

April 30, 2017
The Third Sunday
of Easter



St. Patrick's Episcopal Church and Day School

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Our St. Patrick's Mission Statement:

"To love and obey God, to love each other and others and to let our light shine from this holy hill."

All are welcome to join us each and every Sunday morning for worship and to receive communion.

Rite I Worship Service: 8:00 AM

Rite II Worship Service: 10:15 with Choir & Sunday School

	<i>At St. Patrick's</i>	<i>Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ</i>	
<i>Priest</i>	<i>The Rev. George Daisa</i>	<i>Youth Ministry Director</i>	<i>Robert Galletly</i>
<i>Sr. Warden</i>	<i>Anna Merriman</i>	<i>Financial Administrator</i>	<i>Kathryn Walters</i>
<i>Jr. Warden</i>	<i>Debbie McDonald</i>	<i>Parish Administrator</i>	<i>Janet Enriquez</i>
<i>Music Director</i>	<i>Dr. Eric Kinsley</i>	<i>Sexton</i>	<i>Dave Mead</i>
<i>Children's Ministry Director</i>	<i>Patty Buffaloe</i>	<i>St. Patrick's Postulant</i>	<i>KC Robertson</i>

Church office hours: Monday—Thurs from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

A Message from Your Priest

Brothers and Sisters,

Now that Holy Week is over and Eastertide is in full swing, some of your leaders and I have begun the work of drilling down deeply into reflecting on how our community does ministry. We are all of us called to the "priesthood of all believers," and are therefore each of us called to bring our unique gifts to bear for the building up of God's Kingdom here on earth. But, what does ministry look like here at St. Patrick's, and how do we do it? The larger question is always *why* do we do ministry?

I have been contemplating these questions with our Confirmands as well, and in preparing for that conversation about gifts and ministry, I remembered a document the Episcopal Church disseminated a few years back entitled, "The Five Marks of Mission." This Mission Statement articulates the Mission of the Church as the very Mission of Christ, and it gives us plenty to ponder as we continue our discernment around how and why we do ministry. Here are the Five Marks of Mission:

- To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom
- To teach, baptize and nurture new believers
- To respond to human need by loving service
- To seek to transform unjust structures of society, to challenge violence of every kind and to pursue peace and reconciliation
- To strive to safeguard the integrity of creation and sustain and renew the life of the earth

Proclaim. Teach. Respond. Seek. Challenge. Pursue. Strive. Sustain. Food for thought as we follow Jesus, and seek his Kingdom this week.

Happy Easter, and see you Sunday!

(The Rev.) George Daisa

Easter Sunday Service Participants

	8:00 AM	10:15 AM
Lector 1	Debbie McDonald	Cathy Svitek
Psalm	Bill Tewksbury	Jan Lyons
Lector 2	Bill Tewksbury	Cindy Weaver
Intercessor	Debbie McDonald	Susan Sahlman
Crucifer		Haleigh Love
Acolytes		Ashley Fisher
		Zoey Cox
LEM 1	Bill Tewksbury	Jan Lyons
LEM 2		Jim Leon
Ushers	Joanne & Patrick Justus	John & Susan Sahlman
Altar Guild	Ruthanne England, Shirley Bland, Doyllenne Johnson and Debbie McDonald	
Coffee Hosts	8:00: Fred Blaich and Judy Malamis	
	10:15: Paul & Marilyn Teagle	

The Altar Flowers are Dedicated to the Glory of God

Altar Flowers

Honor a loved one (birthday, anniversary, memorial, etc.) with a floral dedication. Sign up on the flower chart at the back of church. The suggested donation is \$40. Checks to St. Patrick's Altar Guild with 'altar flowers' in the memo may be placed in the offertory plate.

For Those We Love

Bishop Bruno, Bob, Zoey Cox, Ana Durkin, Dominic Horowitz, Peggy Lane, Marie Manos, Gina Ramos, Mary Ann, Sean McGannon, Barbara Perrine, John Sahlman, Dennis Seaton, and Kathlene Stephens

KC Robertson, St. Pat's Postulant and Ryan Macias for Discernment

Rest of the Soul

Lawrence Genovese

Family Ministry

Sunday School

Care for preschool children aged 2 1/2 to kindergarten is available in the sacristy wing. K-5th grade children are welcome to our Sunday school program each Sunday morning. Children gather in church at the start of the 10:15 worship and process to their classes.

