

## Church of Saint Matthew – May 24, 2020

### SAINT MATTHEW WELCOMES ALL TO OUR PARISH

New to the area, joining us for the first time or coming home again? Please contact Linda Rivera at [lrivera@st-matts.org](mailto:lrivera@st-matts.org) to register as a member of our parish family, we will be happy to get you signed up or welcome you back.

### THE POWER OF PRAYER



You can request prayers for yourself, family and friends by calling St. Matthew's Prayer Line 651.457.0228. You can request prayers for healing, family unhappiness, help to find a job, addiction to name a few. All requests are confidential.

### PROGRESS DOWNSTAIRS

The new dividers for the bathrooms in the social hall have been ordered (hunter green for the men's; mocha for the women's). They should arrive in the next few days.

The walls in the hallway have been scrubbed by **Reyes and Scott**; they have been painted through the skills and courtesy of **Scott and Maribel**. It is the same color but it looks so fresh!! Next comes the social hall.

### A FRIENDLY REMINDER FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

If you receive quarterly stewardship envelopes, you are encouraged to please use them. By doing so you will be given a tax receipt at the beginning of each new year.

Also, if you typically give a cash donation, without an envelope the office has no way of knowing who cash comes from.

If you do not receive envelopes and would like to, please contact Linda Rivera at the [lrivera@st-matts.org](mailto:lrivera@st-matts.org) or leave a message on the parish voicemail 651.224.9793.

### SHOPPING AND MAKING MONEY FOR ST. MATT'S

Are you finding yourself like so many others, doing more online shopping? You can purchase just about anything you want or need online. And who has more online than Amazon? Before you make your next online purchase, please consider using the app below and support St. Matts at no extra cost when you shop at [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com). Thank you!!

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### COMMUNITY OF SAINTS NEWS



Community of Saints would like to congratulate our 8th grade graduating class of 2020! This year's student school leaders have experienced something like no other class has ever experienced before. We feel confident that this situation will only make our students stronger and more resilient individuals; this experience has pushed them to become even more independent and self-disciplined learners. We know our 8th graders are well prepared for high school, and we cannot wait to follow their achievements and successes over the next several years! We will miss this amazing group of individuals. Congratulations, Class of 2020!

We are still accepting new families for next school year. Know a family searching for a high quality Prek-8 education with a whole child emphasis? Please send them our way: [dliester@communityofsaints.org](mailto:dliester@communityofsaints.org); 651-457-2510.