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# Springtime

Song of Solomon 2:10-12

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## Upcoming Events

5/06 – Sacred Space, 5pm

5/09 – PW Quilting, 10am

5/13 – Spring Fling, 9am

5/14 – Spring Concert, 4pm

5/18 – ZOOM Book Club, 2:30pm

5/20 – PCOR Men's Group, 8:15am

5/20 – Presbyterian Women, 10am

5/20 – Boomers Trip, 11am

5/23 – Session Meeting, 6pm

6/03 – All Church Clean-Up Day,  
8:30am

6/03 – Bob Maxwell Memorial,  
2pm

6/03 – Sacred Space, 5pm

6/10 – Presbyterian Women, 10am

6/13 – PW Quilting, 10am

6/15 – ZOOM Book Club, 2:30pm

6/17 – PCOR Men's Group, 8:15am

6/27 – Session Meeting, 6pm





# Spring Has Sprung With Joy and Sorrows

## By Pastor Cindy



Henri Nouwen said, *“Joy is hidden in sorrow and sorrow in joy. If we avoid sorrow at all costs we may never experience joy. Joy and Sorrow are the parents of our spiritual growth.”*

There have been many joys in this Lenten/Easter Season at PCOR this year. The rains have ended the drought and we are surrounded by a super bloom of wild flowers this year. New members joined our church family and more are joining! Our beautiful Holy Week and Easter Sunday were joyous times together with many participating and attending. The new roof and the solar panels bring us great hope for the future. Planning the Spring Fling has been full of fun and creativity. A wonderful Vacation Bible School on the Fruits of the Spirit is being planned with spirit-filled enthusiasm! And a cleanup day is organized to celebrate Earth day by caring for Andy's Unity Park on April 29th.

The sorrows have been plentiful, too. But when we take the risk of loving someone we risk the pain of losing them as well. The loving is always worth doing despite the pain of loss. Our beloved Pat Sneath passed away. We remember so many wonderful times with Pat over many years. Martha Kahl, who was a church member over 4 decades,

also passed at age 98. And our dearly loved 101 year old member, Ray Alden, also passed in March. We will be celebrating Ray's long life on Memorial Day weekend the 27th of May. We are thankful to Ray for recently revitalizing the Men's Group with a team of like-minded others this year. We are also sad to report the passing of Bob Maxwell who was a member 47 years! His memorial service will be June 3rd at 2pm at the church.

We remember how the disciples loved Jesus so deeply and felt such pain when he was crucified. They went from joy to sorrow and back to joy again at the news of his resurrection! The Holy Spirit, their advocate and counselor, came to the disciples at Pentecost which will be commemorated with a special worship celebration on May 28th.

As we continue to journey in this Easter Season towards Pentecost, may we, like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, feel a sense of the spirit stirring in our souls as we do our best to share the good news of God's love with all we meet. Come to church and enjoy the Spring Fling! Volunteer to help with our Fruits of the Spirit bible school in June. Be present with us on Sunday mornings either in person, on Zoom, or on KSRO 103.5 FM. And be of good cheer because God loves us more than we can hope for or imagine. Let the joys and the sorrows come as they may, trusting that God will carry us faithfully through them all.



**Love and God's blessings,  
Pastor Cindy**

# March 2023 Session Highlights

## A summary of our March Session meeting minutes:

**Pastor's Report:** Pastor Cindy reported that a disaster assistance grant submitted on our behalf has been awarded by the PCUSA Presbyterian Disaster Relief Fund. They determined that the Montgomery High School Breakfast Program is a healing service for the students, (following the recent stabbing death on campus), and has granted the program \$7,500 which will be received through the Presbytery of the Redwoods.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

**Building & Grounds:** Chair Gary Smith noted that the installation of our new roof is now complete, and electrical work has started on the solar panels. The date for the installation of the new carpet for the sanctuary is not yet determined.

**Christian Education:** Co-Chair Linda Burille reported that the Adult Ed Bible Study class on Reading the Bible as Literature is continuing, with average attendance at 17 each week. Classes are Monday's at 7:00 PM on Zoom.

**Church & World:** Rhonda Darrow reported a work day has been arranged at Andy Lopez Park on Saturday, 04-29-23. A new Blue Theology trip at Newport Beach is being proposed for some time in July, 2023.

