

# First United Methodist Church

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

8:30 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR 12 JULY 2009  
6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*We encourage you to join us in our worship as a people who love the Lord.  
Please ask an usher about the hearing devices available for your convenience.*

PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON      WORSHIP IS LED BY *THE LORD'S CREW*

CALL TO WORSHIP	<i>"Sound The Call To Worship"</i>	
WELCOME - ANNOUNCEMENTS		PASTOR DAVID
OPENING PRAISE	<i>"I'd Rather Have Jesus"</i>	
SCRIPTURE READING	PSALM 46: 1 - 11	PASTOR DAVID
OPENING PRAYER		PASTOR DAVID
PRAISE	<i>"Wonderful Merciful Savior" "True Worship Song" "You're Worthy of My Praise"</i>	
WE WORSHIP IN GIVING		
OFFERTORY	<i>"Dwell"</i>	
PRAYER OF ADORATION		SUSAN COHO
SHARING GOD'S PEACE (GREETING ONE ANOTHER)		
SHARING "VBS CAMP EDGE"		HILARY HENDERSON
JOYS & CONCERNS		PASTOR DAVID
PASTORAL PRAYER		PASTOR DAVID
SCRIPTURE READING	MARK 6: 14- 29	
SERMON	<i>"Where Do You Stand?"</i> PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON	
COMMUNION		PASTOR DAVID
COMMUNION SONG	<i>"Holy"</i>	
CLOSING PRAISE	<i>"Seek Ye First"</i>	
BENEDICTION		PASTOR DAVID
RECESSIONAL	<i>"He Is Jehovah"</i>	

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*"Every member a missionary"*

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WELCOME WITH NEWS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE "Bouree" G. HANDEL

† CALL TO WORSHIP MELISSA FERRARI

LITURGIST: We are sent into the world to be witnesses of God's love and power.

PEOPLE: **What shall we take with us that all might know Who sent us?**

LITURGIST: The witness of God's love and mercy and grace in our lives.

PEOPLE: **Will that be enough as others offer the things of the world?**

LITURGIST: There is no greater message than that of God's love that made us whole.

ALL: **Blessed be the name of the Lord!**

† HYMN NO. 103 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

TIME OF CELEBRATIONS FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - "CAMP E.D.G.E."

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

PASTOR: Let us join in our prayer of confession together:

ALL: **Lord, so often we have received Your restoring Word but feared to pass it on. Too often we have only received Your life-changing Good News and failed also to be Your messengers, or we have accepted Your blessings and ignored the responsibilities to share Your love with the world. Forgive us, Lord, and help us to witness boldly of Your love today. In Christ we pray. Amen.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND PARDON

PASTOR: Hear these words of assurance, God is quick to forgive. God's love is steadfast and true. In the name of Jesus Christ, you have been forgiven.

SPECIAL MUSIC "Passepied" P. LACOME

JOY AND CONCERNS FOR THANKSGIVING AND PRAYER

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.***

OFFERTORY "He Lifted Me" C. GABRIEL

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 MARK 6: 14 - 29 MELISSA FERRARI

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

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON "Where Do You Stand?" PASTOR DAVID

† AFFIRMATION OF FAITH NO. 882

† HYMN NO. 529 "How Firm A Foundation"

† BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Ode To Joy" L. BEETHOVEN

\*\*PLEASE REMAIN SEATED AND ENJOY THE POSTLUDE



**Bring a friend!**

Junior High & High School meet **Wednesdays at 7 PM** in our youth lounge (215) led by Mike & Linda Herber.

**Men's Bible Study**

Meet with us **Mondays at 7 PM** in room 215 – off until July 20th.

**Morning Bible Study**

Meets **Fridays at 8:30 AM** in the Library. All are welcome! We will be off *July and August*. Join us again in September!

