



## A Can a Week!

Please keep bringing your canned goods and boxes for the Food Basket. The basket is brought up to the altar with the offering every Sunday to be blessed.

As always, we want to thank Bob and Sharon Neller for all their hard work and dedication with this important ministry. They bag up the cans and boxes every week and bring them into Interfaith Ministry. *Thank you for your faithful giving!*



A self-help guru once said, "If prayer is you talking to God, then intuition is God talking to you." Yes and no.

Although we often think of prayer as us talking while God listens, listening to him is crucial. We can start with reading or hearing Scripture and then responding — aloud or in our hearts — with questions, concerns, joys, confessions, gratitude and praise.

Certainly, God also communicates with us in other ways. Through Christian friends we hear guidance, assurance, love, even admonition. Then, too, we hear God speaking in our heart. We may call this our conscience, a hunch or, indeed, intuition. So we might tweak the line above: "Prayer is both you talking to God and your intuition by which God talks to you." Amen!

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## + Christian Symbols +



### Apple

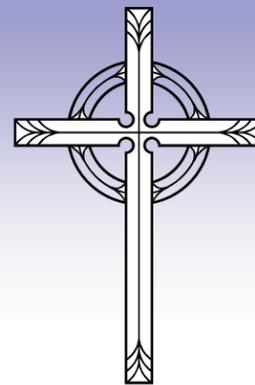
Although Genesis 3 doesn't identify the forbidden fruit eaten by Adam and Eve, it has traditionally been thought of and portrayed as an apple. This may be because in Latin, "apple" and "evil" are the same word (malum). An apple, then, often represents humanity's fall into sin. When Christ is shown holding an apple, however, it symbolizes his conquest over sin and death. "For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive" (1 Corinthians 15:22, NIV).

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**Answer to Bible Quiz: C**

(See Genesis 16:15)

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# The Savior's Voice

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*"It is only in the giving of oneself to others that we truly live."*

*—Ethel Percy Andrus*

*from the Newsletter Newsletter*



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## Bishop to Hold Confirmation and Reaffirmations at Church



The Right Reverend Eric Vawter Menees will confirm Teri Jebb and Mazekale Duncan on June 5 during the 10:00 a.m. service. In addition, Liz Basham, Joan Court, Tom Jebb, Gregory Matteson, Jim O'Neill and Linda York will also be reaffirmed.

Following the service, we will hold a fellowship potluck to welcome the newest members of Christ's church.

## Baptism at Jesus Our Savior

Mazekale Duncan was baptized on Sunday, May 22 by Fr. Jack Faucett. Joan Court and Gregory Matteson were his sponsors.

Mazekale was born in Kingston, Jamaica and moved to Pennsylvania, where his parents still live.

Welcome to our newest member!



*From left: Joan Court, Fr. Jack, Mazekale Duncan, Gregory Matteson.*



The Most Rev. Foley Beach, Archbishop, ACNA  
 The Rt. Rev Dr. Eric Menees ..... Bishop  
 .....Anglican Diocese of San Joaquin  
 The Rev. Jack Faucett ..... Vicar  
 The Rev. Canon Thomas M. Foster...  
 ..... Vicar Emeritus  
 Mary Scott ..... Secretary  
 Sarah Pine ..... Sexton

**Bishop's Committee**

Fr. Jack Faucett ..... Vicar  
 James O'Neill ..... Bishop's Warden  
 Seth Simas ..... Treasurer  
 Mary Scott ..... Secretary

Liz Basham Tom Jebb  
 Beverly Burke Gregory Matteson  
 Joan Court Linda York  
 Teri Jebb

*The Bishop's Committee meets the second Sunday of every month following the Sunday service.*

- ✚ Sunday School - Sunday at 10:00 a.m.
- ✚ Nursery - Sunday at 10:00 a.m.
- ✚ Church Service - Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

 **Altar Guild Co-Directresses**  
 Liz Basham & Teri Jebb

**Auxillary Members**

Margaret Moore Mary O'Leary



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*Welcome to Jesus,  
 Our Savior*

*"Divine Order"*

All is in divine order. I know this truth; I live this truth today and everyday.

