



THE ANCHOR



"This hope we have as an anchor of the soul, both sure and steadfast." Heb. 6:19

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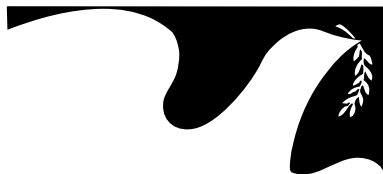
Pentecost Celebration

The feast which commemorates the day when the fledgling church was anointed by the Holy Spirit with the many charisms of ministry seems a fitting time to celebrate the ministry of one who for many years has placed his spiritual gifts at the service of the people of St. Andrew's:

On **Sunday, May 31**, we will celebrate the ministry of Fr. Kimo in thanksgiving for his many years of service among us.



The **Rev. James Bogardus** was ordained to the Diaconate in 1959, and to the priesthood in 1960. He subsequently served in congregations in Washington state, Corte Madera, CA, and New Jersey, and served a total of 17 years at Christ Church, Redondo Beach. He first joined the staff of St. Andrew's in 1983.



Our party will include a festal Eucharist at 10:00 am, which will include readings and songs from the many tongues and traditions that make up the congregation of St. Andrew's.



The multi-cultural theme will be continued at the pot-luck brunch which will follow in the Parish Hall. Please bring a dish from your country/region of origin, or from the cultural/ethnic tradition of your family.

If you would like to contribute to Fr. Kimo's "retirement fund", please make checks payable to St. Andrew's and write *Fr. Kimo* on the memo line.

May Birthdays

May 1– Sabrina Hayden
May 2 - Jean Hartzell
May 9 - Thomas Lidikay
May 10 - Michael Ano
Karen Albertson
May 16 - Helen Mowry
May 20 - Pam Iorio
May 24 - Craig Conant
May 27 - King Uchekwe
May 29 - Doug Judson



May Anniversaries

May 1 - George and Rosalie Eliers
May 6 - Richard and Pauline Hatt
May 7 - David and Jennifer Byrd
May 15 - Maurice and Rosemary Shure
May 26 - Geoff and Mika Partain
May 28 - Fr Doug and Kathy Judson



Note from the Editor:

If anyone sees anything that needs to be changed in the newsletter (outdated info, etc), please contact me ASAP!!

The e-mail as always: missmarie1971@hotmail.com

Also, if you have seen that your birthday or anniversary hasn't been included, please send me an update via email.

If you wish to receive the Anchor Electronically, please send your Request to: newsletter@saintandrewstorrance.com



St. Andrew's Prayer List

The people whose names are on this list have long-term prayer needs. Please include them in your intercessions and remember them in your daily prayers.

Al Biddlecomb
Betty Lawson
Juliet Nelson
Margaret Gittings
Sarita Peery
Alice & Henry
Carole Jean
Cynthia
Dick Gorelick
CherylDottie
Doug
Earl
Flora
Juliet G.
Kathy
Maraqita
Rosa

Those on active duty in the armed forces:

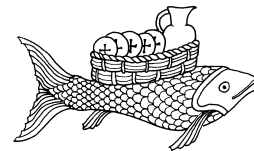
John
Erik
Molly
Michael
Shawn
Thomas

And the peoples of: Israel, Palestine, Somalia, Darfur, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Myanmar (Burma), Tibet, Iraq, India, and all who are persecuted for their faith.

Our Acolytes Servers at the Altar

In May Shannon Jurado will celebrate her fourth anniversary as an Acolyte at St. Andrew's and God's altar. In recognition of this she will now wear a silver cross on a yellow cord. Thank you Shannon for your continuing stewardship.

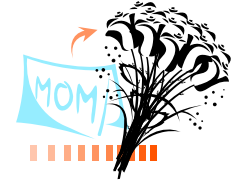
Loaves & Fishes Opening



Looking for a small way to serve at St. Andrew's? You could be in charge of ordering/picking up/delivering the chicken and potatoes for Loaves & Fishes each month. You place the order at Ralph's and pick it up the morning of Loaves & Fishes. It must be delivered to the Parish Hall by 10:00am. You would have a petty cash account to cover the expense. Please contact Richard Hatt Through the church office with any questions.



