

◆ Jim comes to us from San Clemente Presbyterian in San Clemente, California where he has served for the past nine years. He was Associate Pastor of Family and Discipleship Ministries for seven years and is currently completing his position as Pastor of Congregational Engagement & Outreach.

◆ Jim has served as acting Head of Staff and has provided consulting services to churches and to the Association of Presbyterian Christian Educators on issues relating to family ministry. Jim speaks and teaches at conferences on spiritual formation, family ministry, church staffing and leadership development.

◆ Jim has his undergraduate degree from Biola University in Cultural Anthropology and earned his Master of Divinity degree from Fuller Theological Seminary. He will complete his Doctor of Ministry in 2010 from Fuller with his doctoral thesis, "Discovering Missional Practices in the Local Church".

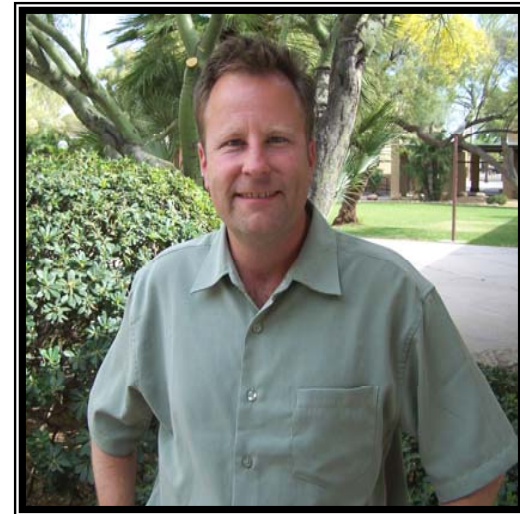


Faith in Action Day at San Clemente Presbyterian.

*"I believe we serve the church with uncommon generosity and we impact the world by demonstrating the kingdom of God and inviting others to join it."*

St. Andrew's Welcomes...

## Reverend Jim Toole and family



Rev. Jim Toole:

- ◆ is a practical theologian with a passion for preaching and making the Gospel relevant to today's needs.
- ◆ has a deep love for the Lord Jesus Christ and is grounded in listening prayer.
- ◆ is known for his healing persona and his gift of connecting individuals to create strategy, vision, and direction for the future.
- ◆ has a passion for the renewal of people, leaders and organizations that find themselves in transition.
- ◆ is a prayerful visionary with an intuitive, sensitive, collegial leadership style infused with humor and warmth.





The Toole family— Conor, Jake, Pati, and Jim

The Toole family bonds around nature activities and creating stories to share with each other. They enjoy traveling, hiking, swimming, and visiting zoos and nature centers.



Rev. Pati Toole and Jim have been married for 18 years. Pati's hobbies include reading, writing, hiking, and exercise.



*"We are excited about moving to Tucson for the church, community, wildlife, sunsets, mountain biking, star gazing, camping and exploring more of the west that we have not seen."*

*Jake loves animals, swimming, science and zoos. Conor loves soccer, cycling and math. Playing with their dog, cuddles, and spending time in nature are family favorites, too!*



Conor, age 7 & Jake, age 10



Jim's hobbies include surfing, fishing, hiking, reading, and now mountain biking. (Perhaps there are a few fish-tales to tell, too!)