

First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande

275 North Halcyon Road
Arroyo Grande, CA 93420

Contact us with any questions!

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

* *Our Senior Pastor is off on Mondays.*

Church Office: 805 . 481 . 2692

On The Web @ worshipweekly.com

Via E-mail: fumcag@sbcglobal.net

AG UM Children's Center

Program Tours Daily by appointment ONLY
on Monday thru Friday 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM
or 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM. *Come and find out if
we are a good fit for you and your child.*

Office Hours: M—F from 8 AM—5 PM

Office: 805 . 481 . 2223

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Be sure to fill out an information sheet and turn it
into the church office so that we can update our
database. Copies are available in the Narthex or via
the church office. We don't want to miss your
birthday, or an opportunity to send you the newslet-
ter, as well as, pastor's weekly e-mail.

Meet Our
**CHURCH
STAFF**

Cal-Pac Conference Bishop:
Minerva G. Carcaño

North District Superintendent:
Rev. Cedrick Bridgeforth

Senior Pastor:
Rev. David M. Burgeson

Missionary (retired):
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

Handbell Choir Director: Leonard Lutz

Christian Education Directors:
Susan Coho, *Adult*
Mike & Linda Herber, *Youth*
Victoria Gandy, *Children*

AG UM Children's Center

Director: Madrigal Quaglino

Bookkeeper: Victoria Gandy

8:30 AM Order of Worship for 13 April 2014





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† DENOTES STANDING AS YOU ARE ABLE

13April 2014 "The Story" -

Worship is led by Lord's Crew

Welcome and News of the Church

Pastor David

Opening Praise

Here I am to Worship

† Scripture Reading

Isaiah 53:7-12 (NIV)

In Unison

7 He was oppressed and afflicted yet He did not open His mouth; He was led like a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, so He did not open his mouth. 8By oppression and judgment He was taken away. Yet who of His generation protested? He was cut off from the land of the living; for the transgression of my people He was punished. 9He was assigned a grave with the wicked, and with the rich in His death, though He had done no violence, nor was any deceit in His mouth. 10Yet it was the LORD'S will to crush Him and cause him to suffer, and though the LORD makes His life an offering for sin He will see His offspring and prolong His days, and the will of the LORD will prosper in His hand 11After He has suffered, He will see the light of life and be satisfied; by His knowledge my righteous servant will justify many, and He will bear their iniquities. 12Therefore I will give Him a portion among the great, and He will divide the spoils with the strong, because He poured out his life unto death, and was numbered with the transgressors. For He bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

† Opening Prayer

Pastor David

Praise

Amazing Love
Learning to be the Light
Let the Waters Rise

Prayer of Adoration

Jordan Henderson

Prayer for the Giving and Receiving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Pastor David

Offertory

Sanctuary

We Share In God's Peace (Greeting those around you)

Joys and Concerns with Pastoral Prayer

Pastor David

Scripture Reading

Matthew 27:45-54

Mike Herber

One: This is the word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God.

Message

The Road to the Cross
Pastor David M. Burgeson

Communion Liturgy

On Screen

In Unison

Communion Song

Hero

† Benediction Song

The Lord Bless Thee

Pastor David

Recessional

Blessed Be Your Name

Next weeks scripture references for next week are :

"The Story" Sermon Series

Chapter 27: The Resurrection

OR read in your Bible: Matthew 27-28; Mark 16; Luke 24; John 19-21



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13 April 2014 "The Story" - The Road to the Cross

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Welcome and News of the Church

Prelude All Glory, Laud, and Honor

† **Call To Worship** : Please stand and rise in body and or spirit

One: Lord God, be with us this Sabbath day, as we continue our Lenten journey.

Many: As we hear your word and sing praises in song.

One: May we celebrate and give thanks for God's wondrous mercies.

Many: As we share in fellowship, focus in prayer,

One: May we grow in discipleship and come to know the hope and promise,

Many: Of the cross of Jesus Christ our Lord.

One: Prepare us now for this time of worship,

Many: And may the power and promise of our Lord Jesus Christ be with us.

Please remain standing for our opening hymn.

† **Processional** Palm Sunday Processional (See Insert)

Children's Moment

Judy Atwood

Grades K—6 are invited to go with the teachers to Sunday School upstairs in room 211 at this time. Nursery available. Youth meet in room 215.

Prayer of Confession

Rose Ann Steiner

One: Please join me in our Prayer of Confession:

ALL: Lord, it is the beginning of the week of great adventure and sacrifice. We sense our need for you. You ask us to read your Word. We start by reading the Bible, but then get busy and put it aside. We begin to pray to you and then the phone rings, and we are interrupted again. Sometimes we meditate in quiet solitude, only to find our minds wander and then on goes the TV. Lord, speak to us through your Word. Let it penetrate our minds and hearts. Speak to us and let us hear your call. Guide us during this special week so we may understand Jesus' life, death and resurrection. Amen.

