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First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande

FEBRUARY 2018



Sweetheart Breakfast



IT'S SWEETHEART TIME AGAIN!

**Saturday, February 10th
9:00 AM
Criswell Hall**

How does the UMM say “I love you” to our beautiful ladies of the church? Why, by putting on the “Annual Sweetheart Breakfast”. Again, the ladies attending will receive a great breakfast, flowers, and a chance to win a heart

of candy. A special “Sweetheart Couple” will tell their love story.

It is important that single ladies know they are invited to the breakfast and do not need to have an escort. Cost is \$10 per person and tickets for the event go on sale January 28 in Criswell Hall after both services. This is a very popular event and sign-up for tickets is important to let Tina Moore know the amount of food to buy for the participants.

GET YOUR TICKETS RIGHT AWAY!

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Available between services
and after the second service

*All profits given to
UMW charitable projects—
Local, national & international*

Super Chili Bowl Sunday Is Coming! Sunday, February 4th!

The UMW will be selling yummy homemade **Chili and Corn Bread** for you to take home and enjoy as you watch the Super Bowl football game!

For **\$12** you can purchase a container of 4 cups of chili (either beef or turkey) and 2 corn muffins and cookies.

Tickets can be purchased in advance at the UMW table in Criswell Hall to assure there is enough for you!



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From the Pastor

GOD LOVES YOU!

This is the overarching theme of the 2018 Lenten Season at Arroyo Grande First. Though Lent is a season of shadows that lifts up somber moments in the life of Jesus, we do not celebrate darkness during Lent. We live as people of the Light.

God so loved the world that he sent His Son to a manger in Bethlehem! “Light and Life to all He brings, risen with healing in his wings!” The Son, with whom God shared his love, gave that selfsame love to the world his whole life long. He lived and died revealing the nature of God, yes the LOVE of our Creator. It is the God’s Love we lift up during Lent.

During Holy Week we name the terrible things that happened to Jesus, but do not linger there. We neither wallow in the pain, nor exalt the suffering. Like the words of that hymn, *Lift High the Cross*, we proclaim the love of Christ, and in doing so the cross becomes a Triumphant Sign. The ashes of repentance we receive as Lent begins are sign and symbol of our commitment to follow Jesus to the victory of Resurrection.

Begin the Lenten season with us on Valentine’s Day, February 14th at a brief Ash Wednesday Service in our Sanctuary at 6:00 p.m. And then come share God’s love with sisters and brothers in the faith all season long.

Blessings & Peace,

Rev. Mary Birgelaitis



Mondays at 7 PM
Women come to pray together in the Sanctuary.



Adult Bible Study at 5:45 PM
FREE Fellowship Meal at 5 PM



Fridays at 8:30 AM
Join us in the Library for Bible Study, discussion, coffee, & friends!



Dates	Topics and Schedule
Sunday, February 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Worship Services Sermon by Rev. Mary Birgelaitis "A HEALING SACRAMENT" Isaiah 40:21-31
Wednesday, February 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:45 PM Adult Bible Study <u>FIRST CORINTHIANS: Living Love When We Disagree</u> Final Session: Facilitated by Patti Melsheimer
Sunday, February 11 UMW SUNDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Worship Services Judy Atwood, preaching United Methodist Women: Telling Our Story—A LEGACY OF MISSION Mark 9:2-9, II Corinthians 4:3-6
Wednesday, February 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service <u>LOVE SIGN!</u> Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21
Sunday, February 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Worship Services Sermon by Rev. Mary Birgelaitis "GOD LOVES YOU: Covenant" Genesis 9:8-17
Wednesday, February 21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:45 PM Adult Bible Study <u>THE CREED: What Christians Believe and Why</u> by Adam Hamilton Session 1 of 6: Facilitated by Nancy St. Laurent
Sunday, February 25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Worship Services Sermon by Rev. Mary Birgelaitis "GOD LOVES YOU: Follow" Mark 8:31-38
Wednesday, February 28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:45 PM Adult Bible Study <u>THE CREED: What Christians Believe and Why</u> by Adam Hamilton Session 2 of 6: Facilitated by Nancy St. Laurent

