
NUT BUTTER BARREL

St. Clement's Outreach Committee invites you to a spiritual practice of feeding the hungry whenever you shop for groceries. While buying a jar of your favorite peanut butter or almond butter, buy another for the Nut Butter Barrel Bank. Nut butters are especially nutritious and fills an empty stomach easily. Whenever the barrel gets full, a member of the Outreach Committee will take its contents to the Alameda County Food Bank. This is an easy, but profound way to practice God's commandment to love our neighbor. Please talk to Salying if you have any questions.

THEOLOGY ROUNDTABLE is wrapping up its work on *The History of the Church*, by Bishop Eusebius. An intimate friend and spiritual mentor to Emperor Constantine, Eusebius wrote just as the theological dispute between Arians and Orthodox Christians was coming to a boil. The Ecumenical Council at Nicea, called by Constantine to settle the dispute, met in 325.

Eusebius' *History*, written 305-311, must have influenced those in attendance, for it was the first comprehensive history of the personages, events, and doctrines of the early Church. It is likely that Eusebius and his great work informed the most important product of that Council, the Nicene Creed we recite at each Mass.

The Roundtable meets at 7:30 PM in Palache Hall each month. Note well that **our next meeting is November 4, a departure** from our usual practice of meeting the second Wednesday of each month. All are welcome at the Roundtable; no background in philosophy or theology is needed to profit from our discussions. For more information, contact Kristor Lawson at 510.841.2028 or kristor@schultzcollins.com.

DIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENT

BARBARA BRADLEY HAGERTY, National Public Radio's religion correspondent, will speak at a Brown-Bag Lunch at Easton Hall, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, 2451 Ridge Road, Berkeley, on Friday, November 13, 12:00-2:00 PM. Bradley Hagerty will talk about her new book, *Fingerprints of God: The Search for the Science of Spirituality*. In it, she tackles questions that had puzzled her for years: Why are some people more spiritual than others? Is there a God gene? Is there a God spot in the brain, a place where God communicates with us? Are we hard-wired to connect with God? Can we train ourselves to access another, spiritual realm? Is there life after death? Is there any evidence for God at all? Take a lunch break and join us for an energizing and inspiring discussion.

❖ 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. We hope you will join us for coffee next door in Palache Hall. Help yourself to a name tag on the kiosk.

Childcare for Infants and Toddlers is available in the nursery upstairs in Palache Hall, first door on the left.

Sunday School does not meet this morning. Children are invited to worship with their families for the entire church service. Nursery care is still available.

SERVING TODAY

Altar Guild	Charlice Danielsen, Darcy Tarbell, Michele O'Neill
Ushers	Chris Bailey, David Myles, Christopher Zuber
Acolytes	Jack Morris, Allie Bailey, Jeremy O'Neill, William Hoyt
Lay Readers	Cory Johnson (8:00) Doug Dobson, Nauvelene Blaisdell (10:00)
Eucharistic Minsters	Charlice Danielsen (8:00) Diana Chappell, Daniel Saulsbury (10:00)
Coffee Host	George Ann Garms

PRAYER LIST

In Our Parish: Daisy, Mandy, Brian, John, Burrill, Ginny, Alyce, Jason, Yvonne

Friends & Loved Ones: Katie, Barbara, Ned, Jean, Evelyn, Bunk, Lee, Brad, Oliver, Ruth, Jim, Jessica, Josie, Curtis, Jill, Joanne, Matthew, Judd, Tom, Ginger, Norma, Michael, Zareh, Nick, Joan, Eric, Patty, Eric, Kenneth, Sophia, Harry, Brennon, Lil, Johnny, Peggy, Todd, Peggy, Mike

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Graduate Theological Union; Presidio Gate Apartments; All Saints Churches, San Francisco and San Leandro; All Souls' Parish, Berkeley

