

all saints' carillon



Encounter God through Christ; Be Transformed by the Holy Spirit; Proclaim Christ through Word and Action.

July 2007

FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

Once again I am on the road as I write to you, in the St. Louis airport. I thought this might be a good time to give you an update about what is happening amongst orthodox Anglicans in North America and overseas.

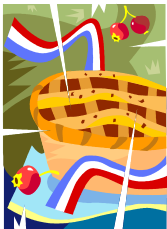
Something that makes my travel easier at the moment is my belief that the hoped for realignment of orthodox Anglicanism in North America is about to be birthed. You may have read the announcement that the Rev. Canon Bill Atwood of the Ekklesia Society will be consecrated a bishop to oversee the Kenyan congregations in the United States. This is very good news. One of the major needs of the parishes that have left ECUSA has been to have domestic bishops (i.e., American bishops on American soil) to give us day-to-day episcopal care. I believe that Canon Atwood's consecration is a major step forward in meeting this need.

It is my guess that we will see a number of major announcements by orthodox Anglicans both at home and overseas in the next two months that will make things even clearer. In late September of this year Bishop Bob Duncan, Moderator of the Anglican Communion Network

and Bishop of Pittsburgh, has called a very historic meeting, a Common Cause Council of Bishops. Common Cause is a coalition of orthodox Anglican groups in North America which was formed in 2005.

This will be the first time that all the bishops of Common Cause have met together. Invited will be the bishops of the Anglican Communion Network (ACN), the Convocation of Anglicans in North America (CANA), the Anglican Mission in America (AMiA), the Reformed Episcopal Church (REC), the Anglican Province of America (APA), the bishops of the Canadian orthodox movement, Canon Bill Atwood, and other bishops that may be affiliated with the Network. This will total about 25 bishops. This meeting of bishops may well be the next step in building solid relationships as a preliminary step in creating a new Anglican structure for us in North America.

I wanted to update you on what was happening. Please keep praying throughout this summer. This is a very crucial time.



RAWC

The **Regional Anglican Women's Council**, comprised of representatives from the 16 Anglican churches and fellowships in the Southern California area, will be sponsoring a series of fundraisers over the next few months. The monies earned will be used to help bring Mama Phoebe Orombi on a return visit to lead a women's retreat. RAWC could think of no stronger voice to inspire us as we seek to unify the Anglican women of Southern California.

We ask the women of All Saints' to participate in this effort by volunteering to assist with

one or more of these fund raisers. Please contact Pastor Kathleen Adams for further information.

July 1st – Patriotic Bake Sale! Red, White and/or Blue cakes and pies on sale in the patio after the 10 am Sunday Service. Perfect for your 4th of July celebration.



2ND FLOOR, LOOKING WEST — MUSINGS FROM THE ASSOCIATE RECTOR

Much has happened these past few weeks, the import of which I don't think any of us will really fully comprehend—at least for some time to come.

What I do know is that life as I've known it has come to an end.

When I was born, it was into a world of stress and uncertainty. The “Reds” had just launched something called a “satellite”, which the West was sure was going to be the precursor to those Communists raining down nukes on America. Kids were practicing their “duck-and-cover” moves, and bomb shelters were replacing gardens all over the US. Somewhere in a place called Cuba some guy named Khrushchev was building missiles aimed at the White House and the White's house, and there was no safety anywhere.

Except in the ancient church, particularly in the Episcopal Church, anchored in the ancient see of Canterbury, England.

There was only one Rite and it was 1928, an American derivative of the English Book of Common Prayer of 1662. My father was a priest in an Episcopal Church and I was certain that the ghosts of antiquity spoke in our liturgy. I was awed, and I felt sure that nothing could shake the rock of this primordial heritage.

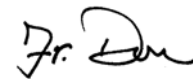
With the events of the past few weeks, that rock has crumbled.

By God's grace, however, as I have grown older I have learned that the Church is really much more ancient than the Anglican Communion. I have come to understand that to be a part of a “church” where the faith of the apostles and martyrs is not only unheralded but denied, whether Anglican in tradition or not, is to be a part of no church at all—at least not a Christian Church. And I have come to realize that being part of the Church means sometimes having to explain to others that they are not, in spite of what they may think their “tradition, reason and experience” tells them. Scripture says otherwise.

Reformation comes at a cost. That cost may very well be the death of a beloved heritage. The 17th Century English priest and poet John Donne wrote:

Batter my heart, three person'd God; ...for I / Except you'enthrall mee, never shall be free, / Nor ever chaste, except you ravish mee.

