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*We seek to shepherd all
To worship God
To follow Jesus Christ
And grow in faith
Through the Holy Spirit*

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APRIL



SERVICES

PALM SUNDAY - April 17th

9:00 a.m. Worship with Pastor Randy Johnson Preaching
Children's Palm Procession with Music
Children's Time Puppet Show

10:30 a.m. Worship with Pastor Randy Johnson Preaching

"FRENCH TOAST" BREAKFAST (between services)
SSP Youth Fundraiser
\$6 adults / \$3 children under 10

MAUNDY THURSDAY - April 21st

7:00 p.m. Choir Cantata - "Covenant of Grace" with Communion

GOOD FRIDAY PRAYER VIGIL - April 22nd

9:00 a.m. Sanctuary open for private prayer until 9:00 p.m.

A prayer host or hostess will be present, and prayer cards available to pray for personal or others' prayer needs. The atmosphere will be one of quiet music, altar beauty and meditative spirit.

EASTER SUNDAY - April 24th

Pastor Randy will preach at all three services

7:30 a.m. Informal Worship on "Celebration Courtyard"

Dr. Corry Bell on Piano
No Childcare provided

9:00 a.m. Worship in Celebration Hall

Sunday School - (Combined in Room 1)

The Easter story video / special Easter craft

10:00 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt on lawn

10:30 a.m. Worship in Celebration Hall

Sunday Schedule
9:00 a.m. Worship
Sunday School Classes
EVERY SUNDAY

Toddler Room/ Childcare (Ages 1-4 yrs.)
 Younger Elementary Class (K-3rd)
 Older Elementary Class (4th-5th)

10:30 a.m. Worship

Toddler Room/Crying Room
 Open for Parent Use
 Worship Service will be provided
 via television monitor
 Toys and books available for children

Sunday Evening UMYF

Middle High 5:00 -7:00 p.m.
 Senior High 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

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Celebrate the Glory of Easter

A Floral Living Cross will be used as part of both services on Easter Sunday. Each person is asked to bring a live flower to place into the chicken wire of the cross as the service begins. As flowers are placed on the cross it will bloom and come alive! As Christ brought forth life from the dark and dreary tomb, the flowers will bring life and color to the bare form of the cross to remind us of the true joy of Easter.

If you have extra flowers, please bring them for someone who might have forgotten, or for a visitor.



EASTER FLOWERS

Lilies and Hydrangeas \$10 each

Please fill out a form in the breezeway and mark in honor of or in memory of that special someone and enclose with your check (payable to TUMC) in the envelope provided and place in the yellow box provided in the breezeway.

You may also mail a check payable to TUMC
 Note: "Easter Flowers" and mail to
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 Attention: Ashley Lewis
 42690 Margarita Road
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**DEADLINE TO ORDER IS SUNDAY, APRIL 17th
 SO GET YOUR ORDERS IN QUICKLY.**



April 30, 2011 11:30 - 2:00 p.m.

Tickets on sale now. Adults \$15 / Children \$5

CALL MICHELLE FOR MORE INFO !

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 17TH

Kids will create palms in Sunday School and participate in a palm processional during first service.

"French Toast" Breakfast

AFTER BOTH SERVICES
 SSP Youth Fundraiser

\$6 - adults / \$3 - under 10



EASTER SUNDAY

Combined Sunday School
 Kids Video / Kids Craft

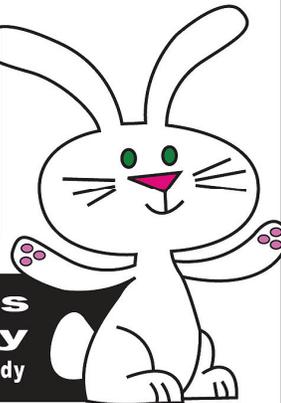
APRIL 24TH

Easter Egg Hunt
Meet the Easter Bunny
 BETWEEN SERVICES

Boy Scouts / Girl Scouts

We need your help to deliver baskets to our homebound. If you would like to help, please call Deb 951-587-8848.

You do not need to be a scout to participate.



