

# CATHEDRAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

*To Our Visitors — Welcome! Please accept a welcome gift from the ushers as they are offered during the time of Announcements. It has information, some gifts, and a card for you to fill out if you like. We hope you will fill out the card and put it in the offering plate because it will help us know about your needs. We promise that this will not generate junk mail.*

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### MONDAY FEBRUARY 22

8:30am Morning Prayer  
12Noon NA Meeting  
5:45pm Holy Eucharist  
7:00pm Stephen Ministry - All

### TUESDAY 23

9:00am Morning Prayer  
12Noon NA Meeting  
12:10pm Holy Eucharist  
1:30pm Stephen Ministry PSG  
4:30pm Executive Committee  
6:00pm Centering Prayer  
7:00pm Handbell Choir rehearsal

### WEDNESDAY 24

8:30am Morning Prayer  
9:00am Holy Eucharist  
10:00am Mom's, Pop's & Tot's  
12Noon NA Meeting  
6:30pm TREE  
7:00pm Cathedral Choir rehearsal

### THURSDAY 25

9:00am Morning Prayer  
12Noon NA Meeting  
12Noon Lunch Bunch  
4:30pm Creative Writing  
5:45pm Holy Eucharist  
6:15pm Community Dinner  
7:00pm TNAC Classes  
7:00pm Journey With Jesus  
7:00pm Celebration Choir rehearsal

### FRIDAY 26

8:30am Morning Prayer  
9:00am Holy Eucharist  
12Noon NA Meeting  
1:00pm Resume workshop  
3:00pm Jobless Support Group  
7:00pm Stations of the Cross

### SATURDAY 27

3:00pm St. John's Shelter Dinner prep.  
5:10pm Casual Eucharist

### SUNDAY 28

7:30am Holy Eucharist  
9:00am Holy Eucharist  
10:15am Newcomers'  
10:15am Living the Question  
10:15am 30/40's  
11:15am Holy Eucharist  
11:15am Choristers rehearsal  
12:45pm Holy Eucharist

**Pastoral Emergencies:** call the office:  
446-2513. On evenings and weekends:  
call 214-0382

## TODAY @ TRINITY—FEBRUARY 21, 2010

Family Service: 9:00 in the Great Hall

Today @ 10:15am

Children's Sunday School: See posted signs for classrooms.

Newcomers' Group - Room C

Today we will discuss **Resources for Next Steps**. Newcomers' is a 7-week orientation to the Cathedral, for anyone who is new to the Cathedral. Get connected with others and learn about ways to meet your needs here at the Cathedral.

Adult Sunday - Conference Room

*Living the Questions (LtQ)* is a 21-week DVD small group study exploring beyond the traditions and rote theologies in which so many people and local churches seem to be stuck. LtQ will help seekers and "church alumni/ae" alike in discovering the significance of Christianity in the 21st Century and what a meaningful faith can look like in today's world. Each class is a unit to itself and drop-ins are always welcome.

30/40's - Assembly Area

**Radical Welcome Discussion** - This week we are discussing Part III - Chapter "Re-imagine Your Common Life".

Annual Parish Dinner and Meeting:

**TODAY, February 21**

DINNER setup begins at 5:30pm in the Great Hall  
ANNUAL MEETING at 7:00pm in the Church.

## Donation/Volunteer Opportunities

Socks for the Homeless

Many of our homeless brothers and sisters don't have a change of socks when their feet get wet and dirty. The School for Deacons is sponsoring a project during Lent to provide white athletic socks for both men and women to agencies that work with the homeless. If you would like to contribute to this effort, you can drop socks off at the Welcome Center on Sunday through Palm Sunday. If you would like more information about this project, or would like to get your scout troop or youth organization to help, contact Virginia McNeely at 916-444-0720 for flyers and more information.

Knitting for the homeless

Marcella Green is again spearheading a project to knit scarves and hats for the homeless. Last December, almost 600 hand-knit scarves were donated to Loaves and Fishes, many of which were knit by Trinity members. If you would like to get more information or donate scarves, Marcella attends the 9 a.m. service or can be reached at 916-925-6800.

Lessons for February 28, 2010

*Second Sunday in Lent*

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

Psalms 27

Philippians 3:17-4:1

Luke 13:31-35

Next Sunday - February 28

## Religious Orders Sunday

### Thursday Night at the Cathedral

**Thursday Night at the Cathedral – Lenten Series**  
February 18 – March 25

5:45pm Eucharist – 6:15 Community Supper (donation)  
– 7:00 Classes

#### **The Gospel According to Luke and The Acts of the Risen Lord**

*Morey Lloyd, Facilitator*

This Lenten Season we will take the opportunity to peek into someone's mail: someone named **Theophilus** (which means "Lover of God" or "Someone Loved by God") One way or another, his mail may just be addressed to you and me! Watch, hear and read Luke and Acts on Thursdays through March 18<sup>th</sup>.

