

"Every member a Missionary"

First United Methodist Church

275 North Halcyon Road Arroyo Grande, CA 93420
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8:30 AM Order of Worship -18 January 2009 – 2nd Sunday after Epiphany

We are glad to have you with us this morning. We are a welcoming church and would encourage you to join us in our worship as a people who love the Lord. Ask an usher about our hearing devices and large print bulletins made available for your convenience.

Pastor David Burgeson

Music Led by - The Lord's Crew

Call to Worship	<i>"Seek Ye First"</i>	
Welcome		Pastor David
Handbell Introit	<i>"Rise Up and Follow"</i> Arr. Cynthia Dobrinski	Grande Ringers
Scripture Reading	Proverbs 3: 19 - 32	Pastor David
Opening Prayer		Pastor David
Handbell Anthem	<i>"Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho"</i> Arr. Martha Lynn Thompson	Grande Ringers
Praise	<i>"Wonderful Merciful Savior"</i> <i>"True Worship Song"</i> <i>"At The Cross"</i>	
We Worship Thru Giving		Pastor David
Offertory	<i>"Spirit of The Living God"</i>	
Prayer of Adoration		Susan Coho
Sharing God's peace (greeting one another)		
Sharing Joys & Concerns ~ Pastoral Prayer		Pastor David
Scripture Reading	John 1: 43 - 51	Mike Herber
Sermon	<i>"Our Calling As Disciples of Jesus"</i>	Pastor David
Communion		Pastor David
Communion Song	<i>"Remember Me"</i>	
Closing Praise	<i>"Keep Us Forever"</i>	
Benediction		Pastor David
Recessional	<i>"Rock of Ages!"</i>	



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Welcome With News of the Church

Prelude *"Dorian Prelude"* F. Peeters

Handbell Introit *"Rise Up and Follow"* Grande Ringers

*Call to Worship

Liturgist: O God, you have searched us and known us —

People: **When we sit down and when we rise up, When we worship and pray, and praise and serve;**

Liturgist: You discern our thoughts from far away —

People: **Our hopes and dreams, our worries and fears. You search out our paths, and are acquainted with all our ways.**

Liturgist: Even before a word is on our tongue, O Lord, you know it completely.

People: **You hem us in, behind and before, and lay your hand upon us. We praise you! Wonderful are your works! We worship you, O God!**

*Hymn no. 100 *"God, Whose Love Is Reigning O'er Us"*

Handbell Anthem *"Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho"* Grande Ringers

Children's Moment

Prayer of Confession

Pastor: Let us join together in this prayer.

All: **Loving Jesus, compassionate friend and gentle guide, you call us in all the seasons of life. In darkness and in light, in joy and in sorrow, you beckon us to follow you. Yet we hold back. We question how we know your voice, we make excuses of things we have to do or skills we lack. We look for the grand task, and you give us the common work of loving and caring for those near at hand. We look for recognition, and you want others to see you more. Loving Jesus, gentle friend and compassionate teacher, take us by the hand and lead us into your future, assured of your presence and encouragement. Amen.**

Words of Assurance and Pardon

Choral Anthem *"Deep, Deep Love"* Chancel Choir
featuring a duet by - B.G. Perriguet & Jamie Foster

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. 397 *"I Need Thee Every Hour"* (Vs 1,3 & 4)

Offertory *"Interlude"* F. Peeters

*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 John 1: 43 - 51

Liturgist: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon *"Our Calling As Disciples of Jesus"*
Pastor David Burgeson

*Hymn No. 396 *"O Jesus, I Have Promised "*

*Benediction and Choral Response

Postlude *"Postlude"* F. Peeters



Bring a friend!

Join us on Wednesdays at 7 PM in our youth lounge (215) with Mike & Linda Herber.

The Bulletin Board

*Underlined denotes childcare is available

Sunday-1/18

“Coffee Hour”

Thank you to the members of our **UMM for their Pancake Breakfast**

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship

10:30 AM Traditional Worship

All-Church Pancake Breakfast

See you at 9:30 AM in Criswell Hall!

