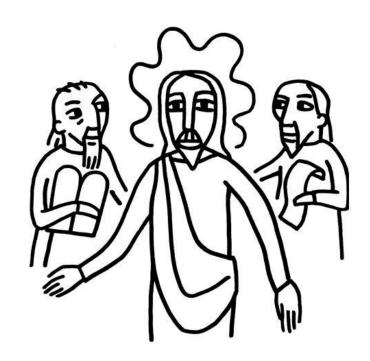
The Feast of the Transfiguration August 6, 2023, 10:00 a.m.



THE CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

The Episcopal Church in Agoura, Oak Park, and Westlake Village

The Rev. Jamie Barnett, Vicar

WELCOME

Visitors: We are delighted you have come to worship with us today! If you are interested in learning more about our church, please fill out the purple information card found in the slot in front of your seat and place it on the collection plate. We are excited to meet you and would love to get to know you! Please join us for coffee, donuts, and fellowship in the Bishop's Hall directly after the service.

This booklet contains the full order of service. If you are unfamiliar with our rituals and customs, just be present with us in this ancient liturgy and let the rest of the congregation carry you in worship. The bold type indicates where the people are invited to respond or pray.

Restrooms: Proceed through the office door to the right of the church and go straight down the hall and to the left. Both restrooms have baby changing tables.

Assisted listening devices: Available from the ushers in the back of the church.

Children: We welcome children in our worship. Their sounds are a gift from God – no need to subdue them! Our *pray ground* is located in the side chapel and has quiet activities for parents and younger children to use while still in worship. Children ages 3-11 are welcome to join the atrium for our Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Sunday School program located in Mitchel Hall. Ask the ushers for directions. Children return to the service for communion.

Contact: Office hours are Monday-Thursday from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. and the sanctuary is open during these hours for private prayer or meditation. To speak with The Rev. Jamie Barnett, please call the office and make an appointment. Her office hours are Tuesday through Thursday.

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The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

PRELUDE When morning gilds the skies

DALE WOOD (1934-2003)

The Word of God

At the sound of the bell. all stand as able and sing.

ENTRANCE HYMN

Hymn 427 When morning gilds the skies LAUDES DOMINI

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People Glory to God for ever and ever.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, who on the holy mount revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured, in raiment white and glistening: Mercifully grant that we, being delivered from the disquietude of this world, may by faith behold the King in his beauty; who with you, O Father, and you, O Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

The Lessons

FIRST READING: Exodus 34:29-35

The people sit.

A Reading from the book of Exodus.

²⁹Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. ³⁰When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. ³¹But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. ³²Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. ³³When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; ³⁴but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, ³⁵the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow.

PSALM: Psalm 99

Remain seated.

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<sup>1</sup>The LORD is King;
let the people tremble; *
  he is enthroned upon the cherubim;
  let the earth shake.
<sup>2</sup>The LORD is great in Zion; *
  he is high above all peoples.
<sup>3</sup>Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; *
  he is the Holy One.
4"O mighty King, lover of justice,
you have established equity; *
  you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."
<sup>5</sup>Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God
and fall down before his footstool; *
  he is the Holy One.
<sup>6</sup>Moses and Aaron among his priests,
and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, *
  they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.
<sup>7</sup>He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; *
  they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.
8"O LORD our God, you answered them indeed; *
  you were a God who forgave them,
  yet punished them for their evil deeds."
<sup>9</sup>Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God
and worship him upon his holy hill; *
  for the LORD our God is the Holy One.
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SECOND READING: 2 Peter 1:13-21

A Reading from the Second letter of Peter.

¹³I think it right, as long as I am in this body, to refresh your memory, ¹⁴since I know that my death will come soon, as indeed our Lord Jesus Christ has made clear to me. ¹⁵And I will make every effort so that after my departure you may be able at any time to recall these things.

¹⁶For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. ¹⁷For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." ¹⁸We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

¹⁹So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. ²⁰First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, ²¹because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow.

SEQUENCE HYMN

All stand as able.

Hymn 129 Christ upon the mountain peak Mowsley

GOSPEL: Luke 9:28-36

Presider The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

²⁸Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³⁰Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. ³¹They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³²Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. ³⁴While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. ³⁵Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" ³⁶When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

Presider The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON Karen James

THE NICENE CREED

All stand as able.

We believe in one God. the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

All remain standing.

Friends, God our Savior is our refuge! So let us pray to God, saying, "Incline your ear to us; hear our words."

God our Savior, show us your face. Satisfy your Church in your presence. Reveal to us your ways so that we might walk in the light of your truth.

