

The mission of Temecula UMC Community

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

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# Temecula United Methodist Church The MESSENGER JUNE 2009

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## **Temecula United Methodist Church**



Kids will experience an action-packed, adrenaline-filled week long expedition that will include: Nature Discovery, Campfire Snacks, Rockin' Music, Adventuresome Games and Creative Crafts.

## June 22-26 9am-noon

Check inside for a volunteer sign-up sheet We need YOU!!!! ONLY \$30 Child \$50 Family

#### Sunday Schedule Worship 9:00 a.m.

Preschool Care/infants & toddlers to age 4 Traditional Sunday School - Ages 4—11 Teen (11-14) Sunday School 2x/month

#### Worship 10:30 a.m.

Family Lounge Available Enrichment Church ages 4—11 Sunday School grades 6th—12th

Combined Jr. & Sr. UMYF 5:00-8:00 p.m.

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"building relationships, faith and community"

## Get Together Coffee — Dessert - and Fun!

Builders groups, "building relationships, faith and community" have been meeting since September and have enjoyed a wide variety of activities and fun times. It is now time to come together to share experiences and plan toward regrouping next fall.

All groups are asked to keep

#### Sunday, June 14th 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Room 1

on their calendar for a coffee and dessert "Get Together" for this purpose. Each GROUP is asked to bring a dessert to share.

Coffee and drinks will be provided. It is important that everyone participate.

If you have any questions, please contact Vicki Cloutier or Donnie Weaver.

## **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

#### <u>Sunday</u>

#### Adult Bible Study meets at 9 a.m. in Room 6

Contact Joe Hughes. This group will meet during the summer and the first Sunday in June . They will be looking at option s regarding what to study next.

#### Tagalog Bible Study meets at 9 a.m. in the Youth Room

#### June 7th - "God Calls To Moses"

Purpose: To recognize that God calls us, like Moses, to realign our lives to act within God's liberating purposes. Bible Lesson: Exodus 2:23 - 3:12 Key Verse: Exodus 3:10

#### June 14th - "Moses and Aaron Respond"

Purpose: To be confident that our saying "Yes" to God's call will always be accompanied by God's empowering presence. Bible Lesson: Exodus 4:10-16, 27-31 Key Verse: Exodus 4:30

#### June 21st - "Pharaoh Ignores God's Call"

Purpose: To recognize and accept that God's authority takes precedence over all competing authorities. Bible Lesson: Exodus 5:1-9, 22-6:1 Key Verse: Exodus 5:1

#### June 28th - "God Calls the People Out of Egypt"

Purpose: To step out of fear into a robust faith in God who guides, protects, and delivers. Bible Lesson: Exodus 14: 15-25, 30 Key Verse: Exodus 14:30

#### <u>Tuesday</u>

#### Ladies Bible Study meets at 9:30 a.m. in the Youth Room

June 9th we will celebrate June, July and August birthdays during our potluck lunch. During the summer we will meet and do Upper Room or any other study we might find that does not require weekly attendance. Contact Karen Benvenuto

#### <u>Wednesday</u>

#### Scripture Study w/Pastor Randy meets in the Music Room at 10 a.m.

Pastor Randy reads, reviews and answers your questions regarding the following Sunday's Scripture.

#### Class CANCELLED June 17th

Pastor Randy will be attending the annual California Pacific Conference June 17-20 at the University of Redlands .

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#### <u>Thursday</u>

#### Yoga for Life – 10:00 a.m. in Room 1

Yoga class meets the <u>first</u>, <u>second</u> and <u>fourth</u> Thursday of each month. Under Deb's instruction the class learns stress reduction, muscle strengthening and improved range of motion, improved flexibility and balance, increased breath capacity and improved circulation. All are welcome. Class is free as part of Deb's outreach to her church. Donations are accepted for TUMC's Golden Basket.

\*The next half-day meditation retreat to Encinitas will be on Wednesday, July 8th.

## MONKS Breakfast Meeting

June 13th at 8 a.m. in Room 1

Guest Speaker: Mano Bakh - Mr. Bakh is the author of a book entitled "Escaping Islam". There is more information on his website — <u>www.escapingislam.com</u>

Mr. Bakh was a high ranking officer in the Iranian Navy and attended the revered naval academy in Livorno, Italy, and the United States Naval postgraduate school in Montery, California.

Mr. Bakh's riveting escape from Khomeini's henchmen and his flight from Tehran was intense to say the least. Mr. Bakh's experience gives him the credibility to critique the religious and political problems in the middle east today. Everyone is invited to attend what promises to be a very interesting presentation. Please sign up in the breezeway or call Barry Adams. If you do not want breakfast put (NO) after your name.

