



January 31, 2010

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10:00 AM

*Welcome! We're glad you're here.  
Please sign in using the red books along the side aisles.*

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PRELUDE

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

***Schmücke dich, O liebe Seele, BWV 654***

Deck thyself, my soul with gladness

ACOLYTES

Vika Exon & Erika Noble

Enter with the symbol of the Light of Christ

MOMENTS OF WELCOME

Greeting

Visitors

Registration

Announcements

\* TRINITY BELLS (*Stand as you are able*)

\* OPENING SONGS OF PRAISE

Hymn No. 2158 (The Faith We Sing)

Closer Walk

***Just a Closer Walk with Thee***

Hymn No. 585 (UM Hymnal)

Lattimer

***This Little Light of Mine***

Hymn No. 2204 (The Faith We Sing)

Light of the World

***Light of the World***

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER

Teresa Clark

SHARING KNOWN NEEDS

CALL OUT YOUR JOYS

Special Music

*I Love You, Lord*

music by Laurie Klein, arr. by Patricia Sanders Cota  
Allegro Ringers

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
forever. Amen**

ANTHEM

*Beautiful Saviour*

Silesian Folk Song, arr. by Henry S. Fry  
Men of the Aldersgate Choir  
directed by Marc Longlois

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Greg Laird

Children are welcome to stay in church for Family Worship. Preschool age and kindergarten children will exit after Children's Moments for Church School.

SCRIPTURE

**Genesis 1:1-5  
1 John 1:5-7**

SERMON

**That's One Bright God!**

Rev. Brian C. Kent

\* HYMN NO. 601

Thy Word

*Thy Word Is a Lamp*

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Helmut Walcha

*Mein Leben ist ein Pilgrim-stand*

My life is but a Pilgrim-stand

\* DOXOLOGY

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise him, all creatures here below;**

**Praise him above, ye heavenly host;**

**Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\* SENDING HYMN NO. 571

Lancashire

*Go, Make of All Disciples*

\* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Canzona*

Dietrich Buxtehude

\* DENOTES STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

## In Our Prayers

**We hold in prayer all the women who are attending the Women's Retreat at Aldersgate Retreat Center in Pacific Palisades.**

*In hospital*, Eli Sturman

*In convalescent care*, Leonard Shaw, Howard Nolan, Marion Holsteen, Natta Lea McCormack, Norma Montigel, Betty Byrnes, Eleanor Rayner, Adrianna Paine, Judy Ziegler.

*For health and support*, O.L. Brawner, Emily Shaw, Eula Robison, Nancy McCormick, Maxine Corridan, Martha Devine, Myra Williams, Micheline Scoggins, Ruby Gregory, Elizabeth Cox, Lorraine Armata, Warren Garnett, Larry McCormick, Frances Longbotham, Debbie Boone, Susan Shuckett, Christopher Nauss, Nina Freeman, and Becky Konegen's father.

**The ministers of this church are its members.** Assisting them are Bishop Mary Ann Swenson, District Superintendent Bau Dang, and the church staff: Sr. Pastor, Brian C. Kent; Assoc. Pastor, Sheila M. Kane; Youth Director, Val Weise; Aldersgate Director, Alice Wymer; Organist, Marc Longlois; Bell Choirs Director, Gayla Lonsbery; Office Manager, Barbara Lee Bush; Receptionist, Laurie Williams; Sunday School Superintendent, Barbara Jo Wilson; Preschool Director, Lee Ann Salmon.

## Riverside District Summer Camps

Camp Extravaganza will be held May 2, 2:00-6:00 PM at Camp Wrightwood.

Anyone of any age interested in camp is invited to join in a celebration of upcoming summer camps. Enjoy a fun filled afternoon at beautiful Camp Wrightwood. Meet the camp deans and staff and learn all about camping programs offered. There will be music, raffles and a chance to explore the campground. Cost is \$5 and includes dinner and a raffle entry.

Mark your calendars:

**Elementary Camp:**  
**July 11-17, Camp Wrightwood**

**Jr. & Sr. High Camp:**  
**July 18-24, Camp Wrightwood**

## Builders Fellowship

Our February 12 program, *Unmanned Aerial Vehicles: Now and Then*, will be presented by Don Blose. Don's talk will include the two major vehicles being used in Iraq and Afghanistan, plus two HAVs he worked on in the 1950s.

The meeting will start at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Dinner will be catered by McGrath's. Dinner is \$10.50 per person.

Please make reservations with Allean Blose (686-9981) or Lorene Haines (684-3059).

## United Methodist Women

**Feb. 3, 10, 24:** Hand-crafters Workshop, 9:30 AM, Asbury.

**Feb. 8:** Almond/ Wesleyan Potluck, 12:00 PM, Mary's Kitchen.

**Feb. 10:** UMW Executive Committee, 9:30 AM, Mary's Kitchen.

**Feb. 14:** Valentine's Bake Sale.

**Feb. 17:** UMW Unit Meeting, 10:00 AM, Koinonia.

**Feb. 20:** Mid-Winter Conference, Wilshire LA UMC.

## UMW Needs

Knitters for slippers for UMW Bazaar—we provide pattern and yarn.

