



8:30 AM SERVICE FOR 24 JULY 2011

Welcome - We are glad that you are here! .

Hearing devices are available -- Ask about Children's Sundays School and our Nursery.

Welcome

Pastor David

Opening Praise "Come, Now Is The Time To Worship!"

Scripture Reading Joel 2:21-26 Pastor David

21 Do not fear, O land, rejoice and be glad, For the LORD has done great things.

22 Do not fear, beasts of the field, For the pastures of the wilderness have turned green,

For the tree has borne its fruit, The fig tree and the vine have yielded in full.

23 So rejoice, O sons of Zion, And be glad in the LORD your God;

For He has given you the early rain for *your* vindication.

And He has poured down for you the rain, The early and latter rain as before.

24 The threshing floors will be full of grain, And the vats will overflow with the new wine and oil.

25 "Then I will restore to you the years that the swarming locust has eaten, The creeping locust, the stripping locust and the gnawing locust, My great army which I sent among you.

26 "You will have plenty to eat and be satisfied And praise the name of the LORD your God, Who has dealt wondrously with you; Then My people will never be put to shame.

Opening Prayer

Pastor David

Praise:

"All Who Are Thirsty"

"All The Heavens"

"The Nails In Your Hands"

**(Children are dismissed to their Sunday School Class)*

We Worship In Giving Offertory "How I Love You Lord"

Prayer of Adoration

Susan Coho

Sharing God's Peace (greeting one another)

Joys & Concerns - Pastoral Prayer

Pastor David

Scripture Reading John 16:5-16

Mike Herber

Sermon FACING CHANGE__

Pastor David

Communion Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 11:12-31 In Unison

Communion Song "As The Deer"

Benediction Song "The Lord Bless Thee" Pastor David

Recessional "Front Seat, Back Seat"

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.

Abbreviation

Legend

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

- **United Methodist Women & United Methodist Men**
Various groups meet **monthly** –Just ask us!

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WELCOME WITH NEWS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE *Lydian Prelude* F.PEETERS, *COMPOSER*

OPENING PRAYER

***HYMN No. 347** *Spirit Song*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER OF CONFESSION **#893**

SPECIAL MUSIC *"Amazing Grace: My Chains Are Gone"*
Heidi Carpentier and Julie Burns

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERTORY *Invention* F.PEETERS, *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*

SCRIPTURE READING JOHN 16:5-16 TOM EGAN

LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON FACING CHANGE
David Burgeson

† **HYMN No. 500** Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Cortege* F.PEETERS, *COMPOSER*



Bring a friend!
Join us on Wednesdays
at 7 PM in our youth
lounge (215) with Mike
& Linda Herber.

**STUDY
GROUP**



Men's Bible Study
All men are invited to
meet with us Mondays
at 7 PM in room 215.

Morning Bible Study
Join us on Fridays at
8:30 AM in the Library.

Women's Bible Study
All ladies are invited to
meet at 9:30 AM in room
215 Sunday mornings.



Intercessory Prayer
Thursday mornings at
10 AM in the library.

All are welcome!

Women of Prayer
Join us Mondays in the
Sanctuary at 7 PM.



Debtor's Anonymous
Mondays at 6 PM- MMR
Al-Anon & Ala-Teen
Mondays at 7:30 PM in
the MMR and 211.

Alzheimer's Care-Giver
1st Wednesday of each
month at 1 PM (MMR).



(CH) Criswell Hall
(S) Sanctuary
(N) Narthex
(L) Library
(K) Kitchen
(PS) Pastor's Study
(MMR) McMillen Room

The Bulletin Board

SUNDAY—11/30

"Coffee Hour" ~ Finance Committee

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship
10:30 AM Traditional Worship
3:00 PM Jammin' 4 Jesus (CH)

MONDAY — 12/1

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study (215)
Women of Prayer (S)
SPRC (PS)

TUESDAY — 12/2

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)
9:00 AM Sew 'n' Sews (MMR)
5:00 PM Grande Ringers (115)
6:30 PM AG Community Chorus (S)
7:00 PM Board of Trustees (MMR)

WEDNESDAY — 12/3

3:30 PM Cub Scouts (211)
6 PM Advent Supper and Study (CH)
**6:30 PM Preparing for Advent
Meditation (CH)**
7:00 PM UM Youth (215)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal (S)

THURSDAY -12/4

11:45 AM People's Kitchen (K)
5:00 PM Grande Ringers (115)
7:00 PM Red Umbrella (MMR)

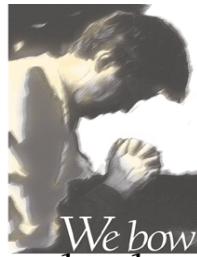
FRIDAY — 12/5

4:00 PM AG UM Children's Center
Staff (MMR)

SATURDAY — 12/6

6:30 AM Praise Team Rehearsal (S)

24 July 2011- Prayers & Thanksgiving



*We bow
our heads
in prayer*

- Continue to pray for our pastors and their families.
- Missionaries serving God around the world.
- God grant our nation & its leaders wisdom & discernment.
- The homeless and hungry both here and around the globe.
- Prayers for peace & justice throughout the world.
- Lift up the many following devastation from natural disasters around the world.
- Members & friends of our congregation dealing with the many issues of life, we lift them up.
- **Prayers for Comfort and Healing for:**
 - Christy Eichelberger is having back pain and problems with issues at work
 - Betty Ann Quintanna is having health problems.
 - Julie Burns friend who is battling cancer.
 - Vern Wizeman is having health problems, prayers for Joanne also.
 - Carleen Minkler is home recovering from a stroke. Cards are welcome.
 - Adam Gainer is back in Cottage Hospital
 - Chuck Perrigey passed away, prayers for BG, Marge, and family
 - Prayers for Barbara Atwood, cousin of Bob's, recovering from surgery
 - Casandra Galindo & children for stability & structure in home
 - Healing for Wil Ogden, Victoria's Gandy's son recovering from surgery
- **Praise God for God is good! We thank God for hearing our prayers.**
 - Pastor David and Sarah welcome home.

