

“Every member a missionary”

First United Methodist Church

275 NORTH HALCYON ROAD ARROYO GRANDE, CA 93420
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TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST JULY 20, 2008 - 8:30 AM
*We are very glad for the presence of all visitors. Please know that we are pleased to have you worshiping with us.
We encourage you to introduce yourself to others, and participate in our time of fellowship.
Nursery care is available for ages 4 and under. Hearing devices are available, please see ushers for details.*

PRAISE AND WORSHIP LED BY - THE LORD'S CREW

CALL TO WORSHIP “I Wait For The Lord”
WELCOME – CHURCH NEWS PASTOR DAVID BURGESON

OPENING PRAISE “Open The Eyes of My Heart, Lord”
SCRIPTURE READING MATTHEW 18: 10 -14 PASTOR DAVID BURGESON
OPENING PRAYER PASTOR DAVID BURGESON

PRAISE “Nothing But The Blood Of Jesus”
“How Great Is Our God”
“The Lord Is My Strength and Song”

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING “But For Your Grace” OFFERTORY
PRAYER OF ADORATION SUSAN COHO

WE SHARE IN THE POWER OF GOD (GREETING ONE ANOTHER)
*SHARING

JOYS & CONCERNS PASTOR DAVID BURGESON
PASTORAL PRAYER (THE LORD'S PRAYER) PASTOR DAVID BURGESON
SCRIPTURE READING GENESIS 28: 10 - 22 JEFF BUHLER

SERMON “Want To Be A Person Of The Spirit?”
PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESON

COMMUNION “Your Love, O Lord” PASTOR DAVID BURGESON
CLOSING PRAISE “Glory To The Lamb”

BENEDICTION PASTOR DAVID BURGESON
RECESSIONAL “Thousand Generations”
POSTLUDE “The Easter Song” BY KEITH GREEN

HERE'S WHAT IS HAPPENING



The Altar Flowers this morning are from Kay Walker “in loving memory our 68th wedding anniversary.” Miss you Boots!

If you would like to sign up for flowers, feel free to fill your name on the dates on the Flower Chart in Criswell Hall. December 14th is still open.



Coffee Hour This morning we ask you to join us in Criswell Hall where the **Finance Committee** will bless us with treats. We thank the members of the **Church Council** (formerly Ad. Board) for last week's goodies. Next Sunday, **July 27th**, Coffee Hour will be hosted by the **Red Umbrella**. **Thank you!**



UMC of AG is Now Accepting Applications for a **Christian Education Director** to coordinate and oversee all UMC of AG education activities. For an application and/or a job description for this position, please contact the church office or visit our church website at worshipweekly.com.



Attention Endowment Board Members There will be a meeting for the Endowment Board on Tuesday, July 22nd at 2 PM in the McMillen Room. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.



All-Church Potluck Game Night Plan to join us on **Saturday, August 9th at 6 PM in Criswell Hall** for a night of fun, games and fellowship. Please bring a dish (entree or dessert to feed 8+) and/or game to share and join us for this special time together as a church family. **We hope to see you there!**



Green Umbrella will meet on August 10th immediately following the 10:30 AM service. Please make every effort to be there as soon as possible. Your efforts are appreciated.

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SUNDAY, 20 JULY 2008

10:30 AM

*We are glad that you are here to worship and share in the life and mission of Christ and this church.
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WELCOME WITH NEWS OF THE CHURCH

ORGAN PRELUDE

"Prelude in G"

C. OVERHOLT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LITURGIST: Surely God is in this place!

PEOPLE: **How awesome is this place!**

LITURGIST: This is none other than the house of God!

PEOPLE: **And this is the gate of heaven!**

LITURGIST: Let us Worship!

*HYMN NO. 100

"God Whose Love Is Reigning O'er Us"

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER OF CONFESSION - #890 (SEE HYMNAL)

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.

HYMN NO. 418

"We Are Climbing Jacob's Ladder"

Vs 1

"We are climbing Jacob's ladder; we are climbing Jacob's ladder, we are climbing Jacob's ladder; soldiers of the cross."

Vs 2

"Every round goes higher, higher; every round goes higher, higher, every round goes higher, higher; soldiers of the cross."

Vs 4

"If you love him, why not serve him? If you love him, why not serve him? If you love him, why not serve him? Soldiers of the cross."

