

First United Methodist Church

275 NORTH HALCYON ROAD IN ARROYO GRANDE, CA 93420

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8:30 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR 24 JANUARY 2010

3RD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

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

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

† DENOTES STANDING IF YOU ARE ABLE

WELCOME PASTOR DAVID

OPENING PRAISE *My Redeemer Lives*

† SCRIPTURE READING ISAIAH 44: 6 – 8 PASTOR DAVID

† OPENING PRAYER

PRAISE *The Lord Is My Strength and Song*
Jehovah
We Fall Down

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING

OFFERTORY *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*

PRAYER OF ADORATION SUSAN COHO

SHARING GOD'S PEACE (*GREETING ONE ANOTHER*)

JOYS & CONCERNS – PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING I CORINTHIANS 12: 12 - 31 MIKE HERBER

SERMON *Servanthood and Giftedness*
PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESON

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE I CORINTHIANS 11:23 – 26 IN UNISON

COMMUNION SONG *Your Blood Says Everything*

† CLOSING PRAISE *Thru It All*

† BENEDICTION PASTOR DAVID

RECESSIONAL *All My Days*

The Bulletin Board

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Board of Trustees

UMM All-Church Pancake Breakfast

Thank you!!

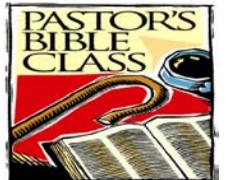
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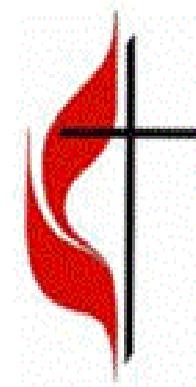
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10:30 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR 24 JANUARY 2010 3RD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

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. Please ask an usher about the hearing devices and large print bulletins made available for your convenience. Nursery care is also available for children under the age of 2.

† DENOTES STANDING IF YOU ARE ABLE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *A Sonnet*
E. GRANADOS, *composer*

CHORAL INTROIT

† CALL TO WORSHIP

MEN: The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul.
WOMEN: **The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple.**

MEN: The precepts of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart.
WOMEN: **The commands of the Lord are radiant, giving light to the eyes.**

MEN: The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever.
WOMEN: **The ordinances of the Lord are sure, and all of them are righteous.**

ALL: They are more precious than gold, than much pure gold. They are sweeter than honey, than honey from the honeycomb. May these words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, Lord, my Rock and Redeemer.

† HYMN NO. 368 *My Hope Is Built*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER

PASTOR: Let us join together in this prayer.
ALL: **Jesus our Lord took a towel, not an army, not a galaxy, not riches or gold, not a star or a planet, but a towel. Jesus took a towel and went about with it to serve and help and heal. His towel was a towel of love. He used that towel, too; he wore it out. We, too, take a towel, but we like to keep it new and clean and fresh. In our Lord's name. Amen.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, too. God's Spirit is working in my life and as I live, work, and serve, I sense new life and new energy. Through God's great Spirit, we now move forward, refreshed and forgiven.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Jesu The Joy of Man's Desiring*

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.

OFFERTORY *Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*
W. THOMPSON, *composer*

† 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 1 CORINTHIANS 12:12 - 31 VIRGINIA MOTHESS
LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.
PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *Servanthood and Giftedness*
PASTOR DAVID BURGESSON

† HYMN NO. 593 *Here I Am Lord*

† BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE *Triumphal March*
R. GRIEG, *composer*

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Scheduled This Week:

TODAY – 1/24

- 3rd Sunday After Epiphany

MONDAY – 1/25

TUESDAY – 1/26

- 6:30 PM SPRC (L)
- 7:30 PM Charge Conference (MMR)

WEDNESDAY – 1/27

- 2 PM & 6 PM Pastor's Study (MMR)

THURSDAY – 1/28

FRIDAY- 1/29

SATURDAY – 1/30

- 9:00 AM Membership Class (MMR)
- 6:30 PM Praise Team Rehearsal (S)

ABBREVIATION LEGEND

MMR	McMillen Room
CH	Criswell Hall
K	Kitchen
S	Sanctuary
N	Narthex
P/S	Pastor's Study

WEEKLY AT UMC OF AG

SUNDAY SCHOOL/BIBLE STUDY

Sundays immediately following the 8:30 AM worship service in the McMillen Room

WOMEN OF PRAYER

Mondays at 7 PM in the sanctuary.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Mondays at 7 PM in room 215.

THE SEW 'N' SEWS

Tuesdays in the McMillen Room at 9 AM.

SENIOR EXERCISE GROUP

Tuesday-Thursday in Criswell Hall at 8:30 AM.

GRANDE RINGERS – HANDBELL CHOIR

Tuesdays & Thursdays at 5 PM in room 115 directed by Leonard Lutz.

CHANCEL CHOIR

Wednesdays at 7 PM in the sanctuary directed by Julie Walters.

UM YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday evenings, join the Junior & Senior High at 7 PM in room 215 with the Herbers.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP

Thursdays at 10 in the library. Join us!

MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Fridays at 8:30 AM in the Library.

THE LORD'S CREW – PRAISE TEAM

Every other Saturday at 6:30 PM in the sanctuary directed by Susan Coho.

DEBTOR'S ANONYMOUS

Mondays at 6 PM in the McMillen Room.

AL-ANON & ALA-TEEN

Mondays at 7:30 PM in the McMillen Room & room 211.

ALZHEIMER'S CARE-GIVER SUPPORT

2nd Wednesday & 3rd Friday at 1 PM in the McMillen Room.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

2nd Tuesday at 6 PM in the McMillen Room.

