

The Rev. Bert Baetz,
Rector



The Rev. J. Michael
Wheeler
Assistant Priest



Ginny Stehling
Parish Administrator



Kristie Keese
Controller



David Miron, Dir.
of Music/Organist



Brian Blacklock
Children's and Youth
Minister

An angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream (Matthew 1:20).

Dear St. Peter's Family,

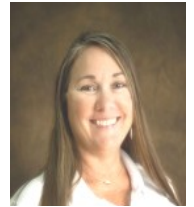
One year ago, I could only imagine what the year 2019 might look like for us at St. Peter's. At that time, we could see that several ministries were growing and new opportunities for ministry were beginning to surface. Twelve months ago, we could have only *pictured* a fruitful year of mission and ministry, and thanks be to God, the fruit has been born. No doubt, the year 2019 has been a fruit-bearing year of mission and ministry.

In reflecting on the past year and looking ahead to 2020, I am acutely aware of how the Nativity of Christ unfolded. In the Gospel of Matthew, we are told that the birth of Jesus the Messiah took place in this way. The angel of the Lord first appeared to Joseph in a *dream*. The angel of the Lord came to Joseph and stirred his imagination to see what it would look like to be involved in the birth of the Messiah. Would the dream come with challenges? Yes, that is why the angel of the Lord had to tell Joseph not to be afraid! However, the dream was a good dream and worth becoming a reality. Yes, the Lord was leading Joseph to see how the Savior of the World would come among us.

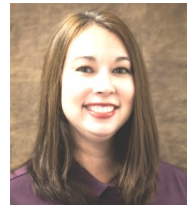
In the story of the Nativity, the Lord first came to Joseph in a dream, and *then* the Christ would be born among Joseph and his family. One year ago, many of us had hoped for a fruitful year of mission and ministry at St. Peter's. We could picture what it would look like for our mission to be accomplished to and through all ages in our parish. New faces came among us to be a part of the dream. Some departed into the larger life we know in the Lord. Ministries grew, and new ministries were birthed in the year 2019. Many of our dreams were realized, and we were able to see the Christ come among us.

In this Christmastide, perhaps we ought to let our imaginations be stirred. In this next year, what is God's dream for you? How might new fruit come to bear in your spiritual life? The angel of the Lord came to Joseph in a dream, and then God's plan for salvation unfolded to him and the world. May it continue to be true with us.

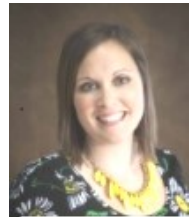
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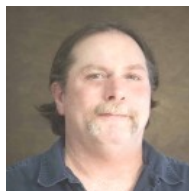
Janet Boutin,
Director, School



Felicia Lehmann,
Asst. Dir., School



Kara Joy Baker,
Choir Director



Guy Scott, Facilities
Manager



Bruce Heun,
Sexton

December Vestry Highlights

The Vestry met on Monday, December 16, 2019 at 5:30pm. Fr. Bert opened the meeting with prayers, a reading from the Book of Amos, and a short Advent meditation written by Bishop David Reed. Then, several members of the Vestry shared life and ministry moments.

The Vestry approved the minutes from the regular November meeting.

The November financials had been emailed to the Vestry by the Controller, Kristie Keese. The financials had also been reviewed by the Finance Commission. The reports showed that our overall income is at 96% and expenses are at 97%. The financial report was approved by the Vestry.

On behalf of St. Peter's Episcopal School, Dee Elliott reported to the Vestry. Dee reported on the school events and activities leading up to the holidays. She also shared that the board and administration are investigating options on replacing the dated smart boards in the classrooms. Finally, Dee shared that the school received an anonymous donation in the amount of \$5,165 to cover the cost of the library system upgrade.

On behalf of the St. Peter's School Board, Amy Rector spoke to Vestry upon the invitation of the Rector. Amy serves on the School Board and reported to the Vestry that the School Director, Janet Boutin, has been in correspondence with city representatives about designating St. Peter's School as an official school zone. The School Board supports this action taken by the city, and the Vestry also expressed its support of this action, making St. Peter's an official school zone.

Mickey Horany, Stewardship Commission Chair, reported to the Vestry. Mickey reported that members of the parish continue to turn in Estimate of Giving cards, and we as a parish continue to see a very encouraging trend in the response. More cards are being turned into the office, and seventy-five percent of the cards returned are new or increased commitments. Fr. Bert and others from the leadership team will continue to encourage households to join the majority of the parish in taking the next step and offering an estimate of giving to our church. The leadership teams plans to share final results after the New Year.

Lou Ann Maxwell, member of the Vestry and Delegates Nominating Committee, reported to the Vestry. The committee has several communicants in good standing on the slate, and nominations will close December 29.

David Martin, reported on the plan for capital repairs and improvements. He will work on getting bids for certain repairs and work with the Finance Commission on the appropriate sources of funding, as the Vestry directed to do so in the November meeting. Fr. Bert also mentioned that he and David Martin have discussed the possibility of improving the lighting in the nave. Fr. Bert received a free estimate from a professional lighting company that could enhance the lighting in our nave. He will work with David and others on the feasibility of that particular project. The Rector and Vestry expressed their appreciation to David in seeing the overall plan move to a plan of action.

Stephen Drane, Junior Warden, reported to the Vestry. Stephen is continuing to investigate options on relocating the green container on Jefferson or an alternative for a storage shed. He is now speaking with Janet Boutin and representatives from St. Peter's school about a covered parking structure for the school bus. Stephen has overseen the change in the architecture for the church bell, making it easier for people to ring the bell. Also, during the Junior Warden's report, it was noted that the Tucker Hall kitchen stove hood was replaced and the Vestry moved to cover the cost from funds designated for Tucker Hall.