Divine order is established in my life. The spirit of God is working through me to guide my ways and light my path. All my circumstances and experiences are brought into harmonious balance.

I put God first and I go within for guidance. Therefore, my decisions are made with confidence and faith. In the silence of prayers, I clear my mind and refresh my spirits so that my thinking is constructive and illumined. I remain open at all times to receive what God is offering me.

The indwelling spirit of God is both encouraging me to look for and expect good. I meet every experience with this expectation and with the understanding that all is in divine order.

*"You will decide on a matter and it will be established for you, and light will shine on your ways." Job 22:28*

*Sincerely with love,  
 Beverly Burke  
 Welcoming Committee*

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**2nd Chance Computer Program Update**

Throughout the summer months, we will begin stockpiling computers for the first computer give-away of the 2016-17 school year.

It will be scheduled in late August or early September, depending on the schedules of the school personnel who compile the list of needy recipients. These students are selected by teachers and counselors for their high achievement and economic status from the 17 schools in Modesto City that we currently serve.

If you have an old computer or know of a business or friend who has an old computer or monitor, please let us know.

We appreciate your continued support and prayers for this ministry. To donate, call Terry at 402-8586 or the church at 551-5279. Thank you!

**Answers to Kid's Page**

"Listen to my instruction and be wise, do not disregard it"  
*Proverbs 8:33 NIV*

**Dates to remember**

- Flag Day ..... June 14
- Father's Day ..... June 19
- First day of summer ..... June 20



**Bible Quiz**

Which of the following is an accurate father-child match from Scripture?

- A. Saul and David
- B. Zechariah and Joseph
- C. Abram and Ishmael
- D. David and Boaz

*Answer on page 8  
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| ☉ Karen T.           | ☉ Pat N.     |
| ☉ Maxine M.          | ☉ Margie M.  |
| ☉ Shirley E.         | ☉ Corrie     |
| ☉ Art E.             | ☉ Corinne G. |
| ☉ Don & Ruby         | ☉ Myles P.   |
| ☉ JoAnne & Neal M.   | ☉ Sandra B.  |
| ☉ Jean & Velmer R.   | ☉ Mary Lee   |
| ☉ Janet M.           | ☉ Paige      |
| ☉ Genie B.           | ☉ Tom K.     |
| ☉ Eva B.             | ☉ Ayden N.   |
| ☉ Jay Marie & family | ☉ Isaac S.   |

If you have a name to add to the prayer list, please fill out a Prayer Request card, located at the entrance table and also on the parish hall table and give to Fr. Jack.



- ❖ Sarah Pine ..... June 3
- ❖ Julie Neller ..... June 4
- ❖ Liz Basham ..... June 16
- ❖ Joan Court ..... June 21
- ❖ Jean Reeh ..... June 24
- ❖ Adam Simas ..... June 30

- ✚ Don & Ruby Louis ..... June 7 ..... 46 years
- ✚ Terry & Mary Scott ..... June 26 .... 17 years
- ✚ Velmer & Jean Reeh ..... June 30 .... 48 years

*If you are not on the Birthday & Anniversary chart located on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall, please let Mary Scott know.*

# The Kid's Page

*In my*  
**FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS**



Make this keepsake to express love for your dad or another special man this Father's Day.

**What you need:**

- White construction paper (11" x 13" sheet)
- Pencil
- Black permanent marker
- Crayons or paint

