

JOURNEY

SPRING / SUMMER 2023

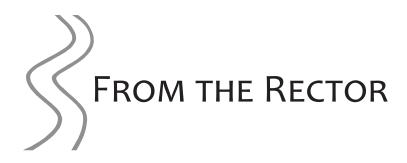


Spirit, moving over chaos, Bringing light where there is none, . . .

Breath instilling animation, Giving life, informing soul, . . .

Easter Wind, inflaming fear-filled bodies, Sending them to tell the News, . . .

Power, Life-force, Inspiration, Blowing, Breathing, brooding here, . . .



"When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them.

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability."

This Sunday we will celebrate the Feast of Pentecost, the Church's birthday!

Flames and wind of the Spirit. The season after Pentecost is most often referred to as "ordinary time" or, as Godly Play calls it, "green and growing time." Both of these are true and neither is complete. In the weeks and months to come we have a variety of opportunities to deepen our relationships with one another and with our larger community.

It is a wonderful time for Transfiguration to grow and explore!

Gennifer :ti

We have plenty planned opportunities to connect AND I hope you will also stop by and visit with us if you happen to be passing by or have a bit of free time!

WAYS TO CONNECT @TRANSFIG





GOSPEL PREVIEW

12:15PM WEDNESDAYS

Gospel preview has moved to 12:15 p.m. to make it more accessible for peoples' work hours!

Come join us for lively, thoughtful discussions about the Bible!

Every Wednesday at 12:15pm via the Transfiguration zoom:

https://zoom.us/i/6503418206 (password: 3900)

All are welcome! Questions? email: jennifer@transfig-sm.org

PARISH RETREAT 2023

June 9-11 @The Bishop's Ranch

We have a great group of parishioners registered to attend this wonderful weekend for time together in community amidst the beautiful setting of The Bishop's Ranch in Healdsburg.

There are a few spaces still available - contact the office **ASAP** to sign up. office@transfig-sm.org



Also on Weekday Mornings:

MORNING MEDITATION - WEEKDAYS AT 8:30AM

This lay-led group gathers for meditation at 8:30am every Monday thru Friday on zoom.

https://zoom.us/j/6503418206 (password: 3900)

All are welcome! Those who have participated have found it to be a wonderful way to begin the day. Questions? email: mmaia456@gmail.com

MORNING PRAYER - WEDNESDAYS AT 9AM

Every Wednesday morning at 9:00, a group gathers for Morning Prayer via the Transfig zoom: https://zoom.us/j/6503418206 (password: 3900)

All are welcome! Questions? email: garipatton@astound.net



For parishioners not attending the parish retreat this year, this may be of interest:

SHARING GOD'S LOVE FOR ALL AT SAN MATEO PRIDE!

WHEN: SATURDAY, JUNE 10,

SHIFTS FROM 10:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. WHERE: SAN MATEO CENTRAL PARK

Link to sign up

The Peninsula Deanery is hosting a booth at San Mateo Pride on Saturday, June 10. Can you help show God's love for all at this fun, free, family-oriented event? We will have a booth, a banner, fun crafts, candy, a postcard listing the participating churches, and some Episcopal-branded stickers to give away; we need YOUR warm heart and smiling face to represent our inclusive Episcopal communities here on the Peninsula. Click here to sign up to help, or contact the Rev. AnnaMarie Hoos at annamarie@churchoftheepiphany.org.



ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH & FAMILIES!

FAITH LAB (YOUTH GROUP)
2ND & 4TH SUNDAYS
12:30 P.M.-2:00 P.M.

- 2ND SUNDAY- 5-12TH GRADERS
- 4TH SUNDAY- 9-12TH GRADERS

Join us for food, laughter, fun and connection!

On Third Sundays: Dungeons & Dragons at 12:30pm

COMMUNITY OF WONDER (C.O.W)

SUNDAYS AT 10:25AM IN THE REDWOOD ROOM WITH REBECCA

Community of Wonder (C.O.W.) is our children's program for elementary and middle schoolers, combining Bible stories and camp-like fun!

The program continues over the summer, with some fun summer activities led by volunteer parishioners.

TRANSFIGURATION MUSIC MINISTRY **SOMETHING NEW!**

SUMMER FAMILY CHOIR

Come join our new Summer Family Choir the third Sundays this Summer. (June 18, July 16 and August 20).

All are invited, young and old alike.



The music will be easy to learn and upbeat in nature. We'll rehearse 45 minutes by the piano in the church before the service. No previous choir experience is necessary.

What a beautiful way to give your gift of time and talent to the Church.

