

First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande

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M - F from 9 AM – 1 PM (subject to change)

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Program Tours Daily by appointment ONLY
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AG UM Children's Center

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Jesus is



THE ORIGINAL SUPERHERO

16 June 2013

10:30 AM— Traditional Worship



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16 June 2013—Happy Father’s Day

† DENOTES STANDING IF YOU ARE ABLE

* Worship Music by the Lord’s Crew

Welcome to worship and fellowship today—A special welcome to visitors and guests.

We want to get to know you—join us for coffee after worship in Criswell Hall.

If we can serve you in any way, please let us know.

PLEASE SIGN THE PEW REGISTER—located at the end of each row. Simply check the box if that applies to you and sign your name. Visitors: please fill out the portion on the right completely so that we can send you information about us. Member families: please to fill one section per member.

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES—If you tend to have a hard time hearing pastor during the service, please see an usher before the service about using one of the hearing devices.

Nursery Care available in our church nursery at the end of the courtyard.

Elementary Aged Children are dismissed during worship to their class with their teachers.

Youth Group (grades 6-12) meets during our 10:30 AM worship service.

Welcome and News of the Church	Pastor David
Handbell Introit	Holy, Holy, Holy (arr. by Michael Helman) Grande Ringers
† Scripture Reading	Psalm 5: 1—8 In Unison
Give ear to my words, O Lord, consider my groaning. Heed the sound of my cry for help, my King and my God, for to You I pray. In the morning, O Lord, You will hear my voice; in the morning I will order my prayer to You and eagerly watch. For You are not a God who takes pleasure in wickedness; no evil dwells with You. The boastful shall not stand before Your eyes; You hate all who do iniquity. You destroy those who speak falsehood; the Lord abhors the man of bloodshed and deceit. But as for me, by Your abundant loving-kindness, I will enter Your house, at Your holy temple I will bow in reverence for You. O Lord, lead me in Your righteousness because of my foes; make Your way straight before me.	

Opening Prayer	Pastor David
Handbell Anthem	God of Grace Grande Ringers (arr. By Paul Manc; transcribed for the bells by our own L. G. Lutz)
Praise	Psalm 5 Create In Me A Clean Heart Offering
Prayer of Adoration	** Children are dismissed at this time to their Sunday School class.
Prayer for Tithes and Offerings As We Worship in Giving	Pastor David
Offertory	Doxology
We Share in God’s Peace – Please take a minute to greet those around you.	
Joys and Concerns with Prayers and Thanksgiving	
Pastoral Prayer	Pastor David
Scripture Reading	John 12:24-25; Hebrews 4:15-16; 1 John 4:10 Mike Herber
Message	<u>The Original Superhero—Jesus</u> Pastor David M. Burgeson
Communion Scripture	I Corinthians 11:23-26 In Unison
Communion Song	Speak To Me Lord
† Benediction Song	The Lord Bless Thee Pastor David
† Recessional	Rock of Ages!



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- **REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE** in the booklet located at the end of each row. Please check the box that applies to you and print your name. Visitors: Please write your mailing address. We want to send you welcome information. Members Families: remember to fill in one section per member.
- **HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES** are available, you will find them in the Narthex or ask an usher.
- **Nursery Care** available in our church nursery at the end of the courtyard.
- **Elementary Aged Children** are dismissed during worship to their class with their teachers—Elementary kids are staying in service TODAY for Youth Sunday
- **Youth Group**—6th—12th grade young people meet during 10:30 AM service in the youth lounge.
- **LARGE PRINT Bulletins** are available in the narthex, or ask an usher for assistance.

Welcome and News of the Church Pastor David

Prelude *Be Merciful To Me, O God* (J. S. Bach)

Handbell Introit *Holy, Holy, Holy* (arr. by Michael Helman) Grande Ringers

† **Call To Worship** — Pastor David and Virginia Mothes

** Please stand as you are able*

Voice One: A wise person studies the Word of God,

Voice Two: **The godly keep all of God’s commands.**

Voice One: They cherish God’s teachings.

