

*"Every member a missionary"*

# First United Methodist Church

275 NORTH HALCYON ROAD ARROYO GRANDE, CA 93420  
PHONE NUMBER (805) 481-2692 FAX NUMBER (805) 481-2693

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 3, 2008 - 8:30 AM

*We are very glad for the presence of all visitors. Please know that we are pleased to have you worshipping 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 "Shout For Joy!"  
WELCOME – CHURCH NEWS PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

OPENING PRAISE "Seek Ye First"  
SCRIPTURE READING II TIMOTHY 1: 8 - 13  
PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

OPENING PRAYER PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

PRAISE "Thank You, Jesus"  
"To Him Who Sits On The Throne"  
"For Those Tears I Died"

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING "Dwell" OFFERTORY  
PRAYER OF ADORATION SUSAN COHO

WE SHARE IN GOD'S PEACE (GREETING ONE ANOTHER)  
JOYS & CONCERNS PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

PASTORAL PRAYER (THE LORD'S PRAYER) PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK  
SCRIPTURE READING PHILIPPIANS 3: 17 – 4: 1 JEFF BUHLER

SERMON "Taking Too Much For Granted"  
PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

COMMUNION "At The Cross" PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

CLOSING PRAISE "I Love You Lord"

BENEDICTION PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

RECESSIONAL "How Great You Are"

POSTLUDE "Because of Your Love" BY PAUL BALOCHE

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

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SUNDAY, 3 AUGUST 2008

10:30 AM

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WELCOME WITH NEWS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE

*"A Simple Song"*

M. SHEA

INTROIT

*Second Part from "Sonata in G Major"* L. VAN BEETHOVEN

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

LITURGIST: Celebrate this time of worship. Rejoice in the Spirit of God which dwells in you.

PEOPLE: **When the snares of death bring distress and anguish, God keeps our feet from stumbling.**

LITURGIST: Give thanks to God, who is gracious and righteous; walk before God in the land of the living.

PEOPLE: **We bring our doubts and fears, our work and worries, to this time of reflection and refreshment.**

\*HYMN NO. 126 *"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Have mercy upon us, O God, according to your loving-kindness; according to the multitude of your tender mercies, blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquities, and cleanse us from our sins, for we acknowledge our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us. Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us as we lift to you our personal confessions in these few moments of silence...**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND PARDON

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING  
PASTORAL PRAYER

HYMN NO. 349

*"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"*

*Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face, and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace.*

SPECIAL MUSIC

*Rondo from "Serenade No. 10"*

W. A. MOZART

OFFERTORY

*"A Light Unto My Path"*

W. CLARKE

\*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

PHILIPPIANS 3: 17 – 4: 1

LITURGIST:

This is the word of God for the people of God

PEOPLE:

**Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

*"Taking Too Much For Granted"*

PASTOR J. HAROLD HEADRICK

\*HYMN NO. 599

*"Break Thou The Bread of Life"*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (SEE HYMNAL PAGES 9-11)

HOLY COMMUNION - BREAKING THE BREAD AND GIVING THE CUP

All who love Christ are welcome to share in the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Approach the front using the center aisle assisted by the ushers to receive the Eucharist elements while standing before the cross and return to your pew by the side aisles. Prayer partners are available should you wish to kneel in prayer at the altar. Everyone can join us in singing in the following hymns 98 (vs. 1), 171, 347, 405, and 572 verses 1 & 3.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Eternal God, we give thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

\*HYMN NO. 369

*"Blessed Assurance"*

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*"With Joyous Praise"*

C. NORDMAN



**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**

\*UNDERLINED DENOTES CHILDCARE PROVIDED\*

SUNDAY - 8/03

- 8:30 AM Contemporary Worship
- 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
- 10:30 AM Traditional Worship
- "Coffee Hour" ~ **Communications**
- 2:00PM Flute Fun

MONDAY - 8/04

- 7:30 PM Staff-Parish Relations
- 7:00 PM Men's Bible Study
- Flute Fun

TUESDAY - 8/05

- 8:30 AM Senior Exercise
- 10:00 AM Care-Ring Ministry (L)
- Sew 'n' Sews (MMR)
- 7:00 PM Women of Prayer (S)
- Board of Trustees

WEDNESDAY - 8/06

- 6:15 PM Beginning Bells
- 9:00 AM Senior Health Screening
- 11:00 AM Blue Umbrella
- 6:15 PM Beginning Bells
- 7:00 PM UM Youth

THURSDAY - 8/07

- 8:30 AM Senior Exercise
- 10:00 AM Intercessory Prayer (L)
- 11:45 AM People's Kitchen

FRIDAY - 8/08

- 8:30 AM Bible Study (L)

SATURDAY - 8/09

- 6:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal (S)

**All-Church Potluck and Game Night**

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**A benevolence fund offering** is taken during Holy Communion for our Benevolence Fund. Plates are provided at the altar for you to contribute. This fund is set up to assist those in need who come to the church office seeking help. Thank you for your generosity.



