



First United Methodist Church
of Arroyo Grande

Worship Celebration for 8:30 AM - 29 July 2012

9th Sunday of Pentecost

Welcome as we celebrate this Lord's day with us!

** Ask about our Nursery Care & Children's Sunday School*

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor David Opening

Praise

Get Up Mule

† *Scripture Reading*

Habakkuk 3:17-17

Pastor David

† *Opening Prayer*

David

Pastor

Praise

Are You Washed in the Blood

O How I Love Jesus

When the Roll is Called Up Yonder

Prayer of Adoration

Susan Coho

** * Children will be dismissed following our prayer to go to their Bible class.*

Prayer as We Worship in Going

Pastor

David

Offertory Song

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

We Share God's Peace (Greet Those Around You)

Sharing Joys and Concerns with Pastoral Prayer

Pastor David

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 3:14-19

Mike Herber

Message

"Sanctifying Grace"

Pastor David M. Burgeson

Communion Scripture

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

On Unison

Communion Song

Old Rugged Cross

† *Benediction Song*

The Lord Bless Thee

Pastor David

† *Recessional*

Round Up in Glory

SERMON NOTES

WEEK # 4



We invite you to use this space to take notes sermon series about:

The Grace of God

*Join Pastor David M. Burgeson
as he shares today's sermon entitled:*

A large spiral-bound notebook with lined pages, intended for taking notes during the sermon.



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WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR DAVID

ONLY SON HE HAS SHOWN US TO WHAT LENGTH HE WILL GO TO REDEEM US. BY HIS SPIRIT WORKING IN US AND AMONG US, GOD OFFERS TO ALL WHO TRULY SEEK IT, A NEW AND ABUNDANT LIFE. AMEN.

PRELUDE

A Time of Worship (S. Landon)

† CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: GOD GIVES US ONE DAY AT A TIME;

MANY: *Long enough for laughter to follow any tears;*

ONE: DEEP ENOUGH FOR PRAYER AND SILENCE TO DANCE TOGETHER;

MANY: *Time enough to help someone in need;*

ONE: PLENTY OF TIME TO NOTICE BEAUTY AND PRAISE THE MAKER;

MANY: *Sufficient time to build a bridge of forgiveness or tear down a wall of resentment;*

ONE: THE RIGHT TIME TO EMBRACE FRIENDS, SMILE AT STRANGERS, PLAY WITH CHILDREN, SING AND PRAISE TO GOD..

MANY: *Praise God for this day we are given.*

† HYMN NO. 384

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

CHILDREN'S TIME

Puppet People

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ONE: *Summons to Confession: Sin is knowing better. Confession of sin is admitting to God that we do know better and asking God for strength to do better. Today I shall ask you to offer your personal confession to God in complete silence. Some of you may wish to confess your true feelings about a person you are supposed to love but do not really love. Others may want to confess a failure of nerve: a time when you played it safe when you knew that you should speak up, protest, propose an alternative. All of us, I am sure, will find something to confess, something very specific, something of which we are truly ashamed. Let us join in silent confession..*

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND PARDON

PASTOR DAVID

ONE: GOD KNOWS THAT WE KNOW BETTER. HIS FORBEARANCE IS DIVINE, THE STORE OF HIS FORGIVENESS INEXHAUSTIBLE. BY THE GIFT OF HIS

SPECIAL MUSIC

On Christ Alone

Ann Smith, soloist

JOYS AND CONCERNS WITH PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

PASTOR DAVID

PRAYER FOR THE GIVING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

PASTOR DAVID

OFFERTORY

Lowly Kneeling (M. Dexter)

† DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE READING *Ephesians 3:14-19*

PASTOR DAVID: *This is the word of the Lord.*

PEOPLE: *Thanks be to God.*

SERMON

Sanctifying Grace

PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESON

† HYMN NO. 462

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

† BENEDICTION

PASTOR DAVID

POSTLUDE

Our Heritage (J. Rasley)



Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.

Prayers and Praise - 29 July 2012

Recently On Need, Please Pray For:

- Bob Woods passed away and - Services will be Aug. 25 at 11 A.M.
- Peggy Gainer is under hospice and has returned to their home. Visitors welcome, but please call first.
- Katie, a friend of Jan Treat, has developed heart problems from chemo.
- Laura Ewick's daughter has brain cancer and she has gone to be with her. Granddaughter is also in the hospital.
- Bob Atwood is back at Mission View
- Arlen Petersen, friend of Pastor David passed away, prayers for the family at this special time.
- Cristy Eichelberger is asking for prayers for finding a job.
- Mike Johnson, Jr.'s Wife Michell had an aunt pass away.
- Will Ogden (Sarah's Brother) needs prayer for throat biopsy.
- Ellie Doud's gymnastic teacher's husband died suddenly, asking for prayers for Kelly Reed and her family.

Praise Reports—God is Good!

- Laura Ewick praises for lettering her fall and not break anything

UMC of AQ's Covenant Missionary: Frido Kinkotenge (Liberia).