Voice Two: **The Scripture is in their hearts.**

Voice One: They walk in God’s ways all of their days.

Voice Two: **The godly put their trust in the Lord.**

Voice One: They follow the paths of God, which are always straight.

Voice Two: **Blessed are those who love the Lord.**

Voice One: God delights in the godly, in the one who honor God’s holy name.

** Please remain standing for our opening hymn.*

† **Opening Hymn No. 110** *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

Handbell Anthem *God of Grace* (arr. By Paul Manc; trans. for bells by L. G. Lutz)

Children’s Moment VBS Team

Prayer Virginia Mothes

One: Please join me in our prayer of confession.

Many: **Holy and loving God, we give you thanks for our fathers. For all about them that is kind, generous, dependable and good, we are grateful. For all they have taught us about living with integrity, respect and honor. We thank you. We appreciate the sacrifices they made, the discipline they instilled and the faith they modeled. For their shortcomings and failures, we forgive them and release them to you. Where hurt or wounds have been inflicted, we ask for healing and grace. For those whose fathers have passed on, we ask for the peace of good memories and freedom from regret. For those still living, we ask your blessing upon them this day. For the sake of Christ we pray, Amen.**

Joys and Concerns with Prayers and Thanksgiving

Pastoral Prayer Pastor David

The Lord’s Prayer Sung by Cristy Eichelberger

Prayer for the Giving and Receiving of Our Tithes and Offerings Pastor David

Offertory *Simplicity* (W. Clarke)

† **Doxology**

Scripture Reading John 12:24-25; Hebrews 4:15-16; 1 John 4:10 Virginia Mothes

One: This is the word of the Lord.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

Message **The Original Superhero—Jesus**

Pastor David M. Burgeson

† **Closing Hymn No. 189** *Fairest Lord Jesus*

† **Benediction**

Postlude *A Paean of Praise* (J. Rasley)

JOYS & CONCERNS - 16 JUNE 2013

Please Pray For:

- Health and healing for those in our church family who are battling illness/health issues.
- Comfort for the families of those who have recently lost loved ones.
- The financial welfare and stewardship of our church and its members and friends
- Those affected by recent natural disasters.
- Al Gorsline has throat cancer – cards appreciated. Contact Church office for information.
- Lucy Jacob and Joel Anderson's Aunt Kay is doing well after chemo; Praise God that cancer has not spread to lymph nodes!
- Sharon, friend of Cristy Eichelberger, needs continued prayer for her cancer.
- Safety for Jan Treat as she visits her sister.
- Mary Hawkin's cousin, Jim Mills, had a stroke.
- Melissa Johnson's friend, Terri, has breast cancer and she is not responding to chemo.
- Sadie Barber's friend, Mikayla and her family as they deal with issues and struggle to heal.
- Former member, Bonnie Tieche passed away.
- Geri Ford's infection has cleared up. Will Now have chemo and radiation.
- Cyndee Rohla's friend Kathy, is now under hospice; her brother –in-law passed away.
- Chad who is fighting addiction.
- Gary Hughes' friend, Chrissy is suffering from several mini strokes and is paralyzed on one side. Prayer for recovery; father, Glen fell.
- Pastors Julie and David Elmore are expecting a baby boy in November.
- Laurie of Middleton, OH has lung cancer.
- Stan, friend of Pam Campbell, was diagnosed with leukemia and suffered a heart attack.
- Ann Smith continues to seek employment;
- Vacation Bible School this week!
- Friends of the Burgeson, Kathy & Bruce Wade, whose mother, Martha, is making her final lap in this life.

Praise God for His Goodness and Mercy!

- Mike, Linda and the youth group did a fantastic job leading worship last week!

North District Weekly Covenant Prayer:

- Big Pine: Community UMC—Karen Moore
- Oxnard: St. Pauls UMC - Anna Mulford

Covenant Missionary: Frido Kinkolenge (Liberia)

Cal-Pac Missionaries in the Field:

The Elmores (Alaska), John Elmore (Chile), The Persons (Congo), The Hendersons (Mexico).