Only when we are enslaved to God, only when we allow Him His way with us, are we ever free to call ourselves the Church. And we find His “way with us” in the Holy Scriptures. Our hearts may be battered. But they belong to God.



CLERGY VACATIONS (tentative schedule)

Fr. Thompson: August 4-18

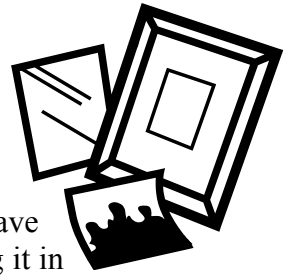
Fr. White: September 17 — October 8

SUMMERTIME COMMITMENTS

Summer is a time of different schedules, activities and vacations. Many of us will be away during part of the summer and therefore missing church more than during the rest of year. **But please remember...**while you are away, all of our ministries and expenses continue at All Saints': outreach commitments, Vacation Bible School, salaries, utilities, supplies, etc. Before you leave on your vacation or other summer activities, please remember to bring or mail your tithes and offerings to the church. Thank you.

"GET SOMETHING FRAMED"

Youth Fundraiser July - September 2007



Almost all of us have something laying around the house about which we have thought, "I need to get that framed someday!" Here's your chance to get it done, hang it in your home to enjoy for years OR give to someone as a personalized gift. Your motivation to get it done NOW will be that all the profits from your framed piece will go to our Youth Group if you act between now and the end of September.

Just make an appointment by signing up on the kiosk at church to get a no-obligation quote for having something framed. The Creative Memories consultant is donating her time to raise money for the youth. She will help you choose the perfect mat and frame. All items are then shipped with the ultimate in care and safety to Custom Framing by Creative Memories where a professional framer will complete the job. You can view samples of completed works. You may book an individual consultation or invite in a few friends and neighbors to have all of your pieces framed at the same time. NOW is the time to think about "Getting Something Framed!"



NEXT PARISH BAPTISM

The next parish baptism: **Sunday, October 7** at 10:00 am. Mandatory pre-baptismal training sessions: 9:00 am Sunday, September 23, 30 and October 7. Sponsors and godparents encouraged to attend the final class. If you desire to be baptized or have a child baptized, or if you have any questions, please contact Fr. Thompson. Subsequent days for baptism: January 13, 2008 at 10 am, the Feast of the Baptism of our Lord Jesus Christ, and Easter Day, March 23 at 5:30 am.

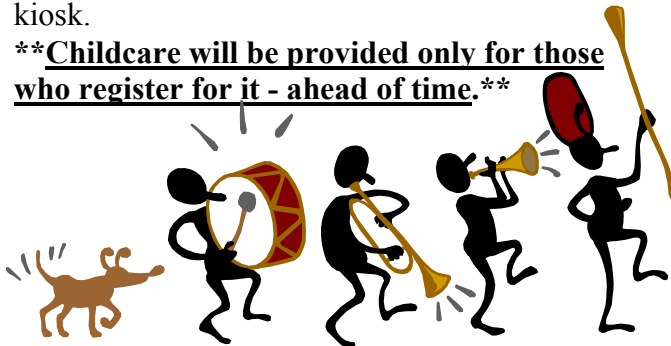
CIVIL WAR BRASS BAND AND FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK

Sunday, July 1

Potluck: 5:30pm Concert: 6:30pm

Back by popular demand! **The Band of the California Battalion** will perform at our next Fellowship Potluck! Invite your friends and neighbors, wear red, white and blue, and plan for a wonderful afternoon and evening! Sign up on the kiosk.

****Childcare will be provided only for those who register for it - ahead of time.****



Get ready for a
wild ride through God's Word...at
Avalanche Ranch!

Avalanche Ranch Vacation Bible School

**Mark your calendar &
join us**

August 13-17

Monday-Friday,

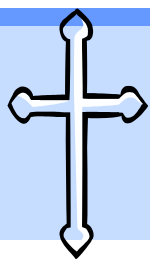
9am-noon

For children PreK-5th grade

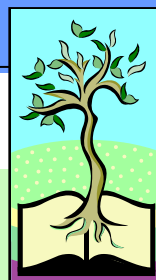
**Teen and Adult Ranch Hands needed
to sign on.**

Everyone sign up now!