Lou Ann Maxwell, Senior Warden, reported to the Vestry. Lou Ann reported on a couple of items of business related to payments from a bequest to the church and church-owned mineral rights. Lou Ann also touched on a concern related to the rental of Tucker Hall. Lou Ann, Mickey Horany, and members of the church staff will form a task force to review our contracts and policies. The task force will report back to the Vestry with any proposed revisions or changes in policy.

Fr. Bert reported to the Vestry. Fr. Bert reported on the programs and activities that have taken place in Advent, and he hopes to continue with new offerings like the Advent Quiet Day in next year's planning. Fr. Bert

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also handed out a list of organizations we as a church financially support through our operating budget. Our mission at St. Peter's is to give glory to God by knowing Christ and making him known to others. When we financially support other ministries and partner with them in their good work, it is part of meeting our mission at St. Peter's. Fr. Bert asked that the Vestry show its formal support of the following ministries for the purposes of our Outreach efforts at St. Peter's: Christian Assistance Ministry, Christian Men's Job Corp, Christian Women's Job Corp, Habitat for Humanity, Hill Country CARES, Hill Country Youth Ranch, K'Star Youth Shelter & Counseling, Raphael Community Clinic, Young Life, and Blessings in a Backpack at Starkey Elementary. The Vestry was unanimous in its support of these named ministries.

Under New Business, Mickey Horany spoke to work to be done with the task force to review our contracts and policies for the use of Tucker Hall. The Vestry offered some initial input, and the task force will report back to the Vestry in January. Also, under new business, the Vestry approved the St. Peter's School budget that had been reviewed and approved by the St. Peter's School Board.

The Vestry will review and approve the church budget at the January meeting. The Vestry held an executive session, and following the executive session, the Vestry and Rector closed their meeting with the Lord's Prayer. The meeting was then adjourned.

The next regular meeting will be Monday, January 13, at 5:30pm in the Multipurpose Room of Tucker Hall. As always, anyone in the parish is welcome to attend. If you wish to be on the agenda and speak, however, please notify the Rector no later than the previous Tuesday, January 7, when he writes the agenda and then sends the agenda to the Vestry.

A Message from Sam Hunnicutt... Farewell (but not Goodbye!)

Dear St. Peter's Family,

By the time you read this, Julianne and I will most likely be re-located to Junction where Bishop Reed has assigned me, Deacon-in-Charge of Trinity Episcopal church. As we enter servant ministry in the Episcopal church, we want you to know how much we love and appreciate all of you at St. Peter's. Whether or not you realize it, you have been our spiritual parents and siblings. You have had a tremendous role in teaching and forming us into the Episcopalian Christians we are today. We will take a part of you with us wherever we go! We will ever be grateful to God for you.

The love and extravagant generosity you showered on me in the context of my ordination in November will remain a highlight of my spiritual life and journey. It's my hope it will be a source of joy and pride for our entire parish for years to come. Your presence and prayers made the service even more meaningful for me.

The reception afterward was a wonderful time of fellowship, strengthening existing relationships and kindling new ones. From Rector to Sexton, and everyone in between, you all showed forth your gift of hospitality.

As Julianne and I begin this new adventure in service to Christ, manifested through the people of Trinity Parish, we ask that you continue to uplift us in prayer: that God would use the gifts He has given us, that we might make a positive difference, for his sake, in the life of that parish and a Christ-focused impact on the lives of the people of Junction.

Finally, this is a note of farewell, but not goodbye. Undoubtedly you will see us again, and likely often; the trip to Junction has become shorter every time we've driven it. As God provides, I look forward to a future of collaboration between St. Peter's and Trinity. Who knows what God might do?

In the imperturbable words of Tiny Tim, "God Bless Us, Everyone!"

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Sunday January 5
5 pm

Epiphany
SERVICE OF LIGHT
with children's chapel



**Celebrate
the Light of
Christ
Coming into
the World**

WITH BURNING OF THE GREENS
followed by
ROASTING OF THE HOTDOGS & S'MORES

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Telephone/Visitation Ministry

We ask that you assist us in identifying any in our parish who may benefit from our ministry. Every month we visit, by phone or in person, our members who are not able to attend church because of circumstances that keep them away. It may be a permanent condition or one that lasts only a few months. If you know of someone who might benefit, let us know their name and contact information.

Those involved in this ministry know that it is important to help each of us to glorify God by knowing Christ and helping others to know him. We have found it rewarding and realize that we may have need of it ourselves someday. Won't you consider volunteering for this compassionate service? A visit or call is all that is needed with the simple message that, "We are thinking of you."

We meet once a month at 11:00 a.m. on the 2nd Thursday in the church library to apprise our parish priest of the health and well-being of those we contact.

For more information, please contact one of our members or Karen Weber at 830-895-9566 or email at tkweber@windstream.net.

Thank you,
Karen Weber

Nancy Jenkins	903-805-9008	njenkins44@gmail.com
Fr. Mike Wheeler	257-8162 (church)	mike@stpeterskerrville.com
Ross Rommel	238-4694	arossrommel@gmail.com
John & Florence Murray	792-3716	jfmurray@ktc.com
Carter Crain	713-417-4801	fcc@me.com

WANTED: HOSPITAL VOLUNTEERS

Peterson Hospital Auxiliary is looking for caring, compassionate volunteers to join its auxiliary. Currently, new volunteers are needed in the following areas:

Gift Shop, Information Desk, Parking Lot Shuttle Drivers and Surgical Waiting Room Liaisons.

