

Youth 8th-12th Grade ⇒ Apr. 12 4pm-5:30pm (May dates TBA.) "Going Deeper in Faith & Christian Service"	Living With God ⇒ Apr. 13 7pm in the Blue Room.
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This Week: Apr. 12—19

Wed., 10:30, **Theology Book Group**, Sanctuary
Thu., 5 pm, **Food Pantry**, Foyer
Fri., 10:30, **Meditation**, Sanctuary
Sat., 5 pm, **Overnight Guests**, Parish Hall

Acolytes Needed

St. Philip's is looking for acolytes to participate *occasionally* or to **commit to a Sunday per month**. We are happy to train new acolytes, and welcome all the acolytes who have served before. For right now we need two acolytes for the April 19th service and one for the April 26th service. When responding please let us know if your service is for the specific day only or if you would like to continue to serve regularly. Please contact Victoria Dobson at vsdobson@gmail.com or [831-609-6173](tel:831-609-6173) with commitments or questions.

A Gift to You & to Those You Love
How To Complete an Advance Healthcare Directive
Date: Sunday, **April 12, 2015**
Times: following the 8 & 10 am services

Visit the information table for the documents and advice you need to cross this important item off your to-do list! Table hosted by Hospice of Santa Cruz County. All are welcome. Bring questions!

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Retrouvaille Weekends

You can survive times of distance in your marriage. For information about the program contact us at Monterey@RetroCA.com or 831-479-1260. **Next event: May 1-3.**

Pip's Squeak

April 12 2015

Our Most Important Renewable Resource

We seem to live in an age of shortages: water, time, money, affordable housing, and more. (I'm sure you can add your own suggestions.) Simply dwelling on the scarcities can result in another shortage: peace of mind!

But my experience during St. Philip's observance of Lent has been that there is an abundant and renewable resource available to all: God's love. That love has been demonstrated in opening our facility to lodge the rotating shelter guests, in the welcoming of newcomers, the generous contributions to the Food Panty as well as in meaningful worship experiences and discussion opportunities.

No doubt we'll always have the challenge of living with limited resources. But thanks be to God we needn't fear exceeding our quota of God's love. It's not limited and it's not rationed. Perhaps that's why St. Paul concludes the 13th chapter of his first letter to the Corinthians by calling love the greatest of all resources.

The Stewardship Team

Save the Date: Saturday, May 9th
St. Philip's Garden Tour & English Tea



The time is now to start planning our much anticipated Garden Tour on Saturday May 9th, 2015. We have many people in our community that look forward to this event. It is a beautiful day filled with flowers and good food. It also takes a lot of preparation to pull it off. If we all chip in a little we can make it work. Please sign up for any of the volunteer jobs that pique your interest. If you have not received the e-mail to sign up for a volunteer spot, please contact Victoria Dobson at vsdobson@gmail.com to see how you can help!

To sign up online, go to
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