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Take a Prayer Walk

Bishop Mathes would ask congregations a simple, but very powerful question, If your church were to close tomorrow, would your community notice? It's a great question, but one that each of us might be inclined to pass off on the institution to solve. So, I like to bring it down to the individual level and reword the question just a little: If YOU were to stop being Christian tomorrow, would your neighbors notice? If that seems too farfetched to get your head around, how about, if you were to move out of your neighborhood, would you be missed? The point being, these questions are all asking us about what kind of impact are we having on those we live with. They have their root in the Gospel of John when he says that the Disciples of Jesus will be known for how they love. (John 13:35)

So how are we doing on that score? Are we loving our neighbors such a way that know there is something very different about us? Are we having a 'kingdom' impact in our communities that is so unexpected, so life giving, so exceptionally different than the rest of the world, that they might even ask us,

"what's behind all of this?"

Well, all of this is a kind of theological introduction to a spiritual practice that I want to invite the entire congregation to try out along with me this summer. It's called 'prayer walking' and it's a simple, yet potentially powerful way to not only practice your faith in your neighborhood, but also to stumble upon life changing

experiences. Don't worry, it's not about going door to door inviting people to church. It's about waking up to your neighborhood and seeing it with fresh eyes and, in the process, begin to imagine ourselves in a new way – as missionaries of God's love in our very own neighborhoods.

Here's how: Walk your neighborhood (or complex or building if an apartment or condos) at different times of the day during the week. Commit to doing it 3 to 4 times a week for the rest of the summer. If it's too hot, go early and then do it at night. Like the 70 who were sent out in Luke 10, don't go with a bunch of "baggage." That means, don't have any agenda to convert people or



Take a Prayer Walk

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even necessarily to meet people you can invite to church. All you are doing is saying a prayer or two while walking. Pray at the beginning. Pray at the end. Ask for God's blessing on your neighbors as you go, ask how your neighbors bless you, and how you might be a blessing to them. Don't think about your to-do list. Don't plan your day. Just be as present as you can. Notice the houses, the yards. Hear the birds and see the trees blowing in the wind.

Notice who you see. Look for signs of hope. Look for signs of change. Where do people gather? What neighbors do you see, what are they doing? As you walk, ask yourself "wondering" questions like, "I wonder if that person



lives alone?" Make a mental map of your block or your floor on your building. Can you name everyone? Do you know a little about what is going on in their lives? Journal when you get home and make a note of anything that you saw that struck you or that you noticed for the very first time.

Remember, this is driven not by an agenda of new members for St. Bart's, but by a posture of humility, openness, and prayer. As we prayer walk our neighborhoods, our desire to open ourselves so that we might catch a glimpse of how God is already at work in our neighborhoods and how the Spirit might be nudging us to join in. If you have questions or some experiences to share, I'd love to hear them! Email me at charris@stbartschurch.org Happy walking!

~The Rev. Chris Harris

Education for Ministry at St. Bart's

This fall Education for Ministry (EfM) continues at St. Bart's on Tuesday evenings.

EfM might be for you, if

- you long to take a deeper look at what Scriptures really say
- you want to find a better way of integrating faith with your daily life
- you would enjoy creative theological reflection based on scripture, tradition, reason and personal experience
- you think walking together might be better than walking alone

Don't let the program's title throw you. As baptized Christians we're all called to some form of ministry in Christ's name. EfM is a program of lay theological education which has been offered through the Episcopal seminary

at Sewanee since 1975. Over four years, participants read and reflect on the Hebrew Bible, the New Testament, Church and world history and the challenges and promises of contemporary Christianity.

Our group meets weekly on Tuesday evenings and is led by Sewanee-certified mentor Bill Doehr. Please stop by the EfM table after services to learn more and to sign-up for the **interest dinner on Tuesday, August 22 when you can meet other EfM participants and learn more about the program.**

Contact Bill Doehr, bill.doehr.efm@gmail.com, with questions about EfM

EfM
EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY



Join St. Bart's Music Ministry

The beginning of the program year is a great time to join a music ministry! A love of music-making and a willingness to learn are all that is required for most ministries. Read below for more information! All rehearsals begin after Labor Day (see dates below).

Choristers are young people, 3rd grade through early college, learning to sing and expanding their musical skills in individual and group instruction. All are welcome, regardless of music background!