If you are interested, please contact Volunteer Coordinator, Judy Jones at (830) 258-7630 or at jjones@petersonhealth.com

Do You Know Someone Who is in Need of a Meal?

St. Peter's E.C.W. has a special ministry dedicated to providing a meal for those who are ill or are headed home from the hospital.

If you are in need of a meal, or know someone who needs one, Rosemary's Helping Hands wants to help!

Please call our office volunteers at 830-257-8162 and leave the name, phone number, and address of the individual. Rosemary's Helping Hands will be alerted right away!



Men - The Women Are Way Ahead It's Time to Catch Up!

When you take a look around at St. Peter's, it becomes readily apparent that the women of our parish are far more organized and active in parish ministries than are the men. Every woman in the church is a member of the ECW, a very active organization that meets routinely and sponsors numerous parish initiatives. There is the Cottage Shop, which is operated by our women and which generates significant income for various parish programs. Then there are the Daughters of the King, a vibrant and growing women's initiative within our parish committed to prayer, study and Christian action. We cannot leave out the Altar Guild, a group of very dedicated women who are instrumental in assisting the clergy and preparing the sanctuary for worship. So also we have the St. Jerome's Library Guild, another group that serves our parish in a very meaningful manner.

In comparison we men seem to come up somewhat short. We have our Tuesday lunch group that meets to discuss football and current events. And we have our Holy Smokers, who cook from time to time for parish events. But that is about it as far as organized men's programs are concerned. Don't get us wrong. This observation is not meant to demean or malign our men in any manner. Many of our men sing in the choir, help maintain our facilities, participate in our worship services and help usher. But the women do those things too. What we are talking about here is the dearth of organized men's programs in the parish. We could use them.

Understanding this, a number of our men recently commenced discussing the benefits that might redound to the parish were the men to become more proactive in their efforts to initiate and further new men's programs at St. Peters. Among other things, these discussions led to the formation of our new Brotherhood of St. Andrew Chapter. So far 15 of our men have joined this group, which meets twice monthly and which is committed to prayer, study and service to our church and community. This is a good start. These men have identified 2 initiatives for the coming year. First, a 3-day Youth Retreat to be attended by teen age boys from our parish, their fathers and other men from St. Peters. Second, the resurrection of the St. Peter's Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner. Additionally, our Brotherhood chapter intends to help channel volunteers from our parish to worthy projects conducted by groups such as Dietert Center and Habitat for Humanity. In addition, the Brotherhood intends to rekindle our efforts toward mentoring at B.T. Wilson and certain other area schools.

So, we men have a way to go to catch up with our women. But we have had a good start. We encourage our men who may not have already done so to give serious thought to becoming more active in parish affairs. Consider joining the Brotherhood or at least joining in some of the projects it will initiate this coming year. The men listed below are each members of the group and will be pleased to answer any questions you may have about our chapter.

Bert Baetz	Sam Hunnicutt
Larry Baird,	Ross Rommel
Brian Blacklock	Calvin Smajstrla
Carter Crain	Ted Whittier
Jim Hayes	Dave Weekley
Mickey Horany	Jon Wilems
James Horne	

All The Things

As we step into the new year, let's take a quick second to look in the rear view mirror before we charge off into new beginnings! Advent was an amazing season full of smiles and laughter, silence and reflection, friends and family. St. Peter's seemed to overflow with joy and anticipation for the coming of our King.

We started the season by transforming cedar boughs into a tool for family reflection at our Advent Wreath Night. Some of us walked from church to church, celebrating this anticipation in ecumenical fellowship during the Annual Christmas Walk. Then we had a special Saint (Nick) from Myra, Turkey who came and shared his stories of stewardship that bloomed into legend. Toys were gathered by the school children for those who needed a smile. Supplies were amassed for our wonderful teachers. Rations were boxed up for CAM to distribute to those in need. Quiet reflection was had as we read through the prophecies foretelling of our King dispersed with carols in between. Don't forget that night Mr. & Mrs. Claus sat for a night of sheer celebration as we decked the halls with spaghetti and meatballs! Pageants were had, dinners were shared, gifts were given. All the things... We did all the things for Christ who is our King.



-Brian Blacklock



Coming together as a Parish
ANNUAL
meeting

of **ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

We give glory to God by knowing Christ and making Him known to others.

January 26, 2020

Two services
8 am and 10 am
Annual meeting will follow the
10 am service.

Elect Vestry Members - Approve 2020 Budget
Join us to celebrate the past year and look
ahead to what God has in store for us in the coming year.



THE COTTAGE SHOP

(830) 257-0290

Hours are:

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 9-5pm
or Saturday, 9-1pm

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**The Cottage Shop Volunteers
thank the ECW
for the outstanding
“Thank you” lunch!**

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We appreciate the super-nice
Sellable items! This is a true
example of cooperation !!

**YOU thank us, &
WE thank you!**

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Add it up= SUCCESS!

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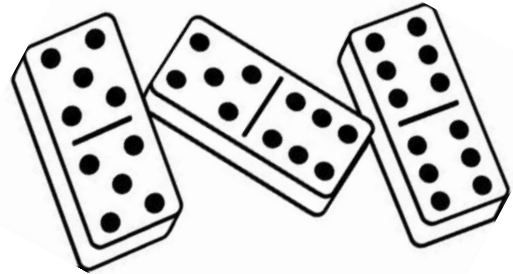
Happy New Year!