Cal-Pac Missionaries in the Field:

Julie & David Elmore (Alaska); John Elmore (Chile); Muriel & Terry Henderson (Mexico); Lorene & David Persons (Congo).

We Remember To Pray For:

Our pastor and his family; our church family & friends, our church youth & children, our church leaders; those in service to God around the world; the

suffering, homeless and hungry; God's peace and justice for the world; our nation's current and future leaders; people suffering after natural disasters; God's peace and salvation through Christ Jesus for the world; our military and their families.

Continue to Life Up On Prayer:

Wil Ogden, the Gandys, the Hammonds, the Paulsons, Sean Lehman, Kent Brown, Fenton McClure, the Bucktons, Sheila Owine, Todd Everett, Eleanor Hughes, Ken Coombs, Isabella Sloan, LeAnna & Adam Gainer, Geri Nolte, Ayleen Melsheimer, the Cochrans, Paul Collagan, Les Bradley, Sharon Woodcock, the Smiths, David Hildebrand, Don McQuire, the Alsums, Mike Douglas, Manuel Sylvester, Ann Williamson, Jan Schnepf.

Those On Care-Facilities: Bob Atwood, Bob Serby, Dnez Kenneaster, Vern Wizemann, Wayne Frisby.

Our Shut-On Members: Doris Rice, Ruby Weddell, Yvonne Holt, Madge Young, Elvon Houlding, Jeanne Jenkins, Donna Truman.



When you submit a prayer request, it is shared with a small group of church volunteers -- real people like you and me. This group (known as the Intercessory Prayer Group) will then, with thoughtful, heart-felt intent, embraces that prayer request and takes it before God the Father.

We invite you to take advantage of the Prayer Book in the Narthex; your request will be lifted up during worship today. The Prayer Request Card in the pew in front of you is another tool. Simply fill it out completely and place it in the offering plate as it passes. Be sure to indicate if your request is to remain private. **We will be praying for you!**

"Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6

The ACTS of Prayer

A simple acronym based on the Lord's Prayer to help us engage in prayer. **ACTS: Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving, and Supplication.**

- Adoration—"Our Father who art in Heaven, Hallowed be thy name." means to worship and acknowledge His majesty; speak to His greatness.
- Confession—"Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors." Here we are to see our sins and agree with God about the things that we have done wrong. During prayer, they will come to our mind for us to seek forgiveness and deal with it to make a resolution where we can. Confess also means to be accountable to one another. We cannot grow closer to God with unconfessed sin.
- Thanksgiving—"For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever." Our prayer life to be centered in gratitude for what he has done for us. Recall where God has been merciful in your life. Understand that he loves us more than we know or can fathom. Have the inward awareness that God has indeed been with you all through the day.
- Supplication—"Give us this day our daily bread...Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil." This is called petition; our most earnest and humble requests before God. It is seeking not only our needs, but the needs of others—depending on Him for EVERY aspect of our lives.

Remember these ministries of the global United Methodist Church in your prayers this week.

July 30:

Batis Center for Women: Women migrant workers and children's empowerment, Quezon City, Philippines

July 31:

United Methodist Youth Dest, Freetown, Sierra Leone

Aug 1:

Southern Africa Youth Network: Leadership development, training and organization, Musgrave, South Africa

Aug 2:

World Council of Churches Youth Desk, Resource development, admin. support and training in the Global South, Geneva, Switzerland

Aug 3:

Agmissions Inc., Gender and development training, New York City, NY

Aug 4:

New Bethlehem Community Center, Augusta, GA



LIBRARY ADDITIONS:

There are some new DVD's in the library, Come in and visit and check one out.

We wish our pastor's family a fun filled and refreshing time the next two weeks as they travel and spend time together as a family.

NOTE:

While they are away if you know of someone in the hospital or need pastoral coverage please call the office and leave a call back number if no one is here. OR you may call Judy on her cell phone: 785-341-5910 for assistance. Judy will be covering in the office next week. However, the following week the church will be tented so please remember you will need to call Judy.

thanks

From all the MS Support Group, thank you for allowing us to meet in your wonderful facility. We offer you a small contribution to use in your community outreach program.

To the scholarship committee and congregation, I would like to thank you for granting me a scholarship once again this year. It will be a great help to buy books and help with other expenses. Seeing a congregation be concerned and involved with the education and futures of young people such as myself is encouraging and inspiring. With all the cost of a university education, the money that I am receiving is a great help and will be put to good use. I would like to thank everyone who made this possible and who believe in my future by supporting me and my education and by allowing me the opportunity to get a head start on paying for all of my college expenses.

Thanks, Libby Russell

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welcome

FIRST TIME VISITOR?