**Women's Bible Study**

**Sunday morning at 9:30 AM** in 215 our women are "*Walking With God*", in a book by John Eldridge.

**Intercessory Prayer**

**Thursday mornings at 10 AM** in the library. **All are welcome!**

**Women of Prayer**

Pray with this non-denominational group of dedicated women at **7 PM** on **Mondays** in the Sanctuary.

**Outside Support Groups**

**Debtor's Anonymous**

**Mondays at 6 PM**- MMR

**Al-Anon & Ala-Teen**

**Mondays at 7:30 PM** - MMR and 211.

**Alzheimer's Care-Giver**

**1st Wednesday** of each month at **1PM** - MMR.

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\*UNDERLINED DENOTES CHILDCARE IS AVAILABLE

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**SUNDAY—7/12**

Coffee Hour –JOY CIRCLE

**Join us for TODAY for**

**Music For A Sunday Afternoon**

**at 3 PM in the Sanctuary**

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study

10:30 AM Traditional Worship

**MONDAY — 7/13**

10:00 AM UMW Steering (MMR)

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study (215)

- is off until July 20<sup>th</sup>.

Women of Prayer (S)

**TUESDAY — 7/14**

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)

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

7:00 PM Trustees (MMR)

**WEDNESDAY — 7/15**

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)

2:00 PM **“Traveling Light” Bible Study (MMR)**

6:00 PM **“Traveling Light” Bible Study (MMR)**

7:00 PM UM Youth Group

**THURSDAY - 7/16**

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)

10:00 AM Intercessory Prayer (L)

7:00 PM Finance (P/S)

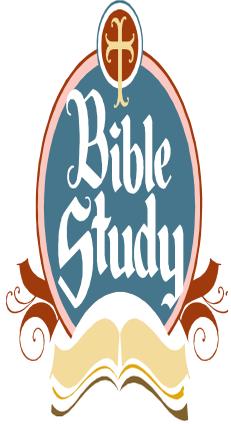
**FRIDAY —7/17**

8:30 AM Weekly AM Bible Study (L)

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**SATURDAY — 7/18**

6:00 PM Praise Team Rehearse (S)



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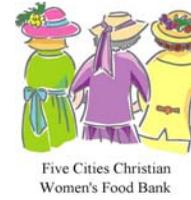
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**Five Cities Christian Women Food Bank** monthly luncheon will be July 13 at Noon at St. Patrick's Church, 501 Fair Oaks Ave., Arroyo Grande. John Lindsey, from PG&E will speak. Bring a dish to share and your own tableware. There is no charge. Contact: 481-2877



**Music for a Sunday Afternoon** Enjoy an afternoon of pop hits, Oldies, and light classical selections, in the Sanctuary, **TODAY AT 3 PM**. Polly Monson's "Flute Quartet" and Don Gugelers' "Sax on the Beach" will perform this free will offering concert. Intermission will provide a time to mingle with the musicians while enjoying refreshments. We hope to see you there! Bring a friend!



**Habitat for Humanities Update** *Kindred Spirits*, is sponsoring a concert to be held at **3 PM** at **St. John's Lutheran Church in Arroyo Grande** on **Sunday, July 26** in support of this building project. Many wonderful singers/musicians in the area (including "Kindred Spirits,") have volunteered to participate in the concert. All the proceeds from this concert will go to Habitat to help build these new homes in Grover Beach.



Thank you to Staff-Parish and congregation for your kind words and/or the delicious cakes as you welcomed me back to begin my second year as your Pastor last Sunday. I am honored and thankful to be here as we celebrate the past, our present and anticipate our future looking forward to what the Lord will lead us as we seek "To Be Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World" ~Pastor David