Thank you



Senior Games

2nd and 4th
Wednesdays of each month
2:00 - 5:15 pm
in the Multi-Purpose Room
by Tucker Hall



*We play for fun -
no strict rules!*

**Bring your own game!
Bring a friend!**

**We welcome all friendly
competition!**

For more information, call Ginny
in the church office - 257-8162

Adult Sunday School Offerings

INTO THE WORLD: THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

Multi-Purpose Room, Tucker Hall

Sunday, Jan. 5: 9:00 AM - "On to Macedonia and Philippi"
Sunday, Jan. 12: 10:15 AM - "Paul Upsets the Empire"
Sunday, Jan. 19: 10:15 AM - "Riots and Encouragement"
Sunday, Jan. 26: 9:00 AM - "Story Without End"

**This class will resume
Jan. 5, 2020!**

*please note class times

Christian Formation through Bible study...

"Throughout the Bible God calls a people together, promises to be present with them in love, and sends them into the world to live for God. The Book of Acts is the continuation of this story that began with the call of Abraham and Sarah and has not yet ended. Acts holds a pivotal place in the Bible's story. If the Gospels link the promises God made to Israel with the coming of Jesus, then the Book of Acts links Jesus to the church which bears his name." (*From the introduction of, "Into The World: The Acts of the Apostles."*)

NEWS, REVIEWS & SPECIAL TOPICS

AV Room 2nd floor in the church office

Sundays, 10:15am-11:10am

Dane Tune, leader

A continuing, usually provocative, sometimes controversial and never dull examination of current events in both religious and secular worlds with an eye to the moral and ethical content of these events. This class is designed to raise both the ethical and moral issues in our contemporary culture and to provide our thought about appropriate religious and specifically Christian responses to them. While the subject is carefully prepared, the class encourages full discussion from the participants.

**This class will resume
Jan. 12, 2020!**

SPIRITUAL FORMATION

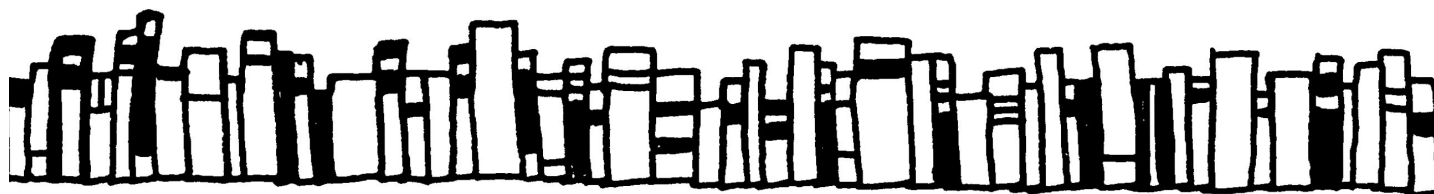
Church library

Sundays, 10:15am-11:10am

Susan Clark, leader

The spiritual formation group chooses and studies books on many different subjects related to our Christian faith. The class begins with prayer and then members enjoy a lively discussion of the chapter read for the day. Everyone's opinion matters and is respected by the group. Everyone is welcome so grab a coffee and pastry and come be part of the group!

**This class will resume
Jan. 12, 2020!**



Sundays for Children

NURSERY (year round)

Ages: 0-2 years
When: 9:00 am - 12:30 pm
Where: Shelton Hall Room 3
Contact: Mayra Sifuentes, Childcare Staff
Mayrastar0123@gmail.com
Brian Blacklock, Children's & Youth Minister
brian@stpeterskerrville.com

Our church nursery is in Shelton Hall Room 3. Children ages 0-2 will be cared for and supervised by our Childcare Staff.

PRE-SCHOOL (during the school year)

Ages: 3-4 years
When: 9:15 am and 11:15 am
Where: Shelton Hall Room 2
Contact: Brian Blacklock, Children's & Youth Minister
brian@stpeterskerrville.com

Preschoolers are invited to attend our lectionary-based child care. Parents may drop their little ones off in Shelton Hall Room 2 before service begins. Kids will hear a story relating to the weekly Gospel reading, practice a memory verse, and either play a game or make a small craft. Children with parental permission will be escorted to "big church" to join their parents in time for the Peace and Holy Communion. Children without permission will join the nursery in Shelton Hall Room 3.

SUNDAY SCHOOL (during the school year)

Ages: Pre-school – High School
When: 10:15 am
Where: Pre-School, Shelton Hall Room 2
K-5th grade, Chapel
6-12th grade, Youth Room
Contact: Brian Blacklock, Children's & Youth Minister
brian@stpeterskerrville.com
Jennifer Ligon, Children's Ministry Coordinator
Carter Crain, Children's Ministry Volunteer

We are pleased to offer Sunday School to all of our children and teenagers. We will join the parish as it follows Bishop Reed's invitation to study the Book of Acts. We will break up the book in small manageable 4-6 week series with breaks to study Advent and Lent.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL (year round)

Ages: Kindergarten- 5th Grade
When: 9:15 am Service
Where: Chapel
Contact: Brian Blacklock, Children's & Youth Minister
brian@stpeterskerrville.com

We are pleased to offer Children's Chapel in our newly restored Chapel. At the gospel hymn, school aged children will process from "big church" to the chapel where they will partake in a child oriented liturgical service complete with songs, a Gospel reading, lectionary-based lesson, our children's creed and a brief Prayers of the People. Children will return to "big church" to join their family in time for the Peace and Holy Communion.