Pastor David

Arr. J. Rasley

Rose Ann Steiner

Joys & Concerns with Pastoral Prayers & Thanksgiving and Lord's Prayer

Pastoral Prayer for Giving & Receiving—Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

W. Barnett

† **Doxology**

Prayer For Illumination

Rose Ann Steiner

One: Please join me in our *Prayer for Illumination*.

ALL: Lord of our lives, we know you are always present to us. Help us to be present to you as we prepare to hear your word as revealed in the Scriptures. Keep us alert that we might hear, and hearing, respond. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Matthew 27:45-54

Rose Ann Steiner

One: This is the word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God.

Message

The Road to the Cross

Pastor David M. Burgeson

† **Hymn No. 297**

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

† **Benediction and Choral Response**

Postlude

Hosanna Loud Hosanna

Arr. K. Uppercue

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Choral Anthem

Calvary Is The Sea

Prayers & Thanksgiving for 16 April 2014

- 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.
- Prayers for the Middle East.
- The People's Kitchen find a permanent place.
- The US and these trying times.
- Those struggling with depression and isolation.
- Prayers for Syria, the Ukraine and Venezuela. And other areas in need.
- Ed Jayne (retired pastor of Ridgecrest Methodist Church) who had a heart attack.
- Friends of Gary Hughes, Marian and Clayton suffering from past domestic violence
- George Jacobs will have kneed replacement
- Melissa Johnson is not feeling well
- Jan Treat's son Sean, that he makes wise decisions
- Lorie Ford's friend Mike needs healing and for the family
- The DeCarlo family that lost their home to a fire last week
- Chele Webster needs healing from cancer
- Prayer that the Thomas Creek mine opens so there will be no loss of jobs.
- Sarah Burgeson will be seeing specialist, prayers for answers and healing
- Continued prayers for Kassie Quaglino who is going for an MRI and two more weeks off work

Praise God for His Goodness and Mercy!

- Welcome our new friends at church today.
- The Hawkin's nephew is healing from broken elbow
- BG Perriguy's brother has been released from the hospital.

Cal-Pac Missionaries in the Field:

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

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 hungry, displaced, sick and/or impoverished; the many who are suffering after natural or man-made disasters and for the workers who minister to them; for God's peace & justice for the world; our nation; current leaders; salvation for the world through Jesus Christ; the military & their families; the Middle East & Syria.

Continue to Pray for: Jerry Smiths, Fenton McClure, Sheila Owine, Ken Coombs, Isabella Sloan, Ayleen Melsheimer, Les Bradley, the Williams, Mike Douglas, Richard Gainer, Adam Gainer, Wil Ogden, Rick Ventura, John Odom, the Harveys, Al Gorsline, Melissa Ferrari, Harold Headrick, Lisa Graham, Sharkey, Ehrhardt Lang, Tess Raine, Ron Salisbury, & the Mark Moore Family.

In Care Facilities/Shut-ins: Bob Atwood, Bob Serby, Wayne Frisby, Doris Rice, Ruby Weddell, Yvonne Holt, Madge Young, Jeanne Jenkins, Donna Truman, the Bucktons, Sadie Krovious.

Covenant Missionary: Tim & Juji Boyle (Japan)

North District Weekly Covenant Prayer: Burbank: Magnolia Park—Louis Chase, Newhall: Friendly Valley—Bob Wicherts.

Prayers and Mission Focus for the Global UMC:

Apr. 14: Red Bird Missionary Conference, Beverly, KY; Apr. 15: United Methodist Church in Vietnam, Ministries to women in crisis; Apr. 16; Clean Water Delivery Ministry, Kenya; April 17: Lithuania District of the United Methodist Church: Christian camping for children, youth, Lithuania; Apr. 18; Global Ministries Language and Vocational Center, Laos: April 19: United Methodist Women of Central Conference of Central and Southern Europe: Language training for women in Eastern Europe, Switzerland; Apr. 20: The Bennett Center of London, London, KY



Join us TODAY after worship in Criswell Hall for a Coffee Hour. We want to get to know you!

Mission Team

is our coffee host this week.

Next Week's Coffee Hour Host:

Christian Education Team



Altar Flowers

Sign book in Criswell Hall if you are wishing to provide flowers!



- The Story Self-led Study & Cinema**—10 AM on the Criswell Hall stage.
- Youth Group 10:30 (215)
- 'How To Study The Bible'** - 6PM (MMR).

Register Your Attendance!

Registration pads are at the end of each pew. Please include mailing address, e-mail if any and any changes for our church directory.



ELT Scholarships Available - Monday (contact church office)

UMC of AG Emergency Food Distribution—Monday from 1—3 PM (CH).

Women of Prayer—Monday at 7 PM (S).

Men's Bible Study—Monday at 7 PM (215).

Sew 'n' Sews—Tuesday at 9 AM (MMR).