**Fellowship:** M/S/C to approve the new Fellowship Committee description submitted by the committee. Co-Chair Linda Lance reminded us of the Spring Fling Fundraiser on Saturday, 5-13-23 from Noon – 2:30 PM, now themed "Around the World in 80 Hats." Co-Chair Sandy Dodge advised that fellowship hour is covered through May, but new volunteers are needed. She is working to ensure safe food preparation and service.

**Finance:** Bill Nakata shared the goals of the committee for 2023: Better financial transparency for the congregation, by providing quarterly reports in

the Rose Clippings; An effective stewardship campaign this Fall, resulting in 10 new pledges for 2024; completion of the 2022 audit by 06-30-23; and the overarching goal for both this committee, and all committees, is a balanced budget by the end of 2023.

**Membership:** Kim Seamans reported that the committee has set goals of updating their committee description; schedule a Pizza with Pastor for potential members; update the PCOR Welcome Brochure; and participate in events to increase awareness of the church and bring in new members.

**Nominating:** Ellen Marks said her goal for 2023 is to get procedures and form letters updated and formalized.

**Personnel:** M/S/C that the Staff Appreciation Fund be used to provide quarterly bonus payments, equivalent to approximately 8% of current salary. The remaining balance of \$5,628 is to be held in a restricted account for use in supplementing 2024 salaries.

**Worship and Arts:** Joy Olsen noted that the PCOR Players will perform on Palm Sunday.. There will be a Maundy Thursday soup dinner on 04-06-23, and a performance of the Rutter Requiem on Friday, 04-07-23. She reminded all of us to bring flowers on Easter Sunday for the cross on the lawn.

**Deacons:** Moderator Lynne Vandercook reported that the Deacons will be providing the hand-washing at the Maundy Thursday service and soup dinner. Their goals for 2023: Educate the congregation via the Rose Clippings about the need for donation to the Deacons; Involve the congregation in providing fresh fruit for the Boys & Girls Club; and Introduce their members to the congregation. Lynn noted that Deacon Buddy Day will be 09-10-23.

**The Presbytery Meeting on May 16, 2023 on Zoom will have 4 representatives from our Session in attendance.**



# Celebrating Jesus!

## PALM SUNDAY FESTIVITIES



The Congregation gathers for the Good Friday Concert

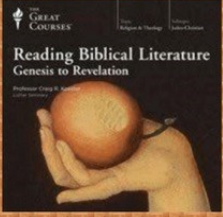


## EASTER SUNDAY






# Church Events & Happenings.



**New Dates with Dr. Koester on Zoom**



Important Hebrew Scriptures

Mon. May 1 7:00 p.m.	Saul: The Tragic King
Mon. May 8 7: p.m.	David and Nation Building
Wed. June 7 7:00 p.m.	Solomon: and Contradictions
Wed. June 14 7:00 p.m.	Psalms: the Bible Songbook


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## SACRED SPACE

EXPERIENCING THE SPIRIT IN A NEW WAY

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

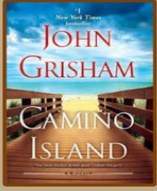
# 5-6 PM



**Zoom Book Club**  
Thursday May 18 2:30 p.m.

**Evicted: by Matthew Desmond**

**Poverty and Profit in the American City**  
Winner of the Pulitzer Prize  
One of the ten best books of 2016

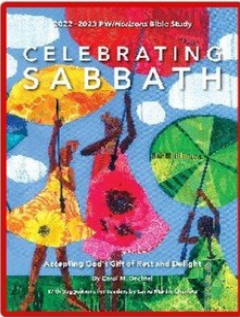


**Zoom Book Club**  
Thursday June 15  
2:30 p.m.

**Camino Island**  
By John Grisham

A tropical island book shop  
A Stolen Manuscript Mystery

Jeanne will have copies



## Presbyterian Women

May 20 10:00 a.m.

Lesson 8: Sabbath and Justice  
Scripture Isaiah 58  
**Birthday Offering**  
Bring an article about cries for justice

June 10 10:00 a.m. Rose Room

Lesson 9: Sabbath and Community  
Scripture: Acts 2:42-47  
Bring a photo of yourself

Join the

# BOOMERS





Saturday, May 20th

11:00 to 3:00

Russian River Rose Garden

Tour, Tasting, and Great Photography

Lunch at Amy's Wicked Slush

See the Rose Clippings for more information  
Welcoming all active adults.

SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP IS BACK!  
Calling for Volunteers



We need 2 volunteers to help with setup, serving, and cleanup.  
We also need COOKIES!  
6 dozen are needed each Sunday.  
These may be homemade by one or more persons or purchased (reimbursement is available).

Please contact Linda Lance to sign up at 707-217-6226 or email at [linda.lance31@gmail.com](mailto:linda.lance31@gmail.com).

Thank you and see you on Sunday!



# A Rosy Day with the Boomers!



## **BOOMERS MAY 20th**



This will be the last BOOMERS event for the 'year'

A beautiful time to stroll in the rose garden, take lots of pictures, and enjoy the aromas.

**WHAT:** Tour the Rose Garden for Private Tour ( cost is \$10 pp )

**WHERE:** Russian River Rose Company - 1685 Magnolia Dr. Healdsburg

**WHEN :** Meet at PCOR parking lot at 10:00 to car pool or at the garden for an 11:00 tour.

**WHAT:** May is the absolute perfect time to enjoy the roses. Bring your phone or camera for awesome opportunities to capture the beauty of the flowers.

**PLUS,** Maybe starting a PCOR Camera Club if people are interested!

**LUNCH** After at Amy's Wicked Slush at Veteran's Memorial Beach.



**HOST : Lindsay Olsen. Txt (707) 515-9009.  
olsenl2001@yahoo.com**



*Russian River Rose Company*

1685 Magnolia Drive, Healdsburg, CA 95448 -- (707) 433-7455 | FAX (707) 433-5683 | info@russian-river-rose.com

**\$10.00 per person - no pets**

**MAY IS THE BEST TIME TO VISIT !**

*Peak Rose Bloom  
Perfume Fields Bloom  
Rose Oil Harvest*

Visits Include:

- Guided introduction to garden/ Seasonal 'High-lights'
- Self-Guided tour map full of rose information
- Complimentary souvenir 5X7 art postcard
- Sampling of Estate produced rose water & perfume
- Entrance to Nursery with many gardening informational handouts
- Gift Shop temptations



### **1. Garden Visits & Tours**



Chateau de la Rose



8 Arch Rose Allee



Perfume Rose Fields



# Youth Christian Education

The Sunday school program has welcomed a few more children in March and April. On Easter there were 10 children coloring crafts and learning the Easter message.

On April 21, the second Parent's Night Out this year was another success. We had children ranging in ages from 2 to 11. We started with free time in Bowen hall with a craft project as one of the options. Free time was followed by dinner of pizza, carrots with ranch dressing—always a big success. After dinner we ambled to the Rose Room to watch a short movie and wait for their parents picked to them up. The parents were very appreciative and wanted to know when we would have another PNO evening. We passed out Vacation Bible School flyers to the parents as they left.

We had excellent volunteers and help from Miss Amber and two Rosebud teachers to make sure the evening went smoothly.

The planning meetings for 2023 VBS for the week of June 12th through 16th from nine AM to noon are coming along great. Almost everything is in place but we need a number volunteers to make this a successful VBS. Helping with the craft projects, supervising recreation time in Bowen Hall, serving snacks, helping clean up and most of all enjoying the children. Please contact either Diane Osten or myself in Bowen Hall after church or by e-mail (Diane petmom@sonic.net; Barbbasham@comcast.net) to discuss how you can to help. We will work with your schedule.

**Barbara Basham, Co-chair**



## DAY 1

**Love your neighbor as you love yourself.  
Be joyful and thankful always.  
Love one another because God loves us.  
Love God and love others.**

*We experience joy when we help others and/or care for our world.  
Find things that we do that make us happy.  
Like being out in nature, playing with pets, playing with our friends, etc.*

## DAY 2



**It makes God happy when we are peaceful and being a good friend.**

**Patience is waiting your turn. It is hard, but doing it means that you are growing up and becoming more mature.**

*When we are waiting for something, we need to be patient. Everybody will get their turn, just sometimes you don't get what you want right away. God wants us to help each other and support each other, no matter what God is there waiting with us. So we know we are in good company.*



