



The Shape

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN ALMADEN

FROM STEPHEN

I want to thank all of you for making our Annual Meeting a joy-filled event. As I mentioned at the meeting, I believe that this year will be difficult, challenging and exciting. Elsewhere in this issue you can read the election results. After prayerfully considering the matter, I have decided to appoint Susie Ferguson as the Senior Warden for the coming year. I believe that she brings a unique and considerable combination of gifts to this position and I am looking forward to working with her.

It is hard to believe that Advent is here already. You know what that means – frantic activity and not finding a parking space in the mall until after Christmas. Actually, what it means at ECA is a number of activities to try to restore some sanity to the secular feel good frenzy. Advent is a time to examine our lives and prepare a place in our hearts for the Christ Child to be born. You should have received a pledge card in the mail. Please PRAYERFULLY consider what the Lord is calling you to give to God's work in the church this year. November 27th will also be the first Sunday to turn in pledge cards for our Every Member Canvas.

On December 4th we will have "Alternative Christmas" which gives us an opportunity to witness to the love of the Child who is to come for the whole world and acknowledge that we are part of the whole human family.

On December 18th our children will enact the story of our Savior's Birth in the Christmas Pageant under the direction of Katie McCormick. The pageant will be at 10:00 a.m. and there will be no 11:00 service. Once again we will use the format of an "Instant Christmas

Pageant". After several years of using this format, we should be able to refine it to flow more smoothly.

Also on December 21st at 6:30 p.m. we will have our "blue Christmas" service. This is a quiet meditative opportunity to reflect on the sometime conflicting emotions and expectations of the season.

On December 24th we have three services. At 5:00 p.m. we have our joint family Christmas celebration with our brothers and sisters from AVUCC. Kevin Smith and I will be sharing the service. The sermon and the service will be child and family friendly. At 7:30 p.m. there will be a service of Lessons and Carols with the AVUCC adult choir. At 10:30 p.m. we will have our "midnight mass" with Lessons and Carols, Eucharist, candles, and the ECA adult choir. I thought that the choir and the readers did an outstanding job last year and it was the most beautiful Christmas celebration I have ever been a part of.

Since December 25th is a Sunday this year we will have a joint celebration of the Holy Eucharist with AVUCC for those still standing at 10:00 a.m. We will continue our tradition of a "come as you are" Eucharist, where pajamas are acceptable attire.

May you have a Holy Advent and a Blessed Christmas!

Salaam,
Stephen +



MUSIC NOTES

Great music will be heard this Advent and Christmas season. Be sure to come hear the vocal choirs, Bell Choir, Children's Choir and instrumentalists as they raise their music to the Lord in celebration of the Coming of Jesus at Christmastime.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Children's Choir will meet on Saturdays from 10:00am-10:45am, beginning December 3. Children of all ages are encouraged to attend. We will be working on learning songs for the Sunday School Christmas Pageant and the 5:00pm Christmas Eve Family Service on Saturday, December 24.

HOLIDAY INSTRUMENTALISTS

All adults and children, who would like to lend their instrumental talents to the Sunday School Christmas Pageant on Sunday December 18, or to any of the Christmas Eve services, please contact Music Director John Leslie at the church office: 408-268-0243.

SPECIAL SUNDAYS

Christmas Day and New Year's Day both fall on Sundays this year. Please prayerfully consider celebrating the Birthday of our Lord with us at a Joint Venture Service on Christmas Sunday morning at 10:00am. There will also be regularly scheduled services on New Year's Day, January 1, 2006!

TALENT SHOW

Our third annual Epiphany Talent Show (Evening of Gifts) will be held on Saturday, January 7. All acts will be welcome. Please contact John Leslie at the church office to volunteer, or to request more information.