**What you do:**

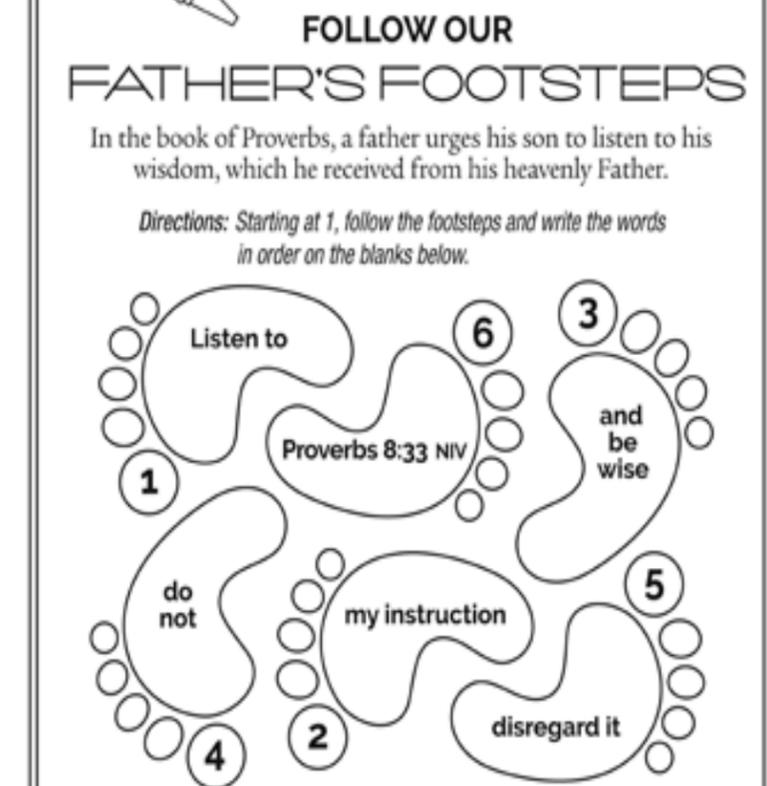
1. In the center of the paper, trace your foot in pencil. Darken the outline with marker.
2. Color or paint the footprint. Let it dry.
3. Trace your father's foot (same one) on top of your footprint (with yours in the middle of his).
4. Color or paint his footprint. Let it dry.
5. Sign your names and the date at the bottom.



**FOLLOW OUR FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS**

In the book of Proverbs, a father urges his son to listen to his wisdom, which he received from his heavenly Father.

*Directions: Starting at 1, follow the footsteps and write the words in order on the blanks below.*



“ \_\_\_\_\_ ;  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ ”

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Answer on page 7



## The Vicar's Voice

### Lest We Forget

May is a beautiful month with the renewal of nature and seeing new growth all around. Spending time with our gardens and getting into the joys of summer. We have time in May to have a long holiday (Memorial Day) to be with family, barbeque, picnics and the like. Go and enjoy and keep that time special.

I ask you in this special time to remember those who have passed, not only those who we knew and loved but also for our fallen sons who have given their all for our freedoms and always keep them close. In the Apocrypha, the Book of Macabees say “that those who perish for my sake shall be robed in hallowed ground”. Please remember them and honor their memories. And for our living veterans, tell them thank you. Amen.

*Blessings Fr. Jack*

### Fr. Jack on Vacation

Fr. Tom Foster will conduct the Sunday services while Fr. Jack Faucett is on vacation from June 27 through July 12.



### The Next Men's Breakfast

is scheduled for Saturday, June 11th.

We will meet at the church at 10:00 a.m. for Bible study, reflection and fellowship. The restaurant for breakfast is always selected by consensus.

Come join us for prayer, reflection and a good breakfast!



## Insight on Confirmation

In May, many churches celebrate confirmation, a practice with biblical roots. For example, Peter and John are sent to “[lay] their hands on” new believers and “[pray] for them, that they might receive the Holy Spirit” (Acts 8:15, 17, NRSV).

In the early church, new Christians, most of whom were adult converts, received baptism and confirmation as one ceremony. As more children were brought for baptism, the practice became for pastors and priests to baptize but for only bishops to “confirm” a baptism, or make it official, granting the baptized full membership in the church.

Later, confirmation became a rite by which adolescents, often following intensive Christian education, profess for themselves the faith into which they were baptized. Some denominations prefer the term “affirmation of baptism.”

Confirmation serves as a milestone of faith, when young adults begin embracing a life of discipleship with a sense of purpose.

*from the Newsletter Newsletter*



## Bishop's Note June 2, 2016

### Corpus Christi

This past weekend I had the pleasure of making my pastoral visit to Our Lady of Guadalupe, where on Saturday I had the honor of confirming 36 men and women. On Sunday, we celebrated the ancient feast of Corpus Christi, also known as the Most Blessed Body and Blood of Jesus Christ - in other words, a celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist.