Wednesday Nights at St. Peter's

5:15 pm - Holy Eucharist

5:45 pm - Wednesday Night Supper (Suppers resume January 8th)

*Join us for our weekly fellowship dinner.
Suggested donation is \$5 per person.*

6:30 pm - Nursery opens in Shelton 3

6:30 pm - Sisters and Scripture, Church Parlor

6:30 pm - The Episcopal Way, AV Room, Church office

6:30 pm - Kings Kids, Youth Room

SISTERS AND SCRIPTURE – Church Parlor (Resumes Jan. 8)

6:30-7:30 pm, Lisa Earl, Leader - lisaearl29@gmail.com

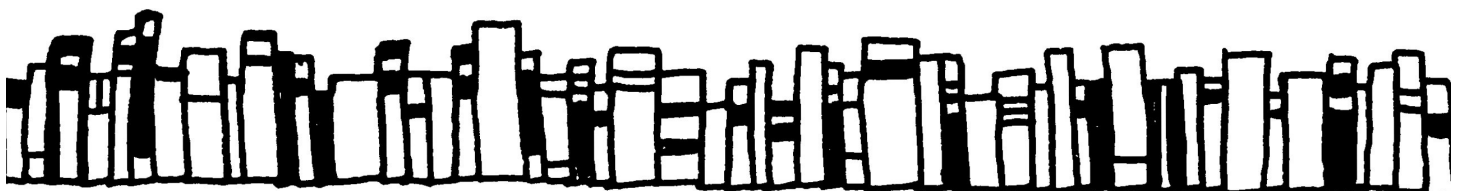
The women in Sisters and Scriptures come together for prayer and study. This year the group will study *Inspired* by Rachel Held Evans. Sisters and Scriptures is a woman's bible study geared toward young adult women. Please join us on Wednesday evenings!

**** Coming January 8th ****

THE EPISCOPAL WAY - AV Room, Church Office

6:30-7:30 pm, Bert Baetz, Leader - bert@stpeterskerrville.com

If you are interested in learning more about the Episcopal Church and/or desire to be confirmed in the Episcopal Church, then this is the class for you! The Episcopal Way goes deeper than our Newcomers Class, as this class is tailored for inquirers and those seeking to be confirmed/received into the Episcopal Church.



Class Offerings

Throughout the week



Path of Life – Multipurpose Room in Tucker Hall

Wednesdays 10:30 am - Noon

Becky Purl and Betty Mosty, leaders

Path of Life (POL) will be studying the book Walk in Love – a journey through the Book of Common Prayer guided by two Episcopal priests. It is a look at the practices and beliefs found within the Episcopal faith. Books will be available for purchase at the first class, September 11, 2019. Everyone is welcome to join this caring, sharing and fun Bible study.

Contemplative Prayer – Church office 2nd floor conference room

Tuesdays 2-3 pm and Fridays 10-11 am

Susan Parker, leader

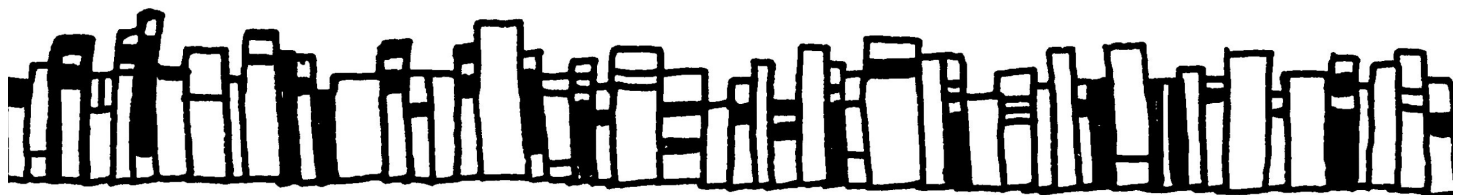
St. Peter's sponsors two contemplative prayer groups. We begin with a brief sacred reading, which leads us into a time of silence that lasts about 20 minutes. The goal is to support one another in private contemplative prayer and meditation and share our faith journeys. We are affiliated with Contemplative Outreach LTD and World Community for Christian Meditation. For information contact Susan Parker at parkers710@gmail.com or 257-3918.

Friday Book Study – Church office 2nd floor Audio-Visual Room

Fridays 11 am – Noon

Susan Parker, contact person

This group reads and discusses books that stretch our faith and help us to grow. Some of the authors we have read include Richard Rohr, Ronald Rolheiser, Ilia Delio, John Spong, Diarmuid O'Murchu, and Belden Lane. The groups is led by a facilitator. Discussion is encouraged; the group is ecumenical. September 6 we will begin discussion on *Atoms and Eden: Conversations on Religion & Science* by Steve Paulson. Contact Susan Parker at parkers710@gmail.com or 257-3918 for more information.



ST. JEROME'S JOTS

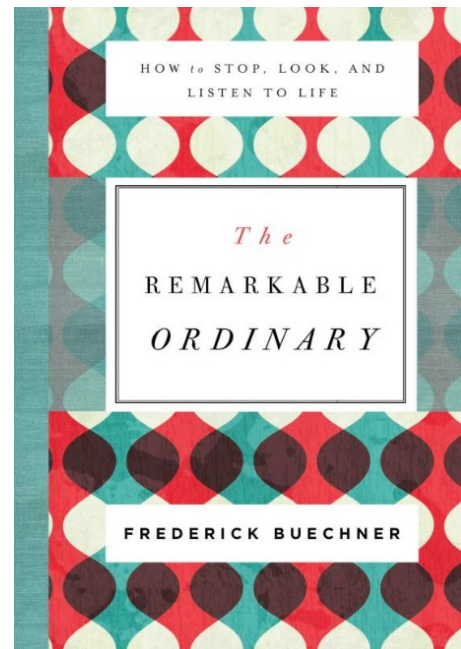
Please join St. Jerome's Guild on Wednesday, **January 8, at 2:00 PM in Tucker Hall**. Our own St. Peter's member Ted Whittier will present a review of The Remarkable Ordinary: How to Stop, Look, and Listen to Life by Frederick Buechner.