## DAY 3

**Goodness is not just being good, but also doing good.  
We should try to do things that make other people happy, like planting a flower, being a friend and sharing.**

**We are kind when we play with someone who is lonely, show someone around who is new, give a hug to someone who is sad, take turns when we play a game.**

## DAY 4



**Don't copy someone being bad, do what is right and good.  
Use kind words and actions, don't be mean.  
Be honest, trustworthy and loyal.**

**Gentleness means being a good friend, being kind to people and animals, and taking care of the earth.**

## SELF-CONTROL DAY 5

**The earth is God's creation and we need to take care of it.**

**Self-control means doing things like putting litter in the trash. Recycle instead of just throwing it away or on the ground. Think before you act, control your anger/temper, respect others and their beliefs.**

**Learn when to be still and quiet and when to speak out. Wait your turn, raise your hand, and don't blurt out.**



# Church and World



**Your Church and World Committee is making sure the Montgomery High School students have a breakfast burrito and a safe place to be** every day school is in session; coming up with local, worldly and earth-care missions; and seeing that Special Offerings are presented and collected. Your thoughts and input are always welcomed. This Committee meets on the second Wednesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. on Zoom.

The current Committee members are Anita Pinney, Jonathan Steele, Chris Rhodes, Norm Smith, Guy Cottle, Pastor Cindy and myself. We could use one or two new members. Please contact Rhonda Darrow at [rdarrow@pacbell.net](mailto:rdarrow@pacbell.net) or (707) 481-4743, if you are interested.

We would like to thank the Fellowship Committee for recognizing our work with kind words, the beautiful "earth"

cake and little globe. Thank you to all for sharing this special day with us!

Here are some Church and World Committee's highlights:

The Montgomery High School Breakfast has been making about 150 burritos every day. On a few days a week pancakes are served as well. Donations of chicken tenders for extra protein are donated every week. PCOR hosted the Montgomery High School's fundraising polenta feed in April, and they generously donated \$1000.00 toward the breakfast!

PCOR has been approved for the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) assistance grant of \$7500.00 from the Presbytery to assist with the healing of our Montgomery High School community after the tragic event. The money will help with making sure of our continued school-day breakfast meals, a student-drawn and painted mural on wall outside back door of church to welcome students and other ways to make our church a safe place for both the students and the high school community.

The Committee, along with County of Sonoma Regional Parks, will be hosting a park cleanup at Andy's Unity Park, 3399 Moorland Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95407, on Saturday, April 29, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM. The county parks representative will be furnishing tools, gloves and a snack.

The Pentecost offering envelopes may be received at offering on May 28th. Please watch for inserts and envelopes in bulletins on May 14th and 21st.



***"Psalm 71 testifies that a foundation of faith established during childhood helps ensure lifelong faith and service. The patterns and lessons established during these formative years continue to bear fruit throughout a person's life. By receiving the Pentecost Offering, you are nurturing the faith of those who are the church to come — children, youth, and young adults."***



# Rosebud Preschool News



Hello from Rosebud Preschool. We had a wonderful Easter Celebration here at the preschool. We had 22 families show for the event. We had our fantastic parents hide 1,000 easter eggs out in the play yard. Ms. Roxy did a great job face painting all the children. Ms. Kristin ran a cookie decorating station. And Ms. Nikkie captured some great moments with her camera. Some of our alumni students put together an obstacle course for the younger children. It was so special to see these past students.

We are looking forward to celebrating the preschool graduation on May 18th at 5pm. We have 14 children that will be moving on to kindergarten. We are sad to see them leave and will miss them lots, but are so excited for them to start their next adventure in learning.



In addition, we will be welcoming a new teacher to our Rosebud staff, Ms. Norene Trippo. She will be starting May 19th. We are so excited to be gaining a new member to our team and are looking forward to a great summer here at Rosebud.

**The PCOR Choir brings in Palm Sunday with melodic joy!**



## **Volunteers are NEEDED!**

**We need more Breakfast Angels to keep our breakfast club going every day of the school year!**



Please plan to give of your time one day of the week from 6:30am to 8:30am with cleanup after either on a weekly basis or as a substitute when needed. Mondays and Wednesdays are most in need. Call the church office and speak to Raven for more information: 707-542-4272.





