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■ WELCOME TO HOLY SPIRIT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Our Parish Life

Throughout the summer please join us for a simplified **SUMMER COFFEE HOUR** following the 10:15 a.m. service. The Vestry will provide the beverages and treats and invites you to join in this time of hospitality. Our thanks to Lori Cordis, our Sexton, who oversees the logistics for the Summer Coffee Hours.

WE WELCOME THE SUMMER CHOIR THIS MORNING. If you would like to participate, please come to church at 9:30 a.m. next Sunday and meet in the choir stalls to sing a hymn together that will be sung at the offertory. No vesting, no processing - just coming up at the peace, singing together, and then returning to the pews. Anyone from rising second graders to retirees is welcome to join us; all that's needed is a love of singing! We'll sing only that Sunday's music so there's no need to worry about missing a rehearsal for a future song; we'll be singing week-to-week only. This will continue through June, and then we'll consider continuing throughout the summer.

Could you brighten a child's life and give him or her a stronger start to the new school year by **DONATING A NEW OR GENTLY USED BOOK?** Holy Spirit Parish will once again be coordinating the book drive portion of the annual Back-to-School BASH which is held in August. We are collecting new and gently used books for children and young adults up to age 18 today. Please look for a plastic bin in the entryway ready to collect your donations. Thank you! We will be collecting books throughout the summer.

From May 26 through September 1, the **CHURCH OFFICE** will be closed on Friday afternoons, starting at 12 noon.

Register now for any of the **CAMP MARSHALL CAMPING SESSIONS.** Limited space remains for Junior Middler 1 (June 25-30), Junior Adventure Week (July 5-8), and Adventure Week (July 23-28). Register online at <https://www.campmarshallmontana.org/camp-programs>.

Church School

CHURCH SCHOOL COLLECTING PLASTIC BOTTLE CAPS—Don't throw away your plastic caps! Often the caps or lids to our plastic bottles are not recyclable and so we end up throwing them out. In an effort to **CLEAN UP THE EARTH** our CUTE Kids program is focused on collecting those lids. The children intend to use the lids for an art project. Please collect your lids and drop them by either the church office or the parish hall. Thanks so much.

Explorations

The following Christian formation classes and programs offer a wide variety of educational opportunities aimed at helping us Cultivate, Challenge and Live our Faith.

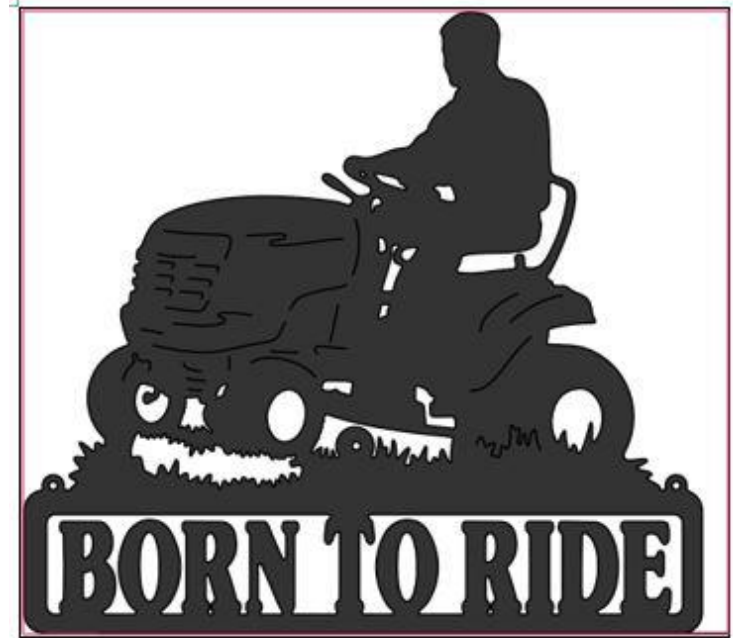
Have you considered **EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY (EfM)**? A new group is forming this fall, and it is a wonderful opportunity to make your faith come alive! Through study, prayer and reflection, EfM groups move toward a new understanding of the fullness of God's kingdom. Registration is now taking place! Please contact Julie Benson to register or with any questions at teambenson@yahoo.com or 406-241-8365.

THE CENTERING PRAYER GROUP, led by Willie Hoffer, meets on the third Tuesday of each month, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the Guild Room. **That will be Tuesday, June 20 this month.** Centering Prayer is a meditation process that invites us to enter an inner sacred space to quiet our minds, open our hearts and take rest in the Love of God. You will be gently led into the silence. No experience needed! If you have questions, please call Willie Hoffer at 541-815-9609.

Meaningful Movies

The Social Concerns Committee is planning a **"MEANINGFUL MOVIES" SERIES OF DOCUMENTARIES** over the summer, so we can sit back, eat popcorn, socialize with our church family, and find out about various social justice issues across our nation and the world. Many of them will concern HSP's chosen focus of at-risk families and youth. Each documentary will be followed by a discussion led by one of the SCC members. So mark these Wednesday evenings on your calendar: June 21, July 12, August 9, and August 23, and plan to join us in the Parish Hall on those evenings!

THE NEXT IN OUR SERIES OF "MEANINGFUL MOVIES" is "Paper Tigers" which tells the inspiring true story of the rescue of three troubled students over a year at an alternative high school in Walla Walla, Washington, where the staff has adopted a new approach to disciplining students, many of whom come from disadvantaged backgrounds. With this new method, in which teachers suspend judgment and punishment in favor of understanding and unconditional love and support, these three featured students' lives are turned around. **"Paper Tigers" will be shown in the Parish Hall on June 21st at 6:30 p.m. Please note the change in start time for the film;** it is a little longer than our usual film. The post-film discussion will be led by Dorcie Dvarishkis and Teresa Nygaard of The Parenting Place.



Support our Crew!

Help us get this business get off the ground! We have already employed 15 people!

What It Is:

Missoula Works is an organization started by the non-profit Missoula Interfaith Collaborative (MIC) with a mission to employ anyone committed to work. To do this, Missoula Works runs a staffing agency and the newest edition is the "GET IT DONE" Crew. This crew does lawn service, building or house maintenance or most anything a person wants off their summer project list. We need support to buy tools, commercial lawnmower, truck and start-up cash. Buy a coupon for yourself, a friend or just donate!

For more information go to:

<https://www.generosity.com/community-fundraising/get-it-done-crew--2> or contact Paige at 406-926-3400.

