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Vision 2030 Plan Revealed

The Annual Meeting of Piedmont Community Church was held in the Sanctuary immediately following worship on Sunday, June 8.

The meeting focused on the exciting news delivered by those on our 2030 Vision Team, including Rich Thompson, Pat Leicher, Steve Schibsted and Tom Parry. They presented some very important findings and recommendations regarding our church's future.

[Watch Videos & Download the Vision 2030 Plan](#)

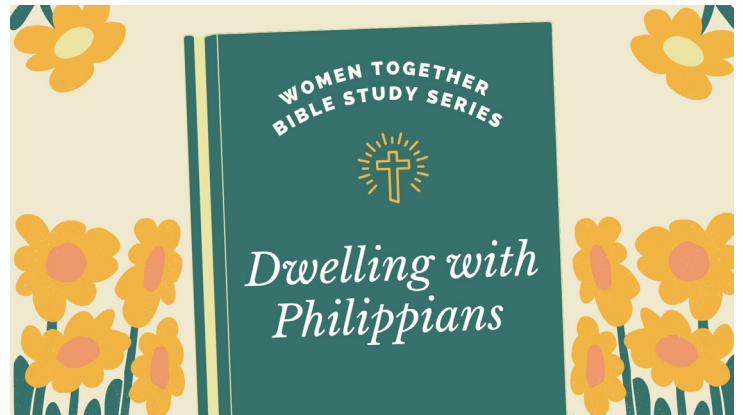


ALAMEDA COUNTY
COMMUNITY
FOOD BANK

Helping to Feed Those In Need

Accompany your fellow church members on Saturday, June 14 from 12:30-3:30pm to bag food at the Alameda County Community Food Bank.

Nearly 12% of Bay Area residents are food insecure, so this is an important opportunity to help those in need. Children as young as 10 are welcome. This is the final week to sign up using [using this link](#), after Sunday worship or by contacting Janet Peterson at janetp201@gmail.com



Women Together Sunday Study

Women Together will host a four-part summer study, Dwelling with Philippians, a Bible study exploring the book of Philippians on four consecutive Sundays; July 6, 13, 20 and 27, 11:15am - 12:15pm in the Kettlewell Room

During this 4-part series, we will explore how Philippians- one of Paul's epistles – provides deep theological reflection along with practical suggestions for living a full and joyful life with Christ.

We will use various resources to guide and deepen our experience of this beautiful letter in fresh ways.

Contact Nancy Walters at nancygw@mac.com

REGISTER





You're invited to an al fresco make-your-own pizza night in the Courtyard. We'll gather on Saturday, July 12, from 5:30-8:30pm for grilled pizzas, salad, wine and dessert. Cost for dinner is \$20 for adults and \$10 for kids under 18 (\$25 and \$15, respectively, at the door). Bring family, friends and neighbors for a fun night of fellowship. Click the registration link or sign up in the Courtyard after worship by July 6.

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New Babies Celebrated with Rose

We would love to share your joyous news of a new baby in your family. This child might be a son or daughter, grandchild or great grandchild. As part of your church family, we offer the opportunity to celebrate with you by putting a rose on the Chancel while including the child's name and family members in the bulletin within two weeks of the child's arrival.

Contact Sue Coffin at pinebox4@mac.com or (510) 654-0152, (510) 913-1140 (cell)



Dessert and Conversations

Women of our church community are welcome to this festive and fun recap of our March Women's Retreat on the Mary and Martha story in Luke's gospel, organized by Women Together.

Meet Thursday, June 12, 7-8pm in the Clara Barton Room.

Even if you were unable to attend the retreat, please come anyway.

Bring your retreat journal (or not), and enjoy some gelato with others in the spirit.

RSVP on Church Center App or email suzie@hsdesigneb.com



Women Together Pickleball Invite

Pickleball Fellowship is excited to invite our Women Together Group to a special event on Saturday, June 21, 2-4pm - a chance to learn about the Gentle Pickleball group.

We have been meeting on Saturday afternoons in the gym upstairs in the C.E. Building and we would love more participants. If you've always wanted to try out this fun activity, we would love to have you meet with us. Contact Suzanne Latham at suzlatham3@gmail.com

Children Rising Service Opportunity

Summer Literacy Elves needed for 3-hour workshops in July to help check, clean, organize and re-set the literacy materials used by Children Rising's Succeeding by Reading tutors to build reading skills with new readers in the upcoming school year. Volunteers aged 12 and older welcomed.



Workshop is at the Children Rising Office, 2633 Telegraph Avenue #412, Oakland.

