

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SUNDAY, JULY 9, 2017

#### ***A Reading from the Book of Genesis — TODAY @ 8 & 10:15 AM***

The first reading this morning continues the story of our Jewish forebears. This morning's reading is long, but we don't hear the whole of the story; rather, we've come in somewhat in the middle of it all, so a bit of background may be helpful. (You may want to read it all at home.)

After the death of Sarah, Abraham resolves to ensure that their son, Isaac, is properly married to one of his kinfolk in Haran. He charges a servant (probably Eliezer) with the task. All of the action described in this morning's reading actually takes place beforehand. After Rebekah's family welcomes the servant of Abraham into their home, we pick up with the servant's words to Laban, Rebekah's brother. The servant recounts what happened to make the case that God (working behind the scenes) is the hidden "matchmaker" between Rebekah and Isaac.

#### ***Adult Forum — On Summer Break (except when it's not!)***

Our weekly adult forum meets in Brooks Hall between our morning services throughout much of the year, offering a time of fellowship, as well as a chance to exchange information or engage in deeper reflection.

You're still welcome to stay late or come early for a little light conversation, but the weekly get-together is on summer holiday until the fall unless there's a special presentation!

And speaking of a special presentation ... Barb Morris will present "Jesus and Our Public Lands" next Sunday, July 16. It's a special opportunity to learn more about the history of public lands, their importance, and what we can do to be stewards of what's been entrusted to us.

#### ***2018 Women's Retreat Planning Meeting — Tuesday @ 2 PM***

The planning committee will meet Tuesday from 2:00-3:30 in Brooks Hall. If you would like to join in on the planning fun for this amazing annual weekend retreat, please email Barb Morris at [barb@barbmorris.com](mailto:barb@barbmorris.com).

#### ***Off to Canada — NEXT Sunday @ 10:15 AM***

Our liturgical "staycation" will enjoy another change next Sunday. We've been enjoying New Zealand the past several weeks, but we're heading north to Canada next week – still in St. Helens!

#### ***Condega Fundraiser — Greeting Card Class for 8***

Sign up today in Brooks Hall to come enjoy fun and friends at Linda Phillips' lovely home and take away wonderful greeting cards that you have made yourself!

Linda provides all the materials and expertise needed to make a variety of lovely greeting cards... as well as a yummy lunch and snacks. The class will be from 10 AM to 3 PM on a date to be agreed upon by those who sign up.

There are just 8 seats available for a cost of \$30 each. All proceeds go to the children and the community of Condega, Nicaragua.

### **Housing Needed for Summer Camp Counselors**

We need housing in Bend for the counselors who ride the bus to and from Ascension School Camp and Conference Center. This entails picking up the counselor(s) at Trinity, housing them overnight, breakfast and returning them to Trinity the next morning to take a new batch of campers to Cove.

- **August 4th** TBA depending on camp programming (earlier dates have been filled – thanks!!)

If you can help, contact Terry Rahmsdorff at 541-390-3066 or 541-388-2778.

Thank you from your Cove/COPY Team!

### **Family Kitchen Volunteers Needed!**

Please contact Donna at 541-760-5677 or [donna@familykitchen.org](mailto:donna@familykitchen.org), if you know of anyone who is interested in filling the following volunteer positions:

#### **Thursday Shopper**

A team of two trades Thursday shopping. We need one to replace a team member who is retiring. Will require background check and issuance of Family Kitchen credit card.

#### **Saturday Meat Slicer**

We get a great deal on our lunch meat primarily because it comes unsliced. If you're up for spending an hour on Saturday mornings at around 9 slicing meat, we need you!!

Thank you for your continued support of Family Kitchen and our mission!

## **CALENDAR**

This following list of events is not comprehensive. To add your meeting or event to our calendar, please contact the parish office by phone (541) 382-5542, or email - [ministry@trinitybend.org](mailto:ministry@trinitybend.org).

7/9	Sunday	8 AM	Holy Eucharist: Rite II
		10:15 AM	Holy Eucharist: <i>A New Zealand Prayer Book</i> (St. Helens)
		11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (Brooks Hall, Trinity)
7/11	Tuesday	2 PM	Women's Retreat Planning Group
		3:30 PM	Liturgy Team Meeting
7/12	Wednesday	12 PM	Noon Eucharist
		12:30 PM	Hospitality Team Meeting
7/15	Saturday	9 AM	Altar Guild
7/16	Sunday	8 AM	Holy Eucharist: Rite I
		9:15 AM	Sunday Forum: <i>Jesus and Our Public Lands</i>
		10:15 AM	Holy Eucharist: <i>O Canada!</i> (St. Helens)
		11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (Brooks Hall, Trinity)