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 8 AMHE 9 AM Choir Men's Group 10 AM HE	4	5	6	7 11 AM HE	8	9 9am Bible Study
10 <i>Mother's Day</i> 8 AMHE 9am Choir Men's Group 10 AM HE	11	12	13	14 11 AM HE	15	16 <i>Armed Forces Day</i> *Torrance Blvd Closed *** 10 AM Loaves and Fishes
17 8 AMHE 9am Choir Men's Group 10 AM HE 11:30a m Vestry Meeting	18	19	20	21 <i>Ascension Day</i> 11 AM HE	22	23
24 <i>Sunday after Ascension</i> 8 AMHE 9am Choir Men's Group	25 <i>Memorial Day Holiday</i>	26	27	28	29	30 9am Bible Study 11am DoK Meeting
31 8 AMHE 9am Choir Men's Group 10 AM HE 11:30 Brunch	Pentecost					

Lay Ministries -2009

MINISTRY	MAY 3	MAY 10	MAY 17	MAY 24	MAY 31
ACOLYTES -10:00	C – Malcolm Finney Jr T – Marilyn Finney T – Brisse Perez	C – Gethin Wied T – Paul Geerligs T – Sean Jurado	C – Liz Sisson T – Sarah Spencer T – Joanne Gibson	C – Malcolm Finney Jr T – Marilyn Finney T – Shannon Jurado	C – Liam Gaugh T – Sarah Spencer T – Paul Geerligs
SUNDAY SCHOOL	Lead: Geoff Partain Assist: Open	Lead: Open Assist: Open	Lead: Open Assist: Open	Lead: Open Assist: Open	Lead: Open Assist: Open
INTERCESSOR 8:00	Gaylene Goo	Beverly Bird	Judy Beldam	Deb Tutson	Alice Steinkamp
INTERCESSOR 10:00	Sarita Peery	Pauline Hatt	Geoff Partain	Earlene Parsons	Liz Sisson
LAY READER - 8:00	Deb Tutson	Judy Beldam	Deb Tutson	Gethin Wied	Gethin Wied
LAY READER 10:00	Marge Cooley Pat Hyland	Dawn Starzynski Pat Hyland	Jennifer Byrd Liz Sisson	Amy Sisson (read) Marge Cooley (chalice)	Dawn Starzynski Liz Sisson
GREETERS & OBLATIONERS	Pauline Hatt Nora Gibson	Bette Sailer Joan Waddell	Carol Porter-Jurado	Earlene Parsons	
ALTAR GUILD	Marge Cooley Gethin Wied Karen Kasterko	Marie Gibson Kathy Judson Carol Porter-Jurado	Marie Gibson Kathy Judson Carol Porter-Jurado	Florence Kuwashima Lillian Lubang Ethel Kim Sawako Ojima	Florence Kuwashima Lillian Lubang Ethel Kim Sawako Ojima
ALTAR FLOWERS	Kuwashima	Byrd	Oppedisano	Uchekwe	Judson
COFFEE HOUR				Uchekwe	Parish Brunch
COUNTERS	Marge Cooley Marie Gibson	Pat Hyland Jennifer Byrd	Elizabeth Spencer Toni O.	Pat Hyland Joan Waddell/Gethin Wied	Marge Cooley Dawn Starzynski
USHERS	Malcolm Finney John Jones	Richard Hatt	Malcolm Finney John Jones	Richard Hatt	

"O God, make the door of this house wide enough to receive all who need human love and fellowship, narrow enough to shut out all envy, pride and strife. Make its threshold smooth enough to be no stumbling block to children, nor straying feet, but rubbed and strong enough to turn back the tempter's power. God, make the door of this house the gateway to thine eternal kingdom. Amen"



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The Rev. James Bogardus, Assistant
The Rev. Doug Judson, Associate
The Rev. Jane S. Denton, Deacon

WEEKLY SERVICES

Sunday:

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I
10:00 am Family Eucharist, Rite II
Church School
Child Care

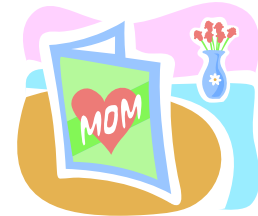
Thursday:

11:00 am Eucharist with Healing

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