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St. John's Episcopal Church Newsletter

June 3, 2010

PARISH COMMUNICATIONS

The Rev. Canon Jenny Vervynck is responsible for all Parish and School communications. Please send any event or calendar information to jenny@saint-johns.org with a copy to Sandy Martinez at sandy@saint-johns.org.

For the weekly E-News, please have information to Canon Jenny by Wednesday of the week of publication and for the Eagle Newsletter by the 15th of the month.

Thank you!

Important Dates

JUNE 3

Liturgy Team
Rector's Office
6:00 p.m.

JUNE 6

Youth Sunday
10:00 a.m.

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Becoming a Welcoming  
Church Workshop  
12:00 noon

## Informal Art Song and Chamber Music Concert Series - French Program

Our own choir member, Aleksandr Agamirzov, invites everyone to a wonderful concert series, Informal Art Song and Chamber Music - French Program.



Saturday, June 5, 2010  
7:00 p.m.

The Underhill Studio  
13680 Nob Avenue  
Del Mar Heights, CA

"I am very pleased to introduce to you chamber music and art song literature in concert from different countries of the world celebrating my One World, One People vision." says Aleksandr.

### Participating Artists

- Aysegul Underhill - Soprano/Pianist; Creator of One World, One People
- Marsha Ephraim - Soprano, San Diego Master Choral Soloist
- Elizabeth Podsiadlo - Mezzo Soprano, Opera Singing Chef and Author
- Georgetta Psaros - Former Mezzo Soprano, From Covant Gardent, London
- Aleksandr Agamirzov - Outstanding Russian Tenor
- John Danke - Accompanist, Distinguished Pianist

**JUNE 9**

School Board  
Room 8  
7:00 p.m.

**JUNE 12**

Vestry/School Board Task  
Force  
9:00 a.m.

**JUNE 14**

Women of St. John's  
Nale Hall  
7:00 p.m.

**JUNE 16**

Finance Committee  
Rector's Office  
3:30 p.m.

**JUNE 17**

Vestry Meeting  
Room 8  
7:00 p.m.

**JUNE 19**

Karen Jacobi Memorial  
Service  
1:00 p.m.

**JUNE 20**

Daughters of the King  
Staff Lounge  
9:00 a.m.

**JUNE 21**

Executive Committee  
Rector's Office  
4:45 p.m.

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Men of St. John's Meeting  
6:00 p.m.

**JUNE 23**

Personnel Committee  
Rector's office  
8:30 a.m.

St. John's  
Vestry

Karen Rockwell - Clarinet

# Youth Sunday

June 6

10:00 a.m. Service



The entire service will be led by youth. Children from our Sunday School, who have been learning about the Church and Holy Communion, will be recognized.

# Becoming the Welcoming Church Workshop

On Sunday, June 6, 12 noon to 3:00 p.m., we will hold the **Becoming the Welcoming Church Workshop**. We are blessed to have the Rev. Canon Steve Wendfeldt as our workshop leader. Canon Wendfeldt has been the rector several congregations and a member of two Bishops' Staffs. He has conducted over 1000 of these workshops around the country. He brings a wealth of knowledge, passion and energy to this important topic.



- How can we grow St. John's Church and invite more people to be a part of this wonderful faith community?
- How can we better incorporate people into the ministry and life of St. John's Church?
- What are the attitudes, tools and resources we need to be the most welcoming church in our community?
- How can we proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ in the most authentic way possible so that others will want to be a part of our ministry?

These and other questions will be answered as we learn more about **Becoming the Welcoming Church!** Join us on Sunday for lunch and this engaging in important work! If you plan to attend, please respond by email to [jenny@saint-johns.org](mailto:jenny@saint-johns.org).

# Sunday Adult Education



Sunday Adult Education begins again

The Rev. John Goddard

Senior Warden  
Ana Garcia

Junior Warden  
David Dennehy

Bill Cheney  
Treasurer

Vestry Clerk  
Judy Butcher

Bob Bailey  
Bill Cheney  
Mark Higginbotham  
Mark Jordan  
David Laufer  
François Maurice  
John Schilpp  
Adrienne Shaw  
Robert Smalley  
Joyce Vogel

## Altar Flowers

If you would like to give flowers for the altar in memory of someone or in thanksgiving for someone or an important event such as a birthday or anniversary, please send a check, including the date you request the flowers, to the Church Office for \$40 to cover the cost of flowers. Please also include your intentions for the flowers. You may also sign up for a specific date on the Flower Chart located in the Narthex of the Church.

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on June 6th at 9:00a.m. in Nale Hall.

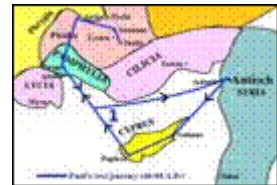
From Christ to Constantine:  
The Trials and Testimonies of the Early Church

## Tuesday Adult Education

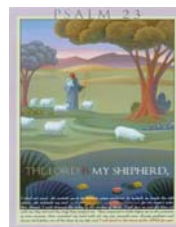
### The Book of Acts

Follow the development and the establishment of the early church after the resurrection of Jesus.

We meet on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-7:30 pm in Nale Hall.



## Karen Jacobi



We will celebrate the life of Karen Jacobi on **Saturday, June 19, 2010 at 1:00 pm**. The Rev. Walter Edleman will be the celebrant and preacher. All are invited to attend this important service in honor of Karen's life among us.

Karen was a gifted servant of our Lord at St. John's. She trained many Altar Guild members over her many years of service in her role of Altar Guild member and Directress. In addition to training members of the congregation, she trained many, many of the young people of St. John's School Altar Guild who serve the weekly Chapel services. Karen also served for many years as President of the Diocesan Altar Guild.

Karen's courageous battle against cancer was a testimony to her faith in God. Her beautiful smile, her gentle spirit and servant's heart have blessed many. The faithfulness of her husband Charlie as her caregiver is an inspiration and witness to God's love. May she rest in the peace of God's word, "Well done, good and faithful servant."

# United Thank Offering

The United Thank Offering (UTO) is a program of The Episcopal Church for the mission of the whole Church, founded by and administered by women since 1889. UTO addresses compelling human need through grants to projects that alleviate poverty, both domestically and internationally, within the Anglican provinces, dioceses, and companion dioceses.

If you did not receive a **Blue Box** last Sunday please pick one up this Sunday. We hope you will use this box to collect change to be brought to the ingathering.



On Sunday, June 20th, you are invited to "count your blessings" at the gathering of the **Blue Boxes**. Your contribution is a way to express your thankfulness to God for the blessings in your life. At St. John's, the UTO Ingathering is administered by The Women of St. John's and all donations to

UTO are tax deductible. Please make out your check to St. John's Episcopal Church and add UTO to the memo line.

For more information about the UTO Ingathering click on the Blue Box below.



## Feeding the Homeless

St. John's is feeding the homeless at South Bay Community Center at 1124 Bay Boulevard, Chula Vista on **Wednesday, June 9.**

We need:

+ Volunteers to serve  
(Please arrive at the South Bay Community Center at 4:30 p.m.)

+ Brownies for dessert  
(Please bring to Church on June 6)

+ Peanut butter and jelly to give out  
(Please bring to Church on May 30 and June 6)



The Sign-up sheet is available on the Ministry Table in the Narthex.



Click on the map for directions:

God Bless,  
Rene Malle  
(619) 395-3750

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Click on the images below to be directed to the links.

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*St. John's Episcopal Church and Parish Day School*



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