



# St. Alban's Episcopal Church

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## Scholars among us!

Congratulations to Erin Scofield and Rachel Curtis who were both recipients of the educational scholarships from Christ Church, Eureka. Erin will be in her third year at HSU this fall. Rachel will begin her studies as a freshman at U C Davis in September. Congratulations ladies! Study hard.

## Service for Phyllis Broyles

The funeral service and reception for Phyllis Broyles is scheduled for Thursday, July 7 at 2 p.m. at St. Alban's. All are welcome to come and join in this celebration of life.

## Prayers for the Bishop

Please join us in prayer for Bishop Barry Beisner, and his wife the Rev. Dr. Ann Hallisey, Dean of Students at Church Divinity School of the Pacific and priest in our diocese, and Ann's daughter Dr. Kate Rubins, biochemist and astronaut.

Kate is scheduled to launch on a mission to the International Space Station this summer, and Bishop Barry and Ann will be traveling to Russia to watch the launch as family. Please join us in prayer for Kate, Ann, Barry and their family. We invite you to include Barry, Ann, Kate, and all involved in the international space station, in your prayers.

## Health Ministry at St. Alban's

Emily Arents, RN, Parish Nurse

As I write this, we're two days past the official First Day of Summer which always triggers for me making up a good reading list and writing about sun precautions. Of course, the nag in me wants you to remember the SLIP, SLAP, SLOP mnemonic for sun protection: SLIP on a tee shirt, SLAP on a hat, SLOP on sunscreen, copiously and every 2 hours when in the sun.

Monday this week I spent kayaking at Stone Lagoon with friends and was happy to see everyone with long pants, long sleeves and hats, plus using sunscreen with extra for our dry bags. As I'm sure you know, even our foggy days can be a sun hazard.

Also, since this issue of the newsletter covers two months – I hope you enjoy the outdoors and hopefully a good book also. Happy Summer!

*Saint Alban's is a community of disciples growing into the full maturity of Christ. Our mission as a community worshipping in the Episcopal tradition is to be devoted to God through prayer, study and action; faithful in welcoming the stranger and serving the needs of our parish and beyond.*

## VESTRY HIGHLIGHTS

Wednesday, June 15, 2016

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

### Approval of Consent Calendar Items:

- May 18th vestry minutes
- Rector's report
- Treasurer's report
- Stations of the Cross report from the Rev. Nancy Streufert
- Mission-ENGAGE "Sanctuary" report
- Mutual Ministry Review minutes
- Haiti report from the Rev. Tim Doty

Each of the items was approved.

### Discussion:

- The vestry discussed the New FACTS report on growth and decline patterns in the Episcopal Church.
- The Vestry practiced using the "ministries protocol" in reviewing St. Alban's ministry's role.
- Mtr. Sara continued a discussion concerning the Vestry/Parish Retreat which will be scheduled for the fall.
- Mtr. Sara led a follow-up discussion having to do with the Vestry covenant.
- Wally reported on a proposal to conduct a mini-workday this summer to complete some of the unfinished items on our to-do list.
- Wally led a continuing discussion having to do with the repair or replacement of our deck railing.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 8 p.m.

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## HUMBOLDT PRIDE PARADE

### & FESTIVAL

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10**

**HALVORSEN PARK**

**Noon – 5:00pm**

**Eureka**

Mark your calendar and make plans to join the St. Alban's contingent.

More details will be coming up!

### **Summer Book Group**

will meet **August 1** (no July meeting)

**6 - 8 p.m. at Maureen Johannsen's Home**

Please bring a potluck dish to share ...After our meal, we'll discuss the selection.

~ **August 1** ~

*Cold Storage, Alaska* by John Straley

~ **September 5** ~

*The Gospel of Mary of Magdala: Jesus & the First Woman Apostle* by Karen L. King



### **St. Alban's Spiritual Forum**

The Spiritual Forum is held between 9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. in the library.

All are welcome!

#### **SCHEDULE FOR JULY**

- Sunday, July 3** Bible Study: The Parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37)  
With Rev. Nancy Streufert+
- Sunday, July 10** Bible Study: Jesus Visits Martha and Mary (Luke 10:38-42)  
With Rev. Sara Potter+
- Sunday, July 17** A Cathedral Pilgrimage: Part 1 with Emily Arents
- Sunday, July 24** A Cathedral Pilgrimage: Part 2 with Emily Arents
- Sunday, July 31** Bible Study: Jesus Warns His Disciples to Be Watchful (Luke 12:32-40)  
With Rev. Sara Potter+

#### **SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST**

- Sunday, August 7** Bible Study: Jesus the Cause of Division (Luke 12:49-56)  
With Rev. Nancy Streufert+
- Sunday, August 14** The Biblical Case for Reconciliation: A Conversation with Rev. Nancy+
- Sunday, August 21** Reconciliation: A South African Pilgrimage (Part 1) with Chloe Robnett
- Sunday, August 28** Reconciliation: A South African Pilgrimage (Part 2) with Chloe Robnett



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## Meetings, Clubs, and Other Regularly Scheduled Events

### Weekly Gatherings

<u>Group</u>	<u>Day and Place</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Contact</u>
Choir Rehearsal	Sunday, Sanctuary	12:15 p.m.	Nan Voss-Herlihy
Spiritual Forum	Sunday, Library	9:15 a.m.	

### Monthly Gatherings

<u>Group</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Contact</u>
Bible Study	2nd and 4th Mondays, Library	6:30-8:00 p.m.	Bob Webb
Book Group	Maureen Johannsen's Home (Ck. Church Directory for address)	6:00-8:00 p.m. (Potluck at 6) 7:00 p.m. Discussion	Cathy Larripa
Craft Group	3rd Monday, Parish Hall	7:00-9:00 p.m.	Betty Price
Vestry	3rd Wednesday, Library	6:00-8:00 p.m.	Bob Webb
Worship Committee	1st Saturday, Library, every other month	10:00 a.m.	Mtr. Sara Potter