

Music Box

APRIL 27, 2014

Robert Armstead, bass-baritone
Melinda Coffey Armstead, piano & organ

- Frühlingsglaube.....Johann L. Uhland/Franz Schubert (1797-1828)
- Ständchen.....Ludwig Rellstab/F. Schubert
- Widmung..... Friedrich Rückert/Robert Schumann (1810-1856)
- Après un rêve Romain Bussine/Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924)
- Nell.....Charles Marie René Leconte de Lisle/G. Fauré
- Pilgrim’s Song.....A. Tolstoy/P. I. Tchaikowsky (1840-1893)
- Rondo in G.....John Bull (1562-1628)

Spring now being well sprung, we are about to (a) start a marvelous trip to Holland, Germany, Switzerland, and France, including a one week (totally self-indulgent) cruise on the Rhine River from Amsterdam to Basel, ending with three days in Paris, and (b) climb into a pressurized but poorly-ventilated aluminum tube at great expense for an eleven-hour test of endurance with about 300 others who are unaccountably dissatisfied with where they are.

To have opposing points of view is a privilege granted to married people. To see the other person’s (stupid) point of view, yet not pop a gasket, is a privilege granted to HAPPILY-married people.

Today the prelude music is (a) entirely about spring and (b) entirely about love. It is entirely in French and German, because (a) we’re going to those places, AND those are the original languages of the songs and (b) there is something more romantic about words in a language you don’t understand. (Consider the foreign-language films you watch at home, and recall which one of you ordered them. Ha! I thought so.)

Now, about those languages: the complete translations are on a handout, and for the best experience, I recommend that if practical you read the translation of each song BEFORE, rather than during, the performance.

Auf Wiedersehen! Au revoir! *Melinda Coffey Armstead*



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Monday morning, April 21, 2014

Dear Members and Friends,

May you have a wonderfully blessed and exciting Easter Season. May the Joy and presence of the Risen Christ be a constant encouragement to you and yours. You can join with others in Ken's study offerings and experience the fellowship of others while searching out what it means to be a follower of the Master.

"With All Your Heart" is a six-session, small group bible study DVD by noted teacher and historian, Ray Vander Laan. Do you remember where your blessing comes from? In Exodus, God warned Israel to remember him when they left the dry desert and reached the fertile fields of the Promised Land. But in these faith lessons, you'll discover how quickly they forgot God and began to rely on themselves. Find out what it means to remember the Lord in your own life on this one-of-a-kind spiritual pilgrimage. Filmed on location in Israel, **Faith Lessons** is a unique video series that brings God's Word to life with astounding relevance. By weaving together the Bible's fascinating historical, cultural, religious, and geographical contexts, teacher and historian Ray Vander Laan reveals unique insights into the Scriptures' significance for modern believers. The **"With All Your Heart"** DVD was filmed on location in Timnah, Negev, and Jerusalem. These illuminating "faith lessons" afford a new understanding of the Bible that will ground your convictions and transform your life. Individual believers and families will gain vital insights from long-ago times and cultures through this innovative approach to Bible Study. Lessons include: **1. (April 30)** Build Me a Sanctuary—filmed on location in Timnah **2. (May 7)** Making Space for God—filmed on location in Timnah **3. (May 14)** He Led Them Like a Shepherd—filmed on location in Negev. **4. (May 21)** By Every Word—Striking the Rock—filmed on location in Negev. **5. (May 28)** With All Your Might: The Final Test—filmed on

location in Jerusalem. **6. (June 4)** A Well-Watered Garden—filmed on location in Jerusalem. 5:30-6:30 PM Wednesdays at the home of Helen Breck, on Lincoln, 3SE of 11th in Carmel.

"Jesus, Bombs, and Ice Cream" is an invitation to dialogue and dream, to disagree and discuss... whether you are a soldier or a pacifist, an atheist or a believer. It's brainstorming how we can move from war toward love. It's a conversation for consideration. **"We Have A Dream" (April 29); "Our Grief Is Not a Cry For War" (May 6); "Peace Is The Cross We Carry" (May 13); "Under One Blue Sky" (May 20); "Jesus Disarmed Us All" (May 27) and "Dessert" (June 3). 10:30-11:30 AM** at the home of Ruth Gleisner, 3004 Sloat Road, Pebble Beach.

May God richly bless you.



William B. Rolland

*Please put **Sunday, May 4**, on your calendar because we will be holding our annual **Spring Breakfast beginning at 8:00 am**. This is an event not to be missed. See the bulletin board to sign up for this fun and yummy occasion or contact Sherry in the Church Office.*



Calendar

Sunday, April 27, 2014

8:30 AM Bible Study with the Rev. Charles Anker.
1 Kings 1:1 – 11:43. The Reign of Solomon

9:15 AM Music Prelude

9:30 AM Morning Prayer

Passages Psalm 8; Psalm 24; Ephesians 1:3-14

Lector Dennis Riley

Crucifer Rae Janzen

Flowers Janet & Clarence Hill

Cookies Theo Fowler and Ruth Gleisner

Altar Care Martha Jordan and Leonora Branca

Ushers Bob Janzen and Erl Lagerholm

Sermon The Rev. Charles Anker

Title "Trusting God"