

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCHES of Berkeley and Albany will have a booth at this year's Solano Stroll on September 11. There will be information about St. Clement's, St. Mark's, All Souls', Good Shepherd, and St. Alban's. In addition, funds will be collected for a local day laborer lunch project. If you are interested helping to staff the booth, please sign up in Palache Hall. (Assistance will still be needed after our Rally Day picnic.)

**ST. CLEMENT'S CHOIR PROGRAM
STARTS UP THIS WEEK**



Rehearsals resume for all three St. Clement's choirs after Labor Day.

Children grades 3-6 are invited to join the Junior Choir. It meets Wednesdays 4-5 PM. This is a great training program for children with and without musical experience. An after-school snack is served at 3:45 PM and the children always have a fun time together. Our first rehearsal is **September 7**.

The Senior Choir continues its active program for youth in grades 7-12. Rehearsals take place on Sundays after church for an hour and this group has a wonderful sense of camaraderie. The first rehearsal of the season is on Saturday, **September 10**, at 11:00 AM and will include lunch together.

The Adult Choir meets on Thursdays at 7:30 PM for a two hour rehearsal, beginning **September 8**. Some basic musical skills are required, but even if you are not experienced it might be worth trying out the choir. The choir enjoys many social events together, especially the annual fall retreat at The Bishop's Ranch.

Talk to Victor or Linda Gavenda if you have an interest in any of these groups. Or email Linda at lindagavenda@mac.com.

Thank you St. Clement's!

This week, St. Clement's sent a check to Music for Haiti for \$2,275. Seventeen individual donors gave generously, and the Vestry approved a \$1,000 gift from the Goode Ritson Fund.

Now you can enjoy the concerts soon being offered in this area by Les Petits Chanteurs:

Friday, September 30	7:30 PM	St. Paul's, Walnut Creek
Saturday, October 1	7:00 PM	St. Stephen's, Belvedere
Sunday, October 2	4:00 PM	Christ Church, Portola Valley
Monday, October 3	7:30 PM	St. Paul's, Burlingame

❖ **WELCOME TO ST. CLEMENT'S** ❖

If you are visiting today please introduce yourself to us and complete one of the cards on the back of the pew. This may be placed in the offering plate, given to an usher, or handed to the clergy. If you have questions about the order of service, please ask your neighbor in the pew.

Copies of our parish newsletter, *The Clarion*, are available on a rack in the narthex. We hope you will join us for coffee next door in Palache Hall. Help yourself to a name tag on the kiosk in the parish hall.

Sunday School does not meet today. The new program year begins on September 18. Children are invited to worship with their families for the entire church service. **Nursery Care** for young children is available upstairs in Palache Hall.

SERVING TODAY

Altar Guild	Frances Morgan, Mary Miller, Michele O'Neill, Darcy Tarbell, Charlice Danielsen
Ushers	Joel & Sacha Grippando, Sue Malick
Acolytes	William Hoyt, Alice & Molly Rossmann
Lay Readers	Janet Salsman (8:00) Neysa Garrett, Kathy Burns (10:00)
Eucharistic Ministers	Charlice Danielsen (8:00) Robert Heimbucher, Linda Kranichfeld (10:00)
Coffee Host	Jane Brooks

PRAYER LIST

In Our Parish: Burrill, Ginny, Frederique, Jody, Margaret, Nauvelene, Gail, Margaret, George Ann, Jennifer, Laura, David, Helen

Friends & Loved Ones: Katie, Barbara, Ned, Jean, Lee, Brad, Ginger, Norma, Nick, Johnny, Earl, Arlene, Rosemary, Barbi, John, Marilyn, Prajhan, Suzie, James, Ronald, Linda, Johnny, Bonnie, Candace, Benjamin, Sally, Nit, Veronique, Theresa, Carrie, Janet, Inge, Valerie, Christian, Brian, Joan, Liz, George, Helen, Rob, Roy

PRAYER REQUESTS

You may submit prayer requests by filling out a form found at the church doors. Place them in the offering plates, and they will be given to the clergy.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday	September 4	8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Holy Communion Baptism & Holy Eucharist
Monday	September 5		Church Office closed
Wednesday	September 7	9:30 AM 11:30 AM 4:00 PM 5:00 PM	Staff Meeting Holy Communion Junior Choir Rehearsal Pizza Club
Thursday	September 8	7:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
Saturday	September 10	11:00 AM	Senior Choir Rehearsal & Lunch
Sunday	September 11	8:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM	Holy Communion Rally Day Procession & Holy Eucharist Parish Picnic

JAM SESSION II: It is hard to imagine that summer is nearly over and that harvest time is near. Last year's canning session was so successful that the Sunday School is going to do it again.



One key element in last year's program was the use of fruit from the home gardens of St. Clement's. If you have more fruit than you can use and would like to donate it to the project, please contact David Myles at ccbond@comcast.net. As before, proceeds will go to the Campaign for Better Nutrition to support use of food stamps at farmer's markets.



RALLY DAY PHOTOS

In addition to enjoying the various activities planned for Rally Day, please come prepared to smile for the camera.

Photographs for the new church directory will be taken following the service by Victor Gavenda and Robert Clark. These will be digital photos, and you will be able to make your selection at the time they are taken.

We will need to have your contact information at this time, so if you have not yet sent in your information sheet, please find one at the church doors or in Palache Hall and fill it out.

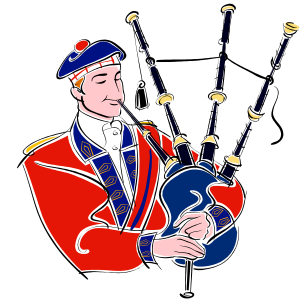
For those unable to be at church on September 11, photos will also be taken on the remaining two Sundays in September.

Please come to the

2011 St. Clement's RALLY DAY

Sunday, September 11

following the 10:00 AM service



Jumpy House
Picnic-style Lunch
Activity Sign-ups

A NOTE FROM THE PARISH EVENTS COMMITTEE

Rally Day is next Sunday and you will have the opportunity to sign up for Parish Events.

We would like to have more **Circle of Eight** participants. You can sign up by household—singles, couples or families. Each month for four months a household hosts a pot luck gathering for four households. We would like to have some families with children join this year. This year, there was variety—a single person household hosted, a luncheon was given instead of a dinner, and one gathering took place at a cabin—a picnic would also work. This is a great way to meet new people and renew some old acquaintances.

We will also try to have another **Mens' Dinner**, a **Women's Luncheon** or **Tea**, and a **Musical Spring Fling**—please join us.



MINI-SALE OF CHILDREN'S BOOKS

RALLY DAY (after the service)

Hardbacks 50¢ – Paperbacks 25¢

Proceeds to benefit Sunday School Outreach Efforts

The September *Clarion* is available at the doors of the church for those who have not received it by email.