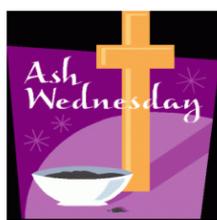
FEBRUARY LITURGISTS

February 4
8:30 a.m.——*Sharon Roemer*
10:30 a.m.——*David Beaman*

February 11
8:30 a.m.——*Joel Anderson*
10:30 a.m.——*Cristy Van Hook*

February 18
8:30 a.m.——*Lucy Jacob*
10:30 a.m.——*Nancy St. Laurent*

February 25
8:30 a.m.——*Joseph Brown*
10:30 a.m.——*Rose Ann Steiner*



ASH WEDNESDAY
The Beginning of Lent
Wednesday, February 14th
"LOVE SIGN!"
6:00 PM SANCTUARY

A brief worship opportunity begins the season of Lent on Ash Wednesday, February 14th in the sanctuary. We will sing some songs, listen to the words of the "Invitation to a Holy Lent", and receive the symbol of ashes either on the forehead or hand as a reminder of the commitment we make to observe this season. We continue the Christian disciplines we practice all year long---prayer, reading scripture, study, attendance in worship, serving those in need and living out love with friends, family and everyone we meet. In so doing, we honor Jesus who in his own life did all these things to the glory of God to the very end.



**REPORT OF THE MEETING
OF THE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
January 2018
Paul Holden, President**

The Latest from the Trustees

- The heat is back, yea! Roadrunner Plumbing did a terrific job for us in a timely manner and great price.
- Patti Melsheimer is looking into getting a second quote for a Narthex make over and should have an update for us in February.
- Everyone seems very pleased with the job Green Valley Landscaping is now doing for us.
- The Sanctuary has been taking an extraordinarily long time to heat up. Paul had it looked into and although the heat coming out of the furnace is 140 degrees, the heat getting into the sanctuary is only 70 degrees. Paul is looking into what it will cost to correct.
- The large commercial refrigerator in the kitchen has starting running warm again. We last had it repaired (recharged) in August. CalCoast came in and determined we have a refrigerant leak. They will be back to repair in a week or so.
- Mary Hawkins offered to meet with Executive Janitorial workers and management to make sure they understand the work they need to perform and the products they should be replacing for us.

**BOARD
OF Trustees'
MEETING**



**FEBRUARY 10th
SWEETHEART BREAKFAST
See Cover Story**

UMM HAS “NO SHOW”

The UMM breakfast meeting scheduled at Coco’s restaurant for January ended up with no speaker. It later turned out that Staff Sgt. Shane Phipps USAF had been called away on an emergency. You would think that would have ended the meeting—not so! Besides the extra time for fellowship (and breakfast), Paul Holden, UMM vice-president, stepped in and gave a full report on our church’s recent heat problem and how the Trustees worked to overcome the problem. Needless to say, the report was quite informative. Sgt. Phipps may speak at a later date.

NEXT UMM MEETING



The next breakfast meeting is scheduled for Saturday, March 17th, 9:00 AM.at Coco’s Restaurant. Program To Be Announced

SAVE THE DATE

The “Coffee N’ Art” Show is returning on Sunday, May 20th Artists, start preparing!





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“The organized unit of the United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose Purpose is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.”

Sally Weitkamp, Publicity

FEBRUARY 4th
Super Chili Bowl Sunday
See Cover Story

**UNITED METHODIST
WOMEN'S SUNDAY
ON FEBRUARY 11th**

UMW Members will participate in the worship services with Judy Atwood as guest speaker, and installation of Officers,

Telling Our Story—A Legacy of Mission

The UMW Steering Committee is calling anyone who would like to come and craft in preparation for the November 4, 2018 Holiday Boutique.

The first meeting is Thursday, March 8th in the McMillen Room from 9 AM to 1 PM and will continue on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month until October 25th.

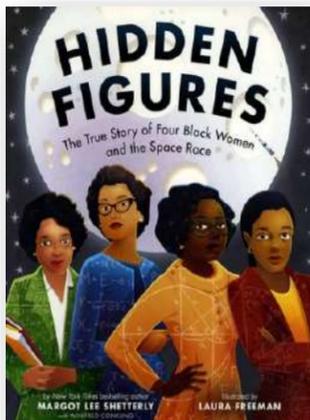


Bring your own crafts to work on or come and learn a new skill to make an item for the Boutique. Join us for fun and fellowship as we create and get to know each other better.

Bring a sack lunch for fellowship time.