## CRAFT FAIRE 2009

Once again our annual Craft Faire is making progress toward its October 10th event date. Spaces inside are quickly being filled. Calls and applications from interested crafters are steadily being received. Only high quality handcrafted items are accepted. Crafts are sought in wood art, floral, jewelry, home decor, sewing arts, soaps and lotions, ceramics, glass, watercolor and oil paintings, holiday themes and more. Space rental is \$40 for inside and \$35 for patio and grass areas. Proceeds help fund community outreach and TUMC programs.

The Tuesday Women's Bible Study group will serve a Continental Breakfast and a light lunch at nominal cost.

The popular Book and Bake Sale will again be featured by UMW. Begin looking for those used books, videos and CD's that you no longer use. A collection point will be set up in the Leather's Learning Center breezeway.

Volunteers are needed to assist in many areas for the Faire. Look for the sign-up sheet in the breezeway and choose your area of interest. Flyers advertising "VENDORS WANTED" for the Faire are available in the church office or from Donnie Weaver. If you could take a large single flyer to post at your workplace, and/or a handful of flyers to leave in a workroom, hand to friends and neighbors, or deliver to a business in your area it would be very helpful.

For more information contact: Doris Elder Donnie Weaver Rea Douglas



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<b>EEECOS</b> JUNE 22-26, 2009 • 9 \$30 SINGLE CHILD / \$50		I WILL MAKE THE COMMITTMENT TO MAKE THIS YEARS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL A MEMORABLE AND FUN TIME FOR ALL CHILDREN WHO HAVE CHOSEN TO
Children's Names	//	BUILD A CLOSER RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD!
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Parent / Guardian Name	Phone Number	DAYS AVAILABLE
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I will volunteer with: CRAFTS GROUP LEADER		I WILL NEED NURSERY CAREYN

WEDNESDAY FAMILY NIGHTS SUMMER SCHEDULE

### MONKS FOOD SERVICE & KID'S ACTIVITIES

Will be available on the LAST Wednesday of each Month WITH SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

### JUNE 24 • JULY 29 • AUG 26

Check your bulletin & online for more details

Pastor Randy will have Bible Class every Wednesday. His class is discussing the book of REVELATION! (No class on June 17th • Pastor Randy will be at conference) Childcare still available. Everyone Welcome!

# MOMS GROUP

## Ronald Reagan Sports Park

9:00-11:00am · TUESDAYS

# Summer Swim Parties When: Every Friday, starting July 17th and ending August 28th Time: Noon until 3:00pm Where: Deb Severns home (contact TUMC for driving directions) Partallet Places being a taway a purpose avian direct for being

Details: Please bring a towel, sunscreen, swim diaper for babies, any other swim safety items your children might need, and a dish to share with the group.

## TUMC Video Library has new Videos

By Pastor Randy

Recently I have found some wonderful and groundbreaking presentations on the National Geographic Channel, A & E, and the History channel about Christianity. Using the latest discoveries from archeologists and biblical scholars, there is much to be gained from watching. I have learned what material the Holy Grail was probably made from, what the "Upper Room" was probably like, and a new probable history of the real "40 years in the wilderness." In fact, I have been so impressed; TUMC purchased some of these videos you may view at home with your family. Please note, all of them are VHS video tapes, not DVDs. Here are the titles and I would love to talk with you about your viewing experience. You may check them out from the church office. To help offset the costs each video is a low \$1.00 for a week. All of them are suitable for family viewing, so get out your popcorn and enjoy a Family Christian Video night!

In the Footsteps of Jesus: History Channel Mini-Series (4 tapes 8 hours)

- 1. The Lost Youth of Jesus
- 2. From Galilee to Jerusalem
- 3. The Way of the Cross
- 4. The Mysteries of Golgotha

The Apostles Collection : History Channel (4 hours)

- 1. The Story of Paul the Apostle
- 1. The Story of the Twelve Apostles

James: Brother of Jesus? History Channel (1 hour)

Jesus: His Life A & E Biography (100 min.)

Mary of Nazareth A & E Biography (1 hour)

## CALIFORNIA-PACIFIC CONFERENCE

Pastor Randy will be attending his 39th California-Pacific Conference along with Lay

Representatives to the Conference, Doris Elder and Hope Zangl from June 17–June 20.

You may see the recommendations from reports to be reviewed in the legislative sections and acted on by the annual conference at www.cal-pac.org

Click on main sections

Click on Annual Conference

Click on Legislation 2009 for Annual Conference

Click on Link to Forms

Click on "All information.... to updated page" (in blue ink)

Scroll down to "recommendation" in black ink where you will find recommendations for this year.







## *3<sup>rd</sup> Annual "Birdies for Bread" Golf Tournament*

Pala Mesa Resort, Fallbrook, CA Saturday, August 15, 2009 11:30 a.m. Check-in 1p.m. Shotgun Start

The Temecula United Methodist Church, in partnership with St. Catherine's Catholic Church, is holding its 3<sup>rd</sup> annual "Birdies for Bread" golf tournament on August 15, 2009 at the Pala Mesa Resort to benefit our community-wide food pantry mission. Everyone can get involved with this valuable mission. Now more than ever, your help is needed.

