



THE GOOD NEWS

San Marcos Lutheran
Church

October 2015

Our Mission: "To know, accept and live the love of God and share it with others"



THE SUNDAY CONCERT SERIES PRESENTS
"Music of the Americas"
October 11th at 4:00 p.m.

Eric Foster and friends play music from Argentina, Brazil, Bolivia, Mexico, and the U.S.
(See page six)

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS
Sunday, October 18th at all three worship services.
Refreshments follow



REFORMATION SUNDAY
Festival Worship on October 25th

On this day we remember the Reformation of the Church begun by Martin Luther in 1517. At the center of the Reformation Movement is the message that God's unmerited love, the thing that we call grace, is God's free gift to us all. Our festival worship at 8:30 & 11:00 am. will include special music. The color of the day is red, the color of the Holy Spirit. If you have something red in your wardrobe you are encouraged to wear it as a part of our festivities.

Rite of Confirmation for:
Kathryn Burkey, Anna Jerpseth, Larissa Shoup

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The next Newsletter article
deadline is October 15th.

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8:30 AM, 9:45 AM, & 11:00 AM

Sunday School
Children Age 3-12
9:45—10:30 AM

Adult Education
9:50 AM - 10:45 AM

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All are Welcome! As a community of the people of God, the members of San Marcos Lutheran Church are called to welcome all people, regardless of age, economic status, ethnic background, gender, physical or mental ability, race or sexual orientation. We affirm that in Christ "there is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male or female." (Galatians 3:28)

Evangelical Lutheran Heritage.... Who cares?

How does being a Lutheran relate to the reality of our world today? The Roman Catholic Church is significantly different from the Roman Catholic Church of the middle ages. We've just witnessed Pope Francis' visit to our country. This Pope has chosen to side with the poor, to speak out for those without a voice, to lift up the Biblical call to care for God's good creation. Through his words and actions Pope Francis has shown us how to follow in Jesus' footsteps, living into God's dream of Shalom. Pope Francis graciously shares the Good News of the agenda of God's Kingdom with all people.

As members of the ELCA we call our selves Evangelical Lutherans. Evangelical means that we are centered in the Gospel, the good news of Jesus Christ. The name Lutheran is associated with the great reformer, Martin Luther. October 25 we will celebrate Reformation Sunday, the day we as Lutherans remember our roots. The Reformation of the church, which was begun in 1517 by Martin Luther, is a rich part of our spiritual legacy which we can offer the greater Christian community. Martin Luther saw that the essential message of the Gospel is that God loves the unrighteous. God's love is a free gift. We don't earn it or deserve it, all we can do is enjoy it. That's grace.

I wonder, though, does the world really care about all that stuff? When we start talking about our Lutheran heritage eyes glass over and yawning begins. Heritages come from the past. Historians can tell us many things about the past--not all of them would be necessary for being a Christian. Yet there is more than just the past to a heritage. Our heritage is what those who have gone before have left to us. It is our legacy. It makes us who we are.

Yet there is more to it than that! Our heritage is a *living* heritage. It is trust in the one who claims us as his own. The one who loves us unconditionally, just as we are. The one named Jesus Christ. This Jesus who shows us the agenda of God's Kingdom. This Gospel is good news for the poor. It's good news that turns the world on it's head. As people graciously loved by God we respond in living lives that show forth God's justice and peace.

In the end the fact is that God cares about God's church. The Holy Spirit continues to breath new life into us. It is a gracious Living Word that claims us. God comes to us in Christ Jesus to show us that God cares. God cares enough to love us all to death. That's what God's grace is all about. Now we can wrestle with new questions: "What do you want to do? How will you live life with passion? How will you care for creation? How will you welcome the stranger? How will you care for your neighbor?"

*"God's Word is our great heritage, and shall be ours forever;
To spread its light from age to age, Shall be our chief endeavor.
Through life it guides our way; In death it is our stay.
Lord grant while time shall last, Your Church may hold it fast
Throughout all generations."* (N.F.S Grundtvig ELW 509)

Peace in Christ,
Pastor David Jorstad

✠Thoughts on Milestone Ministry and Adult - Kid Prayer Partners ✠

"All your children will be taught by the Lord, and great will be their peace."

[Isaiah 54:13](#)"

When a child is baptized in this congregation, we promise to support their parents and sponsors so that this child may live among God's faithful people, be brought to the word of God and the Holy Supper, be taught the basic teachings and prayers of the church, may have Holy Scripture placed in their hands, and be nurtured in faith and prayer.

