

## Our Ministry Schedule

### Sunday, January 23rd

8 am Centering Prayer Service, Chapel  
 8:45 am Nursery Care available  
 9 am Family Sunday School;  
 Confirmation Class, Chapel;  
 Adult Education, Fireside Room;  
 Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
 10 am Worship Service, Sanctuary  
 11 am Lakeside: A Time to Come Together, Fireside Room  
 12 pm Kenya Mission Group, Fireside Room

Wednesday 6:30 am Centering Prayer Service, Chapel  
 4 pm Jubilate Children's Choir, Jubilate Room

Thursday 7 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
 8 pm Lakeside Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Friday 6:30 pm Al-Anon Meetings, Fireside Room

### Sunday, January 30th

8 am Centering Prayer Service, Chapel  
 8:45 am Nursery Care available  
 9 am Family Sunday School;  
 Confirmation Class, Chapel;  
 Adult Education, Fireside Room;  
 Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
 10 am Worship Service, Sanctuary, Andrew Ward preaching  
 11 am Lakeside: A Time to Come Together, Fireside Room  
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## Prayer

**Broaden My Path**  
 —a Psalm Reflection on Psalm 18:36

"You broaden the path beneath me, so that my ankles do not turn." (NIV)

Picture making your way along a high, narrow ledge, pecking your way over rocks and snags as you try to escape a dangerous enemy who is quickly gaining on you. When the terrain of life becomes rocky, steep and narrow, the journey can be overwhelming. We are keenly aware of how easy it would be to turn an ankle, stumble and slip to our deaths. David's praise-filled proclamation of God's sustaining presence can be an affirmation of faith for us in daily life. Next time we find ourselves precariously perched on a dangerous precipice in a situation or relationship, we can say this verse aloud to the Lord. We can trust our Savior to broaden the path in front of us and keep our feet from slipping.

- From the *Women of Faith Study Bible*, NIV



**I'M CASSIUS CASSIUM AND I'M COUNTING DOWN THE TOP FORTY PSALMS**

## Make a Musical New Year's Resolution

Join our musical ministry team!

The **Lakeside Adult Choir, Handbell Ringers, and Jubilate Children's Choir** will resume rehearsals in the New Year.

**Adult Choir** begins again with Thursday rehearsals at 8:00 pm, after the **Handbell** rehearsal at 7:00 pm.

The **Lakeside Jubilate Children's Choir** rehearsal, Cindy Young, Director, will continue rehearsals on Wednesdays, 4 pm to 5:30 pm.

Call the church office at 415.564.8833 for more information, if needed.

## Bible Study Notes for the Week

The Bible passages for today are in your bulletin and in the pew Bible (RSV).

- Isaiah 9:1-4, page 607\*
- 1 Corinthians 1:10-18, page 157+ • Psalm 27:1, 4-9, page 488\*
- Matthew 4:12-23, page 9+

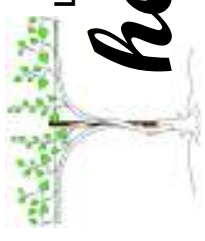
For your enrichment through the next week, the Bible passages for next Sunday are:

- Micah 6:1-8, page 819\*
- 1 Corinthians 1:18-31, page 157+ • Psalm 15, page 481\*
- Matthew 5:1-12, pages 9-10+

Note: The pew Bible is the Revised Standard Version.

\* Old Testament, 1<sup>st</sup> half of the pew Bible + New Testament, 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the pew Bible

Check out the podcast versions of these readings at the National Presbyterian Church website: [www.pcusa.org/devotions/podcast](http://www.pcusa.org/devotions/podcast) or [www.biblegateway.com](http://www.biblegateway.com)



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"In all your ways acknowledge Him." - Proverbs 3:6a

## Preaching Next Week, Andrew Ward

Lakeside Church continues to reach and embrace the community we find around us. One of our long time neighbors has been the Stonestown YMCA. Next we will have the opportunity to meet and listen to their new Director of Membership, Andrew Ward. Here is his biographical information that has been provided to the Church. As we continue to learn about our neighbors, keep Andrew and his important ministry in your personal prayers.

