

Sunday, June 20, 2010

SERMON

The Rev. Karin Kennedy Hejmanowski

THEME FOR THE DAY— Stories. We love to read them; we love to tell them. We love to be regaled with tales and share stories recent and old. But are there stories that we forget to tell? Stories are the telling and retelling of our lives and others. And sometimes, truth really is better than fiction!

SCRIPTURE Psalm 42:1-11
 Luke 8:26-39

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A memorial service for Elda Lacy, who passed away on June 13, will be held on Friday, June 25 at 3 p.m. in the Sanctuary here at Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church.

Jeff Fregger passed away this past Tuesday, June 15. Please hold his family in your prayers. A celebration of his life will be held at Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church in the Sanctuary on Saturday, July 3 at 1 p.m. A reception will follow the service in the gym of the Phoenix Center.

SUMMER CHURCH SCHOOL continues today. Current 3's, 4's, and entering Kindergarteners (in the fall) will meet in Room 802. Entering first through fifth graders will meet in the Phoenix Center gym instead of Fellowship Hall. Parents, please note that the room change for first through fifth graders is for this week only.

THE MOST RECENT ISSUES of Witness in Washington Weekly are available at the WriteOn! Advocacy Center in Trinity Court after the 10 a.m. service. The WriteOn! Advocacy Center is located in Fellowship Hall during the week.

SHARE YOUR LUNCH TODAY—As the school year ends so do the subsidized food programs many school children count on for nutritious lunches and snacks. As part of the Second Harvest "Share Your Lunch" food drive, we are collecting lunch and snack food at

all services today to be distributed to needy children in our community. Suggested items include peanut butter, canned tuna fish, snack bars, fruit cups, and juice boxes.

OPEN GYM DATES—Basketball, Tuesday, June 22, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
Volleyball, every Saturday in June, 9-11 a.m.

KAYAKING ELKHORN SLOUGH—We would love for you to join us on a one-day kayaking trip on Saturday, June 26 to see the wetlands and wildlife of Elkhorn Slough. No prior experience is necessary. Children must be at least 5 years old to paddle with a parent. Meet at the church at 8 a.m. and return at 4 p.m. The cost is \$30 for kayak rental through Monterey Bay Kayaks. Bring a lunch, water, sunscreen, a hat, lightweight shirt, and shoes that can get wet. To reserve your kayak rental, please RSVP by June 22 to Val Weirauch at recmin@svpc.us.

REFUGEE MINISTRY—On June 27 in recognition of World Refugee Day in June, our worship will focus on how God is blessing refugees and those walking alongside them as they adjust to their new lives in our country. The congregation is invited to contribute to Refugee Ministries by bringing the following new (or very gently used items) to worship on June 27: gift cards to Target or Safeway, sets of plates, glasses or silverware, pots and pans, rice cookers, kitchen utensils, new sheets (twin) and blankets, new bath towels, new dishtowels, new bike helmets (child sizes or adult small).

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CHILDREN will sing next Sunday, June 27. All children who will be attending Vacation Bible School are invited to sing the theme song at the 10 a.m. and Intersections services next Sunday. Please bring your children to Fellowship Hall for a quick rehearsal—meet at 9:40 a.m. for the 10 a.m. service or 4:40 p.m. for the Intersections service.

THE DAY IS ALMOST HERE—The Friends for Life Ice Cream Social is Sunday, June 27 from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Visit Life's Garden at 450 Old San Francisco Road in Sunnyvale. Meet residents and Friends for Life volunteers while enjoying ice cream and magic. For more information, call Linda Hagan at 408-255-5879.

WANT TO NOURISH YOUR SOUL in a new way? Join us for a

Wilderness Kayaking Night at the church on June 30 at 7 p.m. It will be a reunion of sorts and information will be provided to those of you still wondering if one of these trips might be for you. There will be an informational slide show, past participants sharing from their experiences, gear available to look at and ask questions about, some skill-building stations, and snacks. Please join us for this fun evening. ALL ages are welcome!

SUMMER ENRICHMENT CAMP—Do you want to help a summer enrichment camp for refugee children? It will be held at the church on July 6-9 and July 13-16 from 1 to 4 p.m. If you are interested, please contact Debbie Shaver at 408-737-1252 or dmshaver@sbcglobal.net.

CARAVAN PRAYER PARTNERS—On July 31, we are sending 50 youth and 10 adult advisors on CARAVAN 2010, our annual youth mission and service trip, to Cedar Springs, Arizona. Working together with TEAMEffort, CARAVAN participants will be serving the Navajo people on their reservation. Sign up to be a prayer partner following the 10 a.m. and Intersections worship services on June 27, July 4, and July 11. If you have any questions, or would like to help, please contact Marilyn Beck at marilyn@bcbeck.com.

GET READY FOR JULY—Pick up a free copy of the new issue of "These Days" at the Book Sale display. The devotional for each day includes scripture, a thought, and a prayer to encourage you on your spiritual journey. While you're at the display, also take a look at the books and find some great summer reading.

GET FIT AND FEEL BETTER—A new series of Balance for Living exercise classes has just begun at the Phoenix Center, led by our very own Jackie Hirsch. Sign up for one or more classes each week or drop in for \$5. More information is available at the Kiosk. Classes include Pilates, toning and strengthening, yoga, weights, and aerobics.

SUMMER YOUTH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES—
Summer FLASH & Summer CLUE begin Wednesday, June 23, continues through August 11.
Summer FLASH meets 6-7 p.m.
Summer CLUE meets 7:30-8:30 p.m. (no CLUE August 4).

CHURCH STAFF

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As we enter worship, please turn off cell phones and pagers so that our attention may be upon the presence of God in this place.

THANK YOU to all who participated in this evening's worship.

WELCOME PAD—If you are visiting, be sure to provide your address and phone number on the welcome pad that will be passed during the service so we may know you are here.

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP—We welcome children in worship and understand that they participate in their own way. At Intersections children attend worship in the Sanctuary until they are released to their church school classes. Children are escorted to their classes by their teachers. Childcare is available in Room 901 for children ages six months to three years old.

PRAYER REQUESTS—We want to be a community that supports one another through prayer. You will find blue prayer request cards in the pew racks in front of you. If you have a prayer request, please fill out the card and place it in the offering baskets as they are passed.

WE CARE—Whom to contact: for a **Stephen Minister** — Deb Halford at 408-739-1892; for a **Spiritual Director** — Jim Peterson at 408-736-9224; with **Concerns and Celebrations** in life — Nurture Coordinator David Bentley at 408-739-1892.

WORSHIP FOCUS—If you would like to be on our worship focus email list, please put your email address on the welcome pad and indicate that you would like to receive the worship focus.

OFFERING—In worship we respond to God by offering God our lives, our particular gifts and abilities and our material goods. While we hope those who are visiting today are finding ways to respond to God's grace in your life, please don't feel that it is necessary to give to the offering.

LABYRINTH—You are invited to walk the grass labyrinth in a garden on the east side of the sanctuary. Walking the labyrinth can be a form of prayer, a way to be quiet and open to God.

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Other Worship Services:
Early Light Service - 7:50 a.m.
Traditional Service - 10 a.m.

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