Coffee and Fellowship - *The Perfect Blend*

The Fellowship Blend Coffee Hour is Hosted by:

Endowment Committee

Aug. 5: Mission Team

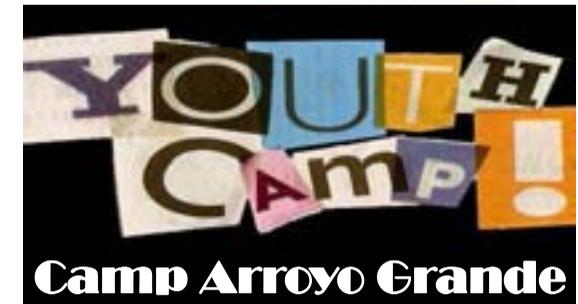
Aug. 12: Golf Circle

Aug. 19: Church Council

THINGS TO DO THIS WEEK

DATE: July 29 - August 4, 2012

- Sermon Discussion Group - TODAY at 9:45 AM (McMillen Room)
- How To Study the Bible - -cancelled tonight
- Men's Bible Study - Mondays at 7 PM (215)
- Women of Prayer - Mondays at 7 PM (S)
- Church Work Day - Wednesdays at 9 AM
- Fellowship Dinner - Wednesdays at 5:15 PM (CH)
- Bible Study - Wednesdays at 6 PM (MMR)
- Kid's Night Out - Wednesdays at 6 PM (CH)
- Youth Group - Wednesdays at 7 PM (215)
- People's Kitchen -Thurs. leave 11:30 a.m.



Camp Arroyo Grande

Keep these young people in prayer as they share their experiences:

Lexi Raeta

Alex Paredes

Sadie Barber

Collin Odom

Mackenzie Gandy

Ryan Odom

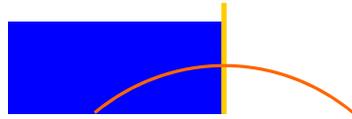
Will Russell

(Sarah Burgeson)

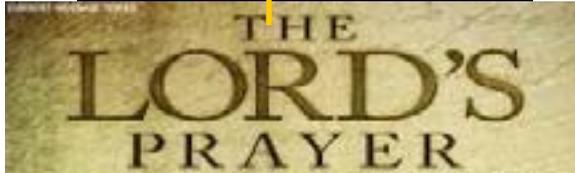


Given by Kay Walker in loving memory of "Boots" and her 72nd wedding anniversary

A \$25 donation prints your dedication in the weekly bulletin—the flowers are yours to enjoy!



Have a great week!
Invite your neighbor
to join us here at
church next week!



A Layman Looks at The Lord's Prayer

We say it every week...

We know it by heart...

It is the 'Lord's Prayer'.

BUT Do we know what it means?

*Plan to attend new Wednesday night study
called,*

A Layman Looks At The Lord's Prayer

*Join us at 6 PM in a study led by our
Adult Christian Ed. Director, Susan Coho,
from August 1st-29th for an insightful look
at Jesus' model prayer from the standpoint
of a layman.*

*Books for this study can be purchased in the
church office (\$10.50).*

Walk To Emmaus

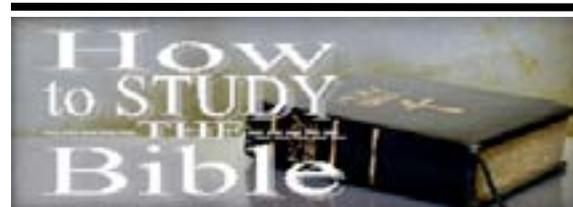


*Keep the upcoming weekend in your
prayer!*

*The Lord is working in the hearts of many,
may He do a mighty work those attending
this Spirit-filled, Christ-centered weekend.
We pray that God will bless each heart for
the obedience and desire to be closer to Him.*

*Please also pray for those from our church
who will be serving on the weekends: Tina
Moore, Pastor David & Sarah Burgeson,
Mary Hawkins, Tom Egan and the several
from the churches through out the Channel
Islands Community*

**Men's Walk—August 2-5
Women's Walk—August 9-12**



**Canceled this week
Come again next week - 6 PM
In the McMillan Room**

*This weekly study is led by:
Mike Herber
Join Us—Bring a friend!*

Sitting at the Master's Feet.

*Larry a while and bask in the
presence of the our Heavenly
Father and His Holy Spirit.*

*August 29th at 6 PM in the McMillen
Room, Mike and Susan Coho will facili-
tate an evening of intimate wor-
ship, acoustic praise, prayer and meditative
devotion.*



UMC of AG



*Church will be tented for termites the week
of August 6-10, 2012.*

*Please mark you calendar and note that
NO EVENTS will be scheduled for
that week. If you have an event on the
calendar, please contact the church office
to reschedule.*

Thank you, The Board of Trustees



The UMC of AG
Team Needs:

**Summer Helpers!
Serving and Transporta-
tion**

*To help, see the Ashtons or to sign-up at
their table in Criswell Hall.*

Five Cities Christian Women

We Still Need Food!!

*Please continue to bring
non-perishables to the basket
in the church Narthex for our Food
Bank ministry.*



*Looking For a
Sport to Play
with Family &
Friends?*

...Like to Bowl?

*The idea has been
kicked around to start a few UMC of AG
Bowling Teams that will meet a couple of
times a month or maybe weekly for some
friendly competition.*

*If this is something you would be interested
in, please contact Sarah Burgeson via the
church office.*