From the Amazon website:

Your remarkable life is happening right here, right now. You may not be able to see it – your life may seem predictable and your work insignificant until you look at your life as Frederick Buechner does.

Based on a series of mostly unpublished lectures, Frederick Buechner reveals how to stop, look, and listen to your life. He reflects on how both art and faith teach us how to pay attention to the remarkableness right in front of us, to watch for the greatness in the ordinary, and to use our imaginations to see the greatness in others and love them well.

As you learn to listen to your life and what God is doing in it, you will uncover the plot of your life's story and the sacred opportunity to connect with the Divine in each moment.



PLEASE NOTE! On Sunday January 19, at the 11:15 service, St. Jerome's Guild and the Chancel Choir will honor Cappy Alexander with the blessing of the St. Jerome Icon and special music from the choir. The icon was jointly purchased by the Chancel Choir and St. Jerome's Guild as a memorial to Cappy, her dedication to the choir, the church library, and St. Peter's.

The next meeting of St. Jerome's Guild will be a regular business meeting at 2:00 on Wednesday February 5, 2020. We will meet in the library.



Labyrinth Guild

Many thanks to Frank and Cindy Bachman who donated two canvas labyrinths to St. Peter's. The larger one is 24 feet in diameter, a 7 circuit Modified Medieval Chartres variation, the smaller is 7 feet in Diameter- a 3 circuit Chartres center style. The smaller one was donated specifically to St. Peter's School. Both labyrinths are available for rental for a minimal charge going to the Labyrinth Guild. Both are stored in portable wheeled luggage along with instructions.

Cindy Bachman will be conducting 2 training sessions-

- January 4th is primarily for the Labyrinth Guild with 2 sessions-10-12 and 1-3
- January 11th is for primarily for Day School teachers from 11-1 with light lunch provided.

The Labyrinth Guild invites anyone to sign up for training or stop by just to see the new canvas labyrinths. RSVP to Cindy Bachman at bachman@omniglobal.net

FRIDAY BOOK STUDY

We meet every Friday - 11 am to Noon in the Audio-Visual Room in the Office Building.

Anyone is welcome - please join us!

We are discussing *Atoms and Eden: Conversations on Religion & Science* by Steve Paulson.



On the book jacket: "Here is an unprecedented collection of twenty freewheeling and revealing interviews with major players in the ongoing--and increasingly heated--debate about the relationship between religion and science.

"In *Atoms and Eden*, the Peabody Award-winning journalist Steve Paulson explores this complex subject with a host of intellectual luminaries, including Richard Dawkins, Karen Armstrong, E.O. Wilson, Sam Harris, Elaine Pagels, Francis Collins, Daniel Dennett, Jane Goodall, Paul Davies, and Steven Weinberg. The interviewees include Christians, Buddhists, Jews, and Muslims, as well as agnostics and atheists. Collectively, these engaging and intellectually rich conversations cover some of the most profound ideas and debates of our time: the Big Bang, the nature of consciousness, the meaning of God, and much more."

Do you need help with your **ONLINE GIVING?**

Instructions for logging into St. Peter's ONLINE GIVING:

Go to the church website:
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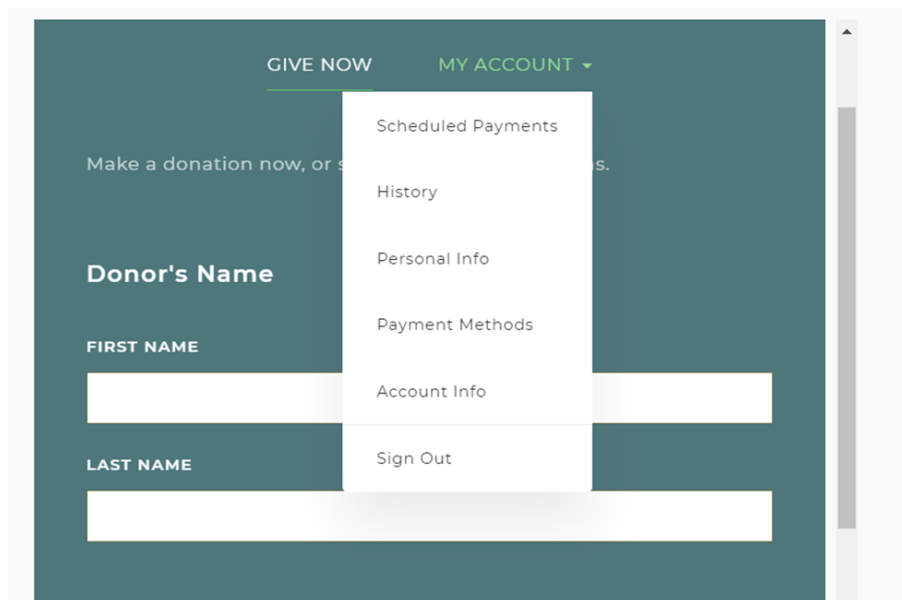
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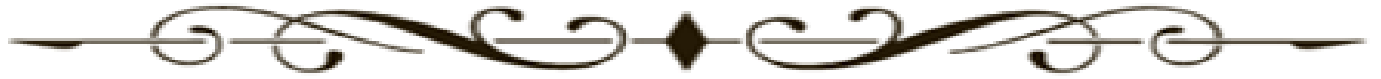
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EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN

GENERAL MEETING AND LUNCHEON

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH

TUCKER HALL

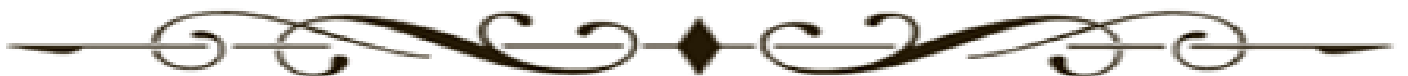
GATHERING AT 10:00

MEETING AT 10:30

LUNCHEON TO FOLLOW

OUR PROGRAM WILL BE: ORGAN 101

David Miron will show us and tell us all about what the new organ will be able to do!