**Hold This Date!!** Camp Arroyo Grande will have their Ground Breaking for their new cabins on Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> at 4 PM. A barbeque picnic will immediately follow the ceremony. If you have any questions, please call Janice and Greg Somers at 549-9199 or e-mail to [janicesomers@charter.net](mailto:janicesomers@charter.net)



**Women's Bible Study** - There will be **NO Women's Bible Study TODAY - Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>**, as Linda Herber will be bringing our young people home from camp. *Be sure to say a prayer or two for Linda as she travels with our young people.*



**Umbrella Reminders!! Mark you calendar!**

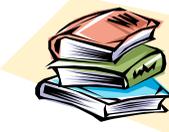
**BLUE UMBRELLA** will meet on Wednesday, August 6<sup>th</sup>, at 11AM. **GREEN UMBRELLA** will meet on August 10<sup>th</sup> immediately following the 10:30 AM service. Please make every effort to be there as soon as possible. Your efforts are appreciated.



**We Need Greeters!!** The church is having trouble finding volunteers to be the special face that people see at the door. We are in need of your warm smile to assist with handing out bulletins at either entrance of the Narthex. If this is you, contact the church office. *We are also looking for a volunteer to chair up this group of people and line up the "greeters" for each Sunday.*



It's **Kits 4 Kids** time and we need your help!! The need is greater than ever this year, thus we will assemble 125 kits. Total costs will be really \$1000. (95% of the items have already been purchased) We have approximately \$400 on hand. All donations are greatly appreciated! *Please mark Kits 4 Kids clearly on your check.*



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### **Photo Team Needed for UMC of AG 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

Volunteers who have digital cameras and would be willing to take photo assignments for the 2009 Anniversary Celebration need to contact Val McClure, *Photo Chairperson*, as soon as possible. A meeting will be held for the Photo team as soon as enough names are submitted.



Last Sunday Pastor David invited at the end of service to give a one word answer to the question, "What word would God ask you to enter as your part in a healthy relationship with God?" We received 127 responses- there were many important ideas. The top three were Trust, Faith, and Love. Thanks for your participation!

## **STAFF & WORSHIP LEADERS**

**SUNDAY, 3<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST 2008**

***TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***

**PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON**

**MINISTER OF VISITATION:** Rev. J. Harold Headrick

**CHANCEL CHOIR DIRECTOR:** Julie Walters

**'GRANDE RINGERS' - BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR:** Leonard Lutz

**YOUTH MINISTRY DIRECTORS:** Mike & Linda Herber

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DIRECTORS:** Nancy Baughman

**NURSERY DIRECTOR:** Jenny West

**CHILDREN'S CENTER DIRECTOR:** Maddy Quaglino

**PRAISE TEAM DIRECTOR:** Susan Coho

**PRAISE TEAM PIANIST:** Sean Lehman

**LAY LEADER:** Marj Cawelti

**SECRETARY:** Sarah Barber

**BOOKKEEPER:** Victoria Gandy

**CHORAL PIANIST:** Pianist needed

**ORGANIST:** Don McGuire

**PUPPET DIRECTORS:** Willy Ford-Raetz

& Mike Herber

**MULTI-MEDIA DIRECTOR:** Sean Lehman

**LECTOR CHAIRS:** Rebeca Avila

& Toni Harvey

**LITURGIST:** Bennie Duffin

**ACOLYTE MOMS:** Nikki Raetz

& Lorie Ford

**BIBLE BEARER:** Our church youth

**OUR ACOLYTE(S):** Our church youth

**HOSTS & GREETER CHAIR:**

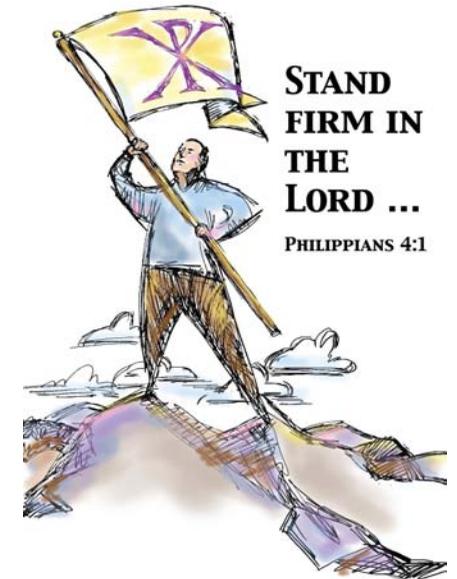
*VOLUNTEER NEEDED TO BE THE NEW CHAIR OF HOST AND GREETERS*

**HOSTS & GREETERS:** Virginia Mothes, Ruth Joy and Tom Egan

**IN SERVICE:** ALL OF OUR MEMBERS

**COVENANT MISSIONARY:** Judy Atwood in Kansas

**CHECK OUT OUR GREAT NEW WEBSITE — [WORSHIPWEEKLY.COM](http://WORSHIPWEEKLY.COM)**



**STAND  
FIRM IN  
THE  
LORD ...**

**PHILIPPIANS 4:1**

3 August  
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