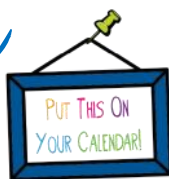


# St. Bart's Parish News & Events

**2025**  
**SEPT 14**



The Season of Creation is a time to renew our relationship with our Creator and all creation through celebration, conversion, and commitment together.

We humans have not always answered God's call willingly. Often, we have chosen violence over peace. Nevertheless, God continues to call, inviting us into right relationships with one another, with creation, and with God's own self. Now it is up to us to respond, "Here we are!" in return.

The Season of Creation celebration guide points out that "God's peace emerges when we work for justice, solidarity, reconciliation, and harmony with Creation." Our acts of advocacy, restoration, and care for creation are ways of answering God's call, and bringing about peace with all creation. This season may we join the stars, and all creation in joyfully saying, "Here we are!" as we pray, worship our Creator, and take hopeful action to protect the gift of God's creation.

## Week At-a-Glance at St. Bart's

<b>SUN</b>	<b>14</b>	9:30 am 10:30 am 11:45 am	Delving into the Readings Holy Communion Coffee Time	Parish Hall Sanctuary Parish Hall
<b>TUES</b>	<b>16</b>	10:30 am	QiGong	Sanctuary
<b>WED</b>	<b>17</b>	9:30 am	Food Bank	Parish Hall
<b>FRI</b>	<b>19</b>	10:00 am	Women's Prayer Group	Priest's Office
<b>SUN</b>	<b>21</b>	9:30 am 10:30 am 11:45 am	Delving into the Readings Holy Communion Coffee Time	Parish Hall Sanctuary Parish Hall



**St. Bart's**  
**FOOD**  
**BANK**  
Connecting with Our Community

*All are Welcome!*  
**Community Hot Lunch**  
Wednesday Oct 8, 11 am to 1 pm

## Food Bank

Wednesday Sept 17, 9:30 am to 3 pm

## Seniors Free Lunch

Wednesday Sept 24, 11 am to 1 pm

## On a Positive Note

There are special hand-made cards on the Garden Group's table in the narthex. Why "special"? - you can plant them! Seeds have been embedded in the paper (basil or dill) and you can place the card flat in the ground with 1/2" cover of dirt. Water and wait for seeds to sprout and grow! Please consider a donation to St Bart's Gardens in exchange for a card or two. A suggested minimum donation is \$7.00—but any amount that suits you—less or more—is appreciated. If the cards go, there will be Christmas cards forthcoming in the next few months. We are trying the cards out until the end of October to see if they're popular.



## Next Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday September 23 at 1:00 pm in Parish Hall

## Centering Prayer

## Wednesday Sept 24

## 12 noon in Bethlehem Chapel



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