Corpus Christi reminds us of Christ's real presence in the Holy Eucharist. How he is present remains a mystery, save by the power of the Holy Spirit working through the instrument of the priest and the gathering of the faithful people. This is not a new teaching, but rather comes from the earliest days of the Church. St. Paul addressed the people of the church in Corinth saying:

"For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." (1 Corinthians 11:23-25 ESV)

It is precisely because of Jesus' presence in the sacrament that St. Paul gives this warning to those who would receive Holy Eucharist in an unworthy manner:

"Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself." (1 Corinthians 11:27-29 ESV)

For this reason, only those disciples of Jesus who are baptized in the name of the Holy Trinity, who have examined their lives, and who have repented of their sins are invited to receive Holy Eucharist.

This does not mean that all are not welcome at the altar of the Lord. Just the opposite: we are all sinners in need of salvation, and so we invite all people to the altar for a blessing, whether or not they are not baptized believing Christians.

In the second century, St. Justin Martyr wrote of Christ's presence in the sacrament:

"This food we call the Eucharist, of which no one is allowed to partake except one who believes that the things we teach are true, and has received the washing for forgiveness of sins and for rebirth, and who lives as Christ handed down to us. For we do not receive these things as common bread or common drink; but as Jesus Christ our Savior being incarnate by God's Word took flesh and blood for our salvation, so also we have been taught that the food consecrated by the Word of prayer which comes from him, from which our flesh and blood are nourished by transformation, is the flesh and blood of that incarnate Jesus." (First Apology of Justin Martyr, Ch. 66)

This week let us ponder on Christ's presence in the Holy Eucharist, and our response to His love and grace in our lives.

*Bishop Menees*

### Diocesan Calendar



- † June 5 - Bishop @ Jesus Our Savior
- † July 4 - Diocesan Office Closed
- † July 16 - Rural Dean's Meeting
- † July 17 - Diocesan Council Meeting

### Summer Camps

- † June 26-28 - Elem. Camp @ Camp San Joaquin
- † July 17-22 - Jr. High School @ Camp San Joaquin
- † July 24-29 - High School Camp @ Camp San Joaquin



## Family Web

Genealogy research turns up some intriguing relations; for example, Barack Obama and Sarah Palin are 10th cousins, and Britney Spears and Prince Albert of Monaco are 17th half-cousins. In the Bible, Jesus is linked to Rahab and Ruth, members of nations that were enemies of Israel.

Searches for family connections quickly reveal not only roots but also a web. Only a few generations up in the branches of each family tree are so many people that trees intersect. Scientists speculate that most people living today are related through a recent common ancestor. So there's a "web-like tapestry" rather than a "tree that fans out exponentially," according to writer Carl Zimmer.

Realizing we're all connected should affect how we treat others. After all, we're related to people with diverse backgrounds and opinions. In terms of genealogy, as well as living as Jesus' disciples, we belong to one another.

*from the Newsletter Newsletter*



## Daughters of the Holy Cross



There will be no June or July meetings for the Daughters of the Holy Cross. The regular 1st Friday of the month meeting will resume in August.

## Feeling Old Lately?

submitted by  
Linda York



It is too late! Ah, nothing is too late til the tired heart shall cease to palpitate. Cato learned Greek at 80; Sophocles wrote his grand "Oedipus," and Simonides bore off the prize of verse from his compeers, when each had numbered more than fourscore years.

Chaucer, at Woodstock with the Nightengales, at 60, wrote the "Canterbury Tales." Goethe at Weimer, toiling to the last, completed "Faust" when 80 years were past.

These are indeed exceptions, but they show, how far the "gulf stream" of our youth may flow into the arctic regions of our lives.

*H.W. Longfellow*

## Don't Forget!

### Father's Day is June 19th!



"The Lord corrects those he loves, just as a father corrects a child in whom he delights.

*Proverbs 3:12 NIV*

*"If you could only sense how important you are to the lives of those you meet; how important you can be to the people you may never even dream of. There is something of yourself that you leave at every meeting with another person."*

*—Fred Rogers*

*from the Newsletter Newsletter*