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Today's Liturgist: Ian Beard



In the name of Christ Jesus, we welcome you to the First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande and are happy that you have joined us here today. Please come to worship with us again soon.

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Arroyo Grande United Methodist Children's Center

Program Tours Daily day through Friday 4:30 PM.

by appointment ONLY on Mon-9:30 AM - 11:30 AM or 3:30 PM -

We invite you to visit and see if we are a good fit for your family.

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AM—5 PM



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8:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

NOVEMBER 24, 2019



ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Last Sunday after Pentecost THANKSGIVING SUNDAY

Gathering

OPENING PRAISE

Revive Us Again

WELCOMING OUR GUESTS

PRAISE SONGS Oh Lord You're Beautiful Let the Waters Rise Bless the Lord Oh My Soul

SHARING GOD'S PEACE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayers of Intercession and Thanksgiving

Sharing and Responding to God's Word

SONG OF ILLUMINATION There is a Redeemer

SCRIPTURE

SERMON

OFFERING

Psalm 100 Philippians 4:4-7

"GIVE THANKS" Rev. Mary Birgelaitis

Trust and Obey

COMMUNION Come Just As You Are

FINAL BLESSING Give Thanks

CLOSING Build Your Kingdom Here



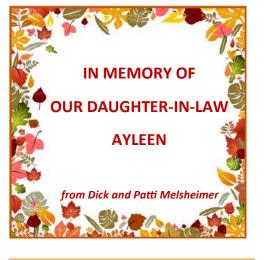
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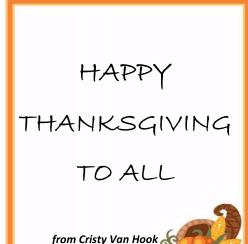
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THANKSGIVING DAY

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Please consider your Church

You may gain significant tax

advantages on required IRA

distributions done

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Please consult your

tax advisor for details.

of the endowment funds.

on giving, year after year.

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made to the general fund or one

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~Joel Anderson, Acting Treasurer

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PRELUDE

CHORAL INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Rejoice in the Lord always! Again I say rejoice! Thank you God for the homes we live in. Rejoice in the Lord always! Again I say rejoice! Thank you God for the food we have to eat. Rejoice in the Lord always! Again I say rejoice! Thank you God for the blessings you bring us. Come, Ye Thankful People, Come No. 694 Almighty God, you have led us into a land flowing with milk and honey. As we rejoice in your manifold blessings, help us remember those who have no bread to eat. As we celebrate the bounty of your table, remind us to seek the food that does not perish. Help us heed to the words of your Son: "Today, you will be with me in paradise." And help us offer the same grace to others

***OPENING HYMN** WELCOMING OUR GUESTS **OPENING PRAYER**

that you have given to us.

HOPE, JOY AND LOVE RISING!

First United Methodist Church

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Thanksgiving Sunday

CENTERING WORDS

If the Only Prayer You Said Was "Thank You" That Would Be Enough."

-Meister Eckhart

I Give You Praise

Cindy Berry

Give Thanks

TFWS #2036

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Patti Melsheimer

Mark Hayes

Jesus Loves Me (as children come and go) Nursery care is available. Children ages K-6 are dismissed with their teachers.

ANTHEM	Gratitude Changes Everything

A TIME OF MEDITATION AND PRAYER

Choral Call to Prayer Pastoral Prayer/Lord's	Bless the Lord Praver	TFWS #2013	
Choral Response	Bless the Lord	TFWS #2013	
ANTHEM	We Will Give Thanks	Mark Patterson	
SCRIPTURE	Psalm 100 Philippians 4:4-7		
HYMN (remain seated)	We Gather Together	No. 131	
SERMON	"GIVE THANKS"	Rev. Mary Birgelaitis	

OFFERING

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory Now Thank We All Our God Nun Danket *Doxology / Prayer of Dedication

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	Now Thank We All Our God	No. 102
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BENEDICTION

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In prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving and shouts of joy, we will bring our lives before God. May the peace of God, which passes all understanding, guard your hearts and minds in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Give Thanks

POSTLUDE

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My Heart is Filled with Thankfulness

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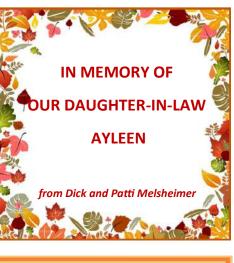




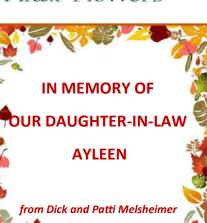
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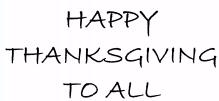
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