February UMW Book Club

Feature: Hidden Figures



On February 23rd we are excited to discuss Hidden Figures: The American Dream and the Untold Story of Black Women Mathematicians Who Helped Win the Space Race, a true account of African American

women whose mathematical genius helped NASA achieve some of its greatest successes. With the end of WWII NASA was in dire need of employees who could understand the complicated math and vision required by the emerging space program. A group of young African American women known as “human computers” provided the behind-the-scenes backbone for this endeavor. Despite their genius and hard work, they were still discriminated against in the segregated work force and society. Their sheer determination and expertise

finally helped them to stand up- and out- in the male-dominated space mission.

Come join the UMW Book Club members on Friday, February 23rd, at 11 A.M. in the McMillen Room to discuss Hidden Figures, by Margot Lee Shetterly. You can find copies of the book through the library system or check with Patti Melsheimer.

submitted by Judy Leonard

Joel and Lila Anderson and their Fascinating Hobby and Business

Joel was born in Switzerland while his father was working at CERN in Geneva. At a young age, he was very fortunate to travel with his family to many foreign countries including Hong Kong, Thailand, Japan, India, Italy, Greece, Germany, Israel and Egypt. He enjoyed seeing the many museums and historic sites and the travels imbued him with an interest in history and other cultures. *A very interesting detail regarding those visits is that his father is a Physicist and Inventor, with Ph.D. in Physics from Stanford University, who worked as Director of Research for **Varian Associates**, and these trips were to introduce his new inventions (for which he holds patents) for "Real Time Ultrasound" and "MRI-magnetic resonance imaging", around the world during the early development stages of these new analytical techniques that were then turned into medical devices.*

Joel started collecting coins while in the third grade. He soon specialized in foreign coins. In 1970 while still at Gunn High School in Palo Alto, he started to sell world coins by mail on a part-time basis. After graduating, he attended the University of Santa Clara where he met his future wife Lila, who was born and raised in Merced. After they graduated from Santa Clara, Joel obtained a Masters of Business Administration from the Amos Tuck School at Dartmouth College. Upon completing his formal education, Joel and Lila were married and Lila became a partner in the part-time coin business. They lived in Silicon Valley. Joel worked first as a cost-accountant for Spectra Physics, then as a Division Controller at KLA Instruments. Their daughter, Grace, was born while they were living in Santa Clara. Not long after that Joel found himself on the wrong side of a corporate reorganization and out of a job. Deciding it was more fun to sell coins than to have a real job, he converted the part-time coin business into a full-time business in 1989. Finding it too expensive to live in Silicon Valley, they

moved to Merced, where Lila could help take care of her parents.

Initially much of the business was done by mail and by setting up at coin shows. In 1996 they started their first website, which allowed them to greatly expand their customer base. Today they have over 3,000 customers in over 50 countries. In 2003 Grace graduated from high school and went to the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs. Joel and Lila moved to Grover Beach with Lila's mom. Grace is a pilot in the Air Force with the rank of Major, though her current assignment has her at a desk rather than in an airplane. She lives in St. Louis, Missouri with her son Parker.

JOEL ANDERSON - INTERESTING WORLD COINS is successful because it emphasizes the "story behind the coin" with articles containing historical, political, economic, and design aspects of most all of the items they sell. They offer a wide range of moderately priced world coins and paper money, ranging from ancient coins of Alexander the Great, historic coins of India, China, and Russia, World War I and World War II notes and coins, to the latest new issues from around the world. They also publish an interesting and very worthwhile catalog titled **Interesting Stuff**.

Joel and Lila have both served as President of the *California State Numismatic Association*. Joel has served our church well as Church Council Chair, Chair of the Finance Committee and Church Treasurer.

It is very interesting to visit the website www.JoelsCoins.com to observe the detail and organized presentation of their unique business.



David Beaman 01/2018

SIGN UP TO BE PART OF A “TABLE OF 8”

This is an opportunity to enjoy getting together with church members to socialize and share a meal. Groups will meet once a month for 6 months. Each group will consist of 6-8 people and the times and locations of the get-togethers will be determined by the group. Groups can meet in a home, at the church or in a restaurant, or all of the above. Each single meeting will have a host or 2 people hosting together. Some groups will cook, others eat out and some may choose to pot-luck it!



The purpose is simply social, and this will give you an opportunity to have fun eating and getting to know one another. This will build bridges of caring in our congregation and strengthen the links of love between us. Join in for a good time.