*"I am a Bay Area native who studied at San Francisco Theological Seminary and received my M.Div from North Park Theological Seminary in Chicago. I am a member of the Evangelical Covenant Church Denomination and Great Exchange Covenant Church in S.F. I have served in areas of youth ministry, college ministry, and outreaches/missions with Main Covenant Church in San Rafael. I recently got married in August and my wife Louise and I moved to the inner sunset neighborhood from Marin. I am currently the Director of Membership at the Stonestown Family YMCA and Louise is the Director of Health and Wellness the new Chinatown YMCA. We are currently open to the call process with the Evangelical Covenant Church and also committed to living out our call to ministry here in the beautiful and diverse city of San Francisco."*

## Music Notes for Today

**D**an Anderson, Organist, and Cindy Young, Director, are two talented musicians aiding our worship today. Dan considers his main work and training in accounting. At Lakeside Dan is an Elder, assistant organist, Co-Chair of the Lakeside Worship and Arts Committee, and a handbell ringer. One can find Dan quietly cleaning up after big and small events. He has participated in the Lakeside Drama presentations of the *Disciples of the Last Supper*, playing "Matthew" (2008) and "Judas" (2009). He is featured in a YouTube video interview on the Lakeside organ, with Will Robison as the Interviewer. Cindy Young, a member of the Lakeside Worship and Arts Committee, and assistant music director, is a gifted teacher at the Jose Ortega Elementary School. She is also a trained professional bass player. At Lakeside Cindy sings in the Choir, rings handbells, and directs the Lakeside Jubilate Children's Choir. Lakeside is blessed to have such steadfast servants of God.



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*The Grapevine* provides weekly updates and announcements for the ministries of Lakeside Church. For more information please ask any member, usher, staff person or contact the Church.

## Commissioning of our Kenya Team



On Thursday, February 3, our new Kenya Mission will depart from San Francisco International Airport and be in the air almost 24 hours before landing in Nairobi, Kenya. Once landing, a five hour 'very bumpy' ride to Meru will follow. Then the real ministry begins: children, youth, babies, teachers, parents, grandparents, health issues, obstacles, challenges, joys, hopes and dreams will all be confronted. **Today, we commission these six partners in ministry.** Gail and Karl Morthole, Sandra Tye, Bob Taussig, and Margie and Tony DeRiggi from Sacramento. Margie was a member of last year's team and we are joined by her husband who is a pediatrician.



## 19th Avenue Visitation Team-Becoming a Friend

Sometimes we find a place of need almost next door. **Judith Taussig**, a cancer survivor herself, has discovered a special gift from God. She has a passion for those who have found themselves forgotten by the rest of our culture. Discovery that passion and using her gifts as a musician, she plays the 'healing' harp in several area hospitals. She also took a smaller Celtic harp with her last year as member of the 2010 Kenya Mission Team. Her passion continued to flow beyond the beauty of healing music. Her very presence has begun to heal lonely hearts and souls at the **19th Ave Nursing Home**. Several others have heard a similar Calling from God. Each Sunday afternoon at 2:00 pm, Judith is joined by **Jeanne Kim, Victor Lee, Eleanor Yim and JD Ward** and travel just north of Lakeside on 19th Ave. Last week **Joy Hyun** joined them for the day and discovered one patient that could only speak Korean. The staff was frustrated since no one on staff could speak the patient's native language. Joy was God's choice of the right person at the right time. "God is Good. All the time! All the time, God is Good!"



On **Sunday, February 6**, a very special commissioning will take place. This Visitation Team will be commissioned as an official ministry of Lakeside Church. In other words, this important ministry is not the ministry of just these faithful people but ALL OF US! You will be invited to be a constant prayer partner as God extends His Love through this team. But also, you might discover that God has placed in your heart a desire to be a member of this Team or a similar ministry. If you would like to discern what God might be calling you to, please see the Rev. JD Ward or if interested in this specific ministry, see Judith Taussig.

## Welcome to Lakeside Presbyterian Church

We are Lakeside Presbyterian Church (PCUSA), an inclusive community of faith, striving to live and tell the good news of Jesus Christ. Through God's blessings, we seek to provide an inviting, supportive, and challenging atmosphere for worship, education, fellowship and service.