Remember in Prayer: Our pastor and his family; our church family and friends; the ministries of this church; our church leaders; those serving God around the world; those who are hungry, displaced, sick or in poverty; those suffering after natural or man-made disasters and for the workers who minister to them; for God's peace and justice for the world; our nation and it's current and future leaders; salvation for the world through Jesus Christ; those serving in the military and their families; the Middle East.

Continue to Pray for: Gladys Paulsen, the Smiths, Sean Lehman, Fenton McClure, Sheila Owine, Ken Coombs, Isabella Sloan, Geri Nolte, Ayleen Melsheimer, Les Bradley, Sharon Woodcock, Tom Egan, Ann Williamson, Mike Douglas, Richard Gainer, Adam Gainer, Wil Ogden, Kathy Schepers, Rick Ventura, John Odom, and Harveys.

In Care Facilities & Shut-in Members:

Bob Atwood, Bob Serby, Wayne Frisby, Doris Rice, Ruby Weddell, Yvonne Holt, Madge Young, Elvon Houlding, Jeanne Jenkins, Donna Truman, Esther Miller, and the Bucktons.



A Calendar of UMC of AG's Events is available in church newsletter or visit our church website at worshipweekly.com!

Join us TODAY for the **UMM Barbeque from 11:30 - 1 PM.**

Tickets \$8 for adults and \$4 for kids 10 and under.

A special "left-over" sale table will be selling un-sold tri-tip and chicken.—take some home!
Tri-Tip \$4 (4 slices), Chicken \$2 (2 quarters) the sale will start at 1:05pm.

We have two arrangements on the Altar TODAY:

"Thank you, Lord, for 58 wonderful years of marriage." - Sam and Karla Jones.

"Happy Birthday to our dad" - Judy Atwood and Cristy Eichelberger

On TODAY's Agenda:

- **Disciple's Discussion Group** – 9:45 AM in the McMillen Room.
- **VBS Set-up** in Criswell Hall at 2 PM. All those with a flair for décor, join us.
- **Sunday Night Bible Study – The Book Of Acts** - 6 PM in the McMillen Room.
- **NOTE:** SPRC meets **NEXT SUNDAY** at noon in the McMillen Room.

Vacation Bible School Starts Monday! *Grab lunch and a change of clothes and come back to help decorate Criswell Hall and go back in time to Athens for Paul's Journey of Faith. This week is for adults and children. Dinner is at 5 PM; program begins at 6 PM.*

Please check with your group on meetings this week due to VBS.

- **Adult Bible Study ALL WEEK to study Paul's Journey** at 6 PM with Nick Ballagh.
- **Women of Prayer** will **NOT** be meeting this week due to VBS, join us for Paul's journey.
- **Men's Bible Study and Prayer**—**NO** meeting this week due to VBS. See you in Athens.
- **Congregational Care Team Meeting**—Tuesday at 10 AM in the Library.
- **Preschool Board**—Tuesday—Open session at 1:30 PM; Closed session at 2:30 PM.
- **JOY Circle**—Tuesday at 7 PM at the home of a member.
- **Senior Exercise** – Wed., Thurs. **ONLY** in the McMillen Room at 8:30 AM.
- **Sew 'n' Sews Quilting Group** – Tuesday at 9 AM in the McMillen Room.
- **All-Church Work Day** – Wednesday at 9 AM - Come and help as you are able.
- **Intercessory Prayer Group** – Thursday at 10 AM in the Library.
- **Morning Bible Study** – Friday at 8:30 AM in the Library.
- **Adult Children of Parents w/ Alzheimer's Support**—Friday at 12 PM in McMillen Room.
- **Vacation Bible School Tear Down**—Saturday at 9 AM. All hands on deck! We need help!
- **Walk To Emmaus Team Building ONE**—Saturday at 9 AM at Ventura UMC.
- **Men's Walk is scheduled for August 1-4; Women's Walk is scheduled for August 8-11.** If you would like to attend this upcoming walk, please see Pastor David or Sarah Burgeson. We would love to share this time at the feet of Jesus with all of our church family.