Complete a “yellow” interest form and return to **Lucy Jacob** by **February 11**. The “yellow” interest forms are included in the February 4 and February 11 church bulletins, or you can obtain a form in the church office.

Please remember that those who have participated last session and want to continue to participate need to sign up again. New members are most welcome as well as returnees!



Staff Appreciation Potluck Luncheon

What better way could there be to say thank you than to have a good ol' fashioned, United Methodist potluck?

Please join us!

Sunday, February 25th at 11:45 AM

Bring your favorite potluck dish to share!
Help us show our church staff how much we appreciate all that they do for this church and God's ministry.

Sponsored by the Staff Parish Relations Committee

LENTEN WEDNESDAY CLASSESFebruary 21st – March 28th - Lent**THE CREED:**What Christians Believe and Why

by Adam Hamilton

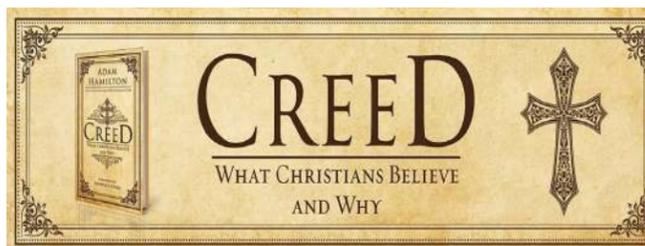
facilitated by Nancy St. Laurent

Sometimes questions are complicated, and answers are difficult to see. How do we discover the truths that give meaning and purpose to life?

Powerful answers are contained in the Apostles' Creed, an early statement of foundational Christian beliefs.

In this book, Hamilton considers questions of life, reality, and truth. He explores what Christians believe, why they believe it and why it matters.

Chapters: God, Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit, the Communion of Saints, the Forgiveness of Sins, the

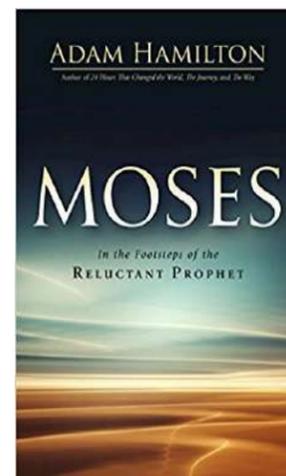
**WEDNESDAY CLASSES**April 4th -- May 9th**Easter to Pentecost****MOSES:**In the Footsteps of the Reluctant Prophet

by Adam Hamilton

facilitated by Judy Atwood

Retrace the life of Moses from birth and rescue as a baby to the courts of Pharaoh, from herding flocks in Midian to leading his people out of Egypt.

Join Adam Hamilton's travels from Egypt to Mt. Sinai, the Nile, the Red Sea and the wilderness exploring the sites of Moses' life. Using historical information, archaeological data, and biblical text, Hamilton guides us in the footsteps of Moses who grew in his relationship with God and successfully fulfilled his given role.

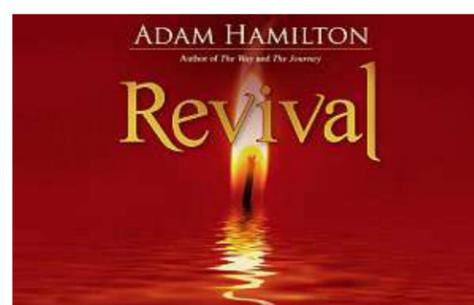
**WEDNESDAY CLASSES**May 16th – June 20th**Pentecost!****REVIVAL:**Faith as Wesley Lived It

by Adam Hamilton

Wesley's message and faith continues to speak to 21st-century Christians—calling for a revival of hearts and souls that our world might be changed.

Join Adam Hamilton for a six-week journey as he

travels to England, following the life of John Wesley and exploring his defining characteristics of a Wesleyan Christian. Wesley's story is our story. It defines our faith and it challenges us to rediscover our spiritual passion.