Incline your ear to us,

Hear our words.

O God, your eyes are fixed on justice. We pray for all victims of war, violence and famine. Give heed to the cries of those in need throughout the world.

Incline your ear to us,

Hear our words.

God of abundance, you have blessed the earth to bring forth plenty. May we recognize the abundance in our own lives, so that we are moved to ensure that those with little may also have their fill.

Incline your ear to us,

Hear our words.

God of blessing, we call upon you, for you answer us in our need. We pray for all those whose lives are overshadowed by physical pain or anguish of spirit. Especially for Olivia and Byron, and all those who have asked for our prayers that they may know the healing touch of Christ and the transfiguring power of his resurrection.

Incline your ear to us,

Hear our words.

God of majesty, receive our prayers for all those whose earthly pilgrimage has come to an end. Especially we pray for the repose of the soul of our sister Susan, that she may be drawn into the radiant joy of heaven's kingdom and behold the face of God.

Incline your ear to us,

Hear our words.

Gracious God, whose beloved Son is your word of truth and the light shining in our darkness, receive the prayers of your church, and grant that all peoples may come to know the peace of your kingdom and the splendor of your name. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Presider says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Presider and People

God of all mercy,

we confess that we have sinned against you,

opposing your will in our lives.

We have denied your goodness in each other,

in ourselves, and in the world you have created.

We repent of the evil that enslaves us,

the evil we have done,

and the evil done on our behalf.

Forgive, restore, and strengthen us

through our Savior Jesus Christ,

that we may abide in your love

and serve only your will. Amen.

The Presider stands and says.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

Then the Presider and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAYS

All

Watch over your *children*, O Lord, as *their* days increase; bless and guide *them* wherever they may be. Strengthen *them* when *they* stand; comfort *them* when discouraged or sorrowful; raise *them* up if *they* fall; and in *their* hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of *their* lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY

Transfiguration

(sung by the Summer Choir)

We have come at Christ's own bidding to this high and holy place, here we wait with hope and longing for some token of God's grace. Here we pray for new assurance that our faith is not in vain, searching like those first disciples for a sign both clear and plain.

Light breaks in upon our darkness, splendor bathes the flesh-joined Word, Moses and Elijah marvel as the heavenly voice is heard. Eyes and hearts behold with wonder how the Law and Prophets meet: Christ, with garments drenched in brightness, stands transfigured and complete.

Strengthened by this glimpse of glory, fearful lest our faith decline, we like Peter find it tempting to remain and build a shrine. But true worship gives us courage to proclaim what we profess, that our daily lives may prove us people of the God we bless.

Text: Carl P. Daw, Jr. (b. 1944) Music: Joel Martinson (b. 1960)

PRESENTATION HYMN

All stand as able and sing Hymn 7

Christ, whose glory fills the skies

RATISBON

The Great Thanksgiving

The People remain standing.

PresiderThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.PresiderLift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

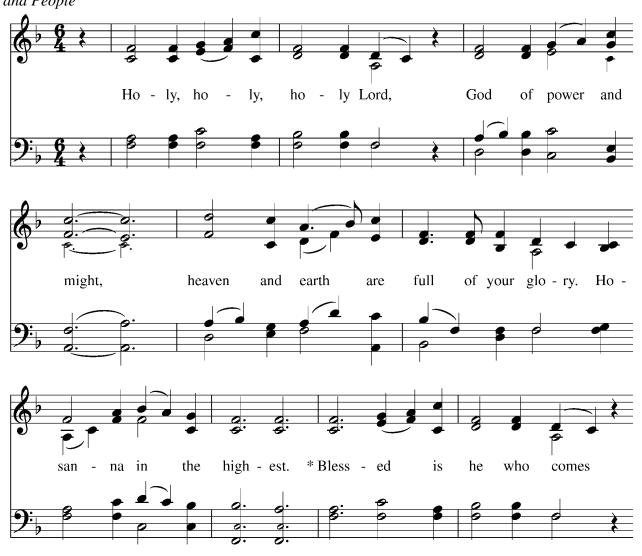
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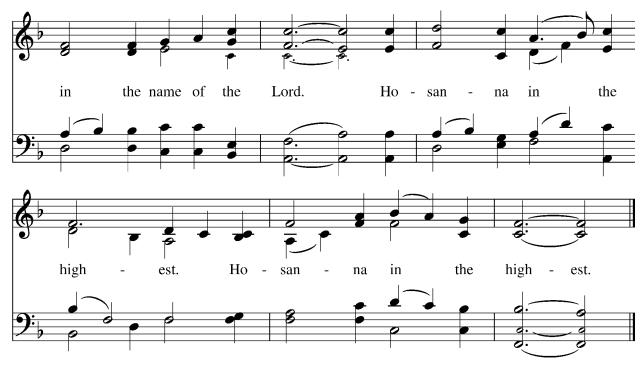
All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places, our true and loving God; through Jesus Christ, your eternal Word, the Wisdom from on high by whom you created all things.