TAIZÉ PLANNING MEETING

All interested parties are invited to attend a planning meeting for future Taizé-style evening services at Joint Venture Churches. Anyone with past experience with this type of service is encouraged to attend and share their insights. Please let John Leslie know of your interest and availability for getting together. A date that is available for most people will be chosen after receiving calendar information.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

7:30 AM and 11:00 AM

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SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

ACOLYTES	Valerie Tysanner
ALTAR GUILD	Elaine LaVallee, Betty Wood
COFFEE HOUR	Pete Mayo
FOLK CHOIR	Andy Kerr
GREETERS	Sharon Mills
GOD SQUAD	Jenny Hoyt
GOOD SAMS	Jenny Hoyt
LAY READERS	Dennis Moran
MONTGOMERY MEALS	Amy Griffith
NURSERY	Lorry Long
PRAYER VINE	Dorothy Willard
USHERS	Dave Byers
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FELLOWSHIP

STAR LIGHT, STAR BRIGHT, COME TO THE ECA PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT

Yes, it will be a glittering affair!! It is our annual adult Christmas party!!

DATE: December 10
TIME: 6:00 PM
PLACE: Fellowship Hall
COST: \$18.00
BYOB (Beverage of Choice)

Come join us for fun and friendship as we dine under the "Stars" with candlelight and music.

Since this is the season for giving, we would like you to bring a new unwrapped toy (for any age) for the Santa Maria Urban Mission, which we support. They in turn will distribute these gifts to less fortunate children in the neighborhood.

Babysitting is not provided. If anyone should need a babysitter, a list of responsible teens is provided. You will have to call and make your own arrangements with them to take care of your child/children in your home.

Valerie Tysanner (408) 927-7140
Taylor Mills (408) 927-9459
David Hoyt (408) 997-1826
Greg & Doug Lukanc (408) 997-3857
Brad Bond (408) 972-8297
Marcus Bond & Katie McPherson (408) 927-8297 or (408) 289-8217
Kristen Petruzzelli (408) 268-1956
Danielle Petruzzelli & Christina Greteman (408) 268-1956
Brooke Mills & friend (408) 927-9459
Jacqueline Rousseau (408) 927-7289
Ryan McPherson (408) 268-9559
Sean McCormick & friend (408) 997-9817

There will be a sign-up poster in the Fellowship Hall. We will need to know the exact number of guests no later than December 5th, so please make your plans now and let us know if you will be there to join in the festivities.

If you have any questions, please call one of the following:

Debbie Bishop (chair) (408) 268-9193
Betty Consorte (408) 268-7768
Susie Ferguson (408) 997-0107
Amy Griffith (408) 268-0920
Carol MacDonald (408) 997-0358
Suzanne Mayo (408) 268-0754
Susanne Moore (408) 358-2077

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Ever wanted to work on a Habitat for Humanity Project? Here's your opportunity! SHYGS are working on a Silicon Valley Habitat for Humanity building project on Sunday, Feb 12th. The project is to work on a Victorian house that was moved to make way for the new City Hall, and then was donated to Habitat. It is being refurbished into 4 condominiums. The size of the work team assigned to this particular project is 25 workers/day (Habitat will have people on site who provide the tools and the direction-we provide bodies and lunch). Depending on the number of our teens available that day, we would like to offer an additional 5-8 spots for members of either church to join us to work that day. Habitat can bring in other people, but we thought it would be fun to work along members of our own community. If you would like to be put on the list to join us that day, please email or call Robin Root. Kevin Smith will be conducting a short worship service for the work team at the site right before lunch. If you would like to organize and bring lunch to the work team downtown San Jose that day, please call Robin-we will pay for this out of our budget. This will be a really great day-we hope some of you can join us! Contact info:robinroot@yahoo.com, (408) 268-1203

Robin Root

FELLOWSHIP

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

It's not too late to subscribe to the balance of the Almaden Adventures in the Arts concert season. Music at Joint Venture Churches needs your support to continue to present the concert series. We have fashioned attractive season ticket packages to help entice your support.

If you buy the rest of the season, you'll get one show free. Plus, as an added bonus, season ticket holders will be able to purchase reduced price tickets to next summer's musical production.