# PRAYERS AND THANKSGIVING

12 JULY 2009 –SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

- † Pray for members of our congregation who are dealing with spiritual, emotional and physical problems. We lift up their burdens.
- † God grant our country's leaders and its people wisdom and discernment.
- † Hold Pastor Burgeson in prayer for continued wisdom and discernment.
- † Prayer for victims of natural disasters and for those seeking employment.
- † Prayers for comfort and healing for Eileen Thurman who had eye surgery.
- † Prayer for comfort and Healing for Barbara Reineke who had another surgery this week in San Francisco.
- † Irene Kliesch asks prayers for her neighbor Raul De Mello who is recovering from pancreatic surgery and will be having further tests.
- † Peg Gallop asks prayers for her grand-daughter, Brook who had surgery on her esophagus and stomach.
- † Prayers for healing for Yvonne Holt who fell last week.
- † Congratulations Bob & Vel Lowry with the birth of their new great-grandchild.
- † Prayer for Leona Beerup who had knee surgery this week.
- † Maddy Quaglino is home recovering after surgery. Prayers for healing.
- † Prayer for Bud Julian and family with the passing of his wife, Madeline.
- † Prayer for comfort for Dick DeBruyn after his surgery at Sierra Vista this week.
- † Mary Thronson asks prayer for Bill Strausberg and family in coping with the difficulties of cancer.
- † The McClures ask prayer for their Autistic grandson, Fenton, who has developed seizures. Prayers for his mother Valerie.
- † Dian O'Lear who has health problems.

## **WE CURRENTLY 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, the Cochrans, LeAnna Gainer, Cheryl McKibben, Linda Archibald, Rose Marie Bailey, Pastor Rhodenbacker, Donna Cowles, the Hammonds, Jerry Smith, Isabella Sloan, Esther Miller, Pastor Ron Salisbury, Melinda Marchiano, Yvonne Holt, Sean Lehman, Mary Kelleher, Betty David, Vikki Poh-Eikom, Miranda Bosley, Ruby Weddell, Lynn Foster, Rick Ventura, Rose Haupt, Dr. Frank M. Witman, Susan Trivitt, Enrique Quintana, and Cecelia Lee. **Continue to lift up church family who are unable to attend services. Members in Care Facilities:** Lois Fry and Bob Atwood. **Shut-In members:** Doris Rice, the Houldings, the DeVos, Dell McCracken, Wayne Frisby, Betty Bailes, Stan Lundahl, Mary Fernamburg, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, Hershel Whitefield, and Doris Kielan.

# STAFF & WORSHIP LEADER

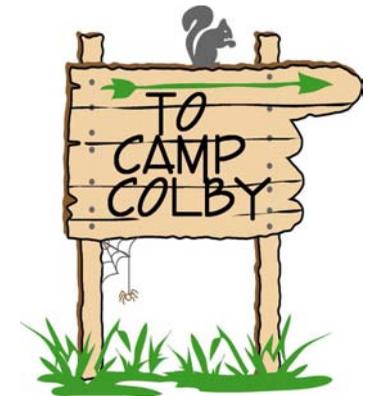
12 JULY 2009 - 10:30AM SERVICE

- SENIOR PASTOR: REVEREND DAVID M. 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 & Linda Herber
- DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: Hilary Henderson
- AG UM CHILDREN'S CENTER DIRECTOR: Maddy Quaglino
- LAY LEADER: Marj Cawelti
- CHURCH OFFICE STAFF:
  - ADMINISTRATOR/NEWSLETTER: Sarah Gandy-Barber
  - BOOKKEEPER: Victoria Gandy
- ORGANIST: Don McGuire
- PUPPET DIRECTORS: Willy Ford & Mike Herber
- LECTOR CHAIRS: Rebeca Avila & Toni Harvey
- LITURGIST(S): Melissa Ferrari
- ACOLYTE MOMS: Nikki Raetz & Lorie Ford
- BIBLE BEARER: Our church youth
- OUR ACOLYTE(S): Our church youth
- HOSTS & GREETER CHAIR: Del Hollinger
- HOSTS & GREETERS: Our church family
- USHER CHAIRS: Morrie Gregory & Dick Melsheimer
- IN SERVICE: ALL OF OUR MEMBERS

## COVENANT MISSIONARY:

Judy Atwood in Kansas

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