Highlights include:

- Free, individualized small-group instruction on singing, music theory, and musicianship skills;
- Singing in church the first and third Sundays of the month, including the Advent Service of Lessons and Carols in December
- a Three-Choir Festival in 2018 with choristers from other local parishes
- Fun, group outings!

Rehearsals, including snack, are Sundays, 11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and Wednesdays, 5:15-6 p.m. (full schedule forthcoming). **First rehearsal and parent meeting, Sunday, September 10, 11:45 a.m.**

Choral and Organ Scholars are musicians of high school or college age interested in more advanced singing, accompanying, and/or serving as cantors in church and helping to lead younger Choristers. They may sing with the Parish Choir as well. Stipends are available. Contact Nathan Costa for more information. **First rehearsal, Sunday, September 10, 11:45 a.m.**

Cantors help lead congregational singing and sing psalms and other service music at all weekend liturgies. A willingness to lead sung prayer and confidence in one's own singing are sustained and developed in this ministry, open to all ages. Cantors rehearse Thursdays 6:30-7 p.m. twice per month or as needed for special occasions.

The **Parish Choir** is open to all adults, young and older, high school aged and above. The Choir rehearses Thursdays 7-9 p.m. and sings at the Sunday 10:15 a.m. service and often at Evensong the first Sunday of each month. The Choir sings larger works and other services according to the season, including an All Saints' Day requiem, Advent Lessons and Carols, a Lenten Meditation on the Passion, among others. Opportunities are also available within the choir for those interested in advanced and smaller ensemble work. **First rehearsal, Thursday, September 7, 7 p.m.**

The **Women's Schola** sings chant, both ancient and contemporary, as well as other service music in a small ensemble setting. The Schola is one of a few choirs in the country that sing Gregorian chant according to 11th century neumes of the St. Gall and Metz monasteries. Come learn with us how to sing them and why they're important - no prior experience necessary! The Schola, often for those interested in a less regular (or another!) Sunday singing commitment, rehearses Wednesdays 6-6:45 p.m. and sings at one Sunday 8 a.m. service each month. **First rehearsal, Wednesday, September 6, 6 p.m.**

The **Handbell Choir** provides distinctive sounds and liturgical accompaniment to psalms, service music, and hymns appropriate to the season. It rehearses Monday evenings 7-8 p.m. and plays at one Sunday service each month. Ability to read music is helpful. Come learn how to ring! **First meeting/rehearsal, Monday, September 11, 7 p.m.**

Instrumentalists of all types play as solo and accompanying instruments and in ensemble.

Our "**strings-plus**" ensemble of a string quartet plus other instruments rehearses Wednesdays 7-8 p.m. and plays at one Sunday 10:15 a.m. service each month and other special occasions. **First rehearsal, Wednesday, September 6, 7 p.m.**

Guitars help lead prelude Gathering Music and other service music. Ongoing rehearsals, Sunday mornings, 9:15 a.m.

Other instruments play solo melodies and descants throughout the year.

All ensembles for children and adults teach and reinforce the ability to read music and other singing and listening skills as well as understanding of leading liturgy and congregational song.

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Travel Through History with Christ's Church

What has been is what will be, and what has been done is what will be done, and there is nothing new under the sun.

~Ecclesiastes 1:9

It's impossible to appreciate these words without understanding Church history. There has been controversy about the existence of hell. A good understanding of Church history quickly reveals this is a perennial debate - what goes around, comes around. Join us this year as we travel through history learning about the evolution of Christ's bride, the church.

Have you ever wondered?

- Where the early Christians really hunted down and martyred with repeated persecutions for an illegal religion forcing them to hide in the catacombs of Rome?
- Did the ancient Jews of Jesus' time always believe in a single, all-powerful God?
- How did breaking away from their Jewish roots make Christians more vulnerable in the Roman world?
- What were the origins of what we now consider the distinctively Christian liturgical practices of baptism and the Eucharist?

As you will learn, the answers are quite surprising.

Join the Rev. Bill Zettinger Wednesdays beginning September 13, 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. in the Parish Hall for Church History. Snacks are provided through a monthly free-will donation of \$10 per person. Attend all or as many sessions as you can.