OFFERTORY

"Song of Devotion"

L. STAIRS

*DOXOLOGY

Tune: Old Hundredth

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

GENESIS 28: 10 - 22

LITURGIST: This is the word of God for the people of God

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

"Want To Be A Person Of The Spirit?"

PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - #881 (SEE HYMNAL) THE APOSTLES' CREED (TRADITIONAL)

*GLORIA PATRI No. 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. A-men, Amen.

*HYMN NO. 664

"Sent Forth By God's Blessing"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Recessional in Bb"

R. WILSON



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 Tuesdays 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

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SUNDAY - 7/20

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study

10:30 AM Traditional Worship

"Coffee Hour" ~ **Finance Committee**

MONDAY - 7/21

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study

TUESDAY - 7/22

8:30 AM Senior Exercise

10:00 AM Care-Ring Ministry (L)

Sew 'n' Sews (MMR)

2:00 PM Endowment Board (MMR)

7:00 PM Women of Prayer (S)

WEDNESDAY - 7/23

6:15 PM Beginning Bells

7:00 PM UM Youth

THURSDAY - 7/24

8:30 AM Senior Exercise

10:00 AM Intercessory Prayer (L)

7:00 PM Red Umbrella

FRIDAY - 7/25

8:30 AM Bible Study (L)

SATURDAY - 7/26

6:30 PM Praise Team Rehearsal (S)

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8:30 AM Contemporary Worship

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10:30 AM Traditional Worship

"Coffee Hour" ~ **Red Umbrella**

PRAYERS OF CONCERN & THANKSGIVING

20 JULY 2008

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

- ◇ Victims of natural disasters all over the world.
- ◇ Pray for our new pastor, David Burgeson and his ministry with our church.
- ◇ Prayers for Jerry Smith who had a biopsy and will start radiation soon.
- ◇ Prays for healing and comfort for Morrie Gregory had lung surgery.
- ◇ Alice Witt asks prayers, for Tom Barber, who had open heart surgery.
- ◇ Prayers for Mary Patterson's brother, Dug Purton, who is back in the hospital.
- ◇ Joy!! Doris Douglas' son-in law has returned to work.
- ◇ Sally Anne Lynch's grandson has been assigned to Hawaii for 2 years! Many thanks for all of the prayers!
- ◇ Bud and Betty Johnson's granddaughter Melinda Marchiano who is struggling with post chemo effects. Prayers for comfort and healing.
- ◇ Pray for Betty Ann Quintana who is recovering from eye surgery.
- ◇ Cyndee Rohla's father is home from the hospital. Continued prayer for health concerns.
- ◇ Former member, Peggy Hershberger passed away. Prayers for Gene and the family.
- ◇ Thanks from Ann Williamson for all the prayers and cards.
- ◇ Barbara Reineke's father had surgery to replace his pacemaker. Prayers for comfort and healing.
- ◇ Janet (new to church) asks prayers fro employment and housing.
- ◇ Marj Wolters' foster son has recovered from kidney surgery and has a new job in a hospital.
- ◇ Mike (praise team member) asks prayers for Kirk who is addicted to pain medication.
- ◇ Kay Walker needs to continued prayers following knee surgery.
- ◇ Tom Egan asks prayers for his sister-in-law who had a stroke and his neighbor who had a hip replacement.

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Pray for our Missionaries: Pat and Fred Haggard in Kentucky

Remember to pray for our missionaries serving God around the world, the leaders of our country, as well as the leaders and the people of North Korea, Africa and in the Middle East. Remember in prayer, the members of our military and their families both here and overseas.

Continued prayer: Helen Setser, our church youth, Mary Fernamburg, Valentina Ogden, Wil Ogden, the Caweltis, Nancy Chambers, the Cochran family, Dug Purton, LeAnna Gainer, Ray Collins, Janet Dimeling, Terry Curtis, Cheryl McKibben, Pastor Harold and Clydean Headrick, Esther Miller, Linda Archibald, the Haults, Rose Marie Bailey, Melinda Marchiano, Jennifer Gandy and family, Pastor Rhodenbacker, Mary Read, the Graham family, Matt Rohla, Mary Lou Fink, Alice Witt, Tom Egan, and Ann Williamson.

Pray for people in Care Facilities: Bathon Dessert, Luella Hendricks and Lois Fry and Bob Atwood.

Pray for our Shut-Ins: Doris Rice, the Houldings, Thelma Otteson, the DeVos, the McCrackens, Katie Bryant, Wayne Frisby, Betty Bailes, Stan Lundahl, Madge Young and the Hammonds.