

# First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande

275 North Halcyon Road  
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## Contact us with any questions!

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

\* Our Senior Pastor is off on Mondays.

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## AG UM Children's Center

Program Tours Daily by appointment ONLY  
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Judy Atwood

### Church Office Administrator:

Sarah Burgeson

### Bookkeeper:

Victoria Gandy

### Website Manager:

Jamie Foster

### Choir Director:

Julie Burns

### Praise Team Director:

Susan Coho

### Organist:

Don McGuire

### Choral Pianist:

Dennis Eiler

### Multi-Media Director:

Mike Coho

### Puppet People, Chair:

Mike Herber

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Susan Coho, Adult

Mike & Linda Herber, Youth

Victoria Gandy, Children

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### Director:

Madrigal Quaglino

### Bookkeeper:

Victoria Gandy



### 1 Peter 1:13-21 (NASB)

<sup>13</sup>Therefore, <sup>[a]</sup>prepare your minds for action, <sup>[b]</sup>keep sober *in spirit*, fix your hope completely on the grace <sup>[c]</sup>to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. <sup>14</sup>As <sup>[d]</sup>obedient children, do not <sup>[e]</sup>be conformed to the former lusts *which were yours* in your ignorance, <sup>15</sup>but <sup>[f]</sup>like the Holy One who called you, <sup>[g]</sup>be holy yourselves also in all *your* behavior; <sup>16</sup>because it is written, "YOU SHALL BE HOLY, FOR I AM HOLY."

<sup>17</sup>If you address as Father the One who impartially judges according to each one's work, conduct yourselves in fear during the time of your stay *on earth*; <sup>18</sup>knowing that you were not <sup>[h]</sup>redeemed with perishable things like silver or gold from your futile way of life inherited from your forefathers, <sup>19</sup>but with precious blood, as of a lamb unblemished and spotless, *the blood* of Christ. <sup>20</sup>For He was foreknown before the foundation of the world, but has appeared <sup>[i]</sup>in these last times for the sake of you <sup>21</sup>who through Him are believers in God, who raised Him from the dead and gave Him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

# 14 July 2013

## 8:30 AM

### Casual Contemporary Worship Service



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“This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.” Psalm 118:24

14 July 2013—Eighth Sunday of Pentecost

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\* *Worship Music by the Lord’s Crew*

Welcome and News of the Church

Pastor David

Opening Praise

*Because He Lives*

† Scripture Reading

John 14:19-21

In Unison

<sup>19</sup> After a little while the world will no longer see Me, but you will see Me; because I live, you will live also. <sup>20</sup> In that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you. <sup>21</sup> He who has My commandments and keeps them is the one who loves Me; and he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and will disclose Myself to him.”

† Opening Prayer

Pastor David

Praise and Worship

*El Shaddai  
I See The Lord  
Breathe*

Prayer of Adoration

Susan Coho

**\*\* Children are dismissed at this time to their Sunday School class.**

Prayer for Tithes and Offerings As We Worship in Giving

Pastor David

Offertory

*How I Love You, Lord*

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

I Peter 1:13-21

Mike Herber

One: This is the word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God.

Message

We Believe

Pastor David M. Burgeson

Communion Scripture

I Corinthians 11:23-26

In Unison

Communion Song

*Your Love, O Lord*

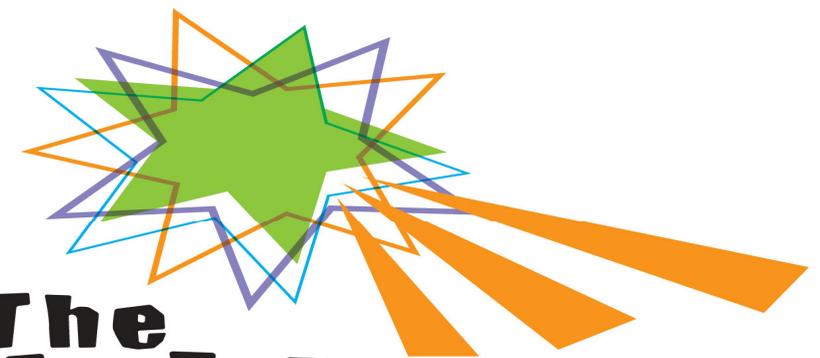
† Benediction Song

*The Lord Bless Thee*

Pastor David

† Recessional

*He Is Jehovah!*



**The  
righteous  
live by their faith.**

**HABAKKUK 2:4, NRSV**



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## Welcome and News of the Church

Pastor David

## Prelude

*Help Me To Remember* (M. Dillon)

## Introit

*Now and Forever* (David Yantis)

† **Call To Worship** (*Please stand if you are able in body and or in spirit*) RoseAnn Steiner

One: The Lord is great and greatly to be praised!