## The New Presbyterian Women

The happy group you see in the photo above is the new Presbyterian Women at Church of Roses. We meet regularly on the second Saturday at 10 a.m. for coffee time and study. In May we will celebrate the 2023 Birthday Offering contributing to two important world wide PW projects:

Making Miracles Happen Group Home,  
Tallahassee Florida  
Bebane Yesus Elementary School  
Construction  
In Dembi Dollo, Ethiopia

Our *Celebrating Sabbath* study has two remaining Lessons:

May 20: Lesson 8 Sabbath and Justice

June 10: Sabbath and Community.

We changed our date in May because of Spring Fling but we'll be back on schedule in June. We will not meet in July and August but we will be back in September with another wonderful **Horizons** Bible study and more good fellowship. Watch for information about the new season.

Come join the New PW!



## PCOR MEN'S GROUP

### PCOR MEN'S GROUP MEETING

May 20<sup>th</sup> and June 17<sup>th</sup>  
8:00am – 9:45am

BOWEN HALL



You are cordially invited to attend the May and June meetings of the PCOR Men's Group.

The PCOR Men's Group is a men's social group to establish a spirit of camaraderie among the men of PCOR.

We will serve a full breakfast. All may participate in the preparation, meal consumption, and clean-up. This is a great opportunity to expand friendships.

We look forward to seeing you on May 20<sup>th</sup> and June 17<sup>th</sup>!

Peace & blessings  
Your Steering Committee

## Bretheren, Can you Spare a Dime?

**PRESBYTERY HUNGER FUND**  
**could use some dimes for food!**



**Think how many hungry people**  
**they could serve if we shared**  
**10 cents a meal daily!**

**Collecting for the Fund is monthly**

**Drop your Dimes and Dollars in**  
**the baskets in the Narthex or**  
**Campbell Court.**



# Director of Music

*From the Director of Music ...*

I'm happy to say that the second Good Friday Concert at Church of the Roses went very well! The church was full of people and the choir sang beautifully, accompanied by the Roses Chamber Orchestra. Donations at the door were generous, and they will help to fund the orchestra for next year's Good Friday Concert. Thanks to Lindsay Olsen for capturing the event on film!



The Choir and Bellissimo are looking forward to singing (and ringing!) for another month or so through Pentecost Sunday, May 28th, after which we'll hang up our robes/gloves for the summer months. We will return on September 10th. The music in the summer months will be a combination of soloists, hopefully a few choral selections, duets, instrumentalists ... I'm planning for as much variety as possible! Bellissimo has been hard at work learning new music as well. It's really fun to play bells, and it's good for your brain ... it keeps all those synapses firing at once! We're always looking for a few more bell ringers! Come see me on Sunday morning if you'd like to join Bellissimo or the Chancel Choir, or email me at [carol@churchoftheroses.org](mailto:carol@churchoftheroses.org).

## SRCCA SPRING CONCERT

The last in a series of Roses Signature Concerts for this season will take place on Mother's Day, **May 14<sup>th</sup>, at 4:00 p.m.** The Santa Rosa Children's Choral Academy will present their annual Spring Concert where all three levels will delight you in song! We hope you'll want to attend this one ... these young singers are not only learning to enhance their singing ability, but also expanding their minds with music theory, and then there are lessons in stage deportment. Come and support this local choral organization ... these are the singers of tomorrow!

## CHORAL EVENSONG

One more event you might be interested in ... the a cappella choral ensemble *Cantiamo Sonoma* will sing Choral Evensong on Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. here at Roses. Originating in Anglican ritual, Evensong combines chant, hymns, Renaissance polyphony and modern choral works with Biblical readings and prayers. The intent is to provide listeners with a peaceful half hour of music and meditation at day's end. This coming Evensong will feature the choral music of William Smith, Healey Willan, Louis Bourgeois, and Nicolas Custer. This service is offered free to the community. ~ *Carol Menke*



**Join us Sundays @ 10am**

in the sanctuary or watch  
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Join our Friday email list for Zoom links and more.

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# Deacon News

Your Board of Deacons announces a new partnership with you, the congregation of P.C.O.R. We would like to invite you to help provide fresh fruit to the Boy's and Girl's Club. For years we have been taking granola bars, juice and occasionally, fresh fruit. It appears that other groups have been donating granola bars and juice. We have been asked to specifically bring fresh fruit once or twice a month. With the price of fruit we now are asking you to be on the look out for nice fresh fruit; specifically apples; oranges, bananas and Little Cuties. Purchase a bag or two and bring to the church office on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday mornings. A Deacon Partner will see that all fruit is delivered to the Boy's and Girls Club in a timely manner.