Questions? contact Jim Dahlstrom, Director of Music jldahlstrom@earthlink.net





PARISH LIFE IN PICTURES





MEES TIELENS, ORDINATION TO THE **PRIESTHOOD NEXT WEEKEND!** SATURDAY, JUNE 3 AT 11AM, GRACE CATHEDRAL, SAN FRANCISCO

to the priesthood at the Diocesan Ordinations at Grace Cathedral next Saturday, June 3, 11am. Our Transfiguration community sponsored Mees on his journey. All are invited to

celebrate with him on this significant occasion!

He also just graduated with a Masters in Divinity from CDSP on Saturday. Congrats, Mees!

Mees Tielens will be ordained

CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!

We celebrate with those graduating from High School this year:

Sarah Howie Josie Kearns Nico Manning **Evan Robinson**



And to recent college grads:

John Robinson, BS, Robotics Engineering from Worcester Polytechnic University

Louis Villa, PhD, Aerospace Engineering from Purdue University

CELEBRATE WITH US!



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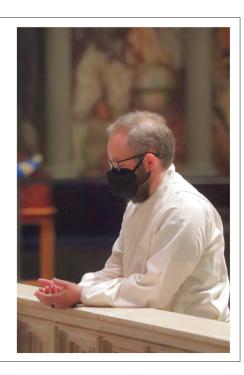
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JUNE 3 2023

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

GRACE CATHEDRAL, SAN FRANCISCO



A CELEBRATION OF LIFE REMEMBERING PETER JENSEN SATURDAY, JULY 8, 2023 **AT 11AM**

A Celebration of Life for Peter Jensen, who died on

Friday, May 5, 2023, will be held at Transfiguration on Saturday, July 8th at 11am. A reception will follow in the Redwood Room.

Peter was a longtime and active member of the Transfiguration community. Please plan to join family and friends remembering Peter and celebrating his life.





THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 28

THE DAY OF PENTECOST

9:00am - Joyful Noise Eucharist (in-person & via zoom) 10:30am - Musical Eucharist (in-person & via livestream) 12:30pm - Faith Lab: Dungeons & Dragons (Redwood)

MONDAY, MAY 29

MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

8:30am - Morning Meditation via zoom

TUESDAY, MAY 30

8:30am - Morning Meditation via zoom 10:30am - Transfig Staff meeting 7:00pm - AA Meeting (Redwood Room)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

8:30am - Morning Meditation via zoom 9:00am - Morning Prayer via zoom 12:15pm - Gospel Preview via zoom

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

8:30am - Morning Meditation via zoom 7pm - Transfiguration Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

8:30am - Morning Meditation via zoom

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

11:00am - Diocesan Ordinations, including Mees Tielens, to priesthood (Grace Cathedral, SF)

2:30 - 8pm - Private Graduation Recital and Reception (Church and Redwood Room)

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: TRINITY SUNDAY

9:00am - Joyful Noise Eucharist (in-person & via zoom) 10:30am - Musical Eucharist (in-person & via livestream), last Sunday for choir before Summer break

FIRST SUNDAYS

On the first Sunday of each month we will have an opportunity for fellowship and building community. We invite anyone interested in helping to plan First Sundays to email office@transfig-sm.org.

- JUNE 4
- JULY 2
- AUGUST 6 TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY! We'll celebrate our Feast Day with Grill on the Hill potluck lunch following the service.
- SEPTEMBER 3 FALL FUN DAY!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

AUGUST 1 - NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

AUGUST 6 - TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY with Grill on the Hill

SEPTEMBER 3 - FALL PROGRAM KICKOFF

SEPTEMBER 23 - COASTAL CLEANUP

SEPTEMBER 30 - OKTOBERFEST

OCTOBER 1 - ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI SUNDAY with blessing of the animals

OCTOBER 29 - DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

SATURDAY NOV 4 - CAPITAL CAMPAIGN CELEBRATION

SUNDAY NOV 5 - ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

AND UPCOMING:

FRIDAY, JUNE 9 - SUNDAY, JUNE 11 - PARISH RETREAT



LAY LEADERSHIP AT TRANSFIGURATION

VESTRY CLASS OF 2024



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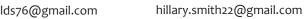


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Clerk to the Vestry: Kristen Kearns

Treasurer: Christine Villanis

VESTRY MEMBERS

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Tim Fox Kristen Kearns Brad Lewis Chris Villanis

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Cheryl Blalock Amanda Duquette Eric Manning Jennifer Robinson

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Cathy Apsley Bob Shields Hillary Smith Greg Spurrier

DEANERY DELEGATES

Skip Howie Keith Jobe Aidan Jobe Sea