To get involved either as a player, sponsor, prize donor, or volunteer contact Steve Minder. You can also visit our tournament website at <u>www.temeculaumc.com/temecula-tournament.cfm</u>



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#### High School Graduates 2009

Jonathan Buehler	Chaparral High School	San Fra	ncisco State University
Meghann McCullough	Temecula Valley High School	Paloma	r Community College
Timothy Showalter, Jr.	Temecula Valley High School		
<u>College or University 2009</u>			
Erin Galbraith	Sonoma State University, B.A.		
Melissa Minnesang	University of Redlands, B.A. Studi	io Art	
Vanessa Skennion	California State University at Long B.A. Human Development	g Beach	
Tina Chapman-Wright	San Diego State University B.A. Communications & Public Relations		
Middle School 2009	D.A. Communications & Fuone R	ciations	
Sarah Benson Erik Drobnick Matt McCullough Peter Peterson Jaime Sykes	Margarita Middle School Margarita Middle School Bella Vista Middle School Earle Stanley Garner Middle School Margarita Middle School	ol	Vista Murrieta High School Chaparral High School Chaparral High School Great Oaks High School Chaparral High School
Preschool 2009 Logan Severns	PALS Preschool		Kindergarten
Extended Family 2009			
Eric Peterson Grandson of Ken & Jessie Boyle	Home Schooled		
Kelly Boyle Granddaughter of Ken & Jessie Boyle	Poway High School San Diego		UC/Santa Barbara
Kyle Cooney Grandson of Sharon Cooney	Hemet High School		
Chelsea French Granddaughter of David & Connie French	Humboldt State College, B.A.		Masters in Education

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Kristy Koenes Granddaughter of Conrad & Carol Ellefson	Canyon High School Anaheim, CA	University of San Diego
Krista Orona Granddaughter of Ashley Lewis	Great Oaks High School	Stockholm, Sweden
Hallie Turnbow Granddaughter of Maxine Heiller	Temecula Valley High School	Coast Guard
Kathryn Elizabeth Uglow Granddaughter of John & Joy Oh	Granada High School Livermore, CA	UCLA
Joshua Williams Grandson of Jean Williams	Chaparral High School	UC/Davis
Sephora Hosein Niece of Dick & Stella Mohammed	University of Toronto M.S. Library & Information Science	

## SCRIP UPDATE

All of you who shop with scrip have raised \$2,400 so far this year. We just received a check for \$210 from the Albertsons Community Program because many of you who have linked your Preferred Card to our church account have swiped it at checkout earning an automatic rebate for TUMC. This is one of the easiest ways to participate in our fundraiser. If you haven't linked your card yet, please sign up at the scrip table. You can raise funds two ways by linking your Preferred Card and using scrip too, like many of us do! THANK YOU!

Our restaurant scrip earns TUMC a high percentage; 18% for Marie Callenders. By the way, their pies are on sale right now so you can take advantage of a great sale and raise funds for TUMC. If you eat out for lunch or brunch after church why not use some of our scrip? We have scrip for: Souplantation, California Pizza Kitchen, Claim Jumper, BJ's, Denny's, Baja Fresh, Carrows, El Torito, Applebees, Chili's, Olive Garden, Macaroni Grill, Rosas Café, Mimi's Café and a new restaurant in town, Ruby Tuesdays.

Remember to use some of our GIFT CARDS (scrip) for the high school or college graduates in your life! We have some great gift ideas. Please check out our list at the scrip table or on the bulletin board in the breezeway.

## YOUTH NEWS

Youth are embarking on their Summer Sunday Nights program, beginning at the end of June. During the summer we will be bowling, playing at Mulligan's and jumping into any available pool. We will not have youth group on June 14<sup>th</sup> or June 21<sup>st</sup>, so enjoy the time with your families and friends as we move into summer. Please keep in touch with us via Facebook, the TUMC website or our own email list as to future plans. If you are not on our list, please send us a line at <u>mnmfam@roadrunner.com</u>.

Sierra Service Project Team 2009 will be leaving TUMC bright and early on Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup> to head to Navajo Nation and the Teec Nos Pas area near Four Corners. We will spend a week working with the Navajo people and SSP staff on home weatherization (roofing, siding, painting) and deck and ramp building. We will return home on Sunday, July 19th. This will be TUMC's twelfth year at Sierra Service Project and our second time to Navajo Nation. Team Members include Adults – Mark McCullough (11<sup>th</sup> year), Monica McCullough (sixth year) and Dan Buehler (second year); Youth – fifth years - Meghann McCullough and Jonathan Buehler, second year – Taylor Glenn, Natasha and Kathy Turnblad, