



**The Vision of
Temecula UMC
Community**

Temecula UMC is a caring community dedicated to God's work. We welcome all by creating an atmosphere rooted in the fruits of the spirit. We are a positive, visible presence in our community and a place of comfort and peace. We provide spiritual fulfillment through worship, education, fellowship, missions and actions. We are people of God that live out our faith every day following Christ.

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Easter Worship

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday - April 13th

9:00 a.m. Palm Service

*Pastor Randy Johnson preaching
Traditional Sunday School (ages 3-11)
Nursery care for infants & toddlers*

10:30 a.m. Palm Service

Pastor Randy preaching

Pancake Breakfast

*Between and after services
Adults - \$7 / Child - \$5 / Family \$20*

Easter Sunday - April 20th

9:00 a.m. Easter Message

*Pastor Randy Johnson preaching
Chancel Choir singing
Pianist - Dr. Corry Bell
Traditional Sunday School (ages 3-11)
Nursery care for infants & toddlers*

10:30 a.m. Easter Message

*Pastor Randy preaching
Chancel Choir singing
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10:00 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt

*Between Services on the front lawn
For all children from 0-12*

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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

Childcare: Toddlers—younger elementary,
 Toys and books available for children.

Sunday Evening UMYF

April 13th & April 27th meets 4–6 p.m.
 In the Youth Room

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ALL ARE INVITED TO THE FEAST

"On this greatest day of the year, all fasting and somber thoughts are banished. As St. John Chrysostom announces in this famous Easter sermon, all are invited to the feast: "Let all then enter the joy of Our Lord!

Both the first and the last, and those who come after, enjoy your reward!

Rich and poor, dance with one another, sober and slothful, celebrate the day.

Those who have kept the fast and those who have not, rejoice today, for the table is richly spread.

Fare royally upon it-the calf is a fatted one.

Let no one go away hungry.

All of you, enjoy the banquet of faith!

All enjoy the riches of His goodness.

Let no one cry over his poverty, for the universal Kingdom has appeared!

Let no one mourn that he has fallen again and again, for forgiveness has risen from the grave.

Let none fear death, for the death of our Savior has set us free.

He has destroyed it by enduring it.

He spoiled the power of hell when he descended thereto.

Isaiah foretold this when he cried, 'Death has been frustrated in meeting him below!'

It is frustrated, for it is destroyed.

It is frustrated, for it is annihilated.

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SPRING TEA

April 26, 2014 • 11:00 am



The UMW Spring Tea is an annual fundraiser for global and local mission projects. It features beautiful tables set with fine china, scones, sandwiches, sweets and, of course, tea.

The event includes a silent auction and entertainment. Invite your friends and family for a great time of fellowship and delicacies.

Donated auction items for the UMW Tea such as: artwork, jewelry, gift baskets of food, wine, and beauty products, stationery, garden or items and services such as yoga, vision, dental, or day spa certificates are needed.

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

Contact Diane Martinez

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UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL 26 • 11:00 a.m.

UMW SPRING TEA

MAY 1 • 5:30 p.m.

5:30 p.m.

MONKS will cook & serve hamburgers

6:30 p.m.

Movie in the Worship Center

MAY 18 • 11:45 a.m.

BUILDERS LUNCHEON

JUNE 14 • All day

ALL CHURCH GARAGE SALE

Be sure to begin saving clean items for the yard sale. We will be accepting furniture, knick/knacks, old TVs, electronics, toys and other household items including lamps, china, etc.

As in past years, we will not be accepting clothes. Starting Sunday, June 8th through June 13th, you may bring your items to church.

If you need pickup of large items, contact Bill Steele at wsteele@usbr.gov or Toby Hammett at wthamm@gmail.com

JUNE 15 • Both Services

CELEBRATION OF OUR GRADUATES

JUNE 29

-- SAVE THE DATE --

FAREWELL & RETIREMENT PARTY FOR PASTOR RANDY & SHIRLEY

JUNE 23-27 • 9:00-Noon

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 4 • 4:00-9:00 p.m.

JULY 4TH PICNIC

OCT. 29 • 6:00-7:30 p.m.

SAFE TRICK OR TREAT

DEC. 3 • 6:00

ALL CHURCH CHRISTMAS PARTY

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Sunday

Adult Bible Study with Joe Hughes at 9 a.m. in Room 6. All are welcome. "Outlive Your Life" by Rev. Max Lucado is the current study. Contact Joe Hughes.

Adult Tagalog Bible Study meets in the Youth Room at 9 a.m. Mission: To grow in Christian faith and watch over one another in love by studying and living the words from the Bible. Contact Dan Gutierrez.

Sunday School meets during the 9 a.m. service. At 10:30 a.m. childcare is offered for toddlers through younger elementary. Contact Diana Walker.

Youth Group

Pastor Randy will meet with youth on Sunday, April 13th and April 27th from 4–6 p.m. in the Youth Room.

Monday

Welcoming and Outreach Committee meets next on Monday, May 19th at 10 a.m. in Room 6. Contact Sue Bradshaw.

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Study at 9:30 a.m. in Room 1. Our Lent Study is "Listen: Praying in a Noisy World" by Rueben Job. All ladies are welcome to join us. Contact Karen Benvenuto.

Book Discussion Group at 7 p.m. May 6th. We will meet at the home of Jessie Boyle to discuss "Inferno" by Dan Brown. The reviewer will be Deb Severns.

Wednesday

Scripture Study with Pastor Randy resumes May 7th at 10 a.m. in the Music Room.

Choir Rehearsal at 7:15 p.m. in Celebration Hall. New voices are always welcome. Please contact Rob Hodo Sunday mornings or email rhodo70@gmail.com

Thursday

Out to Lunch Bunch meets at noon the first Thursday of each month at a different restaurant for friendship and sharing. Thursday, May 1st, we will meet at the French Valley Restaurant off Winchester Road. Contact Marilyn Barger.

