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Religious Services

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#### Wednesday, June 4, 2014



ART

"Virtuosity Goes Viral" at the Lafayette Art Gallery where artists have filled walls, display cases, and pedestals with more than 150 works of the first order, including paintings, jewelry, glasswork, ceramics, photographs, and more. "Second Fridays" will also continue through the month of June. Come between 5:30 and 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 13 to meet the artists, have a glass wine, and enjoy good conversation with art aficionados like yourself. For info, call (925) 284-2788 or visit www.lafayetteartgallery.com.

Jennifer Perlmutter Gallery presents "Belonging," an exhibit featuring the work of Laura VanDuren and Carol Aust. Through sculpture and paintings, the show explores identity, home and our relation to it. "Belonging" will be on exhibit June 7 through July 19, with an opening reception held from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday, June 7. There will also be an artist talk at 7 p.m. June 21. The exhibit will be open to the public Monday-Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., and by appointment, at Jennifer Perlmutter Gallery, 3620 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette. For more information, contact Jennifer Perlmutter at (925) 284-1485 or jp@jenniferperlmuttergallery.com.

The Moraga Art Gallery announces a new show entitled "Luminous - Nature Revealed and Reimagined" highlighting the often fleeting, yet immortalized, beauty of the natural world through floral photographs by resident artist Lucy Beck, and fruit and vegetable bowls and jewelry by guest artist Margaret Dorfman. The show opens June 4 and will run through Aug. 9. There will be an opening reception to see the exhibit and meet the gallery's artists from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday, June 7. Free.

The City of Lafayette Public Art Committee invites the public to attend a welcome reception for its newest art exhibit "Adventures in Wildlife and Glass" featuring two local artists from Lafayette - Dwight Yassany and Janice Peacock. The reception will be held at the Lafayette Library and Learning Center, Library Gallery, from 6 to 7 p.m. Monday, June 9. The exhibit will run from June 9 until Aug. 11. The library gallery is open every Monday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. and during public events in the Community Hall.

Wednesday Morning Jam Ses-Campolindo Big Band and The Acalanes Jazz Ensemble. General admission is \$10 per person, reserved seating \$15, elementary students \$5 and children under 6 are free. If that's not enough, Los Primos Taco Truck will be selling scrumptious food from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Dessert, coffee and purchase all evening. And to top give away fabulous gift baskets!

take place Friday nights in June World War One Historical Assoat Lafayette's Plaza Park at the ciation. The lecture, with power corner of Mt. Diablo Boulevard and Moraga Road. The headliners start at 6:30 p.m. and are pre- Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian sented free of charge. Arrive a little early for a good spot on the at 1 p.m. in Fellowship Hall, 49 lawn. This year's line up: June 6 Azure Moon; June 13 The Floorshakers; June 20 The Big Jangle; and June 27 Lamorinda Idol Finalists.

Join your neighbors on Thursday evenings at the Moraga Commons Park for a relaxing free concert in the park. Bring your picnic blanket or lawn chairs to the grassy hillside in front of the band shell. Enjoy the music while your children enjoy the park. The volunteers of the Moraga Park and Recreation Foundation will even cook dinner for you with the Snack Bar opening at 6 p.m. Concerts start at 6:30 p.m. and end at 8:30 p.m. June schedule: June 19 Mixed Nuts - Rock & roll; June 26 Zebop! - Latin Rock.

Sit back and unwind at the free summer concerts on Tuesday nights, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Orinda Community Center Park, 28 Orinda Way. June concerts: June 10 Hey Jude, '60s and '70s Rock; June 17 Brian Moran Jazz Trio, Classic Jazz; June 24 Extended Roots.

#### THEATER

**Diablo Ballet's Annual Dance** on Film series will screen "Oklahoma" (1955), the Academy Come See the Campolindo Sen-Award winning Rodgers and ior Memory Boards, which will Hammerstein musical starring be displayed in the CPAC from Shirley Jones and Gordon 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. June 10-12 MacRae at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, and from 7 to 8 p.m. June 10-11. June 5 at the Community Hall of It is a special time to see the 2014 the Lafayette Library and Learning Center. Enjoy a pre-screening fun facts discussion by Diablo Ballet Artistic Director Lauren Jonas. Cost: \$5. At 6:30 p.m. Thursday, July 10, the film will be the Oscar-nominated musical "Funny Face" (1957), with songs by George and Ira Gershwin, starring Audrey Hepburn and Fred Astaire.

fabulous lineup featuring: the was proclaimed by the New York Times to have, in its world presion, The Stanley Crusaders, The miere, "changed American the-Stanley Jazz Messengers, The ater forever." For info, visit www.calshakes.org.

#### **LECTURE & LITERATURE**

On June 6, the 70th anniversary of D Day, the topic for First Friday Forum will be "World War One, the Versailles Treaty and Why Germany Lost World War beverages will be available for II," presented by Dana Lombardy who has appeared as an on-camit off, drawings will be held to era expert in more than 20 historical television documentaries and has recently published "World The 'Rock the Plaza' series will War One Illustrated" for the point illustrations, will be held at 1:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary of Church with refreshments served Knox Drive, Lafayette. For info, call (925) 283-8722.