Our Covenant Missionary: Krista Givens in Germany

Field Missionaries: Julie & David Elmore (Alaska), John Elmore (Chile),

Muriel & Terry Hendersons (Mexico), Lorene & David Persons (Congo).

Remember in prayer: The leaders and the people of other nations; those in the military and their families. **Continue to pray for:** Our church family and friends, our Youth and Children's Ministries, Wil Ogden, Jennifer Gandy and family, the Caweltis, LeAnna Gainer, Linda Archibald, the Hammonds, Esther Miller, Bill Paulson, Yvonne Holt, Sean Lehman, Fenton McClure, Kent Brown, Roy Lewis, the Bucktons, Bodie Bennett & family, Jean Coho, Sheila Owine, Todd Everett, Gordon Bennett, Carleen Minkler and Eleanor Hughes. **In Care Facilities:** Bob Atwood, Bob Woods, Mary Patterson, Inez Kenneaster, Wayne Frisby, Bob Serby, Mary Johnson, and Donna Truman. **Shut-Ins:** Doris Rice, the Houldings, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, Hershel Whitefield, Ruby Weddell, the Cochrans and Isabelle Sloan.

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The 24 July 2011 Bulletin Board



This Week's Host

Blue Umbrella

Next Week's Host

Burgeson's



Altar Flowers

"In honor of our sons
Scott and Eric."

by

Jim & Rose Ann Steiner

For more information,
visit our website at
worshipweekly.com

HAITI: SUPPORTING THE DEAF COMMUNITY

UMCOR is working with Mission Hearts to supply food for 400 people currently living in a camp for deaf people in Port-au-Prince. After last year's earthquake, many deaf people found themselves without a place to live or food to eat. They banded together and moved to a tent camp in the capital. Of the 400 deaf, hard-of-hearing, and hearing people at the camp, including 68 children, only 105 are employed. UMCOR is providing food assistance for the people in the community through partner Friends of Deaf Haiti, a group of deaf Haitians who live in the United States. When you support **Haiti Emergency, UMCOR Advance #418325**, you help UMCOR provide for those left most vulnerable by the earthquake in Haiti

**Why does the Methodist church get involved in politics?
What does the Methodist church say about abortion?**

Join us each Wednesday evening during the month of August as we answer these and many other questions. We will be studying and discussing the *Social Principles of the United Methodist Church (2009-2012)*. This study is being facilitated by Pastor David Burgeson and Patti Melsheimer. The Social Principles "provide our most recent official summary of stated convictions that seek to apply the Christian vision of righteousness to social, economic, and political issues." We will have dinner at 5 PM in Criswell Hall and begin our discussion at 6 PM in the MMR. Together we will attempt to understand how the leaders of the church arrived at this group of beliefs and how they have changed over the years. Study books will be provided. Please sign-up for the study in Criswell Hall this Sunday.

Peoples Kitchen

"The People's Kitchen needs your help. The homeless can use your toiletries from recent trips you may have made. They also can't get enough pairs of socks. See Betty and Chuck Ashton in Criswell Hall for further information."



Today's News

Welcome Home

We welcome Pastor David and Sarah back from their honeymoon..

Service of Celebration of Life

for Chuck Perriguy

will be Tuesday July 26 at 11 AM (S)

with reception to follow in

Criswell Hall

HIGHLIGHTS



- **Sarah Returns to Office-7/25**
- **Pastor Returns to Office—7/26**
- **Preschool Board** - 7/26 (MMR)
closed session at 2 PM
open session at 3:30 PM
- **Endowment Board** - 7/26 at 2 PM (MMR)
- **Wed. Night Supper** - 5 PM (CH)
- **Book Club**—7/28 at 4 PM (MMR)
- **Church Council**—7/28 at 6:30 PM (MMR)
- **Praise Team** —7/30 at 6:30 PM (S)
- **Rummage Sale**—8/5 & 8/6 (CH)
- **Emmaus Walk**— Mens 8/4-8/7;
Womens 8/11-8/14 (Ventura UMC)
- **World Thank Offering**—8/18 (CH)
- **Soul Surfer** - 8/20 at 6PM (S)



Gather together to read the bible aloud every Thursday from 5—6 pm in the Sanctuary

Church Rummage Sale to fund school kits

A church rummage sale to benefit the school kits project will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 5 & 6, from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm in Criswell Hall. Donations of items (excluding furniture) will be accepted at the church hall on Thursday August 4 after 10 am. Please save your plastic bags for us! For item pickup, contact Nancy Baughman.

JOURNEY WITH JESUS

Deepen Your relationship with God and strengthen your discipleship through this complimentary 3 day spiritual renewal program known as the Emmaus Walk.

The Mens walk begins Aug 4 and the Womens walk begins Aug 10. For more information, contact the office.