

**Music Box**

NOVEMBER 13, 2016

**Adam Petrocelli, piano**  
**Melinda Coffey Armstead, organ**

*CHAPEL CONCERTINO*

Prelude in D-flat Major, Op. 28 ..... Frederic Chopin (1810-1839)  
Ballade in G minor Op. 23 ..... F. Chopin

La fille aux cheveux de lin ..... Claude Debussy (1862-1918)  
(The Girl with the Flaxen Hair)

Prelude in G Major, Op. 28 ..... F. Chopin

A warm welcome to Adam Petrocelli in his first appearance at CitF. Adam is the instrumental music director at the Stevenson School. A Los Angeles native, he studied a variety of instruments, including strings, brass, and percussion; received a Bachelor of Arts in Music from UC Riverside in 2004; went to the San Francisco Conservatory of Music to earn a Master of Music in Piano Performance in 2006 followed by a Professional Study Degree in Harpsichord in 2007. He won first prize at the Vena Ying Sheng Classical Piano Competition in Riverside in 2003 and 2004, performed Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 20 with Center Stage Opera in Los Angeles in 2006, and appeared with the Honor Student Orchestra in San Francisco that same year. Adam taught concert band, jazz band, choir and general music at San Benancio Middle School in Salinas from 2008-2013. He currently resides in Pacific Grove with his wife, Teruyo, also a pianist, and their two daughters, Sora and Sophie. We are delighted that he is able to perform for us this morning and hope to see him again soon.

*Melinda Coffey Armstead*



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Monday morning, November 7, 2016

Dear Friends and Members of Church in the Forest,

Have you ever prayed in a time of uncertainty, in a time of waiting? Today I spoke with Jack and Ann Cowles about their grandson, Bennett “Ben” Robertson Cowles, and the miraculous and unexplainable stabilization of his physical state. They can talk powerfully about “a time of waiting.” Consider mothers waiting to give birth. Consider a person waiting to hear back from a job application. Consider the teen applying for college. Consider the cancer patient, dying from the inside out. Have you ever prayed in a time of uncertainty, in a time of waiting?

How do we live today when we don’t know tomorrow? We draw strength from God, who invites our participation and endures long after the cities and buildings and stones have crumbled. We adopt a posture that asks not what God can do for us, but calls us to bring the Kingdom of God just a bit closer. We love neighbor as self and we strive for just societies and a stable planet—new heavens and a new earth. We pray without ceasing, and we trust in a mighty God from whom all blessings flow.

This is the revolutionary Good News. Are we in?

  
The Rev. Ken Feske

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** The *Visiting Team* is a ministry for those with an empathetic heart, who would like to assist Pastor Joanne and strengthen our church community. Members call on, listen, and encourage church members who are experiencing some challenges. Our next meeting is **Tuesday, November 15, 3–5 PM** at the home of **Rae Janzen**, team leader. If you’d like to find out more, please contact **Rae: 831–655–5113**.

Our church has a long history supporting our local Salvation Army, truly a transformational ministry. It’s time to volunteer to be a bell-ringer at the Pebble Beach Post Office, where you’ll meet your neighbors and help the Army! If you wish to ring in Pebble Beach, please contact **Judy Stayduhar** at **655-4985** to schedule a time. For more information or to ring at another location, please contact **Leigh Garibay**, Volunteer Coordinator, at 831-899-4911. (volunteer@tsamonterey.com)

Sunday, **November 13**, **Joanne** and **Charles Anker** will lead a “Prayer Workshop” in the Multipurpose Room to help us write a holiday table grace to share at our family celebrations. Join us in the Multipurpose Room with your pencils sharpened! Your original prayers will bless your holiday gatherings! We regret that the publication of Charles’s new prayer book has been delayed, but it will be here soon, a treasured holiday gift for family and friends.

**Important Notes for your Calendar:** This year we will have two identical Christmas Eve services at NEW times: **5:00 and 7:30 PM on Saturday, December 24, Christmas Eve, Christmas Concerto 1/2 hour earlier.** There will be the usual **9:30 AM service on Sunday, December 25, Christmas Day, Chapel Concertino at 9:15 AM.**

## Calendar

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>November 13, 2016—Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost</b>
<b>8:30 AM</b>	Bible Study in the Multipurpose Room led by the Rev. Ken Feske Topic: Luke 21: 5-19
<b>9:15 AM</b>	<b>Chapel Concertino</b>
<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>
<b>Passages</b>	Isaiah 65:17-25; Psalm 98; Luke 21: 5-19
	<b>Lector</b> Dennis Riley <b>Crucifer</b> Judy Fletcher
	<b>Flowers</b> Ken and Lupita Harrison
	<b>Cookies</b> Mary Kay Crockett and Leslie Buck
	<b>Ushers</b> Bob and Leslie Mulford
	<b>Altar Care</b> Martha Jordan & Sandy Rice
<b>Sermon</b>	The Rev. Ken Feske
<b>Title</b>	“The Sky Is Falling, Everything is Fine”
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>November 13, 2016 — Prayer Writing Workshop</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>November 20, 2016 — Thanksgiving/Stewardship Sunday</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>November 27, 2016 — First Sunday of Advent</b>