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AND *compassionate*

TO ONE ANOTHER

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**THE CLARION
AUGUST 2018
CALVARY PREBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Upcoming Events

Summer Worship Services

10:30 am in Fellowship Hall
On Sundays gathering for brunch
then a single worship service
(through September 2nd)

Strikers In Youth Lounge

Sunday August 5th
3-5pm

Dinner @ Union Station

Sunday, August 12th
& Sunday October 14th
6-9 pm
Contact pastor Millason for more
information.

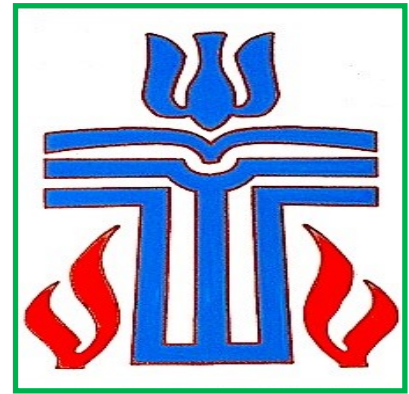
August Potluck

August 26th
5:00pm



Presbyterian Corner

Our faith, our practice, and and our roots



What do we mean when we say the Bible is “God’s Word”?

Presbyterians affirm that the Bible is God’s Word because we believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testament are God’s self-revelation. Through the Bible we gain a knowledge of God that is unique and authoritative for the church and for Christian life. We call the Bible “God’s Word” as a way of affirming this book as a special and distinctive source for our knowledge of God.

“God’s Word” means God’s self-expression. We are familiar with the important verse that begins the Gospel of John: “In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God, and the Word was God” (John 1:1). This verse points to Jesus Christ as the “Word” of God, the one who has become “flesh and lived among us” (John 1:14). So Jesus Christ is the primary expression of God, the “self-revelation” of God.

But we learn of Jesus Christ through the Scriptures. The church has believed through the centuries that the Bible is also properly called the “Word of God” because it is the source of our knowledge of Jesus Christ and of our knowledge of God’s action in the history of Israel. The books of the Old and New Testaments, the “canon,” are regarded as the place where God’s word is heard as God spoke and acted in Israel’s history as we find in the Old Testament, in the person of Jesus Christ, and in the life of the early church as found in writings of the New Testament. So the Bible is called the Word of God because in Scripture the church is addressed by the God who is inspired the biblical writings. The Scriptures of the old and New Testament are God’s self-revelation and the means by which God continues to speak to us today.

-from Donald K. McKim, *Presbyterian Questions, Presbyterian Answers*

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Anne Bading 8/1

Ron Schooler 8/1

♥ James & Cindy Zack 8/4

♥ Jeff & Holly Bruce 8/5

Evan Hitchcock 8/9

Marge Novasel 8/12

May Smith 8/12

Ann VerKuilen 8/13

♥ Julien & Mary Michaels 8/16

♥ Evan & Nancy Hitchcock 8/21

Sharon Lyall 8/24

♥ Ron & Nathana Schooler 8/27

Lisa Reynolds 8/29

Jennifer Schooler 8/30

Mission Corner

SUMMER OF BASIC NEEDS

Every year children show up on the first day of school with new backpacks full of shiny new supplies! But what if you could not afford those items? We have the opportunity to partner with Monte Vista Elementary School (LAUSD) to provide items to children whose family cannot afford these items. Principal Megan Guerrero oversees the distribution of these backpacks as needed throughout the school year.

We need:
BACKPACKS
And supplies to put in them:

- Pencils
- Erasers
- Spiral notebooks
- Colored pencils
- Pencil cases
- Highlighters
- Crayons
- Chap sticks
- Pencil sharpeners
- Facial tissues (individual packs)
- Child safe scissors

Please **NO** sharpies



**Please drop all supplies off at the Church Office, or in the Library.
Or contact Liz Daley with any questions.**

Are you interested in learning about the root causes of poverty and injustice?

