

"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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SUNDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 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.

PASTOR REVEREND DAVID BURGESON MUSIC LED BY LED BY - THE LORD'S CREW

CALL TO WORSHIP "Jesus, What A Beautiful Name"

WELCOME – CHURCH NEWS REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

OPENING PRAISE "Jesus. What A Wonder You Are"

SCRIPTURE READING LUKE 8: 22 – 25 REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

OPENING PRAYER REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

HANDBELL ANTHEM REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

PRAISE "All Hail King Jesus"
"Majesty"
"Breath"

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

OFFERTORY "God Is So Good"

PRAYER OF ADORATION SUSAN COHO

WE SHARE IN GOD'S PEACE (GREETING ONE ANOTHER)

SHARING

JOYS & CONCERNS & PASTORAL PRAYER REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

SCRIPTURE READING PHILIPPIANS 2: 1 – 13 JEFF BUHLER

SERMON "What Does Being A Servant Look Like?"
REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

COMMUNION REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

COMMUNION SONG "Unto The King"

CLOSING PRAISE "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

BENEDICTION REVEREND DAVID BURGESON

RECESSIONAL "He Is Jehovah!"

POSTLUDE "O Happy Day" - BY CRYSTAL LEWIS



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WELCOME WITH NEWS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE "The Lord Into His Garden Comes" B. PRICE

CHORAL INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LITURGIST: Come, let us bow before the Holy One.

PEOPLE: **Come, let us confess God's might.**

LITURGIST: Come, let us feel God's mercy.

PEOPLE: **Come, let us live in God's light.**

LITURGIST: As God's people, we lift our voice in praise.

PEOPLE: **Glory to you gracious and loving God!**

*HYMN NO. 154 "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name"

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

PASTOR: Let us join together in this prayer:

ALL: **God of patience, there are times we grow weary. We moan and grumble. We put you to the test. We say yes with our voices but with our actions say no. When we stray from your path gently call us back to you. Empty our hearts of anger and pride and our souls of self-centeredness. Clean out our minds of doubt, envy, and mistrust. As you poured out your very self through your beloved Son, pour your Spirit into our hearts today. Forgive us of our wrongdoing and reclaim us with your love. Be with us now as we lift to you our personal confessions seeking your forgiveness.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND PARDON

CHORAL ANTHEM

"He Is The Rock"

CHANCEL CHOIR

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.369 (vs. 1 & 3)

"Blessed Assurance"

Vs 1

"Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine! Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood."

Refrain

"This is my story, this is my song;, praising my Savior all the day long; this is my story this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long."

Vs 3

"Perfect submission, perfect delight, vision of rapture now burst in my sight; watching and waiting, bring from above filled with his goodness, lost in his love."

OFFERTORY

"His Sheltering Arms"

B. FRICK

*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 2:1 - 13

LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"What Does Being A Servant Look Like?"

REV. DAVID BURGESON

*HYMN NO. 664

"Sent Forth By God's Blessing"

*BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

CHANCEL CHOIR

POSTLUDE

"Sing With The Spirit"

J. CARRIER



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

UNDERLINED DENOTES CHILDCARE PROVIDED

SUNDAY – 9/28

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship

10:30 AM Traditional Worship

“Coffee Hour” ~ **Endowment Board**

MONDAY – 9/29

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study

Women of Prayer (S)

TUESDAY – 9/30

8:30 AM Senior Exercise

9:00 AM Sew 'n' Sews (MMR)

10:00 AM Care-Ring Ministry (L)

5:30 PM Grande Ringers

6:30 PM AG Community Chorus

WEDNESDAY – 10/1

8:30 AM Lifeline Health Screening
Flu Shot

3:30 PM Cub Scouts (211)

7:00 PM UM Youth

Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY – 10/2

8:30 AM Senior Exercise

10:00 AM Intercessory Prayer (L)

11:45 AM People's Kitchen

5:00 PM Grande Ringers

FRIDAY – 10/3

8:30 AM Bible Study (L)

SATURDAY – 10/4

2:00 PM Adventures of Dr. Chess

6:30 PM Praise Team Rehearsal

SUNDAY – 10/5

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship

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HERE'S WHAT IS HAPPENING



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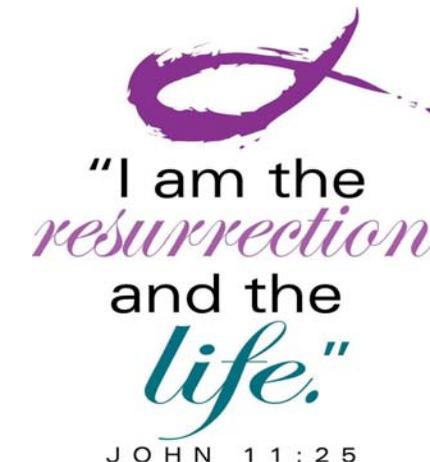
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STAFF & WORSHIP LEADERS SUNDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 2008

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MINISTER OF VISITATION: Rev. J. Harold Headrick
CHANCEL CHOIR DIRECTOR: Julie Walters
'GRANDE RINGERS' - BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR: Leonard Lutz
YOUTH MINISTRY DIRECTOR: Mike & Linda Herber
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DIRECTORS: Nancy Baughman
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: Don Gugeler
ACOLYTE MOMS: Nikki Raetz
& Lorie Ford
BIBLE BEARER: Adrian Paredes
OUR ACOLYTE(S): Alex and Victoria Paredes
HOSTS & GREETER CHAIR:
VOLUNTEER NEEDED TO BE THE NEW CHAIR OF HOST AND GREETERS
HOSTS & GREETERS: *our church family*
IN SERVICE: ALL OF OUR MEMBERS

COVENANT MISSIONARY: Judy Atwood in Kansas



CHECK OUT OUR GREAT NEW WEBSITE – WORSHIPWEEKLY.COM



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- Prayers for Alice Witt's daughter, Nancy who is very ill.
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- Willy Ford asks prayers for a friend who is on life support as a result of a car accident.
- Matt Rohla asks prayer for Burt King and his family whose sister has terminal cancer.
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