From Contributing Editor - Myrtle Kaneshiro

"In all things, God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose". Romans 8:28 This verse was part of my Upper room readings and refers to a new purpose in our lives. At Good Samaritan Church, we will be exploring new purposes in how we reach out to people to learn about our faith in Jesus Christ. We will begin with a new program for young children who will have a time in the parish hall learning about Christ, having a small snack and then returning to the church to be with their parents for communion. We now have 3 people ready and willing to carry out this purpose. Something else is also brewing and you need to read on. God bless everyone for keeping the faith.





Our Fall Rummage
Sale is set for Saturday,
October 19 from 8am
to 12 pm. We will need
help to man some areas
and especially help
with set up the week
prior to the Fair. If you
can give at least 2
hours of your time on
that day, it would really
help! Let Ben & Deb
know if you can give us
a hand!



Mark your calendars

Bishop's Committee Highlights:

- 1) Decided to build up the building fund by adding 2% of our monthly income towards it.
- 2) Ben Trusnovec will be on vacation during November and Sumi Mizushima will be his replacement. Thank you Sumi!
- 3) Good Samaritan Church Fair is set for Oct. 19, 2019. Save your rummage and other goodies. Set up will be M-F before. We will need everyone's help, especially in the set up of the rummage. No chairperson yet. Anyone? Update: Ben Trusnovec will be the chairperson. Thank you Ben!
- 4) A NEW IDEA: Bishops' committee members suggested showing Bishop Curry's sermons at least once a month where we would have morning prayer. We would let people know about it on Craigslist. Many people know us through Craigslist and we may get some interested people. We would like feedback on this. Please let the members know at church or email with any comments.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

We have 2 people that have volunteered for our children's corner but we need more! This is for parents to drop off their kid(s) before the service until it's time for communion. We need 2 consistent volunteers to be there each Sundays. Would you be willing to sign up to take a Sunday every month starting in October? We need you from 8:45am to 9:30am. Let us know!

September 15—Bishop's Committee Meeting after refreshments

September 26—IHS 9am—12pm, St. Mary's

October 19—Fall Rummage Sale 8am-12pm

October 20—Bishop's Committee Meeting after refreshments

October 24—IHS 9am—12pm, St. Mary's

Every Thursday—Tri-church Bible Study at St. Luke's Church—10:00 am to 11:30 am (Led by Michael Kim of St. Luke's)

Last Thursday of every month—IHS at St. Mary's, 9:00-12:00. Any help is welcome—stay for a few minutes and observe the difference this program is making in our community! Upcoming dates: October 26th and November 30th.



KUPUNA MINISTRY:

Please let Janice know of any ideas you may have or share for the Kupuna Ministry.



T-SHIRTS FOR SALE!

A few more Good Samaritan t-shirts remaining....\$7 - contact Jan. Always good to use it during church activities like the upcoming rummage sale!



Calendar for September 2019

Ministries

	Sept 1	Sept 8	Sept 15	Sept 22	Sept 29
Supply Clergy	Rev. Kate Cullinane	Rev. Malcolm Hee	Rev. Kate Cullinane	Rev. Philip Paradine	Rev. Alex Geston
Altar Guild	Jessica Lum	Pat Lum	Jan Motoshige	Taylor Omuro	Chris Omuro
Lector	Betsy Hata	Gavin Nishihira	Paul Kaneshiro	Melissa Morin- ishi	Ariel Lee
Alms	Youth	Youth	Pat	Youth	Youth
Eucharistic Minister	Deb	Chris	Faye	Deb	Chris
Counters	Les/Myrtle	Chris/Pat	Jessica/ Melissa	Les/Myrtle	Chris/Pat
Flowers	Lum	Say	Jan Motoshige	Lori-Darin's bday	Church
Watering	Су	Су	Су	Су	Су
Refreshments	Nishihira	Say	Jan Motoshige	Lori– Darin's bday	Church



Susan Mitchell-3

Rania Hee-5

Sumie Mizushima—11

Trenton Omuro—11

Jan Motoshige −15



Scott Shimabukuro—15

Alice Chinen—16

Reyn Hata—17

Marcus Lum-17

Myrtle Kaneshiro −1 8

Darin Chun—21

Elva Mori-30

Calendar for October 2019

Ministries

	Oct 6	Oct 13	Oct 20	Oct 27
Supply Clergy	Rev. Philip Paradine	TBA	Rev. Alex Geston	Rev. Alex Geston
Altar Guild	Melissa Morinishi	Deb Nishihira	Betsy Hata	Myrtle Kaneshiro
Lector	Russell Nishimoto	Betsy Hata	Gavin Nishihira	Paul Kaneshiro
Alms	Youth	Youth	Pat	Youth
Eucharistic Minister	Faye	Deb	Chris	Faye
Counters	Jessica/Melissa	Les/Myrtle	Chris/Pat	Jessica/Melissa
Flowers	Lori—Helen & Lori's bdays	Hee Wedding Anniversary	Church	Church
Watering	Су	Су	Су	Су
Refreshments	Nishihira	TBA	TBA	Hee—Malcolm's bday



Helen Ezaki-5

Faye Hee—5

Mallory Hee-5

Lori Chun—6



Audrey Chinen-6

Bianca Mitchell—12

Ron Komata—14

Lori Kiyuna—18

Audrey Case—28

Malcolm Hee-31

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The Rt. Rev. Robert L. Fitzpatrick, Bishop of Hawaii **Sept/Oct 2019** Debbie Nishihira, Sr. Warden Les Hata, Jr. Warden

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