Caps off liter soda bottles

Flower pots: any sort of decorative 4"-6" flower pots.

Please call Gretel Noble.

## **YOUTH NEWS**

### **Study Hall—Youth Center Today**

**5:00-6:00** Need help with homework or a quiet place to study? Study Hall is open in the Youth Center Study Room. Homework is a must; don't come empty handed. After Study Hall, we'll join regular UMYF.

### **UMYF—Youth Center Tonight 6:00-7:30**

All middle school and high school youth! Join us in the Youth Center tonight as we plan for the "Super Bowl of Caring."

UMYF Next Week—Super Bowl Party! Colts vs. Saints! Plan on watching the game or the commercials at a UMYF Super Bowl Party. **Watch for details.**

## **Faith & Fellowship**

### **February Luncheon**

February 21 is our Annual All-American Luncheon. Faith & Fellowship will provide rolls, dessert and drinks. A sign-up sheet will be on the kiosk beginning February 7. Please join us for fun and fellowship.

### **Faith & Fellowship Cookbook**

As a reminder, we are collecting recipes for our cookbook. We are looking for all types of recipes: baked goods, casseroles, salads, family favorites, meat dishes. For your convenience, there is a box in the narthex to collect your recipes. Thanks to those who have already contributed.

### **Rummage Sale**

Our rummage sale will be in June. We start collecting items the end of April. More details coming in the months ahead.

### **Haiti Emergency through UMCOR**

100 percent of Advance gifts go to support relief and development efforts in Haiti. If you can help, make checks payable to FUMCOR, note Advance # 418325 and the church will forward your donation.

**UMYF** will not meet **February 14** because many of our Senior High youth will be participating in Youth Alive.

Parents—See Risa to sign up for snacks.

## **United Methodist Men February 14**

*Surviving Caregiver Woes.* Jerry Corrales, one of our own FUMCOR members, will be our speaker on Sunday morning, February 14th. Jerry will talk about issues related to health care delivery, health care providers, housing alternatives, quality of life choices, and available community resources. The talk is for people from all walks of life to learn about issues that directly affect them, especially at a time when they are most vulnerable. Mr. Corrales is an advocate of senior issues and serves as a member of the Advisory Council of the Riverside County Office on Aging.

Everyone is invited to come out and join us for a delicious 7:00 AM breakfast (\$6.00), time of fellowship and an interesting program.

Our thanks to Kyle Weakly, a UMM scholarship recipient, who spoke to us at our last meeting on his experiences in college. We are pleased to be a small part of his life, and others who we have been able to help using our annual May Silent Auction proceeds.

## **Souper Bowl of Caring**

On February 7, 140 million Americans will tune in to Super Bowl. There will be parties with abundant food, friendship and fellowship. At the same time there will be people worrying about staying warm, finding shelter and a warm meal. Please join our youth group and young people around the country as they demonstrate God's love by loving their neighbors through the *Souper Bowl of Caring*. Next Sunday the youth will collect donations to help our neighbors in the Inland Empire and Haiti. The youth decided this year to split the donations between the Frazee Community Center and UMCOR. There are two ways to participate. Either drop a donation in the soup pots when you leave worship next Sunday or leave a donation after enjoying a warm bowl of soup in Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome to enjoy a delicious bowl of soup after worship. Thank you for supporting the efforts of our youth.

## Sunday, January 31

### Women's Retreat

- 8:45 am Sunday School for All Ages  
10:00 am **Worship**  
5:00 pm Covenant Discipleship Group—Adult Lounge  
5:00 pm Study Hall—Youth Center  
6:00 pm UMYF—Youth Center

## Monday, February 1

- 6:30 pm Disciple Bible Study—Koinonia  
7:00 pm Trustees—Mary's Kitchen

## Tuesday, February 2

- 8:30 am *Messenger* Volunteers—Mary's Kitchen  
10:00 am Bible Study—Koinonia  
11:00 am Office Staff Meeting—CR  
*the church office is closed during staff meeting*  
7:00 pm Allegro Ringers—Mary's Kitchen

## Wednesday, February 3

- 9:30 am UMW Handcrafters Workshop—Asbury  
6:00 pm Sit-n-Sew Quilters—Mary's Kitchen

## Thursday, February 4

- 6:30 am Men's Prayer Breakfast—Mary's Kitchen  
7:00 pm Aldersgate Chorale Rehearsal—MR

## Sunday, February 7

- 8:45 am Sunday School for All Ages  
10:00 am **Worship & Communion**  
11:15 am Souper Bowl of Caring Luncheon—Fellowship Hall  
5:00 pm Covenant Discipleship Group—Adult Lounge  
5:00 pm Study Hall—Youth Center  
6:00 pm UMYF—Youth Center