We want to take these promises seriously. Therefore we strive to practice Milestone Ministry. We do this by marking "milestones" in a person's journey of faith. The first milestone is baptism—when we hear the words proclaimed to us "child of God, you have been sealed with the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever." Throughout a child's growing years, and indeed throughout life, there are other that we make a point to connect as a congregation and celebrate once again this identity as a child of God, a brother and sister in Christ.

Each milestone has two aspects: a learning event and a worship celebration in which the congregation offers their prayers and a blessings. In doing this, we pass on the faith and pay attention to the important aspects of the rhythm of life.

Major milestones celebrated at SMLC:

- Baptism (accompanied by Baptismal banners (made by Sunday school)
- Bibles for 3 and 4 year olds (January or February)
- Receiving 2nd and 3rd grade Bibles and an overview of the Bible (November)
- Communion preparation and receiving First Communion (spring)
- Beginning confirmation (October- 6th graders receive a Bible at this time)
- Affirmation of baptism (Confirmation – End of October)
- High school graduation (End of school year)

Additionally, our children give back to our milestone ministry by remembering those in this congregation who have died this past year through All Saints banners. All of these rituals and remembrances re-affirm our connection as the body of Christ, a body made up of all ages, gifts, and backgrounds.

This year we plan to continue to make intentional efforts to carry out the promises we make at baptism. We have launched a new program entitled the "**Prayer for Kids**" **Prayer Pal Program Prayer Partner program**. **We will ask you, trusted adults of this congregation, to make the commitment to pray for one child in this congregation for one year.** There are no other obligations, although we will have some intentional events and times for the youth and adults to meet and get to know each other.

We ask that you prayerfully consider being a part of this important ministry. It is our first obligation as believers to pray for one another. Who knows where it may lead? Thank you for supporting this and all the milestone ministries of SMLC!

Pastor Karla

PLEASE CALL US!

We want to include you in our prayers, arrange for pastoral visits, and announce information to the congregation, when appropriate. Please notify the Church Office (760)727-1509 when:

- A member family member, or someone you know dies
- You, or someone you know, is ill or grieving
- You, or someone you know, is in the hospital
- You, or someone you know, wants to plan a baptism, wedding, or celebration
- You moved or changed telephone numbers

If office is closed, and you have an urgent need, feel free to call Pastor David at: home, (760)798-1226; cell (619)917-2994 or email: pastor-jorstadsmc@yahoo.com or Pastor Karla at home, (760)754-1413, cell, (858)442-6761, email: pastorkarlasmlc@sbcglobal.net

Remember in Prayer:

Healing for Betty Macho

Our sympathy to Judy White at the death of her sister, Joan. We also mourn the death of Vivian Lageson. May the White and Lageson families be comforted with the hope of the resurrection.

FROM YOUR TREASURER

August 31, 2015
66.67% of Year

Income

Annual Budget	Actual YTD	% of Budget
\$397,000	\$249,047	62.73%

Expenses

Annual Budget	Actual YTD	% of Budget
\$396,981.30	\$252,037	63.49%

Thank you for your gifts which make our mission and ministry possible.

“BLESSED TO BE A BLESSING”

Stewardship words to live by!

“I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing.”

That was the promise the LORD made to Sarah and Abraham. They were blessed for a purpose. They were blessed so that they would be a blessing to others. From time-to-time you and I may stop to count our blessings. We live in a nation where we are free to practice our faith. We enjoy many comforts which most of the peoples around the globe never imagine. We have family and friends who love and care about us. It is good to “count our blessings.” But how often do we ponder the further question, “Why are we blessed?”

Some would say that we are blessed because we are entitled. God has created America as a special place giving us blessings which others do not enjoy simply, because God blesses America. Some would propose that if you live right, God will give you good things. These ways of understanding blessing miss out on the point and can even be dangerous. Jesus says that God’s blessings fall on the just and the unjust. God loves the people of every nation unconditionally.

Returning, then to the question, “Why are we blessed?” Scriptures proclaim that Sarah and Abraham were blessed so that through them God’s world will be blessed as well. Not just members of their family or their tribe or their city or their nation, but all the families of the earth. That goes for us as individuals/families today as-well-as the folks who are united in ministry at San Marcos Lutheran Church.

This church has been blessed in so many ways with people who joyfully share their time, talent, and treasure. We are blessed so that we can be a blessing to our neighbors, both locally and globally. During the next few weeks our stewardship emphasis will reflect on this rich theme, “Blessed to be a Blessing.” At this time you are encouraged to “count your blessing” and then take the next step. After counting those blessings ask yourself the question: “How is God calling me, right now, to be a blessing to others?”

