

Church in the Forest

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Monday morning, August 27, 2018

Dear Friends,

With the passing of Senator John McCain, numerous people have said, “Are there leaders made anymore like John McCain?”

This Sunday, as we conclude our sermon series on David and mourn Senator McCain, we need to address leadership.

Both Senator McCain and King David exemplify what good leaders are. And both demonstrate what good but fallible leaders should do, when they makes mistakes.

See you Sunday!



The Reverend Joanne M. Swenson

You are invited to brain-storm with community leaders for sustainable solutions to our Monterey County Elder Care Crisis. Sponsored by local clergy and city leaders. Free, with lunch provided. **September 15 from 9 am to 2 pm** at Monterey Peninsula College For more information about speakers and topics, [click here](#)

Our new on-line Church Directory is coming! Photographs will be taken **October, 22–25** in the Multipurpose room at CitF. Sign up now! We want to include our beloved friends of CitF too! Questions? Contact Mia Jarick at (831) 917-3202 or miajarick1@yahoo.com.

Calendar

Sunday September 2, 2018 — 15th Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 AM Bible Study in the Multipurpose Room led by the Reverend Ken Feske. Topic: First Chronicles 21:1–22:1

9:15 AM Chapel Concertino **9:30 AM Holy Communion**

Passages First Chronicles 21; Psalm 37: 5–11; Matthew 20: 20–28

Lector Evelyn Musavi **Fellowship** Lloyd Nattkemper

Crucifer Skip Lord **Flowers** John and Carolyn Sanders

Ushers Bob Janzen and Jack Davis

Oblation Bearer Liz Lord

Prayers of the People Mia Jarick

Altar Care Martha Jordan, Linda Hanel, Linda Mackie, Sandy Rice

Sermon The Reverend Joanne M. Swenson, Th.D.

Title Sermon Series on David: Crises and Crown

This Sunday: “The Legacy of Leadership”

We are grateful to those who each week volunteer to help with ushering, reading, or providing cookies. Might you be able to help? If so, perhaps you could sign up on the bulletin board at church or contact Terri in the office.

SAVE THE DATE: September 16th—Fall Anniversary Party—Sign up at church or contact the office. You don’t want to miss it! **Sponsorships still available!** Contact Steve Bellavance, stevenbellavance@gmail.com; or Mia Jarick, miajarick1@yahoo.com; or call the office, 624-1374.

A service of celebration for the life of **Fred Roth**, head of the English Department at Stevenson School, will be on **September 2 at 2 pm** in the chapel.

SMALL GROUPS: *These are gatherings where CitF members and friends can explore faith and deepen fellowship.*

- The *Small Group Bible Study* is held each **Sunday at 8:30 AM** in the Multipurpose Room where the topic is the sermon Bible lesson of the day.
- *The Men’s Small Group Bible Study* gathers **August 30, 10–11:30 AM** in the Multipurpose Room, where they are currently studying the life of King David (1 and 2 Samuel, 1 Kings) with inspiration from the Eugene Peterson book “Leap Over a Wall.”
- *Sisters in the Forest* will gather again on **September 6, 12 noon–1:15 PM** at Linda Mackie’s home, 3110 Bird Rock Rd., Pebble Beach. Please join them. All women welcome.
- *Women’s Bible Study Small Group* gathers **September 13, 10:30 AM–12:00**, at the Beach and Tennis Club, when we begin our new study, “Women of the New Testament. Always free and newcomers welcome.

Music Box

SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

Alyssa Stegall, violin
Hillét Botha, piano

- Concerto No. 1, 1st & 3rd movements... Antonio Vivaldi (1678–1741)
- Obertass.....Henryk Wieniawski (1835 - 1880)
- AdorationFelix Borowski (1872 - 1956)
- Meditation Jules Massenet (1842 - 1912)
- Rodeo Aaron Copland (1900 - 1990)

This Sunday we have a wonderful young soloist, Alyssa Stegall, to perform with me. I have been accompanying Alyssa for the past five years and saw her blossom into one of the best young violinists the Central Coast has to offer. We start our performance with two movements of Vivaldi’s Four Seasons. Following that we will play Obertass, one of two Mazurkas by the composer Henryk Wieniawski and Adoration, a beautiful piece by Felix Borowski. For the Offertory, we are playing Meditation from the Opera “Thaïs” by Jules Massenet. Please make sure to stick around for the Postlude as we are performing the very lively (and technically difficult) Rodeo by Aaron Copland. I will keep my fingers crossed that Alyssa does not start it off too fast!

Alyssa Stegall is seventeen years old and currently attends Stevenson High School as a senior. She has studied violin for thirteen years through the Associated Board of Royal Schools Music (ABRSM) under the instruction of Rosemarie Dunsford.

Alyssa is currently a first violinist in the San Jose Youth Symphony (SJYS) Philharmonic Orchestra. She has also served as Associate Concertmaster of the SJYS Chamber Orchestra, Concertmaster of the SJYS Concert Orchestra, and was a first violinist in the CCS High School Honors Orchestra. She also participated in the All-State High School and Orchestra, selected from more than 2000 applicants. Alyssa was awarded the SJYS Young Artist Award and was featured soloist with the Concert and Chamber Orchestras. She also played as featured soloist with YMMC’s Junior Youth Orchestra in 2012. Alyssa has been a recipient of the Colleagues of the Arts Scholarship Award in 2013-2018.

Alyssa also plays with the Stevenson High School Orchestra and Chamber groups under the direction of Adam Petrocelli.




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