**Would you like to share in mending the brokenness that exists in our world?
Would you like to learn more about Haiti?**

The Presbyterian Peacemaking Program brings leaders from partner organizations to interpret issues of peace and justice. By sharing stories of their work and witness, the peacemakers help us understand peace and justice concerns around the world.

Come hear firsthand from both a peacemaker and a mission worker who represents the PC(USA) in Haiti. Together the Fabienne Jean and Cindy Correll will share stories of connection and partnership between the PC(USA) and ministry partner FONDAMA.

Fabienne and Cindy will be at Calvary for our dinner potluck, September 23.



Fabienne is the coordinator of Hands Together Foundation of Haiti. Known by its Haitian Creole acronym FONDAMA, the network is part of an initiative of Presbyterian Hunger Program. Her role is to work with the member organizations to find lasting solutions to the problems that impoverish the population of Haiti. The member organizations serve their individual communities in promoting agriculture, environmental improvements, clean water and education. The organizations address root causes of the country's poverty such as land-grabbing, food imports and climate change by creating campaigns to reduce their harmful effects.

Cindy worked as reporter and editor for The News Leader in Staunton, Va., until leaving to serve as a mission co-worker with Presbyterian Church (USA) in 2013. She serves as a companionship facilitator with the Presbyterian Hunger Program's Joining Hands network in Haiti.

<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/peacemaking/international-peacemakers/>

VBS

This year, Calvary hosted an anti-bullying Vacation Bible School in which children learned how become better peacemakers.

All the children enjoyed their time spent, doing crafts, playing games, learning about the Bible, and eating delicious food while making new friends! None of this would have been possible without the help of our fantastic volunteer that helped make VBS a great experience for everyone.

THANK YOU!



VBS WEEK WAS FANTASTIC!!!

PEACE LAB



VACATION
BIBLE SCHOOL
2018





Angel INTERFAITH NETWORK News

August 2018



Backpacks, and paper, and crayons... but, oh my, many of our schools require students to wear uniforms and we have children who will only be able to attend classes if we are able to supply them!

Network Partners:

We have a new partnership with a neighboring non-profit-organization. **El Arca** is an Adult Day Program whose mission is to enhance the lives of adults with developmental disabilities. Here they are bagging adult hygiene kits with supplies that came from **First Presbyterian Church Santa Monica's Mission Team** in beautiful cloth bags made by **The American Sewing Guild, Glendora**. Thank you **El Arca** for joining our Network and coming to volunteer one day a week!



Those We Serve:

Ricardo is a 29-year-old young man newly diagnosed with testicular cancer and is receiving treatment at the Oncology Clinic. His social worker requested rent assistance. Ricardo was very grateful for the \$200 Angel Interfaith Network was able to provide toward his rent.

Linda is a 25-year-old cancer patient at LAC+USC Medical Center. A relative is caring for her 6-month-old daughter and 5-year-old son. Her social worker alerted us to the need for some clothing and diapers for her baby. Linda was so relieved when Angel Interfaith Network was able to provide them.

Samuel is cancer patient being released from the jail ward at LAC+USC Medical Center. He has nothing and is being placed in an assisted living facility. The social worker requested pants and shirt size large, a pair of socks, Large Depends and some Ensure. AIN was able to meet that need. "He was so happy." the social worker reported. "You should have seen the look on his face!"

Urgent Needs:

Your donation of \$40 sent to Angel Interfaith Network at 1911 Zonal Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90033 will enable us to purchase a Uniform Gift Card from **Fallas Paredes Department Store** that will provides 2 pants, 2 shorts and 2 shirts for a student. **Baby 2 Baby** is providing back packs, but we could use school supplies



Become a Sustaining Angel:

<http://angelinterfaith.net/sustainers.html>

SIP AND STITCH NEWS

WE ARE HARD AT WORK EVERY SATURDAY 9:00 AM UNTIL 12:30. PLEASE COME JOIN US FOR OUR MISSION TO MAKE BLANKETS FOR THE NEEDY AND ALSO FELLOWSHIP....NOT TO MENTION SOME HOMEMADE TREAT AND COFFEE!