If you would like a tour of the Boy's and Girl's Club or help deliver the fruit to them please contact Raven in the church office or Kristy Galde at the front desk and it will be arranged.

We continue to give financially to various organizations after we vet them to make sure that they are worthwhile and really do benefit the folk in the community by providing food or shelter and are LGBTQ accepting. Our local food banks receive the bulk of our monetary donations.

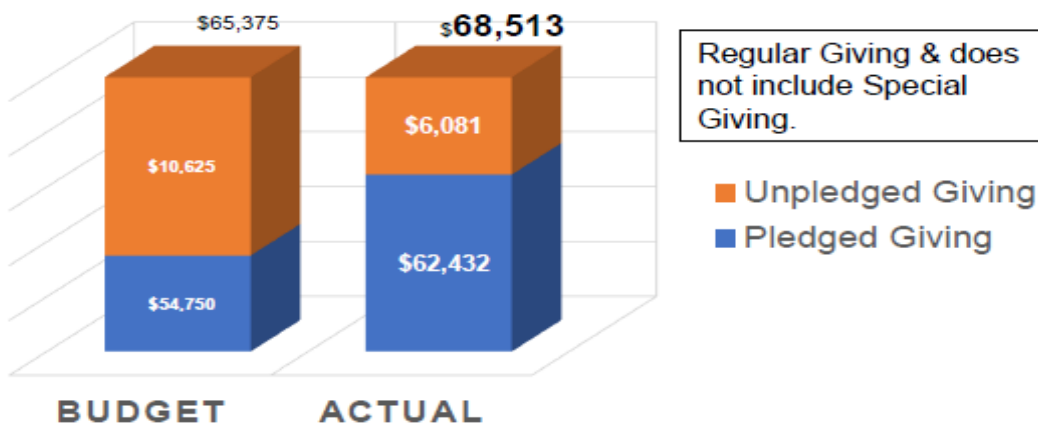
You may have a new Deacon Buddy reaching out to you as many have been reassigned as Deacons retire and new Deacons come aboard! If you don't know who your Deacon buddy is, please call our Moderator Lynne Vandercook at (530) 815-1065 and she will connect you with your Deacon. Also call Lynne or Raven, our Office Manager if you have a change of address and TO UPDATE YOUR EMERGENCY CONTACTS! This is important especially if one lives by themselves. In case of emergency, we need to have someone of your choice to contact! Your own Deacon may also call you for this information.

Lynne Vandercook  
Deacon Moderator



## The Finance Committee

### PCOR REGULAR GIVING JAN-MAR 2023



#### Other Special Giving:

- ❖ Employee Appreciation Fund - \$12,828
- ❖ Solar Fund - \$8,500
- ❖ Montgomery High School Breakfast - \$7,794



# **Choral Evensong**

**Wednesday, June 14 at 6:00 p.m.**



**Evensong, presented by Cantiamo Sonoma**

**Carol Menke, Artistic Director**

**Reverend Dr. Cindy Alloway**

**Robert Young, Organist**



**Presbyterian Church of the Roses**

**2500 Patio Court**

**Santa Rosa**

Choral Evensong is sung or said around the world every evening throughout the year. The choir offers its music on behalf of the rest of the community - the music and prayers join together so that our senses, intellects, hearts, and minds work together to give us a glimpse of God's glory, and provide a peaceful meditation at day's end. This coming Evensong will feature the music of William Smith, Louis Bourgeois, Healy Willan, and Nicolas Custer.



