

THIS LITTLE LIGHT...
the weekly LUMINARY

January 14, 2018

Following our 10:00 am service, please join us in Paine Hall for Food and Fellowship.

REFLECTIONS ON GENEROSITY

1 Samuel 3:10 – Now the LORD came and stood there, calling as before, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening." *God calls us all – all of us, without exception. The question is, are we paying attention, able to hear God's voice amid the clamoring din of the world's many competing voices. In order to be a good steward, servant, or disciple, we have to be paying attention so that when God calls us we can reply, as Samuel did, "Speak, for your servant is listening!"*

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, January 15, in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday. We will reopen on Tuesday.

THE LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY meets from 9:00 to 9:40AM between worship services on Sunday in a NEW location: the conference room in the Advent office building, just past the restrooms off of the west narthex; coffee and food bites will be available. Join us as we read and reflect on next Sunday's Gospel passage.

WITH MIND AND SPIRIT: *Living A Baptized, Spirit-Filled Life* This class now meets in Paine Hall from 9:00 to 9:50am, and is for all persons (and their sponsors) who wish to be baptized, to be received in this communion, or who wish to reaffirm their faith in the presence of the bishop at the Easter Vigil on March 31, at 7:00 pm. If you wish to be part of this class, please contact Raph Martin, or Judith Huffman, or Dianne Diaz, they can be found in your parish directory.

THIS MORNING IN PAINE HALL following the 10:00 AM service, Canon Timothy will give a presentation about the Celtic Spirituality Pilgrimage he will be leading from October 7-17, 2018, to walk in the steps of the Celtic saints who spread Christianity across Scotland and England in the early 5th and 6th centuries. The pilgrimage includes visits to: Iona; the Abbey at Whitby; Edinburgh, including the Castle; Holy Island of Lindisfarne; Durham; Cambridge; Canterbury and Dover; and London. Come and learn about this trip which will be an inspiring adventure. Have your questions and answered, and sign-up to reserve your place on the trip!

FORWARD DAY BY DAY – for Feb, March, April, is now available in the Narthex and Paine Hall \$1.00 donation. Thank you.

FASHION SHOW DONATIONS are now being accepted week days from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm in the library off Paine Hall through February 22nd. We need your gently used fashionable clothing as well as nice boutique items (not rummage). You may also bring donations on Sunday. If you have questions please call Grace Roumell at 360-581-1243.

RUMMAGE SALE DONATION DROP OFF - is Jan. 29th-Feb. 8th Monday thru Thursday, in Paine Hall from 9AM to 2PM.

THE ADVENT ATTIC FASHION SHOW AND BRUNCH is coming up on January 26, 2018. Tickets will be going on sale following the 8 AM and 10 AM services soon. They sold out quickly last year so plan to get your ticket early: \$15 per person.

WALKING THE MOURNERS PATH RESUMES JANUARY 30TH An eight-week program for persons struggling with or feeling disconnected following the death of a loved one, *Walking the Mourners Path* will run each week on Tuesday, from January 30 to March 20. Each workshop is limited to ten participants. For more information, pick up a brochure in Paine Hall today, or see Canon Timothy, Jean Sax, Nan Wheeler, or contact the parish office to enroll.

A BIG THANK YOU to Earl Yingling, Jerry Green, John & Lynn Long, Russ Brumagin & Sharon Paine who helped load the UHaul truck on December 18th with the donated coats, pajamas and gifts for the elders of the Pasqua Yaqui tribe. On December 19th with John and Russ driving the UHAUL followed by 3 vehicles occupied by Sharon Paine, Pat Stewart, Deacon Debbie Greenleaf, Sharon Navratil, Maureen Haskell and Bill & Bonnie Nordstrom the gifts were delivered and distributed at the Pasqua Neighborhood Center Tucson, AZ.

BISHOP SEARCH COMMITTEE – SATURDAY JAN 20, 10AM-12NOON IN PAINE HALL. The Bishop Search Committee believes it is critical to understand what kind of person your church thinks would be best suited to lead the Diocese of Arizona as our 6th Bishop. To help gather that information, the Diocese selected to host a focus group forum during the month of January. If you are interested in attending and would like to be a part of the focus group contact Canon Timothy.