



**ORDER OF WORSHIP – 1 MAY 2011 – 8:30 AM SERVICE
2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

We encourage you to join us in our worship as a people who love the Lord. Please ask an usher about the hearing devices.

† DENOTES STANDING IF YOU ARE ABLE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAISE *I Saw The Light*

† SCRIPTURE READING I PETER 1: 3–9 PASTOR DAVID

† OPENING PRAYER PASTOR DAVID

PRAISE
*Thy Word
Are You Washed In The Blood
Lord, I Lift Your Name On High
Bind Us Together*

** CHILDREN ARE DISMISSED WITH THEIR TEACHER TO SUNDAY SCHOOL - ROOM 211 **

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING

OFFERTORY *Just A Closer Walk With Thee*

PRAYER OF ADORATION CONNIE CLARK

SHARING GOD'S LOVE IN GREETING ONE ANOTHER

JOYS & CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING PASTOR DAVID

PASTORAL PRAYER
SCRIPTURE READING JOHN 20: 19–23 MIKE HERBER

SERMON *What We Can Learn About Life From Thomas?*
PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESON

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE 1 CORINTHIANS 11: 23 - 26 PASTOR DAVID
COMMUNION SONG *El Shaddai*

† BENEDICTION SONG *The Lord Bless Thee* PASTOR DAVID
† RECESSIONAL *Rounded Up In Glory*

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In The News

Welcome to Worship!

Choir Cluster Festival

TODAY - 4 PM at UMC of Atascadero

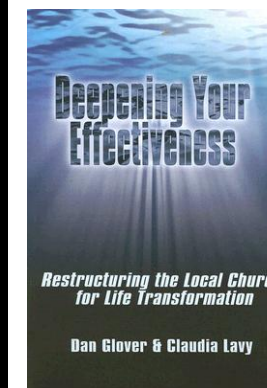
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ORDER OF SERVICE

10:30 AM SERVICE FOR 1 MAY 2011 – SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Welcome - We are glad that you are here! Large print bulletins and hearing devices are available.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Come, Holy Ghost, Our Hearts Inspire*
L. SMITH, *COMPOSER*

CHORAL INTROIT *Shout For Joy to the Lord* CHANCEL CHOIR

† **OPENING PRAYER**

† **HYMN No. 327** *Crown Him With Many Crowns*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

* ALL ELEMENTARY AND PRESCHOOL AGE KIDS ARE INVITED TO COME FORWARD TO HEAR THE LESSON. THEY THEN WILL BE DISMISSED WITH THEIR TEACHERS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL *

EASTER PRAYER

PASTOR: Let us join together in this prayer:

ALL: **Lord, you ministered to the doubts of Thomas. Minister in worship to our doubts. As doubts led Thomas to search for you, use our doubts to keep us as searchers for the Truth and the Way. Help us to develop a sense of sight for the realm of faith, until with new insight we can affirm your reality and presence in the world.**

Enable us to so ponder the ultimate questions of life and death that we will become aware of the unseen forces at work in us and in others.

But Lord, may there always be sufficient doubt in us to keep us seeking after faith. Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Let the Redeemed Say So* CHANCEL CHOIR
TRIO - B.G. PERRIGUEY, DON GUGELER & BARBARA REINEKE.

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERTORY *Take The Name of Jesus With You*
E. BROUGHTON, *COMPOSER*

+DOXOLOGY
Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise, Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING JOHN 20:19-23 IN UNISON

¹⁹So when it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and when the doors were shut where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." ²⁰And when He had said this, He showed them both His hands and His side The disciples then rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹So Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you; as the Father has sent Me, I also send you." ²²And when He had said this, He breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of any, their sins have been forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they have been retained."

PASTOR: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *What Can We Learn About Life From Thomas?*
PASTOR DAVID BURGESON

HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING - HYMNAL PAGES 13-15

LORD'S PRAYER

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

† **HYMN No. 159** *Lift High The Cross*

† **BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE**

POSTLUDE *He Leadeth Me*
D. PAXTON, *ARRANGEMENT*

Church Office Hours: Monday – Friday from 9 AM to 1 PM (805) 481-2692
Pastor is out of the office on Mondays.