#### **The Future of Faith** by Harvey Cox **Book Study and Discussion Group**

*Susan VanDyke and Canon Walker, Facilitators*

This book, recommended by Diana Butler Bass and Dean Baker, outlines what Cox sees to be the three eras of Christianity: The Age of Faith; The Age of Belief; and The Age of the Spirit. He sees the current worldwide Christian church returning to the early church ways – that is, returning to following Jesus' teaching more than following creeds and doctrines. Cox believes that this current age is breaking down barriers based on hierarchy in favor of activism and personal experiential spirituality.

Join TNAC for an exploration of this book during Lent. Be prepared to have some fun along with a serious look at the church in our times. The book will be available in the Cathedral Bookstore (and can be downloaded to a Kindle).

#### **Living the Questions – Video Series**

*Steve Skiffington, Facilitator*

*Living the Questions* is one of the best explorations of the Christian Faith ever produced for Adult Spiritual Formation. Each episode brings together both contemporary scholars and laypeople of great faith to explore the primary tenets of Christianity. *Living the Questions* challenges us. It causes us to examine our suppositions about scripture and theology in a way that evokes great discourse! It is faith building. Each class is a unit to itself and drop-ins are always welcome. If you are new to Trinity and new to Christianity this is a great place to start a new faith journey. If you are established in your faith and love being pulled to a deeper place of commitment, enjoy exploring what lies behind your faith tradition and are simply curious you will find it a journey of delight and surprise!

**Journey with Jesus:** Are you interested in preparing for **Baptism, Confirmation or Reception into the Episcopal Church**? Join "Journey with Jesus" on Thursday evenings at 7:00pm (after the 6:15 community meal). This is a perfect group for using Lent to better connect faith and life. Those already baptized and confirmed can prepare to Reaffirm their faith at the Easter Vigil. All are welcome. Contact Jerry Pare' (jpare@trinitycathedral.org or 446-2513) for more information.

#### **Prayer Box in the Narthex**

Daughters of the King will hold your request in prayer daily for at least one month.

Parking for people with disabilities is provided on Sundays. Enter on Trinity Cathedral Lane & park behind the Great Hall.

### Visit the Cathedral Bookshop

OPEN: Tues / Wed / Thur: 10am—5:30pm

Fri: 10am—4pm and Sun: 8:30am—2pm

Become a Friend of the Bookshop!

### Coming Up

#### Interfaith Retreat: Feeling Safe in Our Faith

**When:** May 14-16, 2010

**Where:** Applegate, CA

**Who:** LGBTQ People of Faith

**Cost:** Before April 1: \$175, after April 1: \$200 (includes 5 meals, lodging and retreat activities)

Registration Deadline: April 15, 2010

· Registration must be paid in full at time of registration.  
· Make check out to: Trinity Cathedral with 'LGBTQ Retreat' on the memo line.

· Send check to Trinity Office, Attn.: Bookkeeper

**Sponsors:** A coalition of Episcopalians, Methodists and Lutherans in the Sacramento area.

**Questions:** (916) 204-4955

### Ongoing

#### Centering Prayer

Meets each **Tuesday at 6:00pm** in the East Transept of the Cathedral. Newcomers and beginners are welcome.

#### Thursday Lunch Bunch:

**New Lenten Series – Bible Study on the Prophet Amos**  
12:00 – 1:00 pm – Bring Sack Lunch

The Thursday Lunch Bunch will spend the season of Lent looking at the book of the prophet Amos. We will explore the context of his work and examine how his call for economic justice, words of warning and message of hope speaks to us some 2250 years later. The book of Amos is only nine chapters long but full of wisdom for our current times. Each session is independent and drop-ins are always welcome. Canon Walker, Facilitator

#### Kin Groups are Meeting

Looking for community? Kin Groups are a great and flexible option. To learn more or check on the status of any Kin Group issue, contact coordinator Corrine Bogie: corinnebogie@att.net

#### Support Group for Jobless

**Friday's at 3:00pm** in the Conference Room. Subjects include: Developing Coping Strategies, Networking within/outside Group; Creating and/or Developing untapped inner resources. More information? Lynn Altizer, 359-1512 or Libby Kovacs, 452-0483.

### Altar Greens Donation

*A nice way to give thanks or to remember loved ones.*

Send your request and contribution to Trinity Altar Guild, 2620 Capitol Ave, Sacramento, 95816

Date requested \_\_\_\_\_ (allow at least 2 weeks for processing and program printing time).

In Thanksgiving for \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_