You laid the foundations of the world and enclosed the sea when it burst out from the womb; You brought forth all creatures of the earth and gave breath to humankind.

Wondrous are you, Holy One of Blessing, all you create is a sign of hope for our journey; And so as the morning stars sing your praises we join the heavenly beings and all creation as we shout with joy:

SANCTUS WLP 858 Holy, holy, holy (Folk/Pruner) (American folk melody) Priest and People





The Presider continues.

Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise.

Of your grace, you gave Jesus to be human, to share our life, to proclaim the coming of your holy reign and give himself for us, a fragrant offering.

Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, you have freed us from sin, brought us into your life, reconciled to you, and restored us to the glory you intend for us.

We thank you that on the night before he died for us Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, gave it to his friends and said: "Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said: "Drink this, all of you: this cup is the new Covenant in my Blood, poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ's coming in glory,

and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

Presider and People

Dying, you destroyed our death. Rising, you restored our life. Christ Jesus, come in glory!

The Presider continues.

Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us

the Body and Blood of your Christ.

Grant that we, burning with your Spirit's power, may be a people of hope, justice and love.

Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with all your people into the joy of our true eternal home.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator in voices of unending praise.

Presider and People

Blessed are you now and for ever. AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say in the language of our hearts,

People and Presider

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

FRACTION ANTHEM

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

INVITATION

The Presider says
The Gifts of God for the People of God.

DISTRIBUTION

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.

Presider This is Christ's Banquet. It is made ready for those who love God, and for those who want to love

God more. So, come, you who have much faith and you who have little, you who have been here often, and you who have not been here long. You who have tried to follow Jesus, and you who

have gotten lost. Come, because it is Christ who invites you.

During the distribution of Communion, we welcome you to receive the sacrament or a prayer of blessing. If receiving a blessing, please come forward and simply cross your hands over your chest as you walk up to the presider. If you would like a gluten-free wafer, please tell the presider when you reach the front.

Put your hands out one on top of the other, and the wafer will be placed in your hand. Leave the wafer in place and move to the chalice bearer, who will then take it, dip it in the wine, and hand it back to you. If you do not wish to receive the wine, simply consume the wafer and then you may place your hands on the base of the chalice and the chalice bearer will say the words of administration.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr (All glory be to God on high)

FRIEDRICH WILHELM ZACHOW (1663-1712)

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

After Communion, the Presider says

Let us pray. *All stand as able.*

Presider and People
God of abundance,
you have fed us
with the bread of life and cup of salvation;
you have united us
with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth
in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever
in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

BLESSING

The Presider blesses the people.

POST-COMMUNION HYMN

Hymn 137 O wondrous type! O vision fair WAREHAM

DISMISSAL

Presider Alleluia! Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE A Rejoicing ALFRED V. FEDAK (B. 1953)

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THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

8/6	9:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Summer Choir Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Holy Eucharist; in-person and live-streaming: www.tcote.org Epiphany Youth Group meeting Adopt-a-Plant(s)
8/7	6:30 p.m.	RDV Monday Night Fellowship
8/9	7:00 p.m.	Lectio Divina
8/13	9:45 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 11:30 p.m.	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Holy Eucharist; in-person and live-streaming: www.tcote.org Epiphany Youth Group meeting Outreach Committee meeting



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GIVE



Your ongoing financial support allows us to embrace and engage in the mission and ministry of The Church of the Epiphany. Please give at www.tcote.org/give or scan the QR code.

ALTAR FLOWER GIFTS



Giving **altar flowers** on Sunday is a wonderful way to celebrate a special occasion, honor loved ones or give thanks. If you would like to sponsor flowers, please fill out the card found in the church

pews or go to www.tcote.org.

RDV MONDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP



Who surrounds us as we worship? Gather together to delve into a Bible verse, barrel taste RDV wine (optional) and

explore the connections we have with one another at 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. on **Monday, August 7.**

ADOPT-A-PLANT(S) EXTENDED



Be a *Garden Guardian* and take the opportunity to beautify Epiphany and Adopt-a-Plant(s)! Sign-ups and donations will be taken **TODAY** after the 10:00 service. Plant donations will start at \$11.00. Purchase and professional installation will take

place this fall. A preview of plans and plants is available to view in the church entrance. For questions contact Claudia Dempster at claudiadempster@gmail.com.