What's Happening at UMC of AG

- **Children's Sunday School**
During the **8:30 AM** and **10:30 AM** services upstairs in **room 211**
- **Sunday Meeting for the Junior High & High School**
During the **10:30 AM** services upstairs in **room 215 – The Youth Lounge**
- **Women of Prayer**
Mondays at **7 PM (S)** – Open to women of all denominations for prayer.
- **Men's Bible Study**
Mondays at **7 PM** (room 215)
- **The Sew 'n' Sews—Quilting Group**
Tuesdays at **9 AM** (MMR) – Open to all! We will teach you!
- **Senior Exercise Group**
Tuesday-Thursday at **8:30 AM** (CH)
- **Grande Ringers – Handbell Choir**
Tuesdays & Thursdays at **5 PM** (room 115) - Directed by Leonard Lutz.
- **Weekly Wednesday Dinners**
Wednesdays at **5 PM** (Criswell Hall) – contact Sarah Barber or Victoria Gandy
- **Chancel Choir**
Wednesdays at **7 PM** (S) - Directed by Julie Burns
- **Kids Night Out—All Elementary Ages Welcome!**
Wednesday evenings at **5:45 PM** (S) – Led by Victoria Gandy & Sarah Barber
- **UM Youth Group—ALL Jr. & Sr. High Welcome!**
Wednesday evenings at **7 PM** (room 215) – Led by Mike & Linda Herber
- **Intercessory Prayer Group**
Thursdays at **10 AM** (L) - All are welcome!
- **Bible Reading**
Thursdays at **5 PM** (S) – We invite all of you to join us reading God's Word!
- **AM Bible Study**
Fridays at **8:30 AM** (L) – Join us!
- **Book Club**
4th Thursday of each month at **4 PM** in the **MMR**
- **Women of Worth – Living Out Loud**
3rd Thursday of each month in the **MMR** at **6:30 PM** in the **MMR**.
- **The Lord's Crew – Praise Team**
Every other Saturday at **6:30 PM** (S) - Directed by Susan Coho.
- **United Methodist Women & United Methodist Men**
Various groups meet **monthly** –Just ask us!

Abbreviation

Legend

MMR	McMillen Room
CH	Criswell Hall
K	Kitchen
S	Sanctuary
N	Narthex
P/S	Pastor's Study
L	Library

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **UMM Workday at UM Camp in Arroyo Grande**—May 14 at 9 AM lunch provided.
- **3rd Annual Carl Kliesch Golf Tournament**—May 21 at the Monarch Dunes in Nipomo.
- **UMM host an All-Church Pancake Breakfast**—May 15 from 8:30-10 AM

UMM special dates and more visit our website, find a UMM member, or grab a Cast-A-Net.

HIGHLIGHTS



- **Trustees**—5/3 rescheduled
- **UMW Steering Committee**—5/4 at 9:30 AM (MMR) for May ONLY.
- **Blue Umbrella**—5/4 at 11 AM
- **People's Kitchen**—5/5 at 11:30 AM
- **Mother's Day**—5/8
- **Mary-Martha Circle**—5/9 at 9:30 AM (MMR)
- **Five Cities Christian Women**—5/9 at 11 AM (CH)
- **Communications** —5/10 at 10:30 AM (L)
- **Trustees**—5/10 at 7 PM (MMR) **NOTE DATE CHANGE from 5/3.**

****All-Church Coffee Hour** will be on May 29th. Please bring a goodie to share with the service you attend. Set-up and tear down volunteers needed! ~ **Thanks!**

8 May 2011

“They had first given themselves unreservedly to God and to us. The other giving simply flowed out of the purpose of God working in their lives.”