2015-2016 CONCERT SERIES

Eric Foster, Guitar
Branden Muresan-violin
Monette Marino-percussion
“Music of the Americas”
October 11, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.

Eric Foster and Friends play music from Argentina, Brazil, Bolivia, Mexico and the U.S.

Eric Alan Foster is a composer, teacher and performer. This native of Californian grew up in various parts of the state intermittently between traveling and living in Taiwan, Liberia, Brazil and Bolivia. His present teaching positions include U. of San Diego, MiraCosta College and private lessons at the Music Exchange. He is a member of San Marcos Lutheran Church.

A So. California native, **Branden Muresan** has studied music since the age of seven. He teaches violin and music theory at Saddleback & MiraCosta Colleges. Mr. Muresan is also conductor of the MiraCosta College Orchestra and the Southern California Philharmonic.

Monette Marino began lessons in drumming at age eight on drums and congas. This led her to study traditional drumming from Africa, Cuba, Brazil & Korea. She won awards at the World Music Festival in Seoul and first prize at National Hand Drum-Off competition in Los Angeles.

There are brochures on the tables in the Narthex for you to share with your friends and family. You may also check SMLC's web page (www.sanmarcoslutheran.org) and click on the link to our concert series.

WHAT'S GOING ON...**MORNING BIBLE CLASS**

led by Pastor Ed Wiediger
Tuesday, Oct. 6th & 20th
10:00 a.m., in Luther Hall

MEN'S BREAKFAST & BIBLE STUDY

led by Pastor David
Oct. 10th at 8:00 am in Luther Hall
 Phone Bryan Mace for details at (760)431-7222.

INTERFAITH'S "FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH FOOD COLLECTION"

OCTOBER 4TH

ALL CONGREGATIONS TOGETHER

On Saturday, October 10th, Interfaith has invited us to join members of diverse faith communities for a day of service. Projects will include making meals, painting, and landscaping for the people served by Interfaith Community Services. If you are interested in participating, please contact Doris Payne, dorispayne3247@gmail.com

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Alvin Dunn would love volunteers from San Marcos Lutheran Church to help with math or reading beginning in October. If interested, please call Doris Payne at 760-653-3026. Let her know what days and times work for you - usually from 45 minutes to 90 minutes, mornings preferred (after 9am). A weekly commitment is the best, but if you can only come every other week or once a month, that's up to you. If you've never been at the school, Doris will meet you at church and guide you there, introduce you to the office staff, show you the sign-in book, and introduce you to the classroom teacher. Once you're there, be sure to check out the new drought-tolerant garden that members of SMLC planted on "God's Work, Our Hands" Sunday (August 23).



SMLC
Children's Center
October 2015

On Thursday, October 8th and Friday, October 9th from 11:30am-1pm all preschool families and interested congregation members are invited to our Annual Open House and Back to School Family Picnic! This is your chance to witness our children's chapel in our outdoor amphitheater and hear the children sing and Praise God; tour our indoor and outdoor classrooms followed by a picnic lunch along our beautiful Creek. Come and see what our preschool kiddos have been up to the past 8 weeks.

ALL ARE WELCOME!



Did you know that accidental poisonings from those little hand sanitizers marketed to families are up 400 percent since 2010! Why? Well scents like strawberry, watermelon and cherry, along with child friendly colors and designs on the packaging make this very "adult" product attractive to young children to put in their mouths. So the Children's Center no longer allows these products to be brought into the Center and we encourage those of you who have young children and grandchildren to be very cautious when leaving hand sanitizer within reach of small children.

Thank you to those who have diverted their Thrivent dollars to the preschool. We are thrilled to be able to use this money to supplement our scholarship fund which enables 4 children to attend our preschool this year.

Happy Fall,

Anne McDaniel
Center Director





National Wildlife Federation Certifies

New Wildlife Habitat at San Marcos Lutheran's Children's Center

Local school making a difference to protect wildlife

NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION National Wildlife Federation (NWF), America's largest wildlife conservation and education organization, is pleased to recognize that San Marcos Lutheran Children's Center in San Marcos, California has successfully created a Certified Wildlife Habitat® through its Garden for Wildlife program. NWF celebrates the efforts of *San Marcos Lutheran Children's Center* to create a garden space that improves habitat for birds, butterflies, frogs and other wildlife by providing essential elements needed by all wildlife – natural food sources, clean water, cover and places to raise young. Certification also makes your Certified Wildlife Habitat® part of the Million Pollinator Garden Challenge, a national effort to restore critical habitat for pollinators.