Children's Ministries Needs Easter Candy

We are looking for any individually wrapped candy

WEDNESDAY
FAMILY NIGHT
APRIL 13TH

FOOD & ACTIVITIES

HILLSIDE ROOM (5:30-7:00)

The Monks will serve Hot Dogs and Hamburgers (for a donation).

Join us in assembling baskets for the homebound & stuffing eggs for Children's Ministries.

If you have any questions, please call Deb ☺

Camping and RV Club

ROOM 1 - CHURCH (7:15)

Who's Invited:

All of all ages who enjoy the great outdoors and love to camp out with friends and family

All are Welcomed:

Whether a newbie at camping or an experienced hand Come One, Come All!

Purpose:

To have Fun, Food and Fellowship in the Great Outdoors

Members and Friends of TUMC have had a lot of fun over the past four to five years attending one or two church-wide campouts every year. These overnight events have been usually close enough that non-campers have come only on Saturdays and spent the day with the campers. Many of us would like to do this more often and the more attending the merrier! Please come and bring your favorite ideas of places to camp. Also come and share places you haven't been but would like to go and camp. Topics to be covered include, how often do we want to camp each year, the creation of a list of parks and places we would like to go, and the creation of a TUMC Camping and RV Club with a listing of the those interested along with email addresses and contact phone numbers.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes meets in Room 6.

9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study meets in the Youth Room.

2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship.

Youth News!

Sundays, April 3rd and 10th - Regular Youth Group.

TUMC's Senior High Youth Group will be making their 13th trek to an Indian Reservation this year to participate in Sierra Service Project. This year, our youth include: Damon Dubots, Jeanette Edmonds, Bryce Glenn, Taylor Glenn, Grace Lloyd, Bobby McCarthy, Matt McCullough, Andrew Nelson, Ryan Nelson, Amanda Stone, Kathy Turnblad and Natasha Turnblad. Adults that are going are Mark/Monica McCullough, Meghann McCullough (a five year SSP alumni) and Scott Jenkins (a three year SSP alumni and a member of the United State Air Force who just returned from a tour of Afghanistan).

We will be leaving on June 25th to head to Coarsegold, California to work with the Chukchansi Tribe near Fresno. We will be returning home on July 2nd. SSP costs approximately \$400 per participant, so we will be fundraising to help us get there.

Sunday, April 17th, Youth Group French Toast Breakfast for Palm Sunday (see cover).

We will be dining at Islands in April, stay tuned for more information for this fundraiser.

Saturday, May 14th – 8–10 a.m. Pancake breakfast at Applebee's on Temecula Parkway. Tickets are \$10 for all you can eat pancakes, sausage and eggs. SSP gets 50% of ticket sales! Buy your tickets now!

Monday

Centering Prayer meets the fourth Monday of each month in Celebration Hall from 6:00–7:00 p.m. Do you hunger for a deeper relationship with God? Centering Prayer may be for you. Firmly rooted in our Christian tradition, Centering Prayer is a simple method of Christ-centered silent prayer, a renewal of an ancient Christian contemplative practice, updated for our time. It can lead to a deeper prayer life, personal healing, spiritual transformation, and closer union with God. Contact Pastor Randy Johnson, Deb Potts or Linda Sykes.

Tuesday

9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study meets in the Hillside Room. All women are invited to join us. Contact Karen Benvenuto.

4:00 p.m. Grief Group meets monthly with Vanessa Skennion and Pastor Randy in Room 1.

6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning Meeting April 5 at 6:30 p.m. at John Cloutier's home. Contact Steve Minder.

7:00 p.m. Book Discussion Group meets April 5th at the home of Shirley Jankowski to discuss *Women On The Edge of Time* by Marge Piercy.

7 p.m. Liturgical Dance Practice—in the Hillside Room. We will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays April 5, 7, 12, 14, 19— Come join us as we praise his name with dancing. Ages 6 and up welcome. Contact: Stacea Nelson.

Christian Education *continued***Wednesday**

12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch – Ladies meets the first Wednesday of each month at a different restaurant for friendship and conversation. Contact Marilyn Barger.

10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor meets in the Music Room. Pastor Randy reads, reviews and answers your questions regarding the following Sunday's Scripture. Class will not meet April 6th.

