SAINT BARNABAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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SUMMER MUSIC + ARTS CAMP

Join us for a one-week day camp to discover the world of fine arts and creativity at Saint Barnabas! With creative classes ranging from set design and dance to cake decorating and boomwhackers, this incredible, fun-filled week (June 13-17, 2016) includes an art exhibition and special production for friends and family to enjoy on the last day. Sportball option available. Registration is filling up fast! Camp is for ages 3+. View pricing and register online at: www.saintbarnabas.org/camp

CAMP AT CHAPEL ROCK

Owned and operated by the Episcopal Diocese of Arizona, Chapel Rock is a camp and conference center located in Prescott, AZ that hosts life-changing summer camps for all ages. This June and July, children and youth at Saint Barnabas are invited to have a have a blast during a week at camp and experience God's love in real community. For dates and registration, visit www.chapelrock.net. Please note that scholarship assistance is available. It is Diocesan policy that no child be denied a camp experience by financial need. Contact Kate Fimbres for details: kate@saintbarnabas.org

SAINT BARNABAS AT THE MOUNTAIN

Mark your calendar for September 23-25, 2016 for a relaxing, get-away-from-it-all weekend with your Saint Barnabas parish family at Chapel Rock in Prescott, AZ! Camp includes invigorating group activities, time for quiet and reflection, Sunday worship, a clergy-led spiritual workshop, delicious meals, and plenty of opportunities for amazing memories together. Registration available soon. Visit saintbarnabas.org!

CAMPUS LIFE



Our first-ever Messy Arts + Crafts Neighborhood Picnic on April 17 was a smashing success! Over 300 people (100+ children, dozens of whom had never been to Saint Barnabas before) joined us on campus to have loads of fun and to get messy. Music from some of our parish's talented musicians was enjoyed by all ages, 565 hamburgers and hot dogs were eaten, over 65 sand labyrinths were created, and all of our clergy (including Father Jim Clark, pictured top!) were right in the midst of the fray for "Paint the Priest". Thank you to countless volunteers who helped create such a memorable day!



May 7 - Quiet Day

Resurrection, Ascension, Pentecost: The Infusion of Divine Love II In the Christian story Jesus' crucifixion completed his coming into the world. His resurrection began his ascent to the Father. But where did he go to ascend to the Father? ... into the heart of all creation ... into the innermost being of humanity ... with his victory over death. From there he radiates boundless Love. On May 7, Quiet Day will explore how we prepare ourselves to receive this infusion of Divine Love moment by moment. Reflections by Jim Clark. 9:30 to 1:00 in the sanctuary. All are welcome. Please bring your Bible.

Mental Health Task Force Celebration

The Mental Health Task Force will be meeting for a year-end wrap-up gathering and celebration on Sunday, May 15 at 11:45am. We will meet in the Learning Center (St. Paul Room) to look back at what our group has accomplished this year and to begin planning our areas of interest for the next calendar year. Please come to help us celebrate with refreshments and to discuss what topics you think we should explore next year.

Special Panel Discussion

MILLENNIALS: WHO ARE THEY? WHERE ARE THEY FROM? WHAT DO THEY WANT?



On Monday, May 16, the Company of Men Spring Dinner will feature Andrew Moore, member of Saint Barnabas and Chaplain at the Beatitudes Campus, moderating a panel of men as we seek to understand what is driving the next great generation of leaders. Join us as we explore the unique connections between career, family, and faith that define this demographic. Our final event of the year includes a classic steak and potato dinner. Don't miss it! Social hour begins at 6:00pm; dinner and program begins at 6:30. Reservations are required. Email Manny Fimbres: boligogo@gmail.com

WILMA JENSEN - CONCERT ORGANIST



Dr. Wilma Jensen is renowned as an outstanding recitalist, church musician, and teacher. As Professor of Organ at Indiana University, she has helped shape a generation of accomplished organists. Her concert career has taken her throughout the U.S. and around the world. Dr. Jensen will join us at Saint Barnabas for a recital on Friday, May 20 at 7:30pm and a masterclass on Saturday, May 21 at 9:00am. Recital tickets are \$20 and will be available in the church office and online on May 1. For more information, please contact Paul Lee: paul@saintbarnabas.org