Prayers and Thanksgiving

24 January 2010—Third Sunday After Epiphany

"And whatever you ask for in prayer, believing, you will receive." Matthew 21:22

- Prayer for those suffering after national disasters – especially those in Haiti.
- Pray for the members of our congregation who are dealing with spiritual, emotional and physical problems. We lift up their burdens.
- God grant our nation's leaders and its people wisdom & discernment.
- Hold our Pastors in prayer.
- Praise! Peg Gallop's great-grand-daughter, Brooke is now home.
- Prayers those out of work and in need of a job: Nikki Raetz, Gary Walters.
- Melissa Ferrari asks prayers for Connie Tuddick who has cancer.
- Joel Anderson is feeling better and gives thanks for prayers for his mother.
- Prayers for Jody's mother who is in poor health.
- Praise Ann Williamson is feeling much better and returned to work.
- We prayerfully request that all members of the congregation consider God's individual calling in serving on committees in our church.
- Continued prayer for Wendell Curry who is in French Hospital with pneumonia. He gives thanks for all of the cards, prayers and concern.
- Lorie Ford's friend Mike had surgery. Prayers for rapid recovery. Also, prayers for her neighbor Gloria for healing.
- The Gainer's friend, Al Lopez, has cancer. Prayer for comfort and healing.
- Praise! Abigail Cole, 5 1/2 year old had successful brain surgery.
- Neil Prestemon asks prayer for his mother, Marilyn, who will undergo a knee replacement and therapy on January 31st.
- Pray for families of UMCOR members/volunteers who were injured then died in Haiti's recent earthquake.

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 in the military and their families.** **Continue to pray for:** Our church family & friends, the UM youth, Wil Ogden, Jennifer Gandy and family, the Caweltis, the Cochrans, LeAnna & Adam Gainer, Cheryl McKibben, Linda Archibald, The Baileys, Pastor Rhodenbacker, Donna Cowles, the Hammonds, Jerry Smith, Isabella Sloan, Esther Miller, Pastor Ron Salisbury, Melinda Marchiano, Yvonne Holt, Sean Lehman, Mary Kelleher, Vikki Poh-Eikom, Miranda Bosley, Ruby Weddell, Lynn Foster, Rick Ventura, Dr. Frank M. Witman, Susan Trivitt, Cecelia Lee, Fenton McClure, Kent Brown, Roy Lewis, the Bucktons, Amy Gerrish-Bennett, Everett Bollinger, Paul DeMello, Steve Ross, and the Black Family. **Lift up Our Members in Care**
Facilities: Bob Atwood, Bob Woods, Mary Patterson and Stan Lundahl. **Remember our Shut-in members:** Doris Rice, the Houldings, the DeVos, Dell McCracken, Wayne Frisby, Mary Fernamburg, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, and Hershel Whitefield.

STAFF & WORSHIP LEADERS

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SENIOR PASTOR: REVEREND DAVID M. BURGESON

MINISTER OF VISITATION: Reverend J. Harold Headrick

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LAY LEADER: Marj Cawelti

ORGANIST: Don McGuire

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LECTOR CHAIRS: Rebeca Avila &

Toni Harvey

LITURGIST (S): ACOLYTE MOMS:

Niki Raetz & Lorie Ford

BIBLE BEARER: Our Church Youth

OUR ACOLYTE (S): Our Church Youth

HOSTS & GREETER CHAIR: Del Hollinger

HOSTS & GREETERS: Our Church Family

IN SERVICE: OUR CHURCH FAMILY

COVENANT MISSIONARY:

Judy Atwood in Kansas

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God...
has appointed
a time for
every matter,
and for every
work.

Ecclesiastes 3:17

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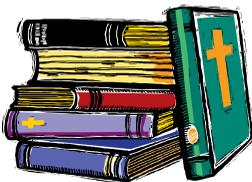
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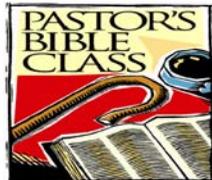
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Souper Bowl Sunday



Souper Bowl of Caring Our UM Youth are at it again!! We are collecting cans and non-perishables (including tuna, peanut butter, cereal, etc.) to give to the Five Cities Christian Women's Food Bank. Please notice the LARGE bin in Criswell Hall we have arranged for collection **now thru February 7th** (which is **Super Bowl Sunday**). Ask our Youth group members how you **can** help!

A great way to meet people! If you enjoy welcoming and greeting people to our church, we NEED You!!! There are openings for greeters/ushers for our **10:30 AM** service. If you would like to take part in this — contact Del Hollinger through the church office, see an usher, or mark your interest on the registration pad.



2010 Church Calendar The Calendar for 2010 is complete. **Many of the regular groups and committees have not turned in their forms for dates and room reservations.** Please contact the Church office to be sure that YOU have your dates correct on the calendar. THANK YOU!!!

Christian Counseling at UMC of AG We have added a new ministry, please welcome Carol Gandy, who will offer a variety of counseling services to our church and our community. Pick-up a brochure in the Narthex or church office.



Membership Class

New Members Class will be held **30 January 2010 at 9 AM** with Pastor Harold Headrick. Those who have a desire to become a member can join us in the McMillen Room as we learn what it is to be a part of United Methodist Church in fellowship with Christ and our church family.

Thank You! We have collected over \$2,000 for the people of Haiti and a check will be sent directly to UMCOR, for Haiti. Please mark Haiti on your check and place it in the offering plate. For more information see the bulletin insert. Our prayers are with the people of Haiti!

