

ST. ANDREW'S SIGNPOST

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VESTRY NOTES

There was no vestry meeting in February. The next meeting date is Thursday, March 11

Parish members invited to meet priest candidates

Members of our congregation met with three candidates for a shared ministry position between St. Andrew's and St. Luke's in Wenatchee this month. Two of the candidates were a married couple who interviewed in Wenatchee and then visited St. Andrew's on the afternoon of February 13. Hannah and Elbert attended the interview and then brought Reverends Patty and Doug Hale to Chelan where they toured the church and visited with ten church members in our Parish Hall.

The Rev. Hales asked questions about the needs of our congregation and what we would like to see happen in the future. They look forward to working with congregations of both churches to work out a schedule. They are both now serving in Hansen, Massachusetts. But they have experience as missionaries for several small churches in Eastern Oregon where Fr. Doug was also a hospice chaplain in LaGrande. Both were born in Portland, Oregon and have family in the Portland and Seattle areas.

Rev. Douglas Cockbill was interviewed in Wenatchee on Friday, February 19. He was able to visit Chelan and meet with seven of us over lunch at Campbell's after the interview which was attended by the Hubbards, Janice Hartl, and Pat Laporte. Rev. Cockbill is currently living in Chicago and exploring various opportunities for parish ministry. He has been a Vicar at St. Andrew's in Harrow, England. He is very direct and has a sharp sense of humor. He envisions Sunday services with contemporary music and feels prayer groups are effective. He is particularly interested in reaching out to the unchurched and is agreeable about doing home visits.

In early December Jean Haskell and Linda Mayer participated in an interview at St. Lukes' with Rev. Dr. Yesu Duraikannu who is currently a priest in Salida, Colorado. After the interview in Wenatchee, Rev. Yesu accompanied Linda and Jean to Chelan and toured St. Andrew's with them. Later he met vestry members over a potluck dinner at the Mayer's home. Born and educated in India, Rev. Yesu was raised in a Christian household and later attended seminary in the United States. His wife is also Indian and is

Calendar for March 2010

March 5 - First Friday 5:30 PM – 8PM downtown

March 7 - Holy Eucharist 10 AM The Rev. Paton Boyle

March 11 –Thursday Vestry Meeting 4 PM

March 14 – Holy Eucharist 10 AM The Rev. Marilyn Wilder

March 21 – Holy Eucharist 10 AM The Rev. Paton Boyle

March 28 – Morning Prayer 10 AM

Yoga - Mondays from 7:30 – 9AM Parish Hall

AA Men – Tuesdays 7 PM Parish Hall

AA Women – Thursdays 12 Noon Parish Hall

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