Departed: Robert Olson

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

Sun.	Nov. 1	8:00 AM	Holy Communion
		9:00 AM	Forum: Martin Luther King Jr.
		10:00 AM	Baptism & Holy Eucharist
		11:30 AM	Senior Choir Rehearsal
Mon.	Nov. 2	6:30 PM	Education for Ministry
Tue.	Nov. 3	10:00 AM	MDG Meeting
		6:30 PM	Post EfM Meeting
Wed.	Nov. 4	9:30 AM	Staff Meeting
		11:30 AM	Holy Communion
		1:30 PM	History Committee
		4:00 PM	Junior Choir Rehearsal
		5:00 PM	Pizza Club
		7:30 PM	Theology Roundtable
Thur.	Nov. 5	12:30 PM	Prayer Group
		7:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
Sun.	Nov. 8	8:00 AM	Holy Communion
		9:00 AM	Forum: Rosemary Radford Ruether
		10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
		10:00 AM	Sunday School
		11:30 AM	Senior Choir Rehearsal
		12:00 PM	Confirmation Class
		2:00 PM	Memorial Service for Robert Olson
		6:00 PM	Movie Group

THE ALTAR FLOWERS this morning are given by Barbara Smith and Sherman Clark in honor of their new granddaughter, Ava Catherine Norton, who is being baptized today.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: There will be a memorial service for Robert Olson on Sunday, November 8, at 2:00 PM, here at St. Clement's Church.

9AM DISCUSSION FORUM: We are discussing the lives and impact of Christian leaders who have acted on their faith to influence the world. Everyone is welcome and no advance reading or preparation is necessary.

- Nov 1 Martin Luther King, Jr., led by Dominic Moore
 - Nov 8 Rosemary Radford Ruether, led by Kay Fraley
 - Nov 15 Catherine Pickstock, led by Christian Rideout
 - Nov 22 Brother Roger, led by Tom Poynor
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PIZZA CLUB meets this Wednesday, 5:00-6:00 PM. All children in grades 3 through 6 are welcome. Please RSVP to the church office.

PRAYER GROUP: At this time, there are five people meeting to pray for our parishioners, friends and loved ones. We meet every Thursday at 12:30 PM in the church. Currently, the practice uses Centering Prayer and intercessory prayer. All Christians are called to pray for one another. If you feel called to pray with us, please talk to Salying.

OLD TESTAMENT CLASS: Join us at 2:00 PM on Wednesdays, November 11, 18; December 16, 30. Talk to Salying with questions.

MOVIE GROUP: November 8, Sunday, 6:00 PM. Casual potluck and great discussions at George Ann Garms' home (call 548-2264 for directions). Watch *Flame & Citron* and *The Informant*, both playing now.

TEEN CONFIRMATION: According to *The Book of Common Prayer* (page 412), "In the course of their Christian development, those baptized at an early age are expected, when they are ready and have been duly prepared, to make a mature public affirmation of their faith and commitment to the responsibilities of their Baptism and to receive the laying on of hands by the bishop."

We are offering a teen Confirmation class beginning November 8 at 12:00 noon, with an Easter season Confirmation at Grace Cathedral for those who are ready and willing. The minimum age recommended by our Bishop for Confirmation is 13. The class will meet monthly (with some "home-work") and be taught by the clergy and seminarians. Specific dates and times of classes will be determined. If you or your teen is interested in participating, please contact Bruce.

ST. CLEMENT'S LEGACY SOCIETY: St. Clement's Church has been blessed with numerous parishioners who have chosen to remember the church in their estates. As we move towards the end of our Centennial year, we would like to commemorate all those who have done so by inducting (recognizing) them as founding members of the St. Clement's Legacy Society. This founding group and all who join in the future, serve as the anchor to the parish's ongoing financial strength. If you have made provision for the church in your will, or if you remember someone who did so in the past, please let Bruce know. We will celebrate this group as we wind down our Centennial early next year.

--Vestry and Planned Giving Committee
(Dick Hunt, Mary Lou Chapman, Kim Lally,
Kristor Lawson, Steve Oakes, and Richard Sproul)