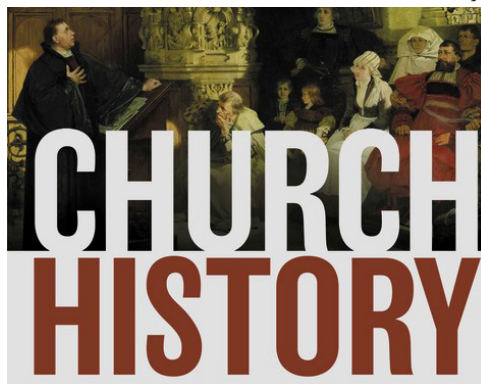
This course uses Professor Ehrman's video series *The Historical Jesus* and *The New Testament*. The study lectures take you back to Christianity's first three centuries to explain its transition from the religion of Jesus to a religion about Jesus. It introduces you to lost Christianities and their sacred writings shows how many of those writings were originally proscribed or destroyed, only to be rediscovered in modern times.

From 20 to two billion. How could a movement originally made up of perhaps only 20 low-class followers of a Jewish apocalyptic preacher crucified as an enemy of the state grow to include nearly four million adherents in only 300 years? How would it eventually become the largest religion in the world, with some two billion adherents?

To answer those questions, we examine Christianity from

several directions:

- The faith's beginnings, starting with the historical Jesus and the other individuals and traditions that formed the foundation of the emerging religion
- Jewish-Christian relations, including the rise of anti-Judaism within the Christian church and the emergence of Christianity as a religion different from and ultimately opposed to the Jewish religion from which it emerged
- Hostility to the Christian mission from those who were not persuaded to convert and who considered Christianity to be dangerous or antisocial, leading to the persecutions of the 2nd and 3rd centuries
- The factors that led to the formation of traditional Christianity we know today, with its canon of New



Testament scriptures, set creeds, liturgical practices such as baptism and the Eucharist, and church hierarchy.

This course also looks at Christianity's argument for its ancient roots by retaining the Jewish scriptures and arguing that it was, in fact, the fulfillment of what those scriptures had promised.

Throughout this course we will challenge old misconceptions and offer fresh

perspectives on aspects of Christianity and its roots that many of us might have thought we already understood.

Course Schedule (24 sessions):

September 13 Session 1 - The Birth of Christianity
September 20 Session 2 - The world of Early Christianity
September 27 Session 3 - The Historical Jesus
October 4 Session 4 - Oral and Written Traditions about Jesus
October 11 Session 5 - The Apostle Paul
October 18 Session 6 - Beginning of Jewish-Christian Relations
October 25 Session 7 - Anti Jewish use of the Old Testament
November 8 Session 8 - The rise of Christian Anti Judaism
November 15 Session 9 - Early Christian Mission
November 22 Session 10 - Christianization of The Roman Empire
December 6 Session 11 - Early Persecutions by the state
December 13 Session 12 - The Causes of Christian Persecution
December 20 Session 13 - Christmas Luncheon & Persecution
January 10 Session 14 - Early Christian Apologists
January 17 Session 15 - Diversity of early Christian Communities
January 24 Session 16 - Christians in the Second Century
February 7 Session 17 - The role of Pseudepigrapha
April 4 Session 18 - The Victory of the Proto Orthodox
April 11 Session 19 - The New Testament Canon
April 18 Session 20 - The Development of Church offices
April 25 Session 21 The rise of Liturgy
May 2 Session 22 - The Beginning or Normative Theology
May 9 Session 23 - The Trinity
May 16 Session 24 - Graduation luncheon & The Conquest of the Empire

Youth Philharmonic Orchestra Performance

On Sunday, July 16, St. Bart's was blessed to host the summer season concluding performance of the Festival Orchestra Series by the Youth Philharmonic Orchestra. This youth orchestra is led by Alyze Dreiling who is both the artistic director as well as the conductor. Ms. Dreiling is an award-winning youth orchestra conductor with an amazing resume as both a musician and teacher.

The program for the evening began with The Symphonie Concertante in Eb major, K.364 by W.A. Mozart and featured both Harold Reeves and Paul Wang. That was followed by Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 4 in G Major led by Mr. Verhoye on piano. After the intermission, the orchestra performed its final piece, Beethoven's Symphony No. 2 in D major, Op. 36.

The evening's performance was highlighted by a duet performed by Messrs. Reeves and Wang. Watching and listening to these two young musicians perform at such a high level was an amazing experience. Additionally, Bryan Verhoye a professional concert pianist, joined the orchestra for a significant portion of the evening's program.

