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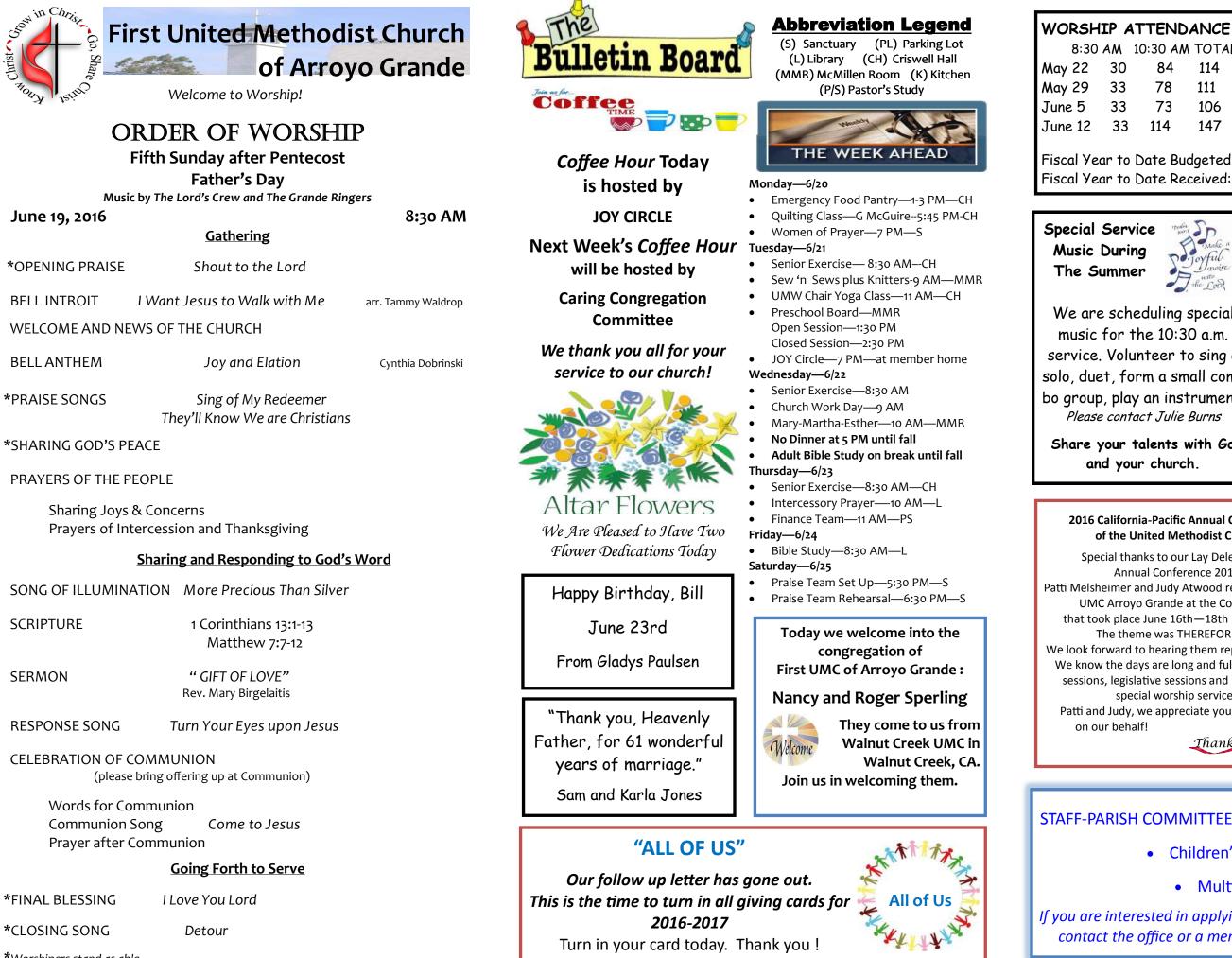
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8:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE



June 19, 2016



*Worshipers stand as able.

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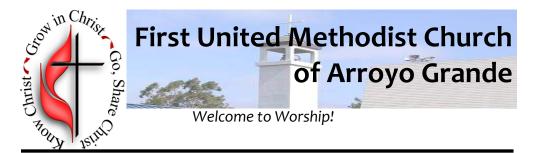
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PRELUDE

BELL INTROIT I Want Jesus to Walk with Me arr. Tammy Waldrop

*CALL TO WORSHIP

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OPENING PRAYER

Giver of Life. Amen.