Here's the rest of the 2005-06 concert line-up:

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2006 7:30 P.M.
**SOUP, SALAD & SOUND WITH ORGANIST
MARY NORTON**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2006 7:30 P.M.
**SOUP, SALAD & SOUND WITH ORGANIST
DEAN COOK**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2006 7:30 P.M.
SIDESADDLE & COMPANY

SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 2006 5:00 P.M.
BANANA SLUG STRING BAND

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 2006 3:00 P.M.
**PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL CHAMBER CHOIR
AND
CASTILLERO MIDDLE SCHOOL STAGE BAND**

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2006 7:30 P.M.
DOCE BRAZIL featuring Jennifer Lee

Here's a summary of the single and latest season ticket prices:

Single Performance prices:

Adult: \$15 advance/will call, \$20 door; except organ recitals \$10 advance and \$15 door

Student: (valid ID for those over 18): \$10 advance/will call, \$12 door; organ recitals \$8 and \$10

Child: (12 and under): \$5 all performances (childcare also available)

Season Ticket Packages:

One **Adult**

\$65.00 6 shows for price of 5

One **Student**

\$40.00 6 shows for price of 4

One **Child**

\$20.00 6 shows for the price of 4

Soup, Salad & Sound Pack

\$15.00 1 adult, 2 recitals

We thank you sincerely for your continued and gracious support of Almaden Adventures in the Arts!

Joint Venture Concert Committee

John Leslie, Music Director

Todd Axtell, Co-chair

Kevin Haley, Co-chair

Steve Coutinho

Doug Dunham

Alex Dykes

Marion Grungé

Mary Leal

Betsy Shoup

Terry Shoup

Bart Smith

ANNUAL MEETING ELECTION RESULTS

Vestry

Elected for 1 year terms:

Susie Ferguson

Susanne Moore

Elected for 3 year terms:

Ron Howie

Jim McPherson

Tim Miller

Steve Wing

FELLOWSHIP

TABARD'S FAREWELL

The enjoyment on the faces of the audience at the final performance of "Smoke on the Mountain" left me with the sad fact that we are going to miss having the Tabard Theater performing in our church. It is family theater that brings the community into our church to enjoy entertainment for all ages. The performers always look like they enjoy themselves and the audience participates in that feeling.

This letter should have been written last year since the same entertainment was enjoyed by so many at that time. I should have spoken up to praise the fact that we allowed our church to contribute to the community in such a positive way. Now I am sad that we will have to travel somewhere else to see performances by this group. I am not alone in wanting the theater to stay here, I have talked with many people that have had a positive experience with the theater and would like it to stay

The theater not only contributed by having family entertainment in the Almaden Valley, but they contributed financially (\$3,000+). At this last performance they also donated part of the proceeds from the production sales, the sale of refreshments and other products to the Almaden Library children's reading room and the Katrina hurricane victims.

In my travels I have experienced many entertainment groups using churches to perform. And, I have enjoyed being in the church knowing that it exposes people to an atmosphere of peace and reflection.

Amy Griffith

VESTRY RETREAT

Over the weekend of January 20-22, the new vestry will be going on a retreat. As of this writing, they are not sure of the actual physical location of the meeting, but they plan to spend time getting to know each other, reflecting on the information gathered at the Spring Fling dinners, discussing thoughts and visions for the church, volunteering for ministries, and planning ECA's future. Your prayers are welcomed and appreciated.

Lord, I pray for your presence with the vestry on their retreat. Open their hearts and minds to receive your guidance. Amen.

DISASTER PLANNING

January 7
8:30 AM

Dr. Earl Stevens
San Jose Prepared!
City of San Jose
Office of Emergency Services

Dr. Stevens, coordinator for San Jose Prepared!, will speak on emergency disaster planning in San Jose at the AVUCC Men's Breakfast in January. This most informative and timely 2-hour talk will provide information that our Joint Venture churches can use as we consider developing an emergency response plan for our congregations.

AVUCC men will have their regular breakfast meeting beginning at 8 am and people from both churches who are interested in hearing Dr. Stevens talk should plan to attend beginning at 8:30 am.