JULY EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES



SUNDAY SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR JULY

July 1	July 8	July 15	July 22	July 29
5 Pentecost	6 Pentecost	7 Pentecost	8 Pentecost	9 Pentecost
Psalms 16	Psalms 66	Psalms 25	Psalms 15	Psalms 138
1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21	Isaiah 66:10-16	Deuteronomy 30:9-14	Genesis 18:1-14	Genesis 18:20-33
Galatians 5:1, 13-25	Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18	Colossians 1:1-14	Colossians 1:21-29	Colossians 2:6-15
Luke 9:51-62	Luke 10:1-12, 16-20	Luke 10:25-37	Luke 10:38-42	Luke 11:1-13

HOLY DAYS IN JULY

July 4

Independence Day
Mass at 6:30 am

July 23

Feast of St. Mary
Magdalene
(transferred)
Mass at 10:00 am

July 25

Feast of
St. James,
the Apostle
Mass at 6:00 pm



Now thru Sept 2
— Sundays
Summer Church
School

July 1-7
Youth Rock 'N Water Trip

July 31 — Sunday
10 am
Family Chapel

YOUTH AND CHILDREN

Sundays

8:30 am

Breakfast Club

Beginning July 8:

9-9:20am

"Kinetic" worship in the parish hall:
creative movement and
interactive worship music

9:25-10:25am

Classroom

10:25-10:45am

Prayer and Worship in the
Children's Chapel to prepare
children for Communion

10:45-11:30am

Children join parents for Eucharist

LOOKING AHEAD:

Aug 13-17

9am-12pm

Vacation Bible School

Sept 9 — Sunday

Regular Church
School begins

Sept 1-3

Labor Day Weekend

Sept 9 — Sunday

Parish Family
Picnic

MEN



OSJ will not be meeting
in July.

August 1, 8, 15, 19, 22, 29

6:30 pm

Men's Bible Study
Parish Hall



WOMEN

July 24 — Tuesday

6:30 pm

Women's Council
Rector's

I WANT TO DO THIS !

Sundays	Sundays	Wednesdays	July 1 — Sunday	July 21 — Saturday
8:30 am	9 am	6:45 pm	5:30 pm	11:30 am
Breakfast Club	Adult Christian Education	Prayer Bible Study Parish Hall	Fellowship Potluck and Civil War Brass Band Concert	Outreach Meal
	Josh Williams' "Walk Thru the Bible" series			

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Clergy

Rector:
Fr. William A. Thompson
Associate Rector:
Fr. Donald K. White
Assistant Priest:
Fr. Elias Eniade
Associate Rector Emeritus:
Fr. Robert C. Woodfield
Assisting Priests:
Fr. Dale Smith
Fr. Earl Heverly

Staff

Youth Pastor:
Donna Foster
Pastor of Lay Ministry
Development:
Susan White
Treasurer: Joe Bayley
Assistant to the Treasurer:
Randi Thornburg
Administrator: Ruth Norman
Chancellor: Lynn Moyer
Choral Director: Cindy Drennan

Parish Vestry

Senior Warden:
Jim DiGiovanna
Junior Warden:
Todd Jones
Clerk:
Jenna Vazquez

Vestry Members:
Chris Carreon
Bill Davidson
Don Eriksen
Suzann Farrell
Laurel Howat
Valerie Kamikubo
Margaret Lovett
David Thornburg
Joshua Williams
Tom Winfrey

Schedule of Services

Sundays 7:30 & 10 am
Mondays 10:00 am
Tuesdays 6:30 am
Wednesdays 6:00 pm
Thursdays 10:00 am
Fridays 9:00 am
Saturdays 9:00 am

Morning Prayer:
15 minutes before
Eucharist on
weekdays;
7:10 Sundays
Evening Prayer:
5:45 or 15 minutes
before Eucharist,
Monday through
Friday.

ALL SAINTS' – JULY 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 7:30 am Mass 8:30 am Breakfast Club 9 am Christian Education Hour 10 am Mass 10 am Children's Church	2 10 am Mass 6 pm Nicotine Anon.	3 6:30 am Mass 6 pm House Church—Howats 7 pm South Bay Home Fellowship 7 pm N Long Beach House Church	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY Office Closed 10 am Women's AA 6 pm Mass 6:45 pm Prayer Bible Study 7:30 pm House Church—Albright	5 10 am Mass 6:30 pm Greek Class 7:30 pm Choir	6 9 am Mass 8 pm AA	7 9 am Mass 9:30 am Altar Guild
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		Fr. Thompson at ACN meeting 7/29—8/1				