

First United Methodist Church

275 NORTH HALCYON ROAD IN ARROYO GRANDE, CA 93420

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8:30 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR 4 APRIL 2010 EASTER SUNDAY

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

WORSHIP IS LED BY *THE LORD'S CREW*

† DENOTES STANDING IF YOU ARE ABLE

WELCOME		PASTOR DAVID
OPENING PRAISE	<i>Victory Chant</i>	
† SCRIPTURE READING	JOHN 3: 13 - 17	PASTOR DAVID
† OPENING PRAYER		
PRAISE	<i>Hallelujah! Jesus Is Alive! There Is A Redeemer O Lord You're Beautiful</i>	
WE WORSHIP IN GIVING		
OFFERTORY	<i>To Him Who Sits On The Throne</i>	
PRAYER OF ADORATION		SUSAN COHO
SHARING GOD'S PEACE (<i>GREETING ONE ANOTHER</i>)		
JOYS & CONCERNS WITH CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER		PASTOR DAVID
SCRIPTURE READING	JOHN 20:1 -18	MIKE HERBER
SERMON	<i>Resurrection of Our Lord</i> PASTOR DAVID BURGESON	
COMMUNION SCRIPTURE	1 CORINTHIANS 11:23 - 26	IN UNISON
INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE		PASTOR DAVID
COMMUNION SONG	<i>Worthy Is The Lamb</i>	
† CLOSING PRAISE	<i>Jesus, Loves Me; Amazing Grace Medley</i> SPECIAL VOCALS BY SADIE BARBER & IRIDIAN NUNEZ	
† BENECTION		PASTOR DAVID
RECESSIONAL	<i>Nothing But The Blood</i>	

The Bulletin Board



"Happy Easter to our church family!"

From the Children's Sunday School

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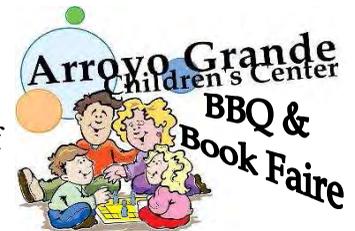
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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CHORAL INTROIT *The Bells Of Easter*

† CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Shepherding God, be with us to guide us in this time of worship.

MANY: **Here we are gathered to celebrate Easter joy and to refresh our spirits.**

ONE: We have come as many people with diverse values, gifts and experiences.

MANY: **We have come to be united as one people forged by faith in our risen Lord.**

ONE: As we care for each other and cherish our differences,

MANY: **We celebrate new life in our risen Lord and draw even closer together in this time of worship.**

ONE: Christ is Risen!

MANY: **Christ is Risen Indeed! Alleluia!**

† HYMN NO. 302 *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today (verses 1-4)*

BAPTISM OF *Daisey Shariah Paredes*

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE PAGE 44 (IN HYMNAL)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

EASTER PRAYER (IN UNISON)

We gather, O God, in your presence to rejoice in the light of the empty tomb. The stone has been rolled away both from the mouth of the tomb and from the depths of our hearts. We have learned to live in the power of the risen Christ. We have grown daily in the presence of our risen Savior.

Some of us, however, have joined us today after a long winter of the soul. We have struggled to breathe in the chill wind of adversity. We have been unable to grow anything in the barren fields of doubt and fear. We have trembled and shivered as we have struggled to sense the warmth of your love. We come to the empty tomb with an expectant hope in our hearts and the prayer of faith on our lips. We are confident that you are about to do a new thing, O God. We believe that the stone which we struggle to move ourselves, is about to be blown out of its ruts. We look for an encounter with the risen Christ, and to that end we bow in worship, and worship in wonder, and wonder in faith, and have faith in you. Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM *See, What A Morning*

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERTORY

† 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 20:1-18

VIRGINIA MOTHE

LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Resurrection of the Lord

PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (SEE INSERT)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

† HYMN NO. 364 *Because He Lives*

† BENEDICTION

† CHORAL RESPONSE

Hallelujah Chorus FROM HANDEL'S *MESSIAH*

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN IN SINGING AND IF

YOU WOULD LIKE JOIN OUR CHOIR IN THE CHANCEL AREA.

POSTLUDE



TODAY - 4/4



MONDAY - 4/5

TUESDAY - 4/6

- **7 PM** Trustees Meet. (MMR)

WEDNESDAY - 4/7

- **9 AM** EOC Senior Health Screening (N/L)
- **6:30 PM** AG UM CC Open House

THURSDAY - 4/8

- **12 PM** Esther Circle (MMR)

FRIDAY - 4/9

SATURDAY - 4/10

- **6:30 PM** Praise Team Rehearsal (S)

SUNDAY 4/11

Children's Center Sunday
and BBQ
3 PM by The SLO County Band
Benefit Concert

ABBREVIATION LEGEND

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL/BIBLE STUDY

In the MMR immediately following the **8:30 AM** worship service

WOMEN OF PRAYER

Mondays at 7 PM in the sanctuary.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Mondays at 7 PM in room 215.

CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

Monday - Wednesday from 1 - 7 PM in the Library. Contact Carol Gandy at 234-4715

THE SEW 'N' SEWS

Tuesdays in the MMR at **9 AM**.

SENIOR EXERCISE GROUP

Tuesday-Thursday in CH 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.

A TOUCH OF BEAUTY - TIME FOR WOMEN

Women meet monthly in the MMR on the **third Friday at 7 PM** - Join us!

