



# Saint Michael Herald

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St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church

March 2006

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Ideas to help our new rector and family get settled . . .

The first Sunday Adult Forum "Working with a New Rector" generated some excellent suggestions to help the Osborne family with their transition to Fort Bragg.

The first suggestion was to give a "pound". A pound of what? Anything that you can think of that a new household could use. Some ideas might be: macaroni, sugar, potatoes or Kleenex. The "pounds" will be collected on March 26<sup>th</sup>. Late donations may be added April 2<sup>nd</sup> when the "pounds" will be presented to the Osbornes.

Another suggestion to help with the orientation to a new community – Lists! Lists of resources, services and responsibilities. To find out just what kind of lists these are, please turn the page (details on page 3). The actual lists are all available in Larsen Hall. Please check out what you can add to them!

Adult Forums will be held each Sunday in March after the 10 AM service. Everyone is invited to participate, this is a great opportunity to come together to share ideas and help to make this a smooth transition for all.

## *A Note from the Senior Warden*

As you can see, the Vestry has been busy. We have met so often to interview, evaluate, prepare and decide, that we've really "bonded". Sorry to see Sandy Savidge and Don Thomas leave us, but thank them for their dedicated service and their friendship. We welcome Miguel to the Vestry wish him well as he directs his talents to the Junior Warden position he has volunteered to do. Remember, he is the "people's warden", so bend his ear on what issues you would like considered by the Vestry.

Our big news is the mutual decision of the Vestry and Father Bill to bring us together as Rector and Parish. The Osborne family will need help adjusting to our community. We hope that you will provide them with information and friendship in the coming weeks. Father Bill starts his work here in April.

Thanks to all of you who have become vigilant remembering to turn off heat and lights when you leave the church buildings. You've made a big dent in the utility bills. Keep up the good work!

After February 19th we will have supply priests until Father Bill comes April 1st. Please call one of the wardens or the church office if you have pastoral needs, so we can direct help to you. Your Lay Ministry leaders are good resources as well.

Finally, I bid farewell to Father Leo Joseph. When I look back to his arrival two years ago, it seems incredible the work he has done to bind us together and heal divisions in this parish. Most of the time when he and I talk, it is the business of the church. But, his deep reservoir of spiritual gifts sustains him and flows out from him in his laugh, his insight and his patience. Thank you Father Leo for giving of yourself for the betterment of St Michaels!!!

## LISTS, LISTS, LISTS

### LIST OF RESOURCES:

Where do you go to establish utilities, get shoes repaired, get your hair done or your car repaired?

This is the list of where to go. Please add any service or business you would recommend. If possible leave a business card, too. This is a list which can be updated and used for any new family in our community.

### LIST OF SERVICES:

Would you like to donate time, services or items to help the Osbornes get settled?

This is *your* list. In fact it is already underway: 2 hours of child care; herb plants and calla lily starts. What would you like to add?

### List of Responsibilities:

This is the list of "who does what" around St. Michael's for Fr. Bill. For example: the Liljebergs garden the front property, Scott Dabel heads the Men's Club, Mary Ann Shols is the new Newsletter Distribution Chairman, Ada Kornmeyer is doing the landscaping of the back property. Please feel free to check it out to be sure no one has been forgotten. It is important to have complete contact information including email and cell phone. Again this will be useful for any newcomer.

*Updates from the Jr. Warden's Desk*

Welcome to our new Junior Warden – Miguel Garcia plans to assume his duties on March 1<sup>st</sup> .

OUR TIME AND TALENT IN ACTION . . .  
THANKS TO :

☺ Roy Falk who has helped once again on the phone lines!

☺ Jere Melo for the installing the new door stop on the church door and painting the Skateboarding signs.

**UPDATES:**

Fire alarm is almost completely installed.

New thermostat locks:

Several years ago and again this year both church and Larsen Hall have been found with heat running for long periods of time when no one was using those spaces. Due to high fuel costs, the vestry has again voted to install locks on the heating thermostats in both the church and Larsen Hall. LOCKS have been installed. These thermostats are programmed and have times posted next to them showing when the heat comes on. Please remember that this is a time of adjustment. If there are going to be events in Larsen Hall or the church that are not regularly scheduled, contact Miguel for reprogramming.

SCHEDULE of SERVICES AND EVENTS  
for MARCH

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HOLY EUCHARIST

March 19, 26

8 AM Rev Tansy Chapman

March 5, 12, 19, 26

10 AM Rev. Mary Fisher

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SUNDAYS

March 5, 12, 19, 26

ADULT FORUM: WORKING W/ A NEW RECTOR

AFTER 10 AM SERVICES

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WEDNESDAYS

March 8, 15, 22, 29

Healing Service

11:00 AM

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LENT STUDY:

Tolle's *The Power of Now*

5:30 PM-6:30 PM

St. Veronica's Hall

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FRIDAYS

March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

5:00 PM

The Vestry and Parish Community of St. Michael and All Angels Church extend their condolences to the family and friends of William Dabel father of Scott Dabel. May his soul, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace.



**Saint Michael & All Angels  
Episcopal Church**

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The Episcopal Diocese  
of Northern California  
The Rt. Rev. Jerry A. Lamb, Bishop

*What's happening at St. Michaels*

*SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE:*

8AM & 10 AM Holy Eucharist  
9:50 AM Sunday School

ADULT FORUM:

WORKING W/ A NEW RECTOR AFTER 10 AM SERVICES MARCH 5,  
12, 19, 26

Stations of the Cross Fridays, 5:00 PM March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

St. Veronica's Guild 12 noon March 20<sup>th</sup>

Lent Study: Tolle Wednesdays, 5:30 PM March 8, 15,  
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This calendar shows all church events. See the calendars posted in Larsen Hall and St. Veronica's for events sponsored by outside organizations using church facilities.

## March Birthdays

1-Mar	Nicole Wasson
2-Mar	Finn Walter
5-Mar	Paul Clark
5-Mar	Laurel Wollman
6-Mar	Charla Thorbecke
7-Mar	Bill Keller
9-Mar	James Pate
10-Mar	Rosie Muto
11-Mar	Kathleen Johnson
11-Mar	Harlie Liljeberg
12-Mar	Katie Turner
13-Mar	Rhys Navarro
14-Mar	Naomi Sallinen
16-Mar	Darla Paoli
17-Mar	Julia Conway
20-Mar	Stephen Holmes
22-Mar	Paula Canoles
31-Mar	Max & Sam Russell

## St. Michael's Directory

Office Hours: Wednesday-Friday 9am-Noon

Parish Office (*stmike@estmichael.org*) ..... 964-1900  
Parish Hall..... 964-6713

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Kathleen Johnson..... 961-0716  
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Sandi Smith Sr. Warden (*sandave@mcn.org*)..... 964-1035

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