### Annual Meeting of Lakeside Church

We will gather on **Sunday, February 6** to celebrate what God has been doing in life and ministries of Lakeside over this past year and prayerfully ask God's guidance for that which lies ahead. Directly after worship on February 6, which is also Supper Bowl Sunday (don't worry, kick off isn't until 3:30 pm PST) we will gather in the Social Hall for a light lunch and hear from the elders and deacons who have been the faithful servant/leaders this past year. From Mission work, Christian Education, Children's Center, Confirmation Class participants, Worship and the Arts, Personnel and Building and Grounds, our meeting will highlight the work of the Holy Spirit among us.

The 2010 Annual Report is on schedule to be published this next week and hopefully will be ready for each member family to pick up their copy next Sunday, January 30. If you have any questions about receiving your copy please contact the Church office.

### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity—1/18-1/25



Began in 1908, **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity** is a global ecumenical movement that gained wider participation since 1968. The Presbyterian Church (PCUS) states that "the Church universal consists of all persons in every nation, together with their children, who profess faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and commit themselves to live in a fellowship under His rule" (*Book of Order*, G-4.0101).

Every year an international group from the World Council of Churches and other participating Christian denominations choose a theme for the week. Past years have focused on HIV/AIDS issues in Africa, unity of Christians in Ireland, the challenges of North and South Korea, and more. The intent of the Week of Prayer is to show the visible unity of the Gospel message, and not the divisions and scandals that often divide us as Christians. The 2011 theme is from Acts 2:42—"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers." Your prayers are requested for the Eight Days in 2011 in the following manner—

- Day 1—The Church in Jerusalem (present day, and in Jesus' time)
- Day 2—Many Members in One Body
- Day 3—Devotion to the Apostles' Teachings Unite Us
- Day 4—Sharing, An Expression of Our Unity
- Day 5—Breaking the Bread in Hope
- Day 6—Empowered to Action in Prayer
- Day 7—Living in Resurrection Faith
- Day 8—Called for the Service of Reconciliation

Learn more at the [www.oikoumene.org](http://www.oikoumene.org) and [www.pcusa.org](http://www.pcusa.org).

## Music Notes (cont'd from page 1)

**Gammal Fäbodpsalm från Dalarna (Old Pastoral Hymn from Dalarna)** was composed by Swedish composer and church musician Oskar Lindberg (1887-1955). He heard the song while attending a worship service in central Sweden at Gagnef (Dalarna) in 1936. The tune has also been used in an instrumental-only setting at the beginning of the popular ABBA concerts in the 1980s.



**All People That on Earth Do Dwell** (#220) uses the familiar Louis Bourgeois (c.1510-c.1561) tune "Old Hundredth," often associated with the Doxology. The text is a paraphrase of Psalm 100 by William Kethe (d.1594?), a Scotch clergyman who was one of the translators of the *Geneva Bible*. It is amazing to this music director that this text and tune from so many centuries ago still speaks to us today. And it is important in this present age to have something from our core past as we look to the future.

The term **Doxology** is derived from the Greek and is usually identified with a short hymn of praise, often to the Trine God. It has its origins from a similar worship practice in the Jewish synagogues. These songs of praise, actually small statements of faith, were frequently added to the last verse of a hymn, psalm or prayer. Today we are using a Doxology to the tune of "Amazing Grace."



**Let Us With a Joyful Mind** (#2012) is a hymn giving praise and glory to God for the beauty of God's Creation. The text, based on Psalm 136, is from John Milton (1608-1674), adapted by Dr. Thomas Troeger, now on the faculty of the Yale Divinity School. Prior to his appointment he was a professor at the Iliff School of Theology in Denver. Troeger is an ordained pastor in both the Presbyterian and Episcopal Churches. He was a featured speaker at the 2008 Annual conference of the Hymn Society in the U.S. and Canada held in Berkeley.



The definition of the word **Liturgy** of Greek origin, means "the work of the people." **Lakeside Liturgy** involves "the people" as ushers, greeters, readers, hosts for fellowship, music makers, and more. At Lakeside we have been blessed to have so many members and friends participate in our worship of God. Once again we are grateful for the composing gifts of **Lee Weis**. Inspired by **Lori Murphy**'s banner design in the front of the sanctuary Lee wrote the closing choral benediction, **Go Forth and Serve**. How will you be involved in the **Lakeside Liturgy**?

**Psalm 19** is by the Venetian composer Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739). He studied law and served in government posts, all the while composing his music. He wrote various instrumental settings of the first fifty Psalms, as well as other musical compositions.

May you be inspired to meditate on the music and texts.

