



WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

THE MINISTRIES OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH



Worship

Vestry Liaison	Michael Morris
Altar Guild	Gretchen Jordan
Music Ministry	Cheryl Seppala

Pastoral Care

Vestry Liaison	François Maurice
Helping Hands	Deborah Maurice
Home / Hospital Visits	The Rev. John Tolley
	The Rev. Dr. Al Stott

Outreach Ministry

Vestry Liaison	Open
ERD	Diane Gustafson
Ecumenical Ministry	Rene Malle
ECS Representative	Open
Outreach Coordinator	Ruth Arnett

Christian Education

Vestry Liaison	Adrienne Shaw
Sunday School	Heather Wallace
Adult Education	Canon Jenny Vervynck

Parish Life/Fellowship/ Hospitality

Vestry Liaison	Mark Jordan
Men of St. John's	Mark Jordan
Women of St. John's	Marcia Morris
Lunch Bunch	Gretchen Jordan
Greeters	Bill Cheney

Stewardship

Vestry Liaison	Bob Bailey
	Bob Smalley

Buildings and Grounds

Vestry Liaison	John Schilpp
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Finance

Vestry Liaison	Bill Cheney
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*For more information about these ministries, please
call (619)422-4141 or view our website at
www.saint-johns.org*

Weekly Happenings

December 5-December 11, 2010

Men of St. John's Toy and Blanket Drive



The Men of St. John's are collecting full and twin size blankets along with Christmas toys. Blankets are needed for violence shelters, homeless outreach, residences for mentally ill operated by Episcopal Community Services (San Diego area), and South Bay Community Services (Chula Vista and South Bay area). They are collecting unwrapped toys for children ages infant to 10 years old for SBCS and unwrapped toys for infants to 5 years old for ECS. Also, twin and full size blankets are needed for both groups along with the smaller blankets. There will be a special location in the narthex for the blankets and a large box marked Men's Club for the toys. Blessings to all and thank you for all you do. **The deadline to receive unwrapped toys blankets is Sunday, December 19th.**



Greening of the Church and Cookie Exchange

The Altar Guild and Flower Guild invite you to help St. John's get ready for Christmas by sprucing up the church by placing poinsettias and greens as well as getting the manger ready for the Holiday season. There will also be a cookie exchange. If you like to participate, bring along a dozen homemade cookies and they will have holiday boxes to stuff your new tasty treats in. There will be Christmas carols, hot cocoa, wassail tea, refreshments, and great Fellowship.

Christmas Services



Christmas Cantata

Sunday, December 19th
2:00 p.m.

Presented by
St. John's Episcopal Church Choir

Christmas Eve Services

Friday, December 24th
5:00 p.m. – Family Service
10:00 p.m. – Choral Music
10:30 p.m. – Service
Midnight Mass

Christmas Day Service

December 25th
10:00 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S MINISTRY STAFF

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Office Hours

Monday-Friday
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Priest-In-Charge
The Rev. Bill Wade

Interim Associate/
Assistant Head of School
The Rev. Canon Jenny Vervynck

Pastoral Assistants
The Rev. John Tolley
The Rev. Dr. Al Stott

Parish Administrative Assistant
Wendy Romo

School Administrative Assistant
Sandy Martinez

ST. JOHN'S VESTRY

Ana Garcia	Senior Warden
David Dennehy	Junior Warden
Bill Cheney	Treasurer
Judy Butcher	Vestry Clerk

Bob Bailey	John Schilpp
Robert Smalley	Francois Maurice
Adrienne Shaw	Mark Jordan
Karen Duignan	Michael Morris

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

December 6 - December 12, 2010

MONDAY

		Room
7:00 p.m.	AI -Anon	9
7:15 p.m.	A.A. Meeting	7

TUESDAY

6:30 p.m.	Adult Bible Study	Nale Hall
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WEDNESDAY

7:15 p.m.	A.A. Meeting	9
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THURSDAY

7:30 p.m.	AA Thursday Night Sobriety	7
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FRIDAY

6:30 p.m.	A.A. Meeting	7
7:30 p.m.	A.A. Meeting	10

SATURDAY

6:00 p.m.	The Men of St. John's Christmas Party Tolley's Home	
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THIRD SUNDAY of ADVENT

7:30 am	A.A. Meeting	9
8:00 a.m.	Worship	Church
9:00 a.m.	Sunday Morning Adult Study	Nale Hall
10:00 a.m.	Sunday School	5
9:15 a.m.	A.A. Meeting	9
10:00 a.m.	Worship	Church
11:00 a.m.	Parish Meeting/Vision Statement	Nale Hall
5:30 p.m.	A.A. Meeting	9

Please pray for :

Valda Morton, Mark, Carl Ferguson,
Rosemary, Jane Hanniken, Rose Peters, Sylvia
Givens, Kathy Taylor, Olivia, Kay Lynch,
Michael, Lowell Sherman, and Les Cooper.



Prayer Request

We believe in the importance of prayer as a community. If you or someone you know would like to be included on our prayer list, please fill out this prayer request and return it to the church office or place it in the offering plate. Deadline is Wednesday of each week.

How long on the list? ___Weeks ___Perpetual

Name of person to be prayed for: _____

Need a pastoral visit? _____

Sick___ Hospital___ Troubled___ Death___

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday



Isaiah 35: 1-10
Psalm 146: 4-9
James 5: 7-10
Matthew 11: 2-11