FELLOWSHIP

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Bible study has been meeting in the choir room on Thursday mornings at 10 since September. We've been studying Matthew with some wonderful discussions taking place. Generally a group of 8-10 attend. Newcomers are always welcome. We will be taking a month-long break over Christmas. Our last meeting of the year will be December 8, and we'll resume on January 12 when we will be reading and studying Matthew 13:1-23 (Lesson 13). Homework is available on the website. Go to www.eca-sj.org. Click on Special Events and click on Bible Study Handouts, Lesson 13.

Matthew presents a very thorough gospel and his purpose is to convince the Jews that Jesus is indeed their Messiah. He ties in many of the Old Testament prophecies. So far, we have read about his genealogy, John the Baptist, his baptism, and temptations in the desert. Then we began learning about his ministry, the Sermon on the Mount, and his many miracles. In Chapter 13 we will begin reading about his parables.

We try to apply the gospel readings to our lives today, sometimes using outside commentaries. Below is an example.

The Unseized Moment

Another of his disciples said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." But Jesus told him, "Follow me, and let the dead bury their own dead." Matt 8:21-22.

The man in the gospel meant, "I will follow you some day, when my father is dead, and when I am free to go." He was in fact putting off his following of Jesus for many years to come. Jesus was wise: Jesus knew the human heart; and Jesus knew well that, if the man did not follow him at the moment, he never would. Again and again there come to us moments of impulse when we are moved to higher things; and again and again we let them pass without acting upon them.

The tragedy of life is so often the tragedy of the unseized moment. We are moved to some fine action, we are moved to abandon some weakness or habit, we are moved to say something to someone, some word of sympathy, or warning, or encouragement; but the moment passes, and the thing is never done, the evil thing is never conquered, the word is never spoken. In the best of us there is a certain lethargy and inertia; there is a certain habit of procrastination; there is a certain fear and indecision; and often the moment of fine impulse is never turned into action and into fact.

Jesus was saying to this man; "you are feeling at the moment that you must get out of that dead society in which you move; you say you will get out when the years have passed and your father had died; get out now - or you will never get out at all."

May God give to us that strength of decision which will save us from the tragedy of the unseized moment.

The Daily Study Bible Series, The Gospel of Matthew by William Barclay

Mary McPherson



YOUTH

HOW TO SUPPORT SHYGS

SHYGS Rockin' through the Fall and into Winter

Wow-We're getting busy again! Here you go:

In October we had not two, but three great meetings that included SHYGS led discussions, an evening talking about the different forms of love discussed in the Bible: Phileo-Brotherly love, Eros-Lust and Agape-God's love. We explored how they differ and how to recognize them when we see them. Throw in a little pumpkin carving and volleyball and rock music and you've got a full month. We also attended St. Jude's for ETC, the monthly youth event that brings together different youth groups. October's theme was Sin, Death and Halloween. November's theme at Trinity was Hunger. These events are a wonderful opportunity to get larger groups of teens together for fellowship and learning.

November was ushered in with 20 of us traveling to San Francisco for a dinner and trip through China Town, rides on the cable car, a walk on the labyrinth and an evening service at Grace Cathedral set to the music of U2-The U2charist! It was a fabulous trip and thanks go to all the teens that were so fun to be with and so well-behaved it was a blast to be around them, and to Sharon Hall, Ann Mayers, and the Lukancs for driving and chaperoning the group. We also started our servant auction which provides the funds for our outreach projects-that event ends at Alternative Christmas the first Sunday in December. We adopted 2 families from the EOPS program at West Valley for Thanksgiving by purchasing groceries for the holiday (both single moms with kids)-the food was delivered for us by Nancy Romer-thank you Nancy! At our last meeting in November we discussed how advertising attempts to manipulate our behavior-we know it, but how do we keep from being fooled? Good stuff! Thank you to all of you who donated magazines for this event.