6:15 – 7:15 p.m. Adult Study and Discussion Series, Living the Question 2, with Pastor Randy meets in the Youth Room. Class will not meet April 6th.

7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal in the Music Room. Contact Earl Fields.

Thursday

10 a.m. Yoga for Life in Celebration Hall - Fit, Fun and Fabulous. Yoga class incorporates a variety of stretching, endurance and strengthening moves. Deb is a great motivator. EVERYONE IS WELCOME. Yoga class meets the first, second and fourth Thursday of each month. Contact Deb at yogaforlife06@verizon.net

7:00 p.m. Men's Spiritual Study meets in the youth room. Contact Milton Takeguchi.

7:00 p.m. Liturgical dance practices meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays, April 5, 7, 12, 14 & 19 in the Hillside Room. Come join us as we praise his name with dancing. Ages 6 and up welcome. Contact: Stacea Nelson.

Saturday

8 a.m. MONKS Monthly Breakfast April 9th at church. Rabbi Barry Ulrych will be the guest speaker on the subject, "The Passover: A Jewish Perspective."

Being a Welcoming Church

Submitted by Sue Bradshaw

If we discovered a magic magnet that would draw outsiders to our church, what would they find when they arrived? What would be their first impressions?

We naturally want our church visitors to have a good experience the first time they join us, and usually the first people they interact with on Sunday mornings are the friendly people greeting them at our visitor's table. These volunteers from our Evangelism Committee are dedicated, friendly and helpful and go out of their way to make visitors feel at home and comfortable. Some of these visitors are potential church members and constituents. But at this time we need your help to make sure that the visitors' table is staffed before the 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services, each and every Sunday. We especially need additional volunteers before the 9 a.m. service. Just a time commitment once a month and a friendly attitude will do. Instructions are simple. You do not have to be an Evangelism Committee member.

If your heart tells you that this is what you want to do and you can help out, please contact Vinya Gulla or Sue Bradshaw. Check out available dates on the sign-up sheet in the breezeway and sign up.

CROP WALK

Saturday, April 16, 2011

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Rather than giving up something for Lent, how about taking on something?!! You can help raise money for our food pantry by participating in the CROP Walk on April 16th. We will walk the 3.5 mile circuit from the church to Meadows Parkway via Rancho California Road and back to the church via Rancho Vista Road. Enjoy a continental breakfast when you return. The entry fee is just \$5.00 (or more) and you can ask your family, friends and neighbors to be sponsors for a free will donation each. Can't walk – you can still participate by volunteering to help with registration, giving out bottled water, serving breakfast or donating money, bottles of water, juice, fruit or pastry items. Let's all pitch in to make this a very successful event for assisting those in our community in need of help feeding their families. Shalom! Contact Diane Martinez.

Update on Stewardship- Building Fund

Submitted by Bill Steele, Lay Leader

As mentioned during services a few weeks ago, we are very pleased to announce that the request for \$23,496 to meet the annual mortgage payment during 2011 on our last remaining loan has been exceeded for the year 2011. The current commitments are for more than \$34,000. After we receive the funds for this year and are able to make our annual mortgage payments for 2011, the additional funds received will be collected and held by the Church to begin paying next year's payments. TUMC has an outstanding history of building and funding our beautiful campus. Since 1995, the congregation has funded over \$1.5 million in new construction and has paid off three loans. Now, only one loan remains with a current balance of \$140,900 due in 7 years.

Starting in 2011, our campaign was directed towards funding our monthly loan payments of \$1,952/month or \$23,496 per year. We want to express our appreciation for your response and willingness to support the existence of this fine United Methodist Church here in Temecula through the commitments made this year to underwriting the capital mortgage of the church. Over the next several months, I will be writing articles and providing comments on other parts of TUMC's Stewardship program and the part(s) everyone regardless of age can play in our church.

UMW Corner

April 21, 2011 - for our general meeting/sacrificial lunch, we will have the "Call to Prayer and Self Denial" The theme is "Give the Gift of Love"

The offering for this event will support the Retirement Benefits Fund, which provide pensions and health care for the retired United Methodist Women deaconesses, missionaries and workers (some still continue their witnesses and activities whether they live in retirement communities or other communities). We will also honor our retired church workers.