UM WOMEN CORNER

April 10th - Thursday - Executive Board Meeting - 1:00 p.m. in Room 6

April 17th — Thursday - UMW General Meeting- 10:00 a.m. in the Hillside Room .

April 25th—Friday, Spring Tea Setup, 9 a.m.—7 p.m.

April 26th—Saturday, UMW Spring Tea—11 a.m.—2 p.m.

MONKS Men of Nurturing Knightly Spirit

Monthly Planning Meeting

Meets the Tuesday before the MONKS Monthly Breakfast at 6:30 p.m.

MONKS Monthly Breakfast Meeting

Guest Speaker will be Dick Mohammed addressing "Calling 911—The Whys, the How, and the Needs of 911 and the people who support 911."

Saturday, April 12th at 8 a.m. in the Hillside Room.

Memorial Service for Gary Kerr at TUMC May 3, 2014 at 3 p.m. in the Worship Center.

From Missions

Our Mission Area has set a goal of 1,000 Health Kits for the Border Ministry. A list is enclosed for purchasing items to complete these kits. Please bring the completed kits to church by May 18th. If you prefer to donate money, designate it for Health Kits and we will purchase items for more kits.

Health Kits

Hand Towel (not dish towel)
 Wash Cloth
 Tube of Toothpaste (medium size)
 Toothbrush (wrapped)
 Comb
 Band-Aids (6)
 Bar of Soap
 Small Nail Clippers or Nail File
 1-gal. size Zip-lock plastic bags

Please put all items in the 1-gal. Zip-lock bag.

Please return completed health kits to church by May 18th. In lieu of kits, money may be contributed to purchase items for kits.

Think Globally, Act Locally. Please continue to bring food each Sunday for the food pantry. Rather than giving up something, we are asking each TUMC family to bring at least one nonperishable food item. There is a collection basket in the back of the sanctuary and we now have a grocery cart which will be on the patio on Sunday mornings. Thanks and blessings to all of you.

From the Craft Faire Planning Committee

Books, CDs, DVDs and puzzles will be accepted after AUGUST 1ST. If you have items to donate, please keep them until August 1st or call the church office at 676-1800, x 3.

We need extra people to help with planning for the 2014 Craft Faire which will be October 25th. Meetings are once a month. If you would like to help, please contact Doris Elder or Heather Bjorkland.



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4/26	11:00 a.m. UM Women Tea
4/27	9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes
	9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
	9:00 a.m. Sunday School
	5:00 p.m. Financial Peace University
4/28	6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts
	6:30 p.m. Church Council
4/29	9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
4/30	7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal

4/1	9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study 1:00 p.m. Craft Faire Planning 7:00 p.m. Book Group
4/2	7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
4/3	12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch
4/6	Rev. Sandy Dodson preaching 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study 11:45 a.m. Missions Committee
4/7	6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts 7:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting
4/8	9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study 6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning Meeting
4/9	7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
4/10	1:00 p.m. UM Women Executive Board
4/12	8:00 a.m. MONKS Monthly Breakfast 4:00 P.M. Bruce Reid Memorial Service
4/13	PALM SUNDAY—PANCAKE BREAKFAST 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Financial Peace University Preview 11:45 a.m. Stephen Ministers
4/14	6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts 7:15 p.m. Staff Parish Relations
4/15	9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Finance Committee
4/16	7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
4/17	10:00 a.m. UM Women Meeting/Luncheon
4/18	Good Friday—Church Offices Closed
4/20	EASTER SUNDAY Worship at 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt
4/21	6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts
4/22	9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
4/23	7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
4/24	5:00 p.m. UM Women Tea setup
4/25	9:00 a.m. UM Women Tea setup

All Are Invited to the Feast

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It is frustrated, for now it is made captive.

For it grabbed a body and discovered God.

It took earth and behold! It encountered Heaven.

It took what was visible, and was overcome by what was invisible.

O Death, where is your sting?

O Death, where is your victory?

Christ is risen, and the demons are cast down.

Christ is risen, and life is set free.

Christ is risen, and the tomb is emptied of the dead.

For Christ, having risen from the dead, is become the first-fruits for those who sleep.

to Him be glory and power forever and ever!

Amen. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!"



	April 6	April 13	April 20	April 27	
USHERS	9:00 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	
	Erik Toberman	MONKS	Youth	Janet Galbraith	
	Larry Messersmith			Dick Mohammed	
	Bert Bjorkland			Dan Gutierrez	
				Lovely Villanueva	
	10:30 a.m.	8:00 p.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	
Janet Galbraith	MONKS	Youth	Dan Little		
Dick Mohammed			Raul Denisac		
Dan Gutierrez			Gloria Galvez		
Lovely Villanueva			Steven Jones		

LITURGISTS	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	
	Bill Steele	MONKS	Youth	Natasha Turnblad	
	10:30 a.m.	10:30 .M.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	
	Sue Bradshaw	MONKS	Youth	Peggy Cowherd	

GREETERS	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	
	Deb Johnson	MONKS	Youth	Pat Hill	
	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	
	Jean Williams	MONKS	Youth	Joan Biddle	

SOUND TECH	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	
	McCullough Family	Severns Family	Youth	Edmonds Family	
	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	
	Lloyd Family	Boyle Family	Youth	Cloutier	

VISITOR TABLE	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	
	Sue Bradshaw	Anita Accordino	Sue Bradshaw	Anita Accordino	
	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	
	Jean Williams	Gloria Galvez	Dorothy Smith	Hazel Hailstone	

If you cannot serve as assigned, please call Marilyn Barger for ushers and Hazel Hailstone for liturgists & greeters.



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