WE GAVE OUT BLANKETS TO OUR GRADUATING SENIORS, AND GETTING READY TO SEND MORE FLANNEL BLANKETS AND CAPS TO AFRICA FOR THE MISSION HOSPITAL. IT IS HARD TO BELIEVE THAT IN THIS DAY AND AGE BABIES ARE DYING BECAUSE OF HYPOTHERMIA.

OUR NEXT GROUP OF BLANKETS WILL GO TO ELIZABETH HOUSE AND RED CROSS FOR LOCAL USE. DOOR OF HOPE TO FOLLOW.



IF YOU HAVE FLANNEL MATERIAL OR YARN TAKING UP SPACE IN YOUR CLOSET WE COULD USE THE DONATION....AND OF COURSE MONEY IS ALWAYS WELCOME!

AUGUST 2018

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

			1 10:30am Men's Group Noon Kiwanis	2 7:15pm Al Anon	3 10am Inspired Living Women' Group	4 9am Music Preparation for worship 9am Sip N Stitch
5 10:30am Summer Worship Service 3:00pm Strikers	6 2pm Traditional worship Planning 5pm Girls Scouts 7pm Boy Scouts	7 7pm Women's Bible Study	8 10:30am Men's Group Noon Kiwanis	9 7:15pm Al Anon	10 10am Inspired Living Women' Group	11 9am Music Preparation for worship 9am Sip N Stitch
12 10:30am Summer Worship Service 11:30am Session Meeting	13 5pm Girls Scouts 7pm Boy Scouts	14 7pm Women's Bible Study 7pm Toastmasters	15 10:30am Men's Group Noon Kiwanis 7:00pm Deacons Meeting	16 7:15pm Al Anon	17 10am Inspired Living Women' Group 11am Personnel Committee	18 9am Music Preparation for worship 9am Sip N Stitch
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July Financials

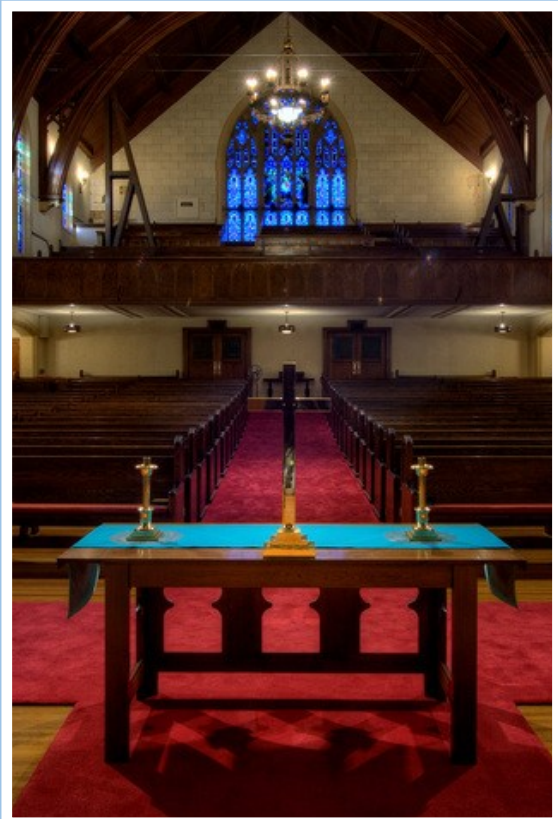
July Budgeted Income \$18,733.26
July Actual Income \$15,594.75
July Budgeted Expense \$34,714.46
July Actual Expense \$29,817.04
July Food Bank Expenses: \$0.00

Maribel Valadez
Office Administrator
cpc.southpas@gmail.com

Church Office Hours:

Mon. & Tue. 9-12 pm
Wednesday 9-12 pm & 1-4 pm
Thursday 1-4pm
Fridays 9-12 pm & 1-4 pm

Check out our website at
www.cpcsouthpas.org



Praise The LORD with us!

Join us for Summer
Sunday Worship in Fellow-
ship Hall at 10:30 am for
Brunch Followed by
Service through Sunday,
September 2nd.