Come and join us for this spiritual event, (especially as it falls during Holy Week on Maundy Thursday) to remember those who dedicated their lives.

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Dates to Remember

- 4/3 Fourth Sunday in Lent
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Hughes
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship
5:00 p.m. Jr. UMYF
6:00 p.m. Sr. UMYF
- 4/4 6:30 p.m. Trustee Meeting
- 4/5 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study
4:00 p.m. Grief Support Group
6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning Meeting
7:00 p.m. Book Discussion Group
7:00 p.m. Liturgical Dance rehearsal
- 4/6 12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch
7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 4/7 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class w/Deb Potts
7:00 p.m. Liturgical Dance rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
- 4/9 8:00 a.m. MONKS Monthly Breakfast
Speaker: Rabbi Barry Ulrych
"The Passover: A Jewish Perspective"
- 4/10 Fifth Sunday in Lent
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Hughes
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship
5:00 p.m. Jr. UMYF
6:00 p.m. Sr. UMYF
5:30 p.m. UMW help at SMURF Dinner
- 4/12 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Liturgical Dance rehearsal
- 4/13 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor
5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night
6:15 p.m. Adult Study & Discussion w/Pastor
7:15 p.m. Camping & RV Club Meeting
7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 4/14 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class w/Deb Potts
7:00 p.m. Liturgical Dance rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study

- 4/17 Palm Sunday Breakfast served by youth
See front page for details.
9:00 a.m. Palm Procession
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Hughes
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship
- 4/18 6:30 p.m. Finance Committee
- 4/19 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Liturgical Dance rehearsal
- 4/20 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor
6:15 p.m. Adult Study & Discussion w/Pastor
7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 4/21 10:00 a.m. UM Women General Meeting & Luncheon
7 p.m. MAUNDY THURSDAY WORSHIP
- 4/22 9:00 a.m.—9 p.m. Good Friday Prayer Vigil in Celebration Hall
- 4/24 EASTER SUNDAY— See front page
7:30 a.m. Informal Outdoor Worship
9:00 a.m. Worship & Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt on the lawn
10:30 a.m. Worship
- 4/25 6:00 p.m. Centering Prayer
- 4/26 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Church Council
- 4/27 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 4/28 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class w/Deb Potts
1:00 p.m. UM Women Executive Board
7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
- 4/29 9:00 a.m. UM Women Tea setup
- 4/30 11:30 a.m.—2 p.m. UM Women Tea



	<u>April 3</u>	<u>April 10</u>	<u>April 17</u>	<u>April 24</u>	
USHERS 9:00 a.m.	Robert Edmonds Jesse Martinez Milton Takeguchi Ethel Takeguchi	Monks	Youth	Oscar Loud Thelma Loud Sam Hill Pat Hill	
USHERS 10:30 a.m.	John Cloutier Dick Mohammed Dan Gutierrez Boni Gulla	Monks	Youth	Dick Mohammed Cliff Elder Dan Little Joyce Little	
LITURGISTS 9:00 a.m.	Steve Minder	Monks	Youth	Steve Minder	
10:30 a.m.	Sue Bradshaw	Monks	Youth	Doris Elder	
GREETERS 9:00 a.m.	Gera Thole	Monks	Youth	Maxine Heiller	
10:30 a.m.	Sharon McCarthy	Monks	Youth	Sharon McCarthy	
SOUND TECH 9:00 a.m.	Mark McCullough	Brian Severns	Youth	Robert & Jeanette Edmonds	
10:30 a.m.	Ken Boyle	Ken Boyle	Youth	Ken Boyle	

If you cannot serve as assigned, please call Jessie Martinez or John Cloutier for ushers and Bea Waite for liturgists & greeters.

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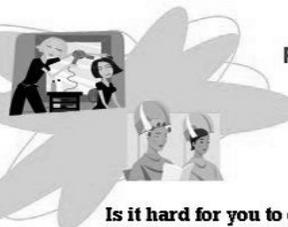
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