News from the Mission Team

By Judy Atwood, *chair*

MISSION TEAM: February 2018

Judy Atwood

MISSION HIGHLIGHTS:

1. [Message from Global Ministries](#)
2. [Faith and Facts: Sustainability---Economic Justice](#)
3. [Special Giving Totals for 2017](#)

GOD'S STEADFAST LOVE...IN ACTION

1. MESSAGE FROM GLOBAL MINISTRIES

"Our mission as United Methodists is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world, and this means ministry with--not *for* or *to*--the poor," said Thomas Kemper, general secretary of the General Board of Global Ministries. Kemper's organization has a lead role among the general agencies charged with promoting the priorities. The guiding principles call upon church members, as disciples of Jesus, to be "hospitable and caring brothers and sisters in Christ who break bread with each other, nurture community, and work together to make the world a place of justice, mercy, and love."

2. FAITH AND FACTS:

SUSTAINABILITY--ECONOMIC JUSTICE

What does the Bible say?

God has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly; God has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty. (Luke 1:52-53) Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? ... Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family you did it to me. (Matt. 37-40) (Jeremiah 6:16)

What does The United Methodist Church say? As a church, we are called to support the poor and challenge the rich. To begin to alleviate poverty, we support such policies as adequate income maintenance, quality education, decent housing, job training, meaningful employment opportunities, adequate medical and hospital care, humanization and radical revisions of welfare programs, work for peace and efforts to protect creation's integrity. (Social Principles, 163.E)

What do the facts say?

*14% of households—over 48 million men, women and children—experience food insecurity in the U.S.

*Despite progress in cutting extreme poverty rates around the world, the number of people living on less than the equivalent of \$1.25/day remains nearly 1.2 billion.

What do you say?

*Learn about hunger and poverty in your area.

*Discuss ways you can expand justice ministries to tackle the root causes of hunger and poverty.

*Speak truth to power! Tell Congress to put those living on the economic margins at the center of our vision of a new just economy.

Many hands continue to do many things.



3. SPECIAL GIVING TOTALS FOR 2017

ELT Scholarship	\$3,731.64
UMCOR-Human Relations Offering	310.00
Missions	13,700.00
People's Kitchen Food	695.51
People's Kitchen Misc.	24,663.00
South County Food Bank	907.64
UMCOR-UMCOR Sunday	582.00
UMCOR-Imagine No Malaria	2.00
UMCOR-Native American	131.00
Noisy Offering	12.40
UMCOR-Peace with Justice	135.00
UMCOR-Hurricane Harvey	2,180.00
UMCOR-World Communion Sunday	514.00
UMCOR-Fire Relief	1,095.00
UMCOR (Student Day)	119.00

12 months total through December \$49,048.19

A THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION.

DON'T ASK GOD TO GUIDE YOUR FOOTSTEPS, IF YOU'RE NOT WILLING TO MOVE YOUR FEET.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
							