HARBOR HOUSE LUNCH BUNCH



Many, many thanks for the lunches last month. They were very much appreciated by the folks Harbor House serves. Our date for August is **Tuesday**, **August 15** and they are asking

for 80 lunches.

Lunches for 10 people- Include sandwich - turkey, egg salad, lunch meat, or pb&j, granola bar, chips, raisins, cookies, fruit, and a drink. Drinks and fruit should be separate. The more snacks you can add to the lunch the better. *Drop off is between 4:00 and 4:30 p.m.* at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church at Avenida de las Flores and Mt.Clef.Parking lot is in the back.Let Yvonne know if you are able to help: yvonnelux@gmail.com.

To access the bulletin from either your tablet or your cell phone, please scan the QR code below:



WATER FOR THIRSTY NEIGHBORS

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This very hot weather is especially hard on the unhoused and low-income folks. Outreach members went to COSTCO and bought a full pallet of 48 cases (40

bottles/case) at \$469 which was delivered this week to Harbor House. To help Outreach pay for the water, put a check in the collection plate, or go to GIVE at www.tcote.org and select Water for Outreach Harbor House from the drop-down menu.

EFM ENROLLING NOW!



Education for Ministry (**EfM**) is a four-year program of theological education

designed for lay people who are interested in deepening their understanding of the Christian faith.

Every baptized person is called to ministry. The Education for Ministry (EfM) program provides people with the education to carry out that ministry. EfM offers an opportunity to discover how to respond to the call to Christian service.

By examining their own beliefs and their relationship to our culture and the tradition of our Christian faith, participants can learn what it means to be effective ministers in the world. In coming to terms with the notion that everything we do has potential for manifesting the love of Christ, we discover that our ministry is at hand wherever we turn.

The EfM program is made up of 4 nine-month cycles of study. Students enroll for one cycle of study at a time. The curriculum is provided by the School of Theology at the University of the South and is guided by mentors from The Church of the Epiphany.

Participants are given weekly assignments to study with the help of resource guides. Students are responsible for setting their own learning goals. They spend between two and four hours in study and preparation each week. In the weekly seminars members have an opportunity to share their insights and discoveries as well as discuss questions which the study materials raise for them.

[If you are a graduate of EfM and some of your EfM texts are gathering dust on your shelves, help other EfM participants by donating your books!]

Contact: Elizabeth Bryant e.vana.bryant@gmail.com

MINISTRIES - FIND YOUR CONNECTION

For more information on these and other ministries, please visit www.tcote.org.



The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program is highly childcentered and allows children to enter into a relationship with God in their own ways, and in their own

time. All children are welcome. Contact: Laurie Burns lburns@tcote.org



At Epiphany, we embrace and appreciate the capacity and insight of our teen parishioners. **EYG** is a safe, encouraging space for spiritual exploration and the asking of important questions.

Our youth group meets every Sunday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Contact: Laurie Burns lburns@tcote.org



The **Pastoral Care Team** cares for parishioners who may be sick, recovering from surgery or experiencing other life changes. We make phone calls, visit

hospitals and homes, and help with the unmet needs they may have, such as providing an occasional meal following surgery or illness. If you would like to be a part of this rewarding ministry, contact Sharon Schneider: sschneider@tcote.org



Wherever and however you are experiencing grief, we invite you to come and share your story in a safe and supportive space. A grief shared meets on the fourth Tuesday of

every month from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in Ascension Chapel. Contact: Laurie Burns lburns@tcote.org



Want to help on Sundays during the service? If you are interested in being an **usher**, **reader**, **or LEM**, please contact the church at info@tcote.org.