“We are so excited to have another passionate wildlife gardener join us and create a Certified Wildlife Habitat. Over the last 40 years, nearly 200,000 wildlife gardeners have joined NWF's Garden for Wildlife movement and helped restore wildlife habitat right in their own yards and neighborhoods,” said David Mizejewski, naturalist with the National Wildlife Federation. “Whether you garden in a suburban yard, an apartment balcony or a 10-acre farm, a schoolyard or a business park, or anything in between, everyone can create a home for local wildlife. Turning your space into a Certified Wildlife Habitat is fun, easy and makes a big difference for neighborhood wildlife,” he added.

“Everyone affiliated with the Children's Center knows it's been a passion of mine to provide an outdoor play space for the children that enables them to connect directly with nature”, said *Anne McDaniel, Center Director*. “Designing our yard to ensure that it is inviting to wildlife such as birds, butterflies, bees, rabbits, lizards gives the teaching staff and our students direct access to nature in a way that enables us to teach important concepts such as an appreciation for our environment, conservation methods and in our case, provides our student families, congregation and visitors a visible and interactive connection to God's amazing creation.” *McDaniel* said that the Center has an Outdoor Education Teacher responsible for the upkeep of the outdoor space. “However” she said, “the successful creation of our outdoor habitat is in no way a singular operation.” “Without the amazing ministry partnership between the church and school, what we have accomplished would not be possible...*working together* we have created something really great and we continue to be amazed at the wildlife our school yard habitat attracts.”

NWF's Garden for Wildlife program encourages responsible gardening that helps pollinators and other wildlife thrive. It encourages planting with native species like milkweed and discouraging chemical pesticide use. Each of the nearly 200,000 certified locations provides food, water, cover and places to raise young. This makes yards, schools, businesses, places of worship, campuses, parks, farms and other community-based landscapes into wildlife sanctuaries.

National Wildlife Federation is America's largest conservation organization, inspiring Americans to protect wildlife for our children's future.



October

Thank you for a wonderful Welcome Home Sunday! What a great turn out and welcome to all! Much thanks to Barbara and her Sunday school team for the very cool stepping stones- go take a look at our new area behind the youth room!

Upcoming Events

Sunday school every Sunday, beginning 9:45 am starts in the Sanctuary ages 2 years-5th grade

- October 4, 11** **Adult - kid prayer partner program sign-ups-**
Parents, we would like to ask a trusted adult at SMLC to pray for your child (birth- college) for one year. This is a fulfillment of one of the baptismal promises we make to your child. Look for the email and let us pray!
- October 4, 9:45 am** **Youth Assisted Worship and breakfast out**
Help needed with reading Scripture, leading prayers, playing instruments or singing during prelude, prayers and Holy Communion, communion distribution, greeting and ushering. (**every** first Sunday of the month)
- October 11, 3:30 pm** Confirmation class in the Youth Room
- October 18, 5 pm** Dinner for those being confirmed (9th grade) with parents in Luther Hall
- October 25, 11 am** Confirmation Sunday with Rite of Confirmation at 11 am service – come support your friends!
- October 25, 3:30 pm** Confirmation class in the Youth Room
- October 25, 1-5 pm** Senior High outing to Day of the Dead, Mission San Luis Rey Oceanside

Looking to the future....

- Sat., Dec 5, 3-6 pm** **“God’s Work Our Voices”** option of going to visit homebound members of the congregation, sing or play instruments at skilled nursing facility or put up the tree in the Sanctuary! Followed by crafts, games, and dinner on us!
- Fri., Dec 11 5-8 pm** **Parents Night Out**
- January 3 or 17** **The Amazing Race rescheduled.**

Questions? Pastor Karla Halvorson PastorKarlaSMLC@sbcglobal.net, pastor serving children youth and families, Barbara Velivis, Barbara Velivis barbaravelivis@gmail.com Director of Children’s Ministries, and Dan Norris, Senior High Youth Leader daniel.norris@sbcglobal.net.



