

Music Box

— SEPTEMBER 20, 2015 —

Melinda Coffey Armstead, piano & organ

Prelude for the Fall Equinox

Fantasy on

- “The Last Rose of Summer” Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)
- Autumn Nocturne.....Josef Myrow (1910-1987)
- Autumn Leaves Joseph Kosma (1905-1969)
arr. by Roger Williams

“O Welt, Ich müss dich lassen” Heinrich Isaak (1495)
(O World, I now must leave thee)

Chorale Prelude on

“O Welt, Ich müss dich lassen”Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

The Fall of the Leaf.....Martin Pierson (1590-1650)

Little Prelude in D minorJ. S. Bach (1685-1750)

Autumn Day

Lord it is time. The summer was enormous.
Lay down your shadow on the sundials,
And on the meadows set the winds free.

Command the last fruits to fullness;
Grant them two more southerly days,
Press them toward perfection and chase
The last sweetness into the heavy wine.

—Rainier Maria Rilke (1875-1926)



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Monday morning, September 14, 2015

Dear Members and Friends,

I am sure that we are all delighted that the *Pastor Search Committee* is doing so well, and we have heard these reports “right from the horse’s mouth.” David Nee, the chair of the *Committee*, reports that they are impressed and excited about the number and quality of those who have shown interest. They will be keeping us informed on more developments when they have come to a decision and will present that name to the congregation at the appropriate time.

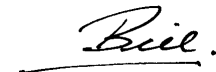
Truth is, this is always a somewhat difficult time for a church, as well as being a real possibility for growth and excitement. Most of us don’t like change, and yet that experience of change can be the best tonic for the organization. In that vein and with all that is going on, there is something that I would like to ask of you.

This church is a very special place in the Monterey community and way far beyond with our wonderful regular visitors from Texas and other states. They have boosted our church attendance and contributed to the excitement of our worship times together. We need your support, especially your presence, in worship so that we can keep the “magic” going and so demonstrate to any and all who will visit that we are a healthy congregation.

Many thanks for your love and dedication to your church. I, along with you, look forward to the next exciting chapter in the life of Church in the Forest.

Thank you for all your prayers, love and support. Hope to see you in church.

Blessings,



William B. Rolland

ANNOUNCEMENT: The revised Church in the Forest Bylaws have been disseminated for your review. There will be a congregational meeting on **Sunday, October 4, 2015**, after the church service, for the purpose of approving the revised Bylaws. Additional hard copies are available in the office for your convenience. Please contact Sherry if you have any questions.

Calendar

Sunday, September 20, 2015 — 17th Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 AM Bible Study in the Multipurpose Room with the Rev. Ken Feske:
A Fig Tree and True Authority, Matthew 21: 18-27
9:15 AM **Music Prelude**
9:30 AM **Morning Prayer**
Passages Genesis 25: 24-34; Psalm 150:1-6; Matthew 16: 24-28
Lector Don Daly
Crucifer ??
Flowers John & Judy Kennedy and Herb & Phyllis Lister
Cookies Joe Stine and ??
Ushers Sandy and Bob Rice
Altar Care Martha Jordan and Sandy Rice
Sermon the Rev. Dr. William B. Rolland
Title “A Question of Value”
Tuesday, September 21, 2015, 10:15–11:30, Small Study Group at the home of Raymond and Carol Williams, 3945 Ronda, PB.
Sunday, September 27, 2015—28th Annual Fall Function, 5:00-7:00 pm.
Contact church office (citf@mbay.net or 624-1374) for the address of this “not to be missed” event!
Sunday, October 4, after the service, Meeting of the Congregation to approve the revised Bylaws.