Each week, talented and creative team members of the **Epiphany Flower Guild** purchase and arrange our altar flowers. No experience necessary; on-the-job training provided! Contact: Carrie Wilcox

(703) 508-2628



Members of the **Altar Guild** prepare all that is necessary for the celebration of the Eucharist and all of the other sacraments of the church. Contact: Leigh Wallace mizeinla@gmail.com



Coffee hour is a tradition of hospitality and fellowship, a time to catch up with friends and acquaint yourself with new people of the congregation. Interested in being a

Coffee Host? Contact: info@tcote.org



Lectio Divina is a practice of scriptural reading, meditation, and prayer opening to a deeper communion with God. We meet via Zoom *every*

Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Link at www.tcote.org or contact: Barry Burns burnscreative@gmail.com

PFLAG

PFLAG's vision is to create a world where difference is celebrated, and all people are valued inclusive of their sexual

orientation, gender identity, and gender expression. We meet on the *second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.* Contact: info@tcote.org



The **Music Ministry** at The Church of the Epiphany offers a variety of opportunities for participation and welcomes all. Join one of our choirs or the

Epiphany Music Guild – which brings great musical events to our space year after year. Contact: Jay Wilcox jwilcox@tcote.org



Red Door Vineyard's vision is to be a source of congregational growth, strength and spirituality as we share in the journey of

crafting wine in God's name. In addition to ongoing vineyard activities, we gather monthly for Monday Night Fellowship and Friday Evening Happy Hour and arrange a variety of social and cultural experiences. Contact: Stacey Stephens reddoorvineyard@tcote.org



OWLS (Older Wiser Laity) strives to create community and fellowship opportunities among the more senior members of our church and the greater area, meeting monthly for lunch and a variety of enriching programs from

October-May. Contact Michelle Ponticelli: mponticelli@tcote.org



Creation Care at The Church of The Epiphany is about helping each other to grow in care for God's Creation. Seasonal Sacred Hikes help to create a personal bond and connection.

Contact: Mari Mendenhall mmidsgn@sbcglobal.net



Laundry Love is a nationwide program that assists low-income families

and individuals in doing their laundry. We meet on the *last Tuesday of each month from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.*Contact: Karen James kjames@tcote.org

We are now collecting donated items including gift baskets filled or empty for our Epiphany FUNdraising event FIESTA UNDER THE VINEYARD on Saturday September 16! Thank you for asking your favorite restaurant, sport event, hotel, salon, and favorite stores for a gift certificate or merchandise for a live or silent auction item. Together we will have a successful FUN event! Please bring donations to the Founder's Hall or the Work Room. Donor letters and forms are available at the entrance of the church or at www.tcote.org

PRAYERS

Please pray for those on our Parish Prayer List: Olivia

Please pray for those on our Long-Term Parish Prayer list: Bishop Michael Curry, Kay and Boyd, Neil and Sarah, Donna, Byron, Arturo, Tommy, Judith, Matthew, Joann, Kathy, Mario, Curt, Jana, Cynthia, Juan Carlos, the Rowe family and baby Noah, Jasmine, Dave C, Steve, Joe, Wanda, Catherine, Lynn

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Susan.

To add yourself, family, or friends to the prayer list, please fill out a prayer card or submit your prayer request online at www.tcote.org/prayer-request/.

After two weeks on the Parish Prayer List, the names of those for whom we have prayed are moved to the Long-Term Prayer List for two more months, unless



<u>AUCTION ITEM IDEAS – ASK YOUR</u> <u>LOCAL VENDOR & CONNECTIONS</u>

Antiques - Toys, Comic Books

Baskets - Spa items, Fiesta items, Food
themed, Game night, Lottery ticket basket

Collectables - Celebrity's items, Coins,

Dining Club Memberships

Electric Bike,

Fine Art - Got a DaVinci? Vintage sign or poster, Custom artwork, Sculptures

Grill-master Basket - Seasonings, Rubs,

Marinades, Sauces, Basic tools

Hot Air Balloon Rides, Blimp

Ice cream - Gift card for local ice cream store,

Toppings,

<u>Jewelry</u> - Costume or Precious gems <u>Key</u>-lime Pie

Limousine rides

<u>Movie</u> or Theater tickets, Concert, Museum tickets, Comedy night, Show passes, Magic Castle

Nail salon gift certificate

Old shoe (just kidding!)

<u>Professional</u> - Childcare, Pet sitting, Instrument or Voice lessons, Sport lessons, Trainer, Art lessons, Fitness or Cooking class, Dance lessons

Quilt

Restaurant Gift certificates, Bakery gift certificates, Coffee beans from local roasters

Sports - Memorabilia, Event tickets, 1960 baseball & sports cards, Round of golf, Bowling

<u>Travel</u> - Package, Hotels, Villas, Trains, Planes, Staycations, Tour local brewery or vineyards

Universal City Tour

<u>Vehicles</u> - Antique or a classic, Hood ornament, Car wash or Oil change certificates

<u>Wine</u>, Mixology items - Shaker, Muddler, Strainer, Cocktail glass, Craft beers, Margarita kit

Xmas items

Yoga Classes, etc.

Zoo Tickets