# PRAYER REQUESTS

## UPCOMING MEMORIALS

*Ray Alden service on Sat. May 27, 11am*

*Bob Maxwell service on Sat. June 3, 2pm*

## FOR THOSE WHO MOURN THE LOSS OF THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

*\*The family & friends of Wayne Johnson as they mourn  
his death April 3rd, service pending.*

## THOSE WITH HEALTH ISSUES

Darren Adams	Rusty Jump
Donald Adams	Carolyn Kenworthy
Shirley Anderson	Margret Kram
Greg Basham	Vivian Mazeski
Jeff Basham	Marilyn MacLean
Jeanette Bauer	Gene Michel
Jim Bauer	Jessica Morse
Bill Beaumont	Lisa Nolan
Barbara Blinn Patrick	Diane Pierce
Butler	Nancy Pinney
Peggy Call	Howard Powers
Leslie Colby	Priscilla Scott
Marjorie Cortez	Lynette Randerson
Doreen Cowden	Sherry Rupp
Pat Currier	Pamela Sage
Eldon Davis	Raymond Skipp
Robert Flandermeyer	Bob Simmons
Wendy Galde	Marie Slack
Cathy Guy	Bill St. John
Michele Hare	Rosalee Tindall
Phil Henry Mary Lou	Dina Takahama
Hensley	Jill White
Brittany Hunt	Roger White Helen
Maryann Iodence Jen-	Wikle
nifer	Betty Witchey-Ryer

## THOSE SERVING IN OUR MILITARY

James Kuntz (Sorani), US Navy on the USS Scranton.,  
Sgt. David A. Dickens, USAF Jason Morse, Coast  
Guard Lt. Commander Ian Alloway Culver, Lt. Col.  
David Trowbridge, M.D. with the Air Force Reserve.

## Scriptures and Sermons for May and June

### **May 7th - Fifth Sunday of Easter**

Scriptures: 1 Peter 2:2-10 and John 14:1-14

Sermon: *Jesus Prepares a Place*

### **May 14th - Sixth Sunday of Easter**

Scriptures: Psalm 66:8-20 and John 14:15-21

Sermon: *Orphaned No More*

### **May 21st - Seventh Sunday of Easter**

Guest Preacher: Reverend Nancy Martin  
Vincent, Executive leader of the Synod of  
the Pacific

### **May 28th - Pentecost - Memorial Day weekend**

Scriptures: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13 and  
Acts 2:1-21

Sermon: *Power of the Holy Spirit!*

### **June 4th - Trinity Sunday**

Scriptures: Genesis 1: 29 - 2: 4a and  
Matthew 28:16-20

Sermon: *God is Three in One!*

### **June 11th - Second Sunday after Pente- cost**

Scriptures: Psalm 33:1-12 and Matthew  
9: 9-13

Sermon: *Love the Tax Collectors*

### **June 18th - Third Sunday after Pentecost**

Scriptures: Psalm 100 and Romans 5:1-8  
Sermon: *Character Produces Hope*

### **June 25th - Fourth Sunday after Pente- cost**

Scriptures: Psalm 86:1-10 and Matthew  
10: 24 - 31

Sermon: *You Are Important!*



# BUILDING AND GROUNDS

## PCOR IS GOING SOLAR

The new roof is complete and the solar installation is also complete but awaiting coordination with and approval by PG&E for the final connections and activation.



## Worship & Arts Committee

The Worship and Arts crew puts on an entertaining and inspirational skit for Palm Sunday.





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## ROSE CLIPPINGS RECIPES

This recipe was shared by Raven Duchscherer

### Parmesan Chicken

1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese (divided in two)  
1/2 cup fine bread crumbs  
1/2 tsp. Crushed Oregano dried  
Paprika  
Garlic powder  
Pepper  
1 cup milk  
4 lbs Chicken pieces (I use skinless bone-in thighs)  
2 cans cream of mushroom soup (substitute:  
cream of celery or chicken)

Oven 400 degrees Pan-well greased 15 x 10 x 2  
Mix 1/4 of the cheese with all the bread crumbs &  
oregano, along with a generous dash of garlic

powder, pepper to taste. Roll the chicken in the  
crumb mixture.

Place in greased pan. (Skin side down)  
Bake @ 400 for 20 min. Then flip over pieces and  
bake 20 more min.  
Meanwhile.... Blend soup with milk. Pour  
over chicken when timer goes off. Sprinkle with  
remaining 1/4 cup (or more) of Parmesan and gen-  
erous sprinkle of paprika.  
Bake 20 min more until soup reduced  
and chicken is golden brown/done all way  
through.



Leftovers served cold are good next day  
This recipe came from a co-worker back in the  
80's in Silicon Valley, she ate it cold for lunch  
often. Raven