**Many:** We have come together today to worship.

One: What a gift it is to come together as the people of God.

**Many:** Whatever worries and distractions we have, we lay them at the feet of Jesus.

One: We bring our selves completely before the Father, The Son and the Holy Spirit.

**Many:** For our Lord is great and greatly to be praised!

One: Let us worship him together now.

\* Please remain standing for our opening hymn

† **Opening Hymn No. 98** *To God Be the Glory*

## Children’s Moment

Pastor David

\*Children are dismissed at this time to their classes with their teachers.

## Prayer of Confession

One: Please join me in our Prayer of Confession: RoseAnn Steiner

**Many:** Merciful and Forgiving Savior, were it not for your open and loving invitation to bring our sin before you, we could not bear the burden of brokenness and repeated failures. We are weary of facing our addictions another day, tired of the cycle of family dysfunction, drained from battling demons and exhausted by our inability to overcome the past. Yet, in you we find rest and peace. We are cradled in arms of love. We receive hope and reconciliation and encouragement to let go and try again. Hear the cries of our hearts, dear God. Heal our pain and forgive our sin, we pray. Set us upon the way of loving you and self so that we may love our neighbor, for the sake of Christ we pray. Amen.

## Words of Assurance

One: You are loved. You are forgiven. You are redeemed. You are the Lord’s. Go in grace, renewed in faith, to walk with God. Amen.

## Special Music

*1 Corinthians: No Greater Love*

Duet—David Bauer and Janice Moore

## Joys and Concerns with Prayers and Thanksgiving

**Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer**

Pastor David

## Prayer for the Giving and Receiving of Our Tithes and Offerings

**Offertory**

*Garden of Gethsemane* (S. Davenport)

† **Doxology**

## Prayer of Illumination

RoseAnn Steiner

One: Please join me in our Prayer of Illumination

**ALL:** Holy Spirit, move on us today. Set our minds on things above, not on earthly things. Remove our pride, and clear our distracted minds so that all we hear is your truth. Allow the Scriptures to be life-changing and to renew our desire for you. Help us to understand clearly the message of your Word. We want to know you more. Thank you for the message we will hear today. Amen.

## Scripture Reading

I Peter 1:13-21

RoseAnn Steiner

One: This is the word of the Lord.

**Many:** Thanks be to God.

## Message

*We Believe*

Pastor David M. Burgeson

† **Closing Hymn No. 452** *My Faith Looks Up To Thee*

† **Benediction**

## Postlude

*Fantasia on “Diademata”* (J. Boalt)

# JOYS & CONCERNS - 14 JULY 2013

## Please Pray For:

- Health and healing for those in our church family who are battling illness/health issues.
- For those who have recently lost loved ones.
- The financial welfare and stewardship of our church, its members and friends.
- Sally Weitkamp's sister, Pat Wood, had her 3rd surgery to mend a broken femur.
- Joel Anderson's friend, Gary Bentley has severely injured his leg. Prayer for healing.
- Marj Wolters' neighbors, The Mendez, as they help those in need while in need themselves.
- Melissa Ferrari is fighting stage 2 breast cancer. Prayers as goes into surgery and radiation.
- Friends of the Coho's who are in need of comfort and healing during an emotional battle.
- Karen Brown's grandson, Reece, (7 weeks old) and in ICU- Prayers for healing and for the family.
- Melissa Johnson who had surgery this week. Prayers for a rapid recovery and comfort.
- Pauline Castillo's dog and friend, Mugs, passed away after 16 years of companionship.
- Don Gugeler's sister, Doris, for healing.
- A Friend of the Coho's is struggling after a 5 month old passed away; Pray for both families.
- Continued prayer for Clydean Headrick.
- Cecile Huggins completed radiation on July 9. Prayers for comfort and healing.
- Amber Burgeson's boyfriend Tyler's mother, Lisa healing for brain tumors and Multiple Sclerosis.
- Friend and neighbor of the Lowry's passed away after a battle with lung cancer. Pray for comfort.
- LIFT team heading for Ghana on August 1st. There are 74 leaders and 5 from Cal-Pac.
- CJ Cochran passed away. Services pending.