See our Upcoming Dates for December Activities-We focus on fellowship and outreach this month with some of our favorite events like gift-wrapping and shopping for our adopted family, as well as our regular meetings. *We are hoping you all will support our outreach funding activities so that we may be generous to others-purchase a servant item or bring your items to be wrapped on December 17th! Thank you in advance!*

UPCOMING SHYGS EVENTS

- Dec 4th & 18th – Regular Meetings 4:30-8:30
- Dec 11th – We'll shop for our adopted families after last service-Meet in Fellowship Hall at 12:15-Back by 3:00.
- Sat Dec 17th – 1-5:00 - Gift-wrapping at Church (outreach fundraiser)
- Sun Jan 1 – Noon-Midnight – Movie Marathon at church
- Jan 15 – Regular Meeting-4:30-8:30
- Jan 26-29 – Ski Trip-Joint Event with JHYGS-See Katie McCormick for Details
- Feb 5 – Regular Meeting-4:30-8:30
- Feb 12 – 8:00-4:30-Work day with Silicon Valley Habitat for Humanity
- Mar 19 – Tweak Hunt



YOUTH

JR. HIGH YOUTH GROUP

I attended the Group Magazine Live seminar in November and was inspired to impart the message of having a personal relationship with Jesus. At the next meeting I asked the kids to describe Jesus. These descriptions ranged from "A guy with a beard" to "my protector". The goal was to break through their mental model of what they have thought in the past to think of Jesus as their friend. In fact, we listed 10 foundations for building great friendships and switched the idea of these being about their peers to being about Jesus. Despite the fact that we have at least 6 comedians who all expect to be the center of attention at all times, I believe we got some of the message through! They are a very energetic and lovable group of kids.

We are heading out to Laser Quest on Nov. 27th. The group is meeting at the church at 5pm for dinner and will be back around 8:30 – 9:00pm.

Alternative Christmas is coming up on Dec. 4th. This is when we take orders for the pies the JHYG's bake and is our main fundraiser for our adopted family. We also sell baked goods which means all of us need to do some cooking. Please bring the baked goods to the church on Dec.3rd (time to be announced later) so we can package them for the sale the next day. Also, we will need youth to help with the sale during all three coffee hours.

JR. HIGH YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

Dec 3rd – bring baked goods to church to package for bake sale

Dec 4th – Alternative Christmas bake sale

Dec 11 – meeting 6-8

Dec 19 (Monday) – pie baking & shopping for adopted family

Jan 8 – meeting 6-8

Jan 26-29 – ski trip – Joint SHYG and JHYG

Katie McCormick
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SUNDAY SCHOOL

There will be no Sunday school classes on the first Sunday of Advent, Nov. 27th. We will be putting together the Advent wreaths in the fellowship hall. Please sign up on the poster in fellowship hall if you would like a wreath and/or candles. We will have greens available to add to your candle holder during the Sunday school hour.

The Instant Christmas Pageant will be held at 10am, Dec. 18th at a joint ECA/AVUCC service. Byron Henderson will be our narrator and the readings will be done by several youth. All children are welcome to participate. Oh! And Misha Brown will play the part of Jesus.

Katie McCormick

FELLOWSHIP

ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS

This is the time of year we give special thoughts to the needy people in our community and the wonderful outreach projects of our churches. Please come with open hearts and checkbooks to the Alternative Christmas Market in the Fellowship Hall between services Sunday, December 4. This year you will have the opportunity to support our youth by purchasing goodies at the bake sale, and “buying” the talents of a high school youth as they auction themselves off in support of their annual family adoption project. You can also buy your choice of animal from Heifer Project International and purchase building materials for Silicon Valley Habitat for Humanity. In return you will receive a card to give your recipient telling them the items have been donated in their name as a Christmas gift that keeps on giving.

Our two Christmas trees will again decorate our Fellowship Hall. One, The Giving Tree, will be in support of Inn Vision. You may donate cash or checks or items themselves for their use. Needed items include warm things like socks and rain ponchos, and personal items like toothbrushes, toothpaste, and shampoo. Things are needed for men, women, and children of all ages. The second tree is the White Angel Tree which will support the children of Santa Maria Mission. Select an angel and purchase a gift. These are wonderful opportunities to do things for others right here in our community.

We will also have the opportunity to support Africa Team Ministries by purchasing jewelry and

other items in their support. Past years experience tell us these are beautiful gifts to give with pride or to give a gift to ourselves. We will also have Beneficio Coffee available for purchase or order and if any Entertainment Books are left, they will be available too.