The Youth Philharmonic Orchestra is an amazing, talented group of young musicians. In concert with their professional mentors they fill our Sanctuary with a quality of music which



would seem to be beyond their years. This year, St. Bart's hosted two of these wonderful performances and we look forward to being able to do this again next year. For a donation of only \$15 this is one of the best musical values in San Diego. If you missed this year's performances, hopefully you will be able to enjoy this musical gift next year.

~Dan Crane

Join St. Bart's Music Ministry

Musicianship classes (learning to read music; music theory; learn and improve sight-reading and listening skills) will be offered approximately one Saturday morning or weekday evening per month. Classes can be offered at different levels and age groups, guided by interest.

Individual and group voice lessons, led by local voice teacher Stephanie Sabin, are available Monday evenings. Contact Stephanie Sabin for more information at stephanie.sabin@gmail.com.

Support musical events at St. Bart's!

Interested in supporting music at St. Bart's in other ways? Volunteer to serve on the Great Music Series Committee which meets twice per year to help brainstorm ideas for concerts and to staff front-of-house needs!

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Upcoming major events include

Sunday, October 1, 4 p.m.

Evensong (Parish Choir)

Wednesday, November 1, 7 p.m.

All Saints' Day, Faure Requiem (Parish Choir and Strings)

Sunday, November 5, 4 p.m.

Evensong (Choristers)

Friday - Saturday, November 10-11

Opportunities to participate in Diocesan Convention liturgies (held at St. Bart's)

Sunday, December 3, 4 p.m.

Advent Lessons and Carols (Parish Choir and Choristers)

Concerts by the Youth Philharmonic Orchestra and San Diego Coterie Choir and Orchestra, among others, in the **Great Music Series 2017-18**

If you are interested in any of the above, please contact Nathan Costa, Director of Music, ncosta@stbartschurch.org or (858) 432-7112.

Christian Formation

Children & Youth

Why are we here?

What do we want to be sure our children know?

How are we passing on our faith to our children?

We participate in the faith community of St. Bart's because we find strength in raising our families together. The ecosystem of learning and worship that we foster in this place provides resources, encouragement, and fellowship as we raise our children to be grounded in the Christian story.

We want our children to know that God is love; that God created each of us uniquely and loves each of us just as we are; that Jesus was born, lived, died, and rose again for each of us; that we are followers of the Way of Jesus of Nazareth: countercultural, radically welcoming, fearlessly compassionate, focused on justice and respecting the diversity of every human being; that the call of Christ-followers is to proclaim the redeeming love of God to the world, as we work together to build God's kingdom through worship, service, and prayer.

Weekly Formation & Events By Age

Ages 0-3 - Nursery care available 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Sundays

K-5th Grade - Sunday School every week 10-10:45 a.m.

6th-12th Grade - Middle school and high school youth group, called CREW (Continuously Riding the Eternal Wave!) meets 9-10 a.m. Sundays for formation and fellowship and also 6-8 p.m. Wednesdays for Youth Group gathering.

High School Confirmation - 6-8 p.m. every other Sunday.

Upcoming Dates to Remember

August 26-27: Youth Group Summer Retreat "Love Your #Selfie!" We'll explore our self-worth from our relationships with God.

August 30: Wednesday Youth Group returns.

September 3, 10:15 service: Blessing of the Backpacks. Bring your school backpack to church for a special back-to-school blessing!

September 3, 11:30 – 12:30: Sunday School Open House. Come meet your Sunday School teachers and classmates!

September 10, 11:30 – 12:20: Creative Ways to Pray: Come and See! Make a "blessing bowl" to encourage conversations about faith at home.

September 17: First Confirmation Group. Confirmation is a rite of passage in the church, offering teenagers an invitation to explore their Christian identity.



Preschool Update

The preschool summer six-week program offers a new themed camp each week - Science and Engineering, "Ooey Gooney", Water Exploration, and, of course, Fairy Tales!

We are busy with expansion for the year ahead. We have added a brand new classroom and have added two additional classes, a new 4-year old and also a 2-year old class.

With our increase in student enrollment now at 108 children, we have relocated and redesigned our dramatic playroom in the education building. The playroom has a high vaulted ceiling with a lot of light, murals have been painted throughout, and other details were hand selected to be inviting. The relocation of our dramatic playroom will allow our teachers better access to our art supplies and hands-on learning materials to enhance our student's creativity, play, exploration, and enjoyment while in the playroom.