Preschool Board—Tuesday open 1:30 (MMR)

Endowment Board—Tuesday at 2 PM (L).

Preschool Board—Tues. 2:30 closed (MMR)

Grande Ringers Handbell Practice—Tues. & Thurs. at 5 PM in the hand bell room.

Joy Circle 7 pm members house

Senior Exercise—T/W/Th. at 8:30 AM (CH)

Church Work Day – Wednesday at 9 AM.

UMC of AG People's Kitchen Team Prep-Day—Wednesday at 10 AM (K/CH)

Wednesday Supper—Wednesday at 5 PM (CH). All are welcome.

The Story Study—Ch. 27: “Resurrection” - Wednesday at 5:45 PM (MMR).

Kid's Night Out (K- 5th) - Wednesday at 5:45 PM (CH).

Youth Group - Wednesday at 7 PM (215).

Choir Practice—Wednesday at 7 PM

Intercessory Prayer—Thursday at 10 AM (L).

UMC of AG People's Kitchen Team leaves to Serve—Thursday at 11:30 AM (parking lot).

Maundy Thursday Service 6:30-7:30 (S)

AM Bible Study—Friday at 8:30 AM (L).

Ecumenical Service Friday 3 pm ...St. Pat's **Good Friday Service “Requiem”** 7 pm at Grover Beach Presbyterian

Praise Team—Saturday at 6:30 PM (S).

UMM Breakfast—Saturday 8:30 (CH)

JOIN US FOR A
**FELLOWSHIP
DINNER**
Wednesdays at 5 PM—Criswell Hall - FREE!

This week dinner is:

Soup Supper
Bring a favorite soup to share.
Join us!!



Adults Sundays at 10 AM
Wednesdays at 5:45 PM;
Fridays at 8:30 AM

Youth Wednesdays at 7 PM

Children Sundays at 10:30 AM and
Wednesdays at 6 PM

An ALL age study like you have never seen!

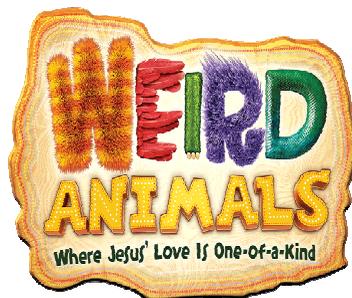


Applications are available Monday online at worshipweekly.com.

Deadline—May 15.



If you requested a hard copy, you will find it in Criswell Hall. For those who want it online, the link is there for you at your convenience at worshipweekly.com



A WEIRD VBS is coming to UMC of AG.

We need you!

**Save the dates:
June 23—27, 2014**

See Victoria Gandy for details.

Mother/Daughter/Friend

May 10th

11:30-1:30

Luncheon

Optional drawings for baskets...

Chocolate, garden, food, sewing

Madelyn's fashion show

Come on in to the Library and meet our Librarian, Jan Herber.

She is a retired school librarian and has been diligently working to update the library booking catalog, tagging and making more room for incoming books. Any books not taken are being donated to the AAUW book sale.

We have books that will add to your study of *"The Story"* as well.

Good Friday Evening Service

Grover Beach Presbyterian and First UMC of Arroyo Grande will be joining together in remembrance of **Good Friday** on **April 18 at 7 PM.**

The choirs & the Tolosa Strings will perform John Rutter's *"Requiem."*

This is a service that you will not want to miss. Set to music, the story of Good Friday is told with choral music along with the Tolosa Strings. Pastors Andy Rock and David Burgeson will host this evening remembering the last minutes of Christ.

CAMP ARROYO GRANDE REPORT TO UMM

The next meeting of the UMM will be **Saturday, April 19th at 8:30 AM** in Criswell Hall. The meeting will feature Debbie Talent, Camp Arroyo Grande Manager, who will update those attending on the past, present and future of the camp and its current activities.

Debbie and her husband Steve Talent have been Camp Manager's for many years and in the recent past have built two new cabins and brought the camp up to first class standards. The camp is under the management of the United Methodist Conference and is attended by hundreds of youth and families each year.

Tickets will be sold at the door for \$9 per person. Women are cordially invited to attend. Bring a neighbor or friend and

FEED THE HUNGRY®

UMC of AG

Emergency Food Pantry

Food is distributed from our church every **MONDAY** from 1—3 PM. You can help! (* donations FUMCAG-memo UMC of AG Food Pantry).

People's Kitchen Team

needs workers on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday and Thursday of each month to help make lunches and serve them to the hungry in our community.

Contact the Ashtons in Criswell Hall to help.

5 Cities Christian Women Food Pantry

Donations of non-perishable food are welcome at any time. A marked basket is in the Narthex for your convenience.

Monetary donations pay to:
SCCW Emergency Food Ministry

P.O. Box 756,
Grover Beach, CA 93483

All valuable to the work of Jesus Christ and the ministry of His church. Any help is appreciated!