Last 10:21 Service of the Season

Our final 10:21am Sunday worship service will be held on May 15. We will resume the service for the fall season on Welcome Sunday (September 11, 2016). During the summer, please join us for worship in our 7:45am, 10:15am, or 6:00pm services. Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 7	Quiet Day	9:30am
MAY 8	Scholarship Sunday	
MAY 15	Pentecost	
MAY 16	Company of Men Spring Dinner	6:00pm
MAY 18	Last Day of Wednesday Children's Music	5:30pm
MAY 19	SAGES Spring Picnic	11:30am
MAY 20	Wilma Jensen Organ Recital	7:30pm
MAY 21	Wilma Jensen Masterclass	9:00am
MAY 22	Last Day of Faith Formation	
MAY 29-JUN 4	Family Promise	



Our Newest Mission Partner: Millet House

Located in Mesa, Millet House is a historic adobe building that houses a grassroots art collective. Serving vulnerable populations, Millet House provides community, simple studio space, a mobile library, and an art gallery that displays and sells art. Artists from Millet House recently collaborated with Saint Barnabas to host our Messy Arts + Crafts Event. Visit the Mission Partners page on our website to learn more about Millet House and upcoming opportunities to serve!

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Save the Dates

Back by popular demand, last summer's wildly successful choral occasions are returning for Summer 2016! Save the dates to participate in (and enjoy offerings from) our Men's Chorus on June 12, our Women's Chorus on August 21, and our Summer Sing for everyone on July 16! Questions? Contact Paul Lee: paul@saintbarnabas.org



Family Promise: Serving Families with Children

Saint Barnabas hosts families who are transitioning out of homelessness for a week at a time, 3-4 times per year, right here at the church. Our next hosting week is May 29-June 4. Many volunteer opportunities are available. Sign up on the patio on Sundays or contact Jane Gharibian: (602) 368-9138



MEXICO MEDICAL MISSION

This year's Mexico Medical Mission, our annual mission trip that serves over 1,200 adults and children living in Ensenada, Mexico by providing free medical, dental, and optical care, will be July 10-15, 2016. You can attend the trip! Spanish translators and professionals in all areas of healthcare are welcome and needed as well as caring individuals without medical experience or Spanish language skills. You can also donate NEW bar soap and toothpaste that will be distributed! Large sizes of bar soap and toothpaste (in their NEW original packaging) are being collected to give to impoverished families who cannot afford these basic necessities. Donations may be dropped off in the office during the week and on the patio on Sundays. For more information about how you can help, please contact Mary Christensen: m.christensen08@cox.net or (480)443-0685.

THE SUNDAY MORNING FORUM

Every Sunday at 9:00am! This month we'll hear from the following...

May 8 - Ted Taylor, Director of Family Promise in Greater Phoenix, will offer a presentation entitled Loving Our Neighbors and Family Promise. The presentation will explore the unique power of the Family Promise Interfaith Network and how it collaborates with churches in the Valley. Meet in the Learning Center at 9:00am.

May 15 - Dr. Deepak Varshney, researcher from Advanced Green Solutions, will conclude his presentation on Christianity and Hinduism. Meet in the Learning Center at 9:00am.



May 22 - Representatives from Five Star Development, owners of the land adjacent to Saint Barnabas, will join us to discuss and answer questions about the upcoming construction of the Ritz-Carlton hotel project in Paradise Valley. All are welcome to attend this forum to learn more about how the project will impact our campus. Meet in Hutton Hall at 9:00am.

PARISH REGISTER

Marriage Stephanie Clark and Derick Schumacher Baptisms Rhiannon Lynn Gilmore Payton Michael Hayes Caleb Vance Kloster Alexandra Kay Schraer Catherine Rose Schraer

Deaths Joseph Thomas Ellicott Joanne Ware Goss Nancy Anne Taylor Hushek