In addition, we have rearranged and redesigned our teacher prep spaces and had the opportunity to add a seating area for discussions, collaboration, and meetings for staff and our St. Bart's families.

Looking to the year ahead we hope to continue to build on our St. Bart's community through our many school activities and outreach programs through our Preschool families, St. Bart's church members, and surrounding community.

With community as one of our main focuses at the Preschool, we want to take this opportunity to thank the many St. Bart's families, local businesses, and vendors who donated their time and resources to make our Annual Scholarship Basket Fundraiser so successful. We could not have done this without all of you!

We are looking forward to another amazing year ahead!

Bringing Prayer to Families

Do you ever wonder, *how does faith affect my life* on Monday morning? Not sure how to talk about the Bible with your preschooler, or your teenager? Do you yearn to grow in faith as a family – not just at church, but at home? Are you a grandparent, yearning to pass on your faith to your grandkids?

This summer, Faith Formation (formerly Christian Formation) began hosting “Come and See” events, where we explore those questions together. These events, following the 10:15 service, are designed to be intergenerational – that is, people of all ages will try on different prayer practices. We go through stations, which invite us to practice talking to God in new ways: on a hike, at the beach, at bedtime, or at the dinner table. After each event, you’ll go home with something that you can incorporate into your daily life. Think of it like a laboratory – there are so many ways to pray and to engage with our faith. Come and see some new, creative ways, and try them on. You just might be surprised!

Make time for faith with your family at our next Come and See event.

August 13: Praying in Color – this week we will get messy with our prayers, using finger paints, play dough, watercolor, and more. Together, we’ll explore creative ways to spend time with God.

September 10: Blessing Bowls – this week, each family will create a special centerpiece that will help us share stories at home: around the dinner table, at bedtime, or anytime.

~Mother Mary Lynn Coulson

Vacation Bible School

After a Vacation Bible School hiatus last summer, VBS returned to St. Bart’s the last week of July and it was AMAZING! Our Deep Sea Discovery took more than 70 kids on an underwater journey to discover all the ways that God is with us where ever we go. The Jellyfish, Starfish, Dolphin, and Seahorse groups learned how God was with Noah and his family during the flood and how God heard Jonah’s prayers inside the whale!

Of course, what makes VBS so special is how the theme weaves throughout the entire week. Volunteers turned our conference room, Godly Play room, 3A/B room, Parish Hall, and even the Sanctuary into an underwater world complete with a shipwreck, scuba divers, and fish (so many fish). Creative daily snacks included Jonah’s whale made from a banana, Nila Wafers, and yogurt.

Thank you to every volunteer who cut out bubbles or fish (so many fish), hung jellyfish, blew up balloon bubbles, assembled snacks, checked in kids, or led a group. This was a very special week for the kids.

In case you’re wondering, here’s what it took to give this gift to the community.

- 10 roles of butcher paper
- 50 roles of Scotch tape
- 1,500 paper fish cut out (so many fish)
- 500+ balloons blown up
- 500 Nila wafers
- 80 pounds of fruit
- 300 volunteer hours to decorate
- 325 volunteers hours at VBS



**St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church
Treasurer's Report – First Six Months of 2017**

This report is intended to accompany the financial statements of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, Poway, CA, for June 30, 2017.

For the month of June, operating income was \$76,708, (\$15,476) less than forecast. For the first six months of 2017 total operating income was \$558,792, (\$22,837) less than forecast. Operating income is averaging \$93,132 per month during this period.

Operating expenses for June were \$88,233, (\$10,455) less than budgeted. On a year to date basis, operating expenses totaled \$575,711 and were (\$31,778) less than budgeted. Operating expenses are averaging \$95,952 per month. As result June and the first six months of 2017 have produced operating losses of (\$11,525) and (\$16,918) respectively. This is an average monthly loss of (\$2,120). However, on a year to date basis it is \$8,831 better than expected for the period. More recently, more of our income is being realized in the second half of the year. Particularly starting in the month of September.

Pledge receipts on a year to date basis are \$425,973 and (\$8,016) less than forecast.

The General Operating Fund balance sheet reflects liquid assets totaling \$157,344, payables of \$1,837, a reserve for major repairs and replacements of \$30,422 and advanced 2017 pledge, non-pledge gifts and other deferred revenue and charges of \$62,995. Therefore, our actual reserve cash totals \$62,090 including trusts and bequests in the operating fund.