					<p>1 8 AM People's Kitchen Prep - Leave to Serve 11:15 AM 8:30 AM Senior Exercise—CH 10 AM Intercessory Prayer (L) 5 PM Handbell Practice (Handbell Room) 6 PM Worship Team (MMR)</p>	<p>2 8:30 AM Bible Study—L</p>	<p>3</p>
<p>4 8:30 AM Contemporary Service 10:30 AM Traditional Service UMW Super Chili Bowl Take Home Coffee Hour: UMW</p>	<p>5 11 AM UMM Cabinet Meeting—L 1 PM Emergency Food Pantry—CH 5:45 PM G. McGuire Quilting Class—CH 7 PM Women of Prayer—S</p>	<p>6 8:30 AM Senior Exercise—CH 9 AM Sew 'n' —MMR 9:30 AM UMW Steering Committee —L 11 AM NO Chair Yoga this week 5PM Handbell Rehearsal—HR</p>	<p>7 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 9 AM Church Work Day 5 PM Free Dinner (CH) 5:45 PM Adult Bible Study (CH) 7 PM Chancel Choir (S)</p>	<p>8 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 10 AM UMW Boutique Crafts—MMR 10 AM Intercessory Prayer (L) 5 PM Handbell Rehearsal—HR</p>	<p>9 8:30 AM Bible —L Noon Deadline Newsletter Articles (Office)</p>	<p>10 9 AM UMM Sweetheart Breakfast—CH 2 PM Gladys Paulsen Memorial Service S, CH</p>	
<p>11 UMW SUNDAY 8:30 AM Contemporary Service 10:30 AM Traditional Service Coffee Hour: UMW</p>	<p>12 1 PM Emergency Food Pantry (CH) 5:45 PM G. McGuire Quilting Class (CH) 7 PM Women of Prayer (S)</p>	<p>13 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 9 AM Sew 'n' Sews plus Knitters (MMR) 11 A UMW Chair Yoga Class" (CH) 5 PM Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Room) 7 PM Trustees (CH)</p>	<p>14 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 8 AM Preschool Young Toddlers Party (MMR) Event 9-10 AM 9 AM Church Work Day 10 AM Communications Committee (L) 6 PM Ash Wednesday Service—S 7 PM Chancel Choir—S</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>15 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 8 AM Preschool Older Toddlers Party (MMR) Event 9-10 AM 10 AM Intercessory Prayer (L) 11 AM Finance (PS) 5 PM Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Room)</p>	<p>16 8:30 AM Bible Study (L)</p>	<p>17</p>	
<p>18 8:30 AM Contemporary Service 10:30 AM Traditional Service Coffee Hour: Endowment/ELT</p>	<p>19  Church Office Closed 1 PM Emergency Food Pantry—CH 5:45 PM G. McGuire Quilting Class (CH) 7 PM Women of Prayer—S</p>	<p>20 8:30 AM Senior Ex (CH) 9 AM Sew 'n' Sews plus Knitters (MMR) 11 AM UMW Chair Yoga Class (CH) Preschool Board-MMR 1:30 PM Open Session 5 PM Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Room) 7 PM JOY Circle (member's home) Room)</p>	<p>21 8:30 AM Senior Exercise—CH 9 AM Church Work Day 10 AM Mary-Martha-Esther—MMR 5 PM Free Dinner—CH 5:45 PM Adult Bible Study—CH 7 PM Chancel Choir (S)</p>	<p>22 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 10 AM UMW Boutique Crafts—MMR 10 AM Intercessory Prayer (L) 5 PM Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Room)</p>	<p>23 8:30 AM Bible Study (L) 11 AM UMW Book Club (MMR)</p>	<p>24</p>	
<p>25 8:30 AM Contemporary Service 10:30 AM Traditional Service STAFF PARISH RECOGNITION SUNDAY 11:45 AM Potluck</p>	<p>26 1 PM Emergency Food Pantry (CH) 5:45 PM G. McGuire Quilting Class—CH 7 PM Women of Prayer—S</p>	<p>27 8:30 AM Senior Ex (CH) 9 AM Sew 'n' Sews plus Knitters (MMR) 11 AM UMW Chair Yoga Class (CH) 5 PM Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Room)</p>	<p>28 8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH) 9 AM Church Work Day 10 AM Mary-Martha-Esther (MMR) 5 PM Free Dinner (CH) 5:45 PM Adult Bible Study (CH)</p>				



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ELT Scholarship Applications Coming Soon

If you are a graduating high school senior going to college in Fall, 2018 or a continuing college student, you may want to apply for the ELT Scholarship offered by our church. The application will be available on the church website, www.worshipweekly.com, beginning in March.



Students may apply for the scholarship each year they are in college. The application deadline is May 15, 2018.

See Judy Leonard with questions.

WOULD YOU LIKE
 TO JOIN THE CHURCH?



MAYBE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25th
 IS THE TIME FOR YOU!

Let the pastor know you are wishing to join, and we will officially welcome you into the congregation this month.

You may e-mail
revmaryb@fumcag.org,
 call 805 746-3480,
 or leave a message with Frances in the office at 805 481-2692.



Margaret Coombs	02/01
Devin Paredes	02/02
Barbara Reineke	02/03
Robert McGuire	02/03
Isabella Russell	02/03
Matthew Williams	02/03
Guy Oates	02/04
Betty Ashton	02/05
Mark Moore	02/06
Betty Johnson	02/07
Wayne Huggins	02/08
Victoria Gandy	02/09
Michael Johnson	02/10
Paul Collagen	02/16
Irene Kliesch	02/19
Peter Quaglino	02/21
Michelle Paredes	02/25
Jackie Jackson	02/27

Have we missed **your** birthday? If so, it is not listed on our computer. Please contact the church office and we will be glad to add your birth date to our monthly birthday list!



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AT FUMCAG IN FEBRUARY

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- 2/10** **UMM SWEETHEART BREAKFAST**
- 2/14** **ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**
- 2/21** **NEW WEDNESDAY CLASSES BEGINS**
- 2/25** **STAFF PARISH RECOGNITION SUNDAY**