## Praise God for His Goodness and Mercy!

- Calvin Thompson's sister, Dale Marie, had thyroid removed—no cancer; welcome niece, Palee.
- Jennifer Gandy no longer needs injections for her MS. She is now able to take oral medication.

## North District Weekly Covenant Prayer:

Los Angeles: Immanuel UMC - Moo Keun Ham & Samuel Cruz; Santa Maria: Christ UMC - Sang Ho Yi.

## Cal-Pac Missionaries in the Field:

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

Covenant Missionary: Frido Kinkolenge (Liberia)

Remember in Prayer: Our pastor and his family; church family and friends; those with the unspoken prayer; the ministries of this church; our church leaders; those serving God around the world; the who are hungry, displaced, sick and/or impoverished; the 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; current and future leaders; salvation for the world through Jesus Christ; 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 Mel-sheimer, Les Bradley, Sharon Woodcock, Tom Egan, Ann Williamson, Mike Douglas, Richard Gainer, Adam Gainer, Wil Ogden, Rick Ventura, John Odom, Harveys, Al Gorsline, and Sharkey.

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.

## Mission Prayer Focus for The Global UMC:

July 14: Friendly Center, Toledo, Ohio; July 15: PODA: Growing Rights of Women, Pakistan; July 16: Southern Philippines Methodist Colleges, scholarships and meals, Philippines; July 17: Batis Center for Women: Women migrant workers and children empowerment, Philippines; July 18: Orphanage ministries, Russia; July 19: Madreselva: Domestic workers rights, Bolivia; July 20: United Methodist Community Center, Warren, Ohio



A Calendar of UMC of AG's Events is available in church newsletter or visit our church website at [worshipweekly.com!](http://worshipweekly.com!)

## Join us TODAY in Criswell Hall for coffee and treats!

Coffee Hour is hosted by the Mary-Martha Circle; Next week's host the Board of Trustees.

**\*\*Today the Mission Team is hosting a Bake Sale to Fundraise for the Well Project.\*\***

- **PLEASE REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE in the booklet located at the end of each row.**
- Visitors: Please write your email or mailing address. We want to send you welcome information about our church and upcoming events.
- Members Families: remember to fill in one section per member.
- **HEARING 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 Age Children** are dismissed during worship to their class with their teachers.
- **Youth Group**—6-12 grade young people meet during 10:30 AM service in the youth lounge.

## Altar Flowers TODAY:

- "Happy 4th Birthday to Fay Cuddy" from Grandma and Grandpa (Mike & Cyndee Rohla)
- "In Loving Memory of Boots and My 73rd wedding anniversary" from Kay Walker

## On TODAY's Agenda:

- **Disciples Sermon Discussion Group**—9:50 AM in the McMillen Room.
- **Senior High Kids Leave for Summer Camp TODAY**—keep them in your prayers!
- **How To Study the Bible - "The Book of Acts"** - 6 PM in the McMillen Room.

## On The Calendar This Week:

- **Women of Prayer** - Monday at 7 PM in the Sanctuary.
- **Men's Bible Study and Prayer**—Monday at 7 PM in room 215.
- **Senior Exercise** – Tues., Wed., Thurs. in Criswell Hall at 8:30 AM.
- **Sew 'n' Sews Quilting Group** – Tuesday at 9 AM in the McMillen Room.
- **Congregational Care Team**—Tuesday at 10 AM in the Library.
- **Preschool Board Meeting**—open: 1:30 PM; closed: 2:30 PM in the McMillen Room.
- **All-Church Work Day** – Wednesday at 9 AM - Come and help as you are able.
- **Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner—Taco Bar**—Wednesday at 5:15 PM in Criswell Hall.
- **"Holy Spirit" Study with Mike Herber**—Wednesday at 6 PM in the McMillen Room.
- **Kid's Night Out**—Wednesday at 6 PM in Criswell Hall and Room 211.
- **Youth Group** (grades 6—12) - Wednesdays at 7 PM in the Youth Lounge (room 215).
- **Intercessory Prayer Group** – Thursday at 10 AM in the Library.
- **People's Kitchen Team** —Thursday at 11:30 AM leaves to feed the needy in our community.
- **Morning Bible Study** – Friday at 8:30 AM in the Library.
- **Group for Adult Children of Parents w/Alzheimer's**—Friday at 12 PM in the McMillen Room.