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RECEPTION

JOYS AND CONCERNS FROM PRAYER BOOK

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day Music by The Grande Ringers

10:30 AM

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH

Arioso

G. F. Handel

We have gathered here to worship the One who created us. We worship Almighty God, the Giver of Life.

We seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

We honor Jesus who shows us paths of self-giving love.

Let our lives be a gift of love to the One who created us,

As we follow in the footsteps of the faithful who have gone before us.

IYMN	Faith of Our Fathers	No. 710

We thank you for the gift of life.

As we worship together on this Father's Day,

let our lives be a gift of love to You.

We honor those who gave us birth, and we seek

to create a loving legacy from the fruit of our own labors.

S MOMEN	νT	Leonard Lutz
EM	Joy and Elation	Cynthia Dobrinski
OF NEW MEMBERS		Page 48
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A TIME OF MEDITATION AND PRAYER

Choral Call to Prayer Breathe on Me, Breath of God No. 420 Hymnal No. 895 Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Choral Response Breathe on Me, Breath of God No. 420

SOLO	Wind Beneath My Wings Jeff Sill Cristy Van Hook, soloist	bar, Larry Henley
SCRIPTURE	1 Corinthians 13:1-13 Matthew 7:7-12	
*HYMN	Our Parent, by Whose Name	No. 447
SERMON	"GIFT OF LOVE" Rev. Mary Birgelaitis	
OFFERING		

Call to Stewardship and Mission Adagio Offertory Arcangelo Corelli Doxology/Prayer of Dedication Hymnal, No. 95

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.

*CLOSING HYMN	Blest Be the Tie that Binds	No. 557

*BENEDICTION

RESPONSE God Be With You Till We Meet Again No. 672

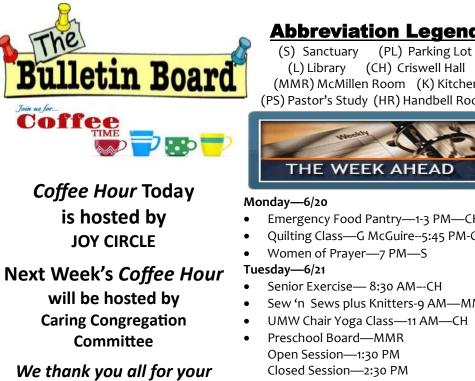
Toccata

God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again. Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus' feet; Till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.

POSTLUDE

Theodore Dubois





Abbreviation Legend

(L) Library (CH) Criswell Hall (MMR) McMillen Room (K) Kitchen (PS) Pastor's Study (HR) Handbell Room



- Emergency Food Pantry—1-3 PM—CH
- Quilting Class—G McGuire--5:45 PM-CH

- Sew 'n Sews plus Knitters-9 AM-MMR
- UMW Chair Yoga Class—11 AM—CH
- JOY Circle—7 PM—at member's home •

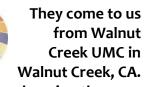
Wednesday—6/22

- Senior Exercise—8:30 AM •
- Church Work Day—9 AM
- Mary-Martha-Esther—10 AM—MMR
- No Dinners at 5 PM until fall
- Adult Bible Study on break until fall Thursday—6/23
- Senior Exercise—8:30 AM—CH • •
 - Intercessory Prayer—-10 AM—L
- Finance Team—11 AM—PS Friday—6/24
- Bible Study—8:30 AM—L • Saturday—6/25
- Praise Team Set Up—5:30 PM—S
- Praise Team Rehearsal—6:30 PM—S

Today we welcome into the congregation of First UMC of Arroyo Grande :

Nancy and Roger Sperling





from Walnut Creek UMC in Walnut Creek, CA.

All of Us

Join us in welcoming them.

"ALL OF US"

service to our church!

Altar Flowers

We Are Pleased to Have Two

Flower Dedications Today

Happy Birthday, Bill

June 23rd

From Gladys Paulsen

"Thank you, Heavenly

Father, for 61 wonderful

years of marriage."

Sam and Karla Jones

Our follow up letter has gone out. This is the time to turn in all giving cards for 2016-2017

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