Monday – 1/19

Office Closed for Nat’l Holiday

Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday

7:00 PM Men’s Bible Study (215)
Women of Prayer (S)

Tuesday – 1/20

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)

9:00 AM Sew ‘n’ Sews (MMR)

5:00 PM Grande Ringers (115)

7:00 PM JOY Circle

Wednesday – 1/21

9:30 AM Mary-Martha Circle (MMR)

7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (S)
UM Youth Group (215)

Thursday -1/22

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)

10:00 PM Intercessory Prayer Group (L)

2:00 PM Yellow Umbrella (MMR)

4:00 PM Preschool Board (MMR)

5:00 PM Grande Ringers (115)

Friday – 1/23

8:30 AM Weekly AM Bible Study (L)

Saturday – 1/24

2:00 PM Dr. Chess (211)

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



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Here is what's Happening



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Prayers & Thanksgiving

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- Pray for members of our congregation who are dealing with spiritual, emotional and physical problems. May their burdens be lifted up.
 - Pray for Pastor Burgeson for wisdom and discernment.
 - Pray for victims of natural disasters.
 - Praise! Lynn Stewart's sister, Barbara Ralph's cancer tests came back negative.
 - Katie Bryant passed away, prayers for the family.
 - Prayers for Peg Gallop's sister, Betty who has Alzheimer's, is now in the last stages.
 - Cyndee Rohla's brother-in-law, has lung cancer, is in the hospital with pneumonia.
 - Praise! Betty David is home after a heart attack; please continue to pray for her.
 - Yvonne Holt had a stroke. Prayers for comfort and healing.
 - Doris Douglas asks prayer for Ray who will have cataract surgery. She requests continued prayer for Bee Frantz who will also be having surgery.
 - Prayers for Jerrelyn Trujillo's father, Gil who is severely ill. He is 98 years old.
 - Praise! Will Cawelti is home. Thanks you to everyone for their calls & visits.
 - Prayers for Bob Atwood who is at Mission View in San Luis Obispo.
 - Prayers for Sean Lehman.
 - Kay Walker asks prayers for Charles Asproin who is having major surgery and for Ida Mize who has had surgery and is still in pain.
 - Prayers for Tom Egan who will have out-patient surgery for a melanoma.
- We are currently only funding our covenant missionary Judy Atwood in Kansas.**

Remember in prayer: Our missionaries serving God around the world; the leaders of our country; leaders and the people of North Korea, Africa and in the Middle East. Continue to lift up those serving in the military and their families.

Please hold in continued prayer: Our youth, Wil Ogden, Jen Gandy, the Caweltis, Nancy Chambers, the Cochrans, LeAnna Gainer, Janet Dimeling, Terry Curtis, Cheryl McKibben, Linda Archibald, Rose Marie Bailey, Pastor Rhodenbacker, Matt Rohla, Donna Cowles, the Hammonds, Bee Frantz, Jerry Smith, Guy Oates, Isabella Sloan, Esther Miller, Pastor

Staff & Worship Leaders 18 January 2009 - 10:30 AM Service

Senior Pastor: Reverend David Burgeson
Minister of Visitation: Reverend J. Harold Headrick
Chancel Choir Director: Julie Walters
The Lord's Crew - Praise Team Director: Susan Coho
'Grande Ringers' - Bell Choir Director: Leonard Lutz
Youth Ministry Director: Mike and Linda Herber
Children's Ministry Directors: Nancy Baughman
AG UM Children's Center Director: Maddy Quaglino
Lay Leader: Marj Cawelti
Church Office Staff:
Administrator/Newsletter: Sarah Barber
Bookkeeper: Victoria Gandy
Organist: Don McGuire
Puppet Directors:
Willy Ford-Raetz and Mike Herber
Lector Chairs:
Rebeca Avila and Toni Harvey
Liturgist: Judy Leonard
Acolyte Moms: Nikki Raetz and Lorie Ford
Bible Bearer: Alonzo Ferrari-Byrd
Our Acolyte(s): Carina Avila
Hosts & Greeter Chair: Del Hollinger
Hosts & Greeters: Our church family
Ushers: Bud Johnson, Betty Lorenz and
Eva McClure,
In service: All of our members

