



# THE MESSENGER

OF ST. PETER'S PARISH, OAKLAND, CA

May, 2019



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The Rev. Michael Mautner, Rector

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## St. Peter's Calendar

- ❖ May 5 Cinco de Mayo party, ACW meeting, recognition of May birthdays with cake, and the monthly fellowship hike led by Mia Kingshill
  - ❖ May 6, 13, & 27 Kiwanis Club meets for lunch in St. Peter's Social Hall.
  - ❖ May 12 Mother's Day
  - ❖ May 15-18 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Synod of the Diocese of the Western States, Lafayette Park Hotel
  - ❖ May 19 Vestry Meeting
  - ❖ May 19 Youth camp scholarship breakfast to raise money for St. Peter's youth to attend the summer camp.
  - ❖ May 27 Memorial Day
  - ❖ June 2 Hike following coffee hour.
  - ❖ June 9 Knitting group during/following coffee hour.
  - ❖ June 16 Vestry Meeting (Father's Day)
  - ❖ June 30: Bingo during coffee hour, hosted by Jen Longsworth.
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*Alleluia! The strife is o'er, the battle done,  
The victory of life is won. Alleluia!*







Rose Sunday  
*(Tabatha Thomas Photo)*



Palm Sunday Procession



The Altar of Repose  
*(Pam Dammen Photo)*

Blessing of the Font



The Paschal Vigil

Sharing the Light







*(Chris Sunderland Photo)*

## St. Peter's Parish Rummage Sale

The ACW is planning a Rummage Sale in June. The date will be announced later and will probably be June 22 or June 23. Bring gently used items you were planning on donating or discarding. They can be stored in one of the store rooms in the Parish Hall. Proceeds will benefit the parish. Ω

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## Knitting Group Starts in June

The ACW is starting a knitting club, which will take place every second Sunday of the month during coffee hour. This is your chance to knit together friendships as well as scarves, sweaters, and other warm fuzzy things. Ω

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## May Bay Area Musical Offerings

*Compiled By Mia Kingshill*

**Resonance:** Featuring Elizabeth Forsyth, organist. First Church organist Elizabeth Forsyth will trace how organists influenced each other from Dieterich Buxtehude in 17th century Denmark to Louis Vierne in 20th century France. Brilliant playing in a great acoustic setting. Tickets: \$15 – 25 <https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/3568222>  
Friday, May 3 8:00pm First Church, 2345 Channing Way, Berkeley

**San Francisco City Chorus:** Three relatively rare choral gems will be performed in the 40-voice Spring Concert: Franz Schubert's Mirjams Siegesgesang (Miriam's Song of Triumph), Felix Mendelssohn's Drie Geistliche Lieder (Three Sacred Anthems), and Alexander Gretchaninov's Missa Festiva.

Tickets: \$15 - \$20 <https://www.sfcitychorus.org/>  
Saturday, May 4 3:00pm Old First Presbyterian Church, 1751 Sacramento St., San Francisco

**St. Petersburg Men's Ensemble:** The St. Petersburg Men's Ensemble brings an a cappella program alive with the energy and grandeur of a full choir. The quartet vocalists Kirill Sokolov, Sergey Shapinskiy, Andrei Volikov, and Vadim Smantser blend their voices in powerful presentations of Classical, Romantic, Contemporary, and Folk repertoires in performances that move and inspire. The Ensemble will perform Lotti's "Miserere", Mozart's "Ave Verum", Thompson's "Alleluia", Shemer's "Jerusalem of Gold", and other favorites, plus a splash of traditional Russian Folk and other cultural pieces.

Tickets: Donation (Average \$20/\$10 students, but ALL are welcome, regardless of donation)  
<https://diocal.org/events/st-petersburg-mens-ensemble-performs-st-paul-s-walnut-creek>  
Saturday, May 11 7:00pm St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1924 Trinity Avenue, Walnut Creek

**Redwood Family Center Benefit:** Redwood Family Center is a faith-based non-profit located in Modesto operating a drug treatment center serving women who are currently seeking a safe place to reunite with their children and start the journey of recovery from substance abuse. Join us as we bring in two Christian artists for an evening of great music in a benefit concert to support local women and children. The concert will feature JJ Heller, Christian Folk, and Brandon Heath, Contemporary Christian Pop and Acoustic.

Tickets: \$35 - \$45 <https://tickets.galloarts.org/single/EventDetail.aspx?p=7415>  
Thursday, May 23 7:00pm Mary Stuart Rogers Theater, Gallo Center for the Arts, 1000 I St, Modesto. Ω



## Regular Weekly Services

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion  
10:00 a.m. Sung Eucharist, Sermon & Church School  
Wednesday: 12:15 p.m. Holy Communion  
Thursday 7:00-8:00 p.m. Scripture Class

**Confessions by appointment.**

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## Vestry

Senior Warden:	Conrad Sweeting	Tim Cadoo	Shari Plunkett
Junior Warden:	Gordon "Bud" Warder	Gil Collins	Monty Stanford
	Jennifer Longworth	Gill Daley	Matt Thompson

Treasurer (Non-vestry): Deborah Stanford Clerk (Non-vestry): Eugenia Larson

**WELCOME:** We welcome single people as well as families and children to Saint Peter's. Nursery is provided for babies through age two. Church School instruction is provided for age three through twelve. Teens are welcome to help out as volunteers in the Nursery or in the Sunday School. For more information, please pick up a brochure in the narthex or contact the Church School Superintendent, Eliza Kirkpatrick at [elizakirkpatrick@gmail.com](mailto:elizakirkpatrick@gmail.com).

The Messenger may be viewed online at the St. Peter's web site:

<http://www.saintpetersoakland.com/>