DEBTOR'S ANONYMOUS

Mondays at 6 PM - MMR.

AL-ANON & ALATEEN

Mondays at 7:30 PM - MMR & room 211.

ALZHEIMER'S CARE-GIVER SUPPORT

2nd Wednesday & 3rd Friday at 1 PM - MMR.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

2nd Tuesday at 6 PM in the McMillen Room.

Please be Praying for...

4 APRIL 2010

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

- Those suffering after natural disasters.
- Members and friends of our congregation who are dealing with spiritual, emotional and physical problems. We lift up their burdens.
- Our nation's leaders & its people. May God grant wisdom & discernment.
- Lift high our Pastors and their families in prayer.
- **Comfort and Healing for:**
 - ~ LeAnna Gainer is shoeing signs of rejecting her liver transplant.
 - ~ The Wilding Family with John's passing.
 - ~ The Sloan Family with Ron's passing.
 - ~ Jerry Smith whose cancer is active.
 - ~ Kay Walker's bother who has health problems.
 - ~ The Gerrish family on the passing of Bill's father.
 - ~ Ruby Weddell's daughter, Zanee, has a blood infection.
 - ~ Roma Videl for good test results from a biopsy.
 - ~ The Stanley/Russell family with the passing of Ginger.
 - ~ Mary Johnson and family with the passing of Jim.
 - ~ Adeline's friend is having tests done.
- **Praise God!**
 - ~ Bodie Bennett came home this week.
 - ~ Pauline Castillo new great-grand daughter, Alana Michelle Johnson

Our Covenant missionary: Judy Atwood—Regional Mission Interpreter

Remember in prayer: Our missionaries serving God around the world; the leaders of our country; leaders and the people of other nations. 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, Donna Cowles, the Hammonds, Jerry Smith, Isabella Sloan, Esther Miller, Pastor Ron Salisbury, 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, Paul DeMello, Steve Ross, Bob & Marjorie Walrath, Mary Lou Fink, and the Black Family. **Lift up Our Members in Care Facilities:** Bob Atwood, Bob Woods, Mary Patterson, and Wayne Frisby. **Remember our Shut-In members:** Doris Rice, the Houldings, the DeVos, Dell McCracken, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, Hershel Whitefield, and Stan Lundahl.

HE IS NOT HERE;

He is RISEN!

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EASTER SUNDAY

SENIOR PASTOR:

REVEREND DAVID M. BURGESON

MINISTER OF VISITATION:

Reverend J. Harold Headrick

CHURCH OFFICE STAFF:

ADMINISTRATOR/NEWSLETTER LAYOUT EDITOR: Sarah Gandy-Barber

BOOKKEEPER: Victoria Gandy

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

ADULT CHRISTIAN ED. DIRECTOR: Sandra Sawyer

AG UM CHILDREN'S CENTER DIRECTOR: Maddy Quaglino

LAY LEADER: Bud Johnson

ORGANIST: Don McGuire

PUPPET DIRECTOR: Mike Herber

LECTOR CHAIRS: Rebeca Avila & Toni Harvey

LITURGIST (S): Virginia Mothes

ACOLYTE MOMS: Niki Raetz & Lorie Ford

BIBLE BEARER: Our Church Family

ACOLYTE (S): Our Church Youth

HOSTS /GREETER CHAIR: Del Hollinger

GREETERS & USHERS: Church family

IN SERVICE: Our Church Family

COVENANT MISSIONARY: Judy Atwood



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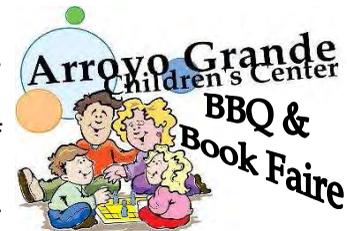
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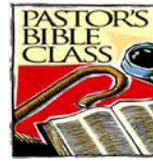
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REMINDER ON Pastor's Wednesday Study Please make a note that the Pastor's study on Adam Hamilton's book *24 Hours: That Changed The World* will end this week on 4/7. Be sure to watch future publications for the new book study!

Congratulate Yourselves! Give yourselves a big pat on the back. YOU did it! Our pledges are back on track. As of 4/21 we were - \$5,708. You all have faithfully brought that number down substantially to \$-305. Praise the Lord for his faithful servants!



UMM News To Know

- **Breakfast Meeting** will be at the Santa Maria Museum of Flight at the Santa Maria Airport. Join us there at 10:30 AM. This will be a great time!

A Touch of Beauty You are invited for a time of relaxation by candlelight with warm fellowship and sweet testimony. The 3rd Friday of each month (this month, **April 16th**) at **7 PM** in the **MMR**. We will praise the Lord in song, through interactive fun, as we learn more about God's Word. Warm fellowship and sweet testimony. Bring a friend - You will leave refreshed and strengthened!



Adult Sunday School example in these 8 essential steps.

New Adult Sunday School Class Beginning April 18, you won't want to miss this new study on *The Jesus Priorities—8 Essentials* by Chris Maricle. These are simple principles that Jesus practiced in his life here on earth. As followers of Christ we follow his





Alleluia!

Christ is Risen!

4 April 2010

Thank you to those who so generously donated lilies to help beautify our sanctuary this Easter. Some of the lilies have been delivered to the shut-in members of our congregation and were so delighted to receive these gifts. Many thanks to the willing servants who volunteered their time to remind these church family members that they are in our thoughts and prayers.

Names listed below are in no particular order.