2 Corinthians 8:6b, *The Message*

Your generous gifts to NAM support:

- Native American ministries within annual conference;
- Scholarship for Native Americans attending UM schools of theology approved by the University Senate of The United Methodist Church, administered by the General Baird of Higher Education and Ministry; and
- Expansion of the number of target cities in the Native American Urban Initiative, related to the General Board of Global Ministries.

www.umcsgiving.org/NAMS

rummage Sale May 13 & 14 at 9 AM
Criswell Hall

Nancy Baughman or Jan Treat will be happy to make arrangements for drop-off/pick-up of your gently used items (no appliances). Funds raised will benefit **special projects for needy children.**

Arroyo Grande United Methodist Children's Center

Is hosting

Benefit BBQ, Book Fair, and Drawing

At the

First United Methodist Church
 275 North Halcyon Avenue, Arroyo Grande



Sunday, May 22, 2011

11:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Half-Chicken BBQ Lunch

Pre Sale Tickets - \$10.00 At the Door - \$12.00

Dine In or Take Out Available

Special Guest

The California Highway Patrol

Presents

“Drive Thru Car Seat Safety Check”

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM

For more information call 481-2223 or
 See our website: www.worshipweekly.com

*Proceeds from this event benefit the
 Arroyo Grande United Methodist Children's Center*



*We bow
our heads
in prayer*

- Those suffering after natural disasters.
 - Members & friends of our congregation who are dealing with a variety of life issues, we lift them up.
 - God will grant our nation and its leaders wisdom & discernment.
 - Our Pastors and their families we hold in continued prayer.
 - The homeless and hungry both here and around the globe.
 - We lift up the people of Japan following the recent devastation.
 - Prayers for peace & justice throughout the world.
- Prayers for Comfort and Healing for:**

- ~ Friends of Cyndee Rohla—Kathy Schepers cancer has returned; Roxanne Swanstrom has colon cancer;
 - ~ Prayers for Tierra & Colton Tomlyn's per-mature baby.
 - ~ Hiam Audi was in a car accident.
 - ~ Tom Egan needs prayers for healing and comfort.
 - ~ JoAnn Briggs will have a lung operation.
 - ~ Laura Ewick's friend Betty, needs healing from back surgery.
 - ~ Louis Hinsley in recovering from a stroke.
 - ~ Jen asks prayers for strength for Mr. Seahorst.
 - ~ Sue Ann Sanders, Peggy Gainer's friend, has throat cancer.
 - ~ Sarah Barber's long-time friend, TJ, was diagnosed with stage 4 pancreatic cancer. Prayers for comfort in treatment and complete healing as God ministers in his life.
- **Praise God for God is good! We thank God for hearing our prayers.**
- ~ Pam Campbell's mother is out of the hospital and in rehab
 - ~ Cyndee Rohla's father had a pace maker put replaced and all went well.
 - ~ Gary Atwood had surgery and may come home this week. Thanks for the prayers!

Our Covenant Missionary: Krista Givens in Germany

Missionaries in the Field: John Elmore in Chile, Muriel and Terry Hendersons in Mexico, Julie and David Elmore in Alaska, Lorene and David Persons in the Congo.

Remember in prayer: Our missionaries serving God around the world; the leaders of our country; leaders and the people of other nations. Continue to lift up those in the military and their families. **Continue to pray for:** Our church family & friends, the UM youth, Wil Ogden, Jennifer Gandy and family, the Caweltis, LeAnna Gainer, Linda Archibald, the Hammonds, Esther Miller, Bill Paulson, Yvonne Holt, Sean Lehman, Ruby Weddell, Fenton McClure, Kent Brown, Roy Lewis, the Bucktons, Bob Walrath, Bodie Bennett & family, Glen & Eleanor Hughes, the Williamson family, Gail Seastrom, Donna Truman, Jean Coho, Sheila Owine, Todd Everett, Gordon Bennett, Judy Dunn and Dave Anderson.

Family in Care Facilities: Bob Atwood, Bob Woods, Mary Patterson, Inez Kenneaster, Wayne Frisby, Bob Serby, and Mary Johnson. **Shut-In members:** Doris Rice, the Houldings, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, Hershel Whitefield, Carmonde & CJ Cochran.

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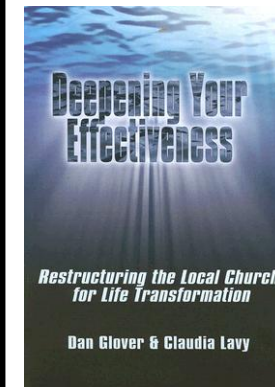
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