wednesday	July 22, 2026	Church Office	10:00 am 2:00 pm 6:00 pm

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE NEEDED FOR BUILDING & GROUNDS PROJECTS:** We are reaching out to ask for your prayers, support, and assistance with several important building and grounds projects around the church campus. Finances are currently tight, and as we head into the summer months — which historically tend to be lower-giving periods — we are asking for additional financial assistance and trusting the Lord to provide through the generosity of our church family. There are several projects and repairs that currently need to be completed, including:

- \$800.00 Removal of Four Trees at 543 W. Minneola Ave. (Rental House) (scheduled for July 8, 26)
- TBD New Window AC Unit for 539 W. Minneola Ave. (Rental Apartment)
- \$350.00 Roof Support Post Replacement at Church Office
- \$325.00 Ceiling Texture Repair (Five areas to be repaired, scraped, retextured, and painted)
- ✓ ~~\$308.17~~ Replace Four Light Fixtures in Parish Hall (scheduled for June 6, 26)
- \$175.00 Brick Column Repair at Church Office
- \$150.00 AC Installation at 539 W. Minneola Ave. (Rental Apartment)
- ✓ ~~\$140.00~~ Cleaning of Rain Diverters and Gutters (scheduled for June 3, 26)
- ✓ ~~\$100.00~~ Power Wash Walkway at 543 W. Minneola Ave. (Rental House) (Scheduled for June 3, 26)
- \$150.00 Replace Three Outside Lights at Church Office
- ✓ ~~\$69.98~~ Large Woven Gray Hose
- ✓ ~~\$62.88~~ All Purpose Flower and Vegetable Plant Food
- ✓ ~~\$0.00~~ Toilet Paper Roller Repair in Choir Room Bathroom (standing holder donated — no cost)
- ✓ ~~\$32.98~~ Aluminum 100 ft Wall Mount Hose Reel
- ✓ ~~\$32.00~~ 4 Bags of Container Plant Soil
- ✓ ~~\$31.92~~ 4 Bags of Potting Mix Soil
- ✓ ~~\$29.88~~ 6 Bags of Brown Blend Mulch
- ✓ ~~\$14.88~~ 30 Gallon Paper Lawn & Leaf Bags

Any assistance toward these needs would be greatly appreciated. No gift is too small, and every contribution helps us continue maintaining and caring for the facilities God has blessed us with. If you are willing to assist financially, please contact our Junior Warden, Glen Martin (352.391.0430), or our Treasurer, Michael Giallella (352.394.3855). Thank you for your faithful support, generosity, and love for our church family and building and grounds ministry.

***A huge thank you to everyone who has already donated towards our building and grounds projects! Your generous donations have already allowed us to complete many of the projects and we are extremely grateful for your support and generosity!***

**FRIENDS OF THE MINNEOLA LIBRARY FUNDRAISER:** Are you a creator of handmade items and would like to sell them at an organized event? The FOL Minneola Book, Bake, and Craft Sale scheduled for **Saturday, October 3, 2026**, has tables available. I can get you an application, if you're interested. Let me know at freibergs4@aol.com. Hugs and blessings, Karen



Florida has the second highest number of seniors living with Alzheimer's in the nation.

In honor of those who have Alzheimer's, their families & their caregivers, come out to St Matthias Episcopal Church and join us for card making, companionship, and raising funds and awareness for the cause.

*Thursday June 18th*

10 to 4PM



This is a drop-in event, and each participant is asked to make a donation of \$10 or more. All money from this event will be donated to the Alzheimer's Association. Participants will be able to make and keep 3 greeting cards, and all supplies will be provided. Each participant may also stay after they complete their three cards to make additional cards for the church.

**For more information,**

please contact

**Stacy Huntzinger**

**stacyzinger@yahoo.com**

**407-810-8971**

*Can't attend but would like to donate? Scan the QR code to donate now.*



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