

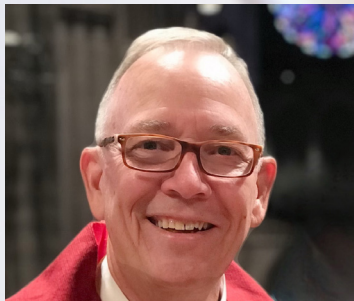
# Happening Soon!

► **CENTERING PRAYER** | Monday, April 15, 2pm – 3:30pm | Meets in the Jim Clark Contemplative Chapel

We intend to open ourselves to the Holy Spirit's transformative action in our minds and hearts. The practice of centering prayer is at the heart of all of our contemplative life ministries at Saint Barnabas. More at: [saintbarnabas.org/cp-apr-15](http://saintbarnabas.org/cp-apr-15)

► **BOOK CLUB** | Thursday April 18, 9am – 11:30am | Meets in the Learning Center

Love to Read? Even if you haven't read the book we're discussing, you may still enjoy the conversation. We will discuss the book *Mary Jane Safford, MD: Indomitable Mite* by Elizabeth Coachman. For more information, please visit: [saintbarnabas.org/bc-april](http://saintbarnabas.org/bc-april)



► **LUNCH AND SPEAKER SERIES** | Thursday April 18, 11:30am | Hutton Hall

Our monthly luncheon for adults features a speaker from the community. Join us at 11:30 am – Lunch is served at 12 pm (\$10 suggested donation), followed by a talk. Invite your friends! Join us this month for an engaging session featuring our interim Rector, **The Rev. Dan Burner!** Did you know that Rev. Dan is a knowledgeable expert on Titanic history? Enjoy a delicious taco bar with all the fixings as Rev. Dan takes the podium to share fascinating facts about the Titanic. You might even catch some intriguing theologian analogies woven into his talk! More at: [saintbarnabas.org/speaker-series](http://saintbarnabas.org/speaker-series)

► **FAMILY PROMISE** | Volunteers needed!

Join us in supporting families transitioning out of homelessness. Partnering with Family Promise, we host families for a week at Saint Barnabas, April 28 – May 5. Contact Deacon **Susie Parker** at [susie@saintbarnabas.org](mailto:susie@saintbarnabas.org) for inquiries.

► **FOOD DRIVE** | Saturday, April 20, 8am–10am | Parking Lot

Every third Saturday of the month, we coordinate a monthly food drive and YOU can help! This is a drive through our parking lot. To volunteer and to read more visit: [saintbarnabas.org/fd-april](http://saintbarnabas.org/fd-april)



► **INTRODUCTION TO CENTERING PRAYER**

Saturday, April 27, 9:30am–1pm

This ecumenical program is open to anyone who is interested in learning more about the practice of centering prayer. The program includes an invitation to participate in one of our weekly Centering Prayer groups. To register or for more information, contact **Debbie Moore** at: [deb.j.moore@gmail.com](mailto:deb.j.moore@gmail.com)

► **A MESSAGE FROM OUR MISSION PARTNER BRIDGING ARIZONA : SPRING CLEANING??**

Consider donating your excess furnishings to Bridging AZ Furniture Bank, our mission partner for 20 years. They urgently require items to furnish 10 additional apartments for Veterans. They need 10 nightstands, 10 chest of drawers, 10 loveseats, 10 sofas, 10 recliners, and 10 coffee tables. Please contact Donna Piscopo at 480-334-8064 if you can assist. Also, remember to contribute your AZ state tax credit to Bridging AZ.



► **WALK AS ONE FOR PEACE ON MAY 4** | Join us on Saturday, May 4 as Saint Barnabas joins thousands of people around the planet for the **16th Annual World Labyrinth Day Walk For Peace**. We'll gather in Hutton Hall at 9:30am for remarks and refreshments, then make our way to the labyrinth to walk the path in prayer and reflection. Walking the labyrinth at a meditative pace takes about 15 minutes. Depending on how many participate, it may take a little longer. Live Native American flute music is planned. Not a walker? Finger labyrinths, tables and chairs will be available nearby. Bring a friend! This event is planned by the Saint Barnabas Contemplative Life Ministries Team. For more information, contact **Chuck and Diane Neal** at [cdnealjr51@gmail.com](mailto:cdnealjr51@gmail.com).

► **THE 2024 SAINT BARNABAS MEXICO MEDICAL MISSION**

Heading to Ensenada, Mexico on **July 14 and returning July 19**, our 27-year-old mission brings vital medical and dental care to four underserved communities. Volunteers are crucial, serving in medical roles, translating, and assisting with setup and patient flow. Fluency in Spanish is a plus! Contact **Mary Beth Volberding** at [mvolberding@live.com](mailto:mvolberding@live.com) or 321-223-7566. Even if you can't travel, your support matters. Please pray for our patients and team. Donations of toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, eyeglasses, and caps are appreciated; drop off at the church by June 2. Gracias!