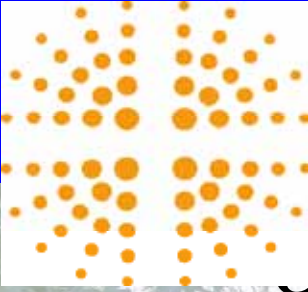


AUGUST 15, 2010



*St. Timothy's*



*Welcome!*

### *For Our Guests Today*

Welcome to St. Timothy's. We are glad that you are here. You are welcome to use the "connection card" at the end of this bulletin to learn more about our community, ask questions, or make comments. Please place the card in the offering plate, or hand it to one of the clergy at the door as you leave today.

# *New Senior Warden*

After a distinguished run as Senior Warden, Michael Diamond has decided to pass the baton and serve as a regular vestry member. Along with leading the vestry through the departure of Nathan as well as ushering in our new interim Janet, Michael has shown exceptional leadership and grace in serving as Senior Warden.

At Tuesday's vestry meeting, the vestry nominated and elected Christine Foster as our new Senior Warden. We are very excited for Christine and this next chapter in the life of St. Tim's.

# Ways to Get Connected

## Adults

**Ministry Teams** are how we care for others and one another while growing in faith. Find a team where you can make a difference in our community! Email [equip@sttims.org](mailto:equip@sttims.org).

**Covenant Groups** are small groups meeting in parishioners' homes, helping us know the presence of Christ in one another. To find the covenant group right for you, contact Anne Wilde at [AnneAerobic@aol.com](mailto:AnneAerobic@aol.com) or at (408) 379-2235.

**Wednesday Night Dinner** is a great way to meet people over a nice meal. Dinners begin every Wednesday evening (except during the Christmas season) at 6:00 p.m in the parish hall. "Kid Food" and a vegetarian option are always available. The cost is \$8.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children, and a \$30.00 maximum per family (including parents and children under 18).

## Children

**Godly Play** nurtures children's relationship with God in Christ through experiencing the stories of Scripture. Classes are provided for children 3 years and above and begin immediately following the 9:00 a.m. service. Everything that happens in a *Godly Play* classroom – the classroom set-up, the carefully chosen and placed materials and the management of the community of children – serves the child's relationship with God. Wyn Schuh (at [wynsttims@boardsailor.com](mailto:wynsttims@boardsailor.com)) is the coach of the Godly Play ministry team, and would love to help you learn more about how we can help with your child's faith and religious education.

**Kids Music and Movement** is a joyful half-hour of music and rhythm play on Wednesday evenings at 5:15 in the church building. Children of all ages sing simple (and sometimes silly) songs, play drums and other instruments, and move their bodies. "Kid's Music" wraps up just in time for Wednesday night dinner. The class is free and registration is not necessary. Our Music Director, Peter Sammel, (at [peter@sttims.org](mailto:peter@sttims.org)) can provide you with more details.

**St. Timothy's Preschool** has been serving children and families in the Mountain View, Los Altos and Sunnyvale communities since 1961. Our school offers a play-based program that includes academic and social readiness in preparation for kindergarten. Within a peaceful, nurturing, co-operative environment, children experience art, literature, music, math and reading readiness, cooking, science and creative drama. For more information, contact Helen Wooldridge, Preschool Director at (650) 967-4724.

## Youth

**Youth Group** is for youth in 6th-12th grade. During the summer Youth continue to gather and share a table at the Wednesday night Parish Dinners. Most Wednesdays we hangout after dinner playing games and building fellowship. For more information contact Youth Director, Nancy Livak, at [nancy@sttims.org](mailto:nancy@sttims.org).

**Breakfast Club** happens every Sunday from 9:45 to 10:25 a.m., after the 9:00 a.m. service and before the 10:30 a.m. service. Youth, grades 6-12, meet to explore the meaning of the gospel together. For more information contact the coach of the Breakfast Club Ministry Team, John Heltzel (at [jheltzel@gmail.com](mailto:jheltzel@gmail.com)).

