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October Music Newsletter

Dear Parishioners,

The choir has gotten BIG. I believe I have 23 singers on the roster at this point. Having a dramatically bigger choir is a blessing, and it changes the dynamic of the group in some interesting ways. For example, more singers means we have a rounder, more blended sound. It enables us to present music that has more parts (8-part writing, for example). It also presents a challenge of unity – with more singers, we have to work harder to blend vowels, keep consonants crisp, and clarify rhythms. Exciting, eh?

If you're interested in participating in music at Good Sam, you can email me:

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Music Lesson: Q: How do you know when the tenors have the fifth?

A: When the basses brought the tonic.

Best,

James Moursund, Director of Music