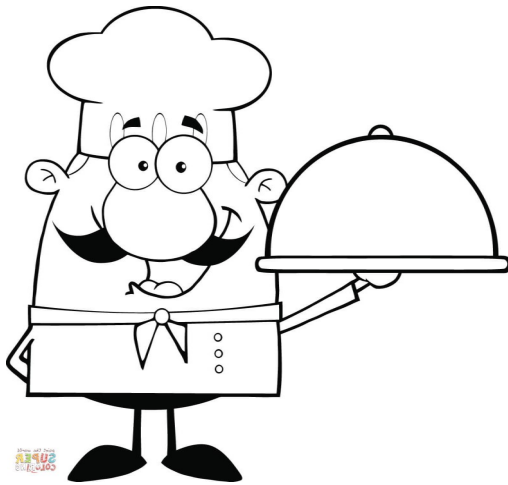
BEST TIMERS

Meet us Jan 23 ~ 11:30 am

At **China Bowl**

208 Cully Dr.

Kerrville, Texas



All ages are invited to our
social hour luncheon each month
RSVP to Lynda Griffin
At lk.grffn@gmail.com OR (830) 896-5163

We have the BEST time!

Coming up:

February 27 - Schreiner Cafeteria

March 26 - El Sol de Mexico

April 23- Sake Home Cooking

JANUARY USHER SCHEDULE

10:00 am Jan. 5

Gail Brown
David Brown
Nellwyn Sadler

9:15 am services

Jan. 12 Barbara Jansen
Larry Baird
Hiram Wilson

Jan. 19 Sarah Hilburn
Junior Hilburn
Andy Bachofen

11:15 am services

Harriett Ritter
Jesse Filgo
Doug Holmes
John Pike

10:00 am Jan. 26

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Jesse Filgo
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John Pike

*Thank you for your
dedication & service!*

Thank You

School Registration 2020-21

It's hard to believe but its already time to register for school again. As a Church member, you have a special week to register for school and **Church Registration Week starts February 24th**. The School has openings for students 2 years of age through Kindergarten.

Our early childhood program includes P.E., Library, Children's Chapel, Music, Gymnastics and many long-standing traditional events (Teddy Bear Parade, Grandparents Chapel, P.J. Day, Mother's Day Chapel and more). Hopefully, you've seen our students and these events featured in the local papers. Our Pre-K 4's and Kindergarten programs have Smart-Board technology. We are proud to be the only private school in our area with this learning technology.

If you know a Church family that would be interested in our very special school, please have them contact the School Office. Registration information and Enrollment Packets can be filled in and downloaded from the Church website: www.stpeterskerrville.com.

Janet Boutin,
School Director
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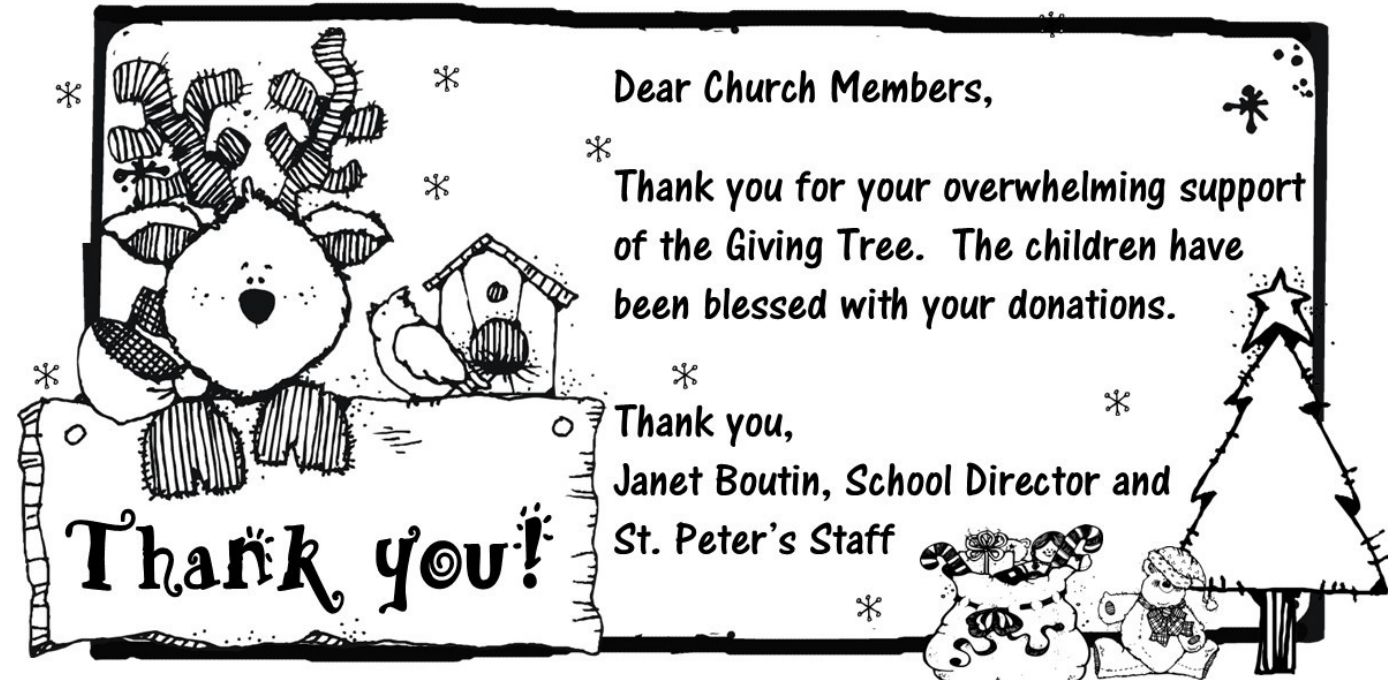