OCTOBER STEWARDSHIP

Lay Readers:

<u>Date</u>	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>11:00 a.m.</u>
04-Oct.	Rob O'Carroll	Judy White
11-Oct.	Janet Giddings	Carol Pilmer
18-Oct.	Lee Case	Grace Holtz
25-Oct.	Anne Voth	Pastor Dan Hansen

Counters:

<u>Date</u>	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>
04-Oct.	O'Carroll
11-Oct.	Kozloski
18-Oct.	McEwan/Eller
25-Oct.	Kozloski

Greeters & Communion Assistants:

<u>Date</u>	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>11:00 a.m.</u>
04-Oct.	Susan Agonia	Dianne McGovern Cathy Parisi
11-Oct.	Louise Testerman	TBD
18-Oct.	Sharon McEwan Susan Agonia	TBD
25-Oct.	Anne Voth Eleanor Adcock	Ruth Schneider

SUNDAY CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Director of Children's Ministries: Barbara Velivis

Sunday school teachers

Brystal Geu and assistants McKenna Geu or
Kristopher Jerpseth, pre-K:

Darrell Young and Rachel Gustin, K-2nd grade

Barbara Velivis and assistant Nicholas Smith 3-5th
grade

Hospitality Teams 9:45 a.m. Service

04-Oct.	Cathy Duncan
11-Oct.	Jean Kahn
18-Oct.	Liz Starr
25-Oct.	Inga Enge

OCTOBER, Bible Readings

Oct. 4 19th Sun. after Pentecost

First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24
 Psalm: Psalm 8
 Second Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12
 Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

Oct. 11 20th Sun. after Pentecost

First Reading: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15
 Psalm Psalm 90:12-17
 Second Reading: Hebrews 4:12-16
 Gospel: Mark 10:17-31

Oct. 18 21st Sun. after Pentecost

First Reading: Isaiah 53:4-12
 Psalm: Psalm 91:9-16
 Second Reading: Hebrews 5:1-10
 Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

Oct. 25 Reformation Sunday

First Reading: Jer 31:31-34
 Psalm: Psalm 46
 Second Reading: Romans 3:19-28
 Gospel: John 8:31-36

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS!

Nathan Young	10/1
Rich Ramage	10/3
Gracelyn Szepe	10/3
Pastor Dave Kupka	10/5
Linda Kent	10/6
Colin Hagan	10/8
Frieda Tseng	10/8
Ellen Rubin	10/10
Scotty Bordonaro	10/13
Kathryn Burkey	10/13
Jim Kent	10/13
Zach McDaniel	10/14
Yvonne Kieran	10/16
Logan Bailey	10/18
Bob White	10/19
Savannah Szepe	10/20
Dean Fawcett	10/21
Spencer Geu	10/21
Kyle Batsford	10/22
Diane Devish	10/24
Bette Soderstrom	10/25
Anna Jerpseth	10/28
Pastor David Jorstad	10/28
Vance Finney	10/29
Wanda Faye Giuliano	10/29
Valerie Shoup	10/30
Liz Starr	10/30



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 9:00 –10:15 am LH in use 10:30 am Pre-school Chapel, Sanctuary 3:45 pm Music & Arts 7:00 pm AA, LH 7:00 pm Choir	2 10:40 am St. Joseph Chapel, Sanctuary	3 11:00 am Memorial Service for Vivian Lageson Noon-2 pm in LH in use
4 19th Sunday after Pentecost 8:30 & 11 am Svcs 9:45 am Informal Svc 7:00 pm AA, LH	5 11:30 am AA, LH	6 10:00 am Bible Study, LH	7 9:00 am Centering Prayer Group, Luther Hall 10:30 am Pre-school Chapel, Sanctuary 11:30 am AA, LH	8 10:30 am Pre-school Chapel, Sanctuary 3:45 pm Music & Arts 7:00 pm AA, LH 7:00 pm Choir	9 10:40 am St. Joseph Chapel, Sanctuary 8:45—1:30 LH in Use	10 8:00 am Men's Breakfast & Bible Study, LH
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18 21st Sunday after Pentecost New Member Sunday 8:30 & 11 am Svcs 9:45 am Informal Svc 9:45 am Sun Sch, Small Group, D. Balsmeyer, Conf. Rm, 5:00 pm Confirmation Dinner, LH	19 11:30 am AA, LH	20 10:00 am Bible Study, LH	21 9:00 am Centering Prayer Group, Luther Hall 10:30 am Pre-school Chapel, Sanctuary 11:30 am AA, LH	22 10:30 am Pre-school Chapel, Sanctuary 3:45 pm Music & Arts 7:00 pm AA, LH 7:00 pm Choir	23	24
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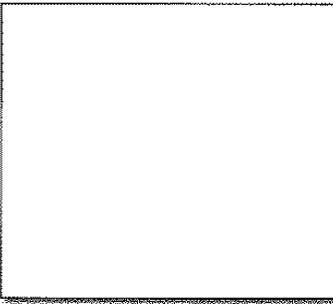


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