The Preschool shows a year to date operating surplus of \$14,683, after revenue sharing of \$12,000, for the Operating Fund and Vestry designated reserves of \$186,483.

The Outreach Fund at the half year mark, reflects Vestry Designated Reserves of \$64,449 including \$20,063 of thrift shop operating surplus and Scholarship funds of \$44,386. Temporarily restricted assets total \$43,258 comprised primarily of a general outreach fund of \$22,848 and the Haiti Building fund of \$8,530.

The Endowment Fund shows total net assets of \$741,221 including \$78,500 of permanently restricted endowment and \$617,479 in Vestry designated reserves. There is \$28,532 in accumulated permanent endowment earnings available to support ministry. This year to date the endowment has contributed \$13,390 to the Operating Fund.

The Columbarium has net assets of \$117,941 and has realized a year to date operating surplus of \$11,099.

Respectfully submitted,

Bill Angus, Treasurer

Regular Meetings

SUNDAY

Interfaith Community Services (ICS) - Merle's Place

4-6 p.m. on the first and third Sunday of the month.

Contact Jill Henderson at 760-807-8445.

Daughters of the King

Third Sunday at 9:15 a.m., Room 3E

MONDAY

Boy Scouts:

7 p.m., Parish Hall

Health and Wellness Ministry:

First Monday at 5:30 p.m., Education Building, Room 3AB

Hand Bell Choir

Mondays, 7 p.m., Choir Room

TUESDAY

Centering Prayer:

5 p.m., Education Building, Room 3AB

The Prayers and Squares Quilt Ministry:

Tuesdays (except fifth Tuesday) at 6:30 p.m., Quilt Room

WEDNESDAY

Interfaith Community Services (ICS):

Serve breakfast, fourth Wednesday at 6:00 a.m.

Contact Denny Walters at 760-432-8518.

Thrift Shop Work Night

Last Wednesday at 4:00 p.m., Thrift Shop

Schola

Wednesdays, 5:15 p.m., Choir Room

Youth CREW

Wednesdays, 6 p.m., Youth Room

String Ensemble

Wednesdays, 7 p.m., Choir Room

THURSDAY

Grief and Loss Group

Thursdays, 8:30-10 a.m., Education Building

Book Guild:

Fourth Thursday, 1:00 p.m., Conference Room

B.P.U.S.A. - Bereaved Parents:

Fourth Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Conference Room

P.A.S.S. - Parent Advocates Seeking Solutions:

Third Thursday, 7 p.m., South Parish Hall

Choir

Thursdays, 7 p.m., Music Room

AA MEETINGS:

Sundays, 6 p.m. - Conference Room

Mondays, 9:30 a.m. - Parish Hall (Women only)

Tuesdays, 12 p.m. - South Parish Hall

Tuesdays, 5:30 p.m. - South Parish Hall (Women only)

Wednesdays, 12 p.m. - South Parish Hall

Wednesdays, 6:45 p.m. - Parish Hall

Thursdays, 12 p.m. - South Parish Hall (Beginners)

Fridays, 12 p.m. - South Parish Hall

AL-ANON:

Mondays, 12 p.m. - South Parish Hall

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Katharine Jefferts Schori to be Assisting Bishop

The Episcopal Diocese of San Diego announced the selection of the Rt. Rev. Katharine Jefferts Schori as our assisting bishop. Bishop Jefferts Schori will begin her tenure with us on August 13. She will serve three-quarters time performing episcopal functions such as visitations, confirmations, ordinations, and receptions. She will share with the standing committee the task of providing leadership and vision for the diocese and shall generally perform the functions of a diocesan bishop as delegated to her by the standing committee in its capacity as the ecclesiastical authority during the transition. She will work closely with the executive council as well.

Bishop Jefferts Schori served as the presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church from 2006 until 2015. Prior to her role as primate, she was the bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Nevada. She earned a biology degree from Stanford in 1974, followed by a master's in

oceanography in 1977, and a doctorate, also in oceanography in 1983 from Oregon State University. In 1994 she earned a master's in divinity from Church Divinity School of the Pacific. She is married to Richard Schori, a retired topology professor. Their daughter, Katharine, served ten years in the US Air Force; she separated as a major. Bishop Jefferts Schori is an instrument-rated pilot and is fluent in Spanish.

We thank you for your continued prayers as we move forward with this transition.