Youth Group

Please contact Robert Galletly at 805-807-5635 for information regarding youth group.

Acts 2: 14a, 36-41
Psalm 116: 1-3, 10-17
1 Peter 1: 17-23
Luke 24: 13-35

www.lectionarypage.net

Crucifer Training

There will be new Crucifer Training for any interested youth in their sophomore, junior or senior year in high school **Sunday, April 30** between the 8:00 and 10:15 worship services in church. See Grace Robinson or Cathy Svitek for more information. Please RSVP to Grace.

Book Signing Sunday

Parishioner Priscilla Q. Weld invites you to a book signing for her book *Albert, The Story of a Lost Dog*, on Sunday, April 30 at 9:15 am or 11:45 am in Hager Hall during fellowship following each service. Please come hear about Albert's big adventure and hear from Priscilla, another talented member of our parish community.

Homeless Dinner Program

April 30 is the 5th Sunday this month and St Patrick's will be providing the food for the Homeless Dinner Program that evening. Please bring an entrée, side, salad or dessert that feeds 10-12 to the church by 5:45 pm. Volunteers are also welcome to help.

Confirmation Class

Youth Confirmation class continues Sunday afternoon May 7, from 3:00 to 4:30 pm. The Confirmation will be held at The Church of the Epiphany on May 14, Mother's Day, at 10:00 am. For more info, contact Fr. George at 805-495-6441 or gdaisa@stpatschurch.org.

Seeking Mad Attic Volunteers

The Mad Attic is looking for volunteers to work 3 hours a week at our church sponsored thrift shop. We could also use people willing to substitute occasionally for a shift. Please contact Mary Ann Palmquist, 805-491-8913 or Ruthanne England 805-492-4909.

Spring Tea

The women of St. Pat's are invited to the Spring Tea at St. Paul's Episcopal and Emmanuel Lutheran Church on Saturday, May 6 from 2:00 to 4:ish. St. Paul's is located at 117 N. 7th Street in Santa Paula. Hats and gloves are encouraged. Invite your friends and neighbors. Please RSVP to Marilyn Harvey 805-647-5210 or to the church office at 805-525-3811.

**There is no Wed. Healing Service on Wed. May 3.
The Wednesday Healing service resumes on
Wednesday, May 10.**

Homeless Dinner Program

The Homeless Dinner Program serves meals here in Hager Hall on Sunday evenings at 6:00pm through November. Contact Bob or Shirley Bland at 805-498-5682 for more information. Volunteers are always welcome.

Conejo Compassion Coalition

Visit conejocompassion.org or call Bob Bland, 805-498-5682, for info on the CCC.

Manna

Bring your donations of non-perishable food and hygiene items on Sundays to the baskets in the front of church.

Mad Attic Thrift Shop

The shop is open Tuesday to Saturday from 10:00 to 4:00. Contact Mary Ann Palmquist or Ruthanne England for info or to volunteer. 805-497-1990. Please do not leave donations in the front of the church.

The Order of St. Patrick's

Our OSP ministers provide love and connection in times of need. OSP makes phone calls to those who are ill or shut-in to check in and remind them of our prayers and care. If you wish to join OSP, please call Jill Murch at 805-498-2616. If you know of anyone in need of a call, please call the church office.

Yoga with Karen Daisa

Tuesdays at 10:30 am in the parish hall. \$12 is a suggested donation. Bring a yoga mat (non-toxic, please) and a towel.

Studies & Groups**SPECL**

See Anne Van Cott for info on the St. Patrick's Ladies Group.

Bible Study

The Wed. Night Bible Study Group meets Wed. evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. For information, see Bob Bland.

Sunday Bible Discussion

Sunday Bible Study meets from about noon to 1:00 following the 10:15 service for a review of the books of the Bible. We started with Genesis and are now doing the Minor Prophets. We will start the New Testament soon. All are invited! Please contact Bob Wichmann for more information.

The Day School

Contact
St. Patrick's Parish Day School at
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