Dear Church Members,

Thank you for your overwhelming support of the Giving Tree. The children have been blessed with your donations.

Thank you,
Janet Boutin, School Director and
St. Peter's Staff

Thank you!



Celebrating with you in January!

Happy Birthday to you:

Carol	Greene	1-Jan	Maurice	McAshan III	11-Jan	Madison	Blacklock	20-Jan
Shirley	Horstmann	1-Jan	Joan	McCollom	11-Jan	Peyton	Maloney	20-Jan
Hank	Grant	2-Jan	Rolinda	Schmidt	11-Jan	Bill	Johnson	22-Jan
David	Johnson	2-Jan	Horatio	Aldredge	12-Jan	Cindy	Welch	22-Jan
Grace	Maricle	4-Jan	Marianne	Crain	12-Jan	Al	Casals	24-Jan
Carol	Milberger	4-Jan	Sean	Foreman	12-Jan	Rich	Schneider III	24-Jan
Ted	Whittier	4-Jan	Susan	Vann	12-Jan	Alexis	Maloney	25-Jan
Andrea	O'Neal	5-Jan	Sarah	Hilburn	13-Jan	Trey	Russ	26-Jan
Roger	McRoberts	7-Jan	Randall	Hamilton	14-Jan	John	Fleckenstein	27-Jan
Susan	Motley	7-Jan	Logan	Cook	15-Jan	Yvonne	Sherron	27-Jan
Emily	Russ	7-Jan	Amy	Bosworth	16-Jan	Kyle	DeVore	28-Jan
Phillip	Beene	8-Jan	Kathryn	Clark	16-Jan	Camdyn	Hale	29-Jan
Emily	McRae	8-Jan	Leighton	Hale	16-Jan	Hunter	Hale	29-Jan
Cathy	Murray	9-Jan	Larry	Kalinec	16-Jan	Luke	Hale	29-Jan
Janet	Smajstrla	9-Jan	Linda	Cota	17-Jan	Conner	Schmidt	29-Jan
Richard	Ferris	10-Jan	Joyce	Gilbreath	18-Jan	Mike	Smajstrla	29-Jan
Robert	Jons	10-Jan	Granger	MacDonald	18-Jan	Samuel	Zarbaugh	30-Jan
Roy	Blackbird	11-Jan	Becky	Carter	19-Jan			

H A P P Y
Anniversary

Pam & Charles	McCaskill	1-Jan
Shari & Bryant	Truitt	4-Jan
Sue & Dane	Tune	8-Jan
Joanne & Ed	Lynch	13-Jan
Linda & Donald	Capps	15-Jan
Anne & Dan	Burt	18-Jan
Kathy & Mark	Voss	21-Jan
Kay & Jim	Hayes	24-Jan
Bonnie & Ed	Longcope	24-Jan
Linda & John	Pipkin	27-Jan
Lois & Lee	Underwood	30-Jan



Happy
New
Year

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THE REV. SAM HUNNICUTT, DEACON
BRIAN BLACKLOCK, CHILDREN'S & YOUTH
GINNY STEHLING, PARISH ADMINISTRATOR
JANET BOUTIN, SCHOOL DIRECTOR
FELICIA LEHMANN, SCHOOL ASSISTANT DIR.
DAVID MIRON, DIR. OF MUSIC/ORGANIST
KARA JOY BAKER, CHANCEL CHOIR DIR.
GUY SCOTT, FACILITIES MANAGER
BRUCE HEUN, SEXTON
KRISTIE KEESE, CONTROLLER

VESTRY

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STEPHEN DRANE, JR WARDEN
CATHERINE KERN, CLERK
LOU ANN MAXWELL, SR WARDEN
ERIC MALONEY

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January



1	Wednesday	5:15PM	Paula Karl
5	Sunday	8:00 AM	Rita Self/Dave Weekley
		10:00AM	Amy Ives/Mills Ligon/Fred Henneke
8	Wednesday	5:15 PM	Kay Hayes
12	Sunday	8:00 AM	Deidra Harmer/LouAnn Maxwell
		9:15 AM	Ted Whittier/Brian Blacklock
		11:15 AM	Kay Hayes/Jim Hayes
15	Wednesday	5:15 PM	Imelda Horne
19	Sunday	8:00 AM	Rita Self/Kim Chatalain
		9:15 AM	Imelda Horne/Andy Bachofen
		11:15 AM	Kevin Devore/Lynda Devore
22	Wednesday	5:15 PM	Andy Bachofen
26	Sunday	8:00 AM	Charlie McIlvain/Deidra Harmer
		10:00 AM	Nicia Oakes/Doug Holmes/Susan Parker
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