Please be generous to our annual outreach fundraiser!

Mel Stonehocker (408) 997-2130
Phyllis Green (408) 268-6506

THANKS!

Thanks to the many hard workers who helped make our annual meeting a joyful event: to Jon Mills for putting all the pieces in place; to Inge Bond and Ellen Lukanc for arranging the Fellowship Hall and for coordinating the delicious fajita dinner; to Greg Lukanc, Danielle Petruzzelli, Kristen Petruzzelli and Guido Spanjaart for helping with set up and serving; to Don Hall for providing the margarita machine; to Hans Spanjaart for putting together the wonderful slide show; to Sharon Hall for kicking off our Stewardship Campaign with insight into the importance of funding the ministries we love; to Father Stephen for being our spiritual guide; and to the new Vestry members, Joint Venture members, and Diocesan delegates for putting their faith in Jesus.

We have five members leaving the Vestry at the end of December. Ellen Lukanc, Jon Mills, Pat Rimroth and Terry Root have each served three year terms, and Debbie Bishop has served a one year term. Serving on the vestry is a labor of love. It sometimes leaves you exhilarated, sometimes leaves you exhausted, and occasionally leaves you both! Please take a moment to say thank you to these people the next time you see one of them.

EVENTS SCHEDULE

12/1	Men's Breakfast	8:00 AM
12/1	Gospel of Matthew Bible Study	10:00 AM
12/1	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM
12/2	JV Thai Chi	12:00 PM
12/2	Bridge Group	7:00 PM
12/3	JHYG Baked Goods Due	
12/4	Alternative Christmas	
12/4	Holy Communion	7:30 AM
12/4	Sunday School	10:10 AM
12/4	Holy Communion	11:00 AM
12/7	JV Bell Choir	4:45 PM
12/8	Men's Breakfast	8:00 AM
12/8	Gospel of Matthew Bible Study	10:00 AM
12/8	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM
12/9	JV Thai Chi	12:00 PM
12/9	Decorate for Christmas Party	2:00 PM
12/10	JV Aluminum Can Drive	
12/10	Christmas Party	6:00 PM
12/11	JV Aluminum Can Drive	
12/11	Folk Sunday	
12/11	Holy Communion	7:30 AM
12/11	Sunday School	10:10 AM
12/11	Holy Communion	11:00 AM
12/11	JHYG Meeting	6:00 PM
12/14	JV Bell Choir	4:45 PM
12/15	Shape Deadline	
12/15	Men's Breakfast	8:00 AM
12/15	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM
12/16	JV Thai Chi	12:00 PM
12/16	SHYG Field Trip Topic TBD	7:00 PM
12/17	SHYG'S Giftwrapping and Babysitting	1:00 PM
12/18	Youth Sunday	
12/18	JV Christmas Pageant	10:00 AM
12/21	Darkness to Light Ceremony	6:30 PM
12/21	JV Bell Choir	4:45 PM
12/22	Men's Breakfast	8:00 AM
12/22	Vestry Meeting	7:00 PM
12/22	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM
12/25	Christmas	
12/25	JV Worship	10:00 AM
12/28	JV Bell Choir	4:45 PM
12/29	Men's Breakfast	8:00 AM
12/29	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM
12/31	Singles New Year's Party	

Birthdays

Jonathon Beacher	1
Jennah George	1
Marion Grunge	2
Patricia Kabeja	4
Betty Consorte	5
Shelley Moore	5
Lola Fahlen	6
Donna Miller	7
Faith Mills	7
Ellie Mills	11
Susie Ferguson	13
Danielle Miller	13
Susanne Moore	16
Stephen Mills	16
Francie Kerr	19
Gary Keck	19
Jason Skowronski	19
Kathleen Eagan	19
Hannah Ward	23
Toni Hird	24
Ed Criner	30

Anniversaries

Fran & Sandy Sandrock	4
Robin & Terry Root	30

Save The Dates

Jan 26-29 – Youth Group Ski Trip
 Jan 20-22 – Vestry Retreat
 Jan 28 – Diocesan Convention