Workshop dates are Tuesday, July 15, Thursday, July 17, Tuesday, July 22 and Thursday, July 24, all from 10am - 1pm.

Healthy and delicious snacks will be provided for our hard-working elf teams.

More information and registration to come. Contact Cathy Davis at cdavis2me@yahoo.com

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Dinner & Dance

Country Western Night of Fun

You're invited to a Country Western Dinner and Dance on Saturday, July 26 at the Richmond Galileo Club (371 South 23rd St., Galileo Club Way, Richmond).

Enjoy BBQ New York steak, salad, corn, Texas baked beans, roll, wine and dessert. Dance to the live music of Van and Movers before and after dinner. 'Snake Bit Saloon' opens at 5:15pm. Dinner at 6:30pm. Western Attire Optional.

Cost is \$40 per person prepaid with cash, check or credit card. Wayne Guidici will take registrations on July 13 and 20 in the Courtyard after worship. To register sooner or to ask questions, email Wayne at fdsternwheeler@yahoo.com



Paul Schroeder prepares the new Meditation Garden for additional work needed to complete the project.

Meditation Garden Update

If you rarely visit the north/west side of our church property, you will want to now. The new Meditation Garden is taking shape and is not only the Gold Project for Girl Scouts of our own Sonja TenGrotenhuis, but will also be dedicated to the memory of longtime church member, Bob Wright.

Additional work will be going on in the next several weeks to haul stones and gravel, complete the labyrinth, prep soil, and plant. If you would like to volunteer, contact Suzie Skugstad at suzie@hsdesigneb.com

Lending Library, Spiritual Growth

Our church lending library is full of spiritual food for the soul and we're excited to share them all with our community. Our only request is that books be returned. Even if you've had a book for many months or even years, we'd love them back...no questions asked.



Books will have a "Return to Piedmont Church" on the inside cover. Contact Suzie Skugstad suzie@hsdesigneb.com to donate.

Online Bible Study

Note: Bible Study will not meet on Monday, June 18 and we'll take a summer break after our last meeting on June 30.

Mondays at 10am, Don Ashburn leads an online study. The focus will be on the Book of Revelation.



To participate fully, no previous experience in Bible study is expected or required. Just come with an open heart and mind and see where the Spirit leads you.

The Zoom link is:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83211177073>



Watch Steve Main's 'The Image'

Downtown Voices and NOVUS present an evening of powerful, thought-provoking music with the world premiere of Stephen Main's *The Image* and Jessie Montgomery's *Divided*.

Composed for solo cello and orchestra, *Divided* captures the emotional turmoil of a world grappling with racial injustice, poverty, and climate change. Expanding on the theme of individual dignity, *The Image* reflects on humanity's struggle for liberty and justice across history, warning of the fragility of these ideals in the face of rising authoritarianism.

WATCH



Keep Up with the Kids

Our NextGen ministry is very active, with lots of events throughout the month. Visit the NextGen web page at PiedmontChurch.org/nextgen



Piedmont Community Church Theater Group

You are invited to suggest any theater event you might like to attend. We are a very casual group. If you'd like to be personally notified of upcoming shows, please go to our Church Center app for Theater Group and add your name, or contact Linda McClain at lindamcclain@me.com or Judy Wright at rbwright1@me.com

June 15 & 22, 2pm
Contra Costa Civic Theater
951 Pomona Avenue, El Cerrito
Fiddler on the Roof

Thursday, June 19, 8pm
Woodminster Amphitheater
Joaquin Miller Park (picnic before)
3540 Sanborn Dr, Oakland
Anastasia

June 29, 2pm
Altarena Playhouse
1409 High St, Alameda
Suddenly Last Summer

July 17, 8pm
Woodminster Amphitheater
Hello Dolly

August 14, 8pm
Woodminster Amphitheater
In the Heights



Chancel Flower Donations

The Altar Guild has just updated the flower donation process. You can donate through the Church Center app, via the church website or by scanning a QR code here.

Presently, we are inviting donations through September. Contact Julie McDonald at julieemcdonald@yahoo.com

SIGN UP



'Breathe' Takes a Breather

Let's Breathe timekeepers are taking the summertime off to find a tree and breathe quietly on their own.



We encourage everyone to find your happy place, stretch your body and take time to renew your spirit. See you in the fall.



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with Dr. Steve Schibsted

10AM SUNDAY

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Sunday, June 8 Media

It was Communion Sunday. Steve Schibsted preached 'Against All Odds'. Don Ashburn led us in worship. Music by guest musician John Wilson and tenor Michael Avis.

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Our Channel This Week

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