> LLLCF Distinguished Speaker Series presents Kelly Corrigan and Katie Hafner, in conversation on the topic of mothers and daughters at 5 p.m. Sunday, June 8 at the Lafayette Library and Learning Center. Author Kelly Corrigan is a New York Times bestselling author whose explorations of family life and parenthood have brought her to the forefront of the pack of new American writers. San Francisco based author Katie Hafner writes about the deeply binding relationship between mothers and daughters in her remarkable memoir "Mother Daughter Me." Cost: \$25. For info, visit www.lafayettelib.org.

Dirty Deeds, Done Dirt Cheap - a slide lecture by Joe Bologna about everything you could think to ask-and then some-about the life and work of a metal sculptor at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 19 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, Lafayette. For event info, contact Donna Arganbright, (925) 788-0549.

#### **KIDS, PARENTS & TEENS**

graduates share their memories with their friends and family. Also write a note to be put in their mailbox at Grad Night!



Worship the Lord! Sundays, 9 & 10:30am

St Stephen's Episcopal Church

66 St. Stephen's Drive, Orinda

254-3770. www.ststephensorinda.org

Sunday 8am, 10am &

5:30p.m. Casual Eucharist

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> 1689 School Street, Moraga (925)376-3550 www.willowspringchurch.net

#### Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church 433 Moraga Way, Orinda, 254-3422 www.holyshepherd.org



SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE 9:30 a.m. Worship Service Coffee Fellowship at 10:30 a.m. Childcare available for ages 5 and younger



The Orinda

# **Community Church**

An Open and Affirming Congregation of the United Church of Christ

10 Irwin Way, Orinda | 925.254.4906 | www.orindachurch.org

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#### Join us Sundays at 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m

#### St. Anselm's Episcopal Church A Loving Community

## Sunday Services: 8 and 10 AM

In-church Youth Zone, 10 AM Nursery Childcare 682 Michael Lane, Lafayette, 284-7420, www.stanselms.ws

# Lafayette United Methodist Church

955 Moraga Rd., Lafayette, 284-4765, office@thelumc.org Worship Children/Youth Sunday School Youth Fellowship

10 am Sunday Sunday 10 am Sunday 6 pm



Sunday Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 AM, with programs for 3-mos.-12th grade.

Seedlings Preschool, M-F.

**Something for Everyone**, speakers, small groups, classes, youth groups, mission trips, more!

## LAFAYETTE-ORINDA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH See more at LOPC.org

# ORINDA CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

24 Orinda Way (next to the Library) - 254-4212

Sunday Service and Sunday School 10 - 11 am 7:30 - 8:30 pm Informal Wednesday Meeting Reading Room/Bookstore M - F 11 - 4; Sat 11 - 2

www.christianscienceorinda.org

Dale Chihuly: The Venetians. An exhibition of 72 works from Chihuly's Stunning Glass Venetians at the Saint Mary's College Museum of Art runs through July 20 from the George R. Stroemple Collection, A Stroemple/Stirek Collaboration. Three more new exhibitions include: Michael Collopy Face to Face: Movers and Shakers, Armistead Gallery; All Natural: Work by Pamela Blotner and Sam Perry, Studio Gallery; Keith's The Big Paintings, William Keith Gallery. Museum hours are Wednesday through Sunday, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Admission: Adults \$5; members and K-12 graders free (parking free). For info, call (925) 631-4379 or visit stmarys-ca.edu/museum.

## **MUSIC**

Lafayette's Annual Jazz Café will be held at 6 p.m. Friday, June 6 in the Stanley Middle School Auditorium. There is a

Wagner Ranch Elementary School proudly presents its annual spring musical, "Oliver!" Friday and Saturday, June 6-7. Show times are 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Friday and 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Saturday. Tickets can be purchased at the door or online at www.showTix4u.com: \$12 reserved, \$10 general seating.

California Shakespeare Theater presents "Raisins in the Sun," which runs through June 15. "Raisins in the Sun" is the saga of the Younger family of 1950s Chicago, and the inheritance check that threw into question everything they knew. This American classic about a dream deferred was the first play written by an African American woman to be produced on Broadway, and

### **OTHER**

Campolindo Junior Sam Larson is collecting new and gently used toys, sports and rec equipment, backpacks, athletic apparel, outerwear, accessories, jewelry, and shoes for underprivileged kids preschool to age 18. These items will be given away at a "New to You" event held in September in San Pablo. Collection starts now and continues through August. Drop your items at 243 Paseo del Rio, Moraga, or call (925) 284-8142 for pickup. Email californiasam22@gmail.com for info.

Come thank Toni McShane, retiring vice principal of Stanley Middle School, for her 41 years of service in education from 4:30 to 7 p.m. on June 5 in the Outdoor Courtyard of the Lafayette Library and Learning Center. Reception and refreshments.

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