# Serving Today

Jill Stolarik

Tellers

John Ezell

Nyna Dolby

Floral Designer

## 7:45 a.m.

Susan Wachsman

Altar Guild

Chuck Utley

Newcomer Welcome

Darlene Frick

Greeters/Ushers

Nelson Frick

Bill Shreve

Lector

Joanna Shreve

Eucharistic Minister

Gwen Bindon

Healing Prayer

Peter Sammel

Sound

## 9:00 a.m.

Lianne Mintz

Altar Guild

Fleiss Family

Newcomer Welcome

Fleiss Family

Greeters/Ushers

Sean Worley

Lectors

Jennifer Worley

Josh Mintz

Prayer

Chris Mintz

Acolyte

Sandy Watkins

Children's Sermon

Scott Rotondo

Eucharistic Minister

Wyn Schuh

Beto Casellas

Donna Yobs

Healing Prayer

Paker Schuh

Sound

Matthew Mendoza

Projector

Allen Dutra

Stream

## 10:30 a.m.

Claire Witzke

Altar Guild

Julie Hansen

Ezell Family

Newcomer Welcome

Ezell Family

Greeters/Ushers

Anne Wilde

Lectors

Marguerite Williams

Grace Schmidt

Prayer

Ana Ezell

Acolyte

Grace Schmidt

Eucharistic Ministers

Sue-Ellen Johnson

Kandace Klemba

Healing Prayer

Mark Witzke

Sound

Hartley Family

Projector

## Flower Dedications

Celebrate a birthday, an anniversary, a memory of someone, or simply give thanks for your many blessings. You are invited by the Altar Guild to dedicate an arrangement of flowers by signing up on the Flower Chart on the back of the front door of the church.

The suggested donation is \$35, and it is okay to have more than one dedication per week if you wish.

## Prayer List

If you have a prayer request, call the church office or email [prayer@sttims.org](mailto:prayer@sttims.org).

**Please Pray For:** Fe Ayala; Virginia and Carlos Bean; Lynette Davis; Kate Drew; Terry Field; Betty Sue Frost; Liz Gogolewski; Patricia Greene; Roy Hayter; Ron Holt; Mateo Kohler; Elizabeth Luce; Bob Parsons; Ed Sammel; Carol Saslow; the Schroeder family; Slater and her family; Alan and Tracy Stevenson; the Tapella Family; Chrissie Whitting; the Diocese of El Camino Real and Bishop Mary Gray-Reeves; our Companion Dioceses in Western Tanganyika and Gloucester, England; Stephen Ministers and their care receivers.

# Service Notes

## 7:45 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

The Opening Acclamation	BCP, p. 323
Kyrie	S90
The Collect of the Day	
Scripture Readings	
The Sermon	
The Nicene Creed	BCP, p. 326
The Prayers of the People	BCP, p. 328
Confession	BCP, p. 330
Presentation of the Offerings	
The Peace	BCP, p. 332
The Great Thanksgiving	
Eucharistic Prayer II	BCP, p. 340
Sanctus	S113
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP, p. 337
Angus Dei	S157
Communion of the People	
Postcommunion Prayer	BCP, p. 339
Blessing	
Hymn #421 All Glory be to God on High	
Dismissal	

## Today's Readings

Jeremiah 23:23-29

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

Psalms 82

Luke 12:49-56



## Collect of the Day

### Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ you Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

# Today's Psalm

## Psalm 82

BCP, p. 705

- 1 God takes his stand in the council of heaven; \*  
    he gives judgment in the midst of the gods:
- 2 “How long will you judge unjustly, \*  
    and show favor to the wicked?
- 3 Save the weak and the orphan; \*  
    defend the humble and needy;
- 4 Rescue the weak and the poor; \*  
    deliver them from the power of the wicked.
- 5 They do not know, neither do they understand;  
    they go about in darkness; \*  
    all the foundations of the earth are shaken.
- 6 Now I say to you, ‘You are gods, \*  
    and all of you children of the Most High;
- 7 Nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, \*  
    and fall like any prince.’”
- 8 Arise, O God, and rule the earth, \*  
    for you shall take all nations for your own.



# News & Notes

## The Book of Ephesians A six week study starting August 25, 2010

The book of 1 Corinthians was written to a church struggling with problems that needed practical advice. The book of Ephesians is another book written to a church, but this time it was to a healthy church. However, the Ephesian church still needed reminding that all the good that had happened was due to the powerful work of the Holy Spirit in their midst and a reliance on the fundamentals of the faith they had in the Lord Jesus Christ.



In this study we will look at the power of prayer, the importance of spiritual gifts, and a dependence on the Holy Spirit not only for the growth of the body but for protection against the evil forces in the world. The book is a great study of a community that worked together to grow the influence of the kingdom in their midst. It has practical advice for parents raising children and working people dealing with the stresses and toils of real life. We invite you to join us for a study in this powerful book.

Nancy Livak's last day working in the office will be Thursday August 12. We thank her for her work here and will miss her and she begins her first year at University of Connecticut School of Law. Jen Ezell will be stepping in to cover the office while a search for a new Parish Administrator is conducted with the input of the Interim Pastor.



## Women's Fellowship Summer Events

We had a great turnout and stimulating discussion at our June 19 brunch! For this quarter, we have two potlucks for the women of St. Timothy's. Sign up on the board in Edwards Hall or e-mail the host.

Friday, August 20, 5-8:30 pm home of Beth Leonard (kids welcome), [beth@slimy.com](mailto:beth@slimy.com)

Also, watch for an upcoming announcement about the women's retreat!

## Looking for Acolytes and Lectors

The 9:00 a.m. service is in need of some new Acolytes and Lectors to service on Sundays.

Please contact Kathy Mendoza at [kathymendoza@earthlink.net](mailto:kathymendoza@earthlink.net) if you are interested.



## Calendars

It is that time of year when calendars arrive in numbers. I want to encourage you to donate the 2011 ones you do not need to the Veterans. The hospital has told me the men love to have a calendar.

In addition to calendars, I am still collecting cards for all occasions, especially Christmas, and blank cards for notes. Place your donations in the basket in the narthex. Questions? Call Althea Parks at 408-245-0296.



# News & Notes

## Lay Eucharistic Minister and Eucharistic Visitor Training, Licensing, and Renewals

For all those who serve as Lay Eucharistic Minister (LEM) or Eucharistic Visitor (EV), we thank you for your service and remind you that all LEMs and EVs must participate in diocesan approved training for licensing, and the license must be renewed on a regular basis.

On Sunday, August 8th, Donald held a training class and by all accounts, it was excellent. The class was very interactive and even those who've been trained before found it interesting and relevant.

Donald will be offering a second training class on **Wednesday, August 25th at 7pm**. I encourage all LEMs and EVs to please take advantage of this opportunity for licensing/renewal, and perhaps more importantly, to hear what Donald has to share about the Eucharist and gain better insight into this beautiful expression of our faith.

If you would be interested in joining these ministries, we'd love to have you! The only prerequisite for LEM/EV is that the individual be confirmed.

If you're interested in serving as a LEM, please contact Susan Slakey, [susanslakey@aol.com](mailto:susanslakey@aol.com) or 408-249-7114. To join our EVs, please contact Gwen Bindon, [gwenbindon@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gwenbindon@sbcglobal.net) or 408-531-9808.



## Fleet Week

Mark your calendars—it's that time of year again! Fleet Week Air Show is scheduled for October 8th, 9th and 10th and we need volunteers.

Please consider spending a day in San Francisco watching the U.S. Navy ships arrive in the bay and enjoy the air show, which will include the Blue Angels. For more information, visit their web site at <http://fleetweek.us/fleetweek>.



We have the opportunity to man two booths and we need eight people per booth for those three days. Teenagers are welcome. The booths need to be staffed from 9:00am to 4:00pm. (On Sunday some of us need to stay until 5:00pm to help tear down the booth.) The items for sale in our booth include t-shirts, sweatshirts, flags, mugs, magnets, toy planes, etc. The air show organizers provide us with a lunch and bottles of water. We are out of the direct sun but it can be

windy. Dress accordingly.

For more information or to sign-up to volunteer, please contact: Melanie Thomas at [jdcsmom81@yahoo.com](mailto:jdcsmom81@yahoo.com) or cell: (408) 314-6100

# Vacation Bible Camp Thank You

Thanks to everyone who stepped up to help last week. We hosted almost 50 children for a week of galactic adventures. They now know a little about Creation, Elijah, and the Woman at the Well. They also know cute hand motions to a bunch of children's music. What we do for our own St. Tim's kids is terrific, but we also give some unchurched kids a glimpse of what Christian community looks like – both our warts and our grace. That is what it is all about.

Mary Kay Paul, as usual did an amazing job with crafts (my kids love the planet!), ably assisted by Wyn Schuh and Susan Pimlott. We also have Mary Kay to thank for the cool shirts. She found this vendor and handled the entire order.

Pattie Rotondo headed science and made a special effort to get the preschool room dark so the experiments would work! The preschool is even keeping some of the décor up. She was ably assisted by Gwen Howard and Traci Kohler.

Traci also helped with Starbucks runs, along with Michele Trottier and Lia Freitas. Vitaly important to the success of VBC, I tell you.

Lavonne Bieber again chose to spend some of precious vacation time serving up snacks to 50 kids. I don't know her motivation, but we are, as always, super grateful. Crystal Young helped Lavonne pull together our lunch for the volunteers and their kids on the last day.

Lianne Mintz, apparently doesn't spend enough time working with active children. J Somehow we managed to recruit her to lead our recreation area and she did a terrific job keeping a huge range of kids happily engaged. Jacob Phillips assisted her.

A mish-mash crew of actors managed to pull off our drama section this year, putting the Bible in VBC. They included Christine Foster, Lia Freitas, Helen Williams, Jennifer Ezell, and Julia Ezell.

Leading groups were Beth Leonard, Grace Hudkins, Meredith Berg, Cindy Howard, Laura Casellas, Sue Fliess, Ana Ezell, Nick Fernandes, Carolina Aoki, Helen Williams, Nancy Livak, Kathy Mendoza, Melissa Malley, Tina Pinto, and Alex Mendoza. These folks are the heart of VBC because they are the ones who the kids get to know the best and associate most clearly with their experience. Alex Mendoza also played an important role in our assemblies, providing the voice for Galileo the Gorillas.



Peter Sammel, as usual, was very gracious about having 90 people invade his workplace for the week, bring with them sticky hands and crumbled up Goldfish crackers. He makes our high-tech presentations at opening and closing assembly possible.

And the great news is that we get to do it all again next year. Mark your calendars for August 1 through the 5th. The theme is Shake it Up Café: Where Kids Carry Out God's Recipe. Look for details early in 2011.

# Coming Up

*This Week*

<b>Sunday, August 15</b>
7:45 a.m. Quiet & Meditative Worship 9:00 a.m. Dynamic & Kid-Centered Worship 10:30 a.m. Joyful & Inclusive Worship
<b>Monday, August 16</b>
7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Meeting
<b>Wednesday, July 18</b>
6:00 p.m. Parish Dinner

## **2010 Dates to Note:**

August 25 LEM/EV Training



## *Covenant Groups*

Covenant Groups are an expanding network of small groups that meet together to share the life of faith. To find out more, please call one of the group leaders, or the parish office.

### **Mondays**

1:30 p.m. Anne Wilde (408) 379-2235  
& Wyn Schuh (650) 965-8037

### **Tuesdays**

9:30 a.m. Cindy Howard (650) 424-9741  
7:00 p.m. Susan Slakey (408) 249-7114  
& Amy Witzke (408) 985-7162  
7:15 p.m. Bill Shreve (650) 941-6436  
7:30 p.m. Michael Diamond (408) 594-9350  
& Dana Peak (408) 299-5798  
8:00 p.m. Will Watkins (408) 867-6063  
8:00 p.m. Steven Schumaker-  
Trotter (650) 279-1407  
& David Foster (650) 279-9010

### **Thursdays**

7:00 p.m. The Johnsons (408) 737-8355  
7:00 p.m. Nyna Dolby (650) 941-9335  
& Jen Ezell (650) 964-4834  
8:00 p.m. Christine Foster (650) 279-6613  
& Deanne Phillips (408) 739-1479

### **Fridays**

1:00 p.m. Althea Parks (408) 245-0295

# Connecting

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CONNECTION CARD  
ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM AND DROP IT IN THE OFFERING PLATE OR HAND IT TO AN USHER AFTER THE SERVICE.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

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To find out more about our weekly happenings, please add me to the parish email announcement list. (You can opt out at any time.)

I'd like more information about:

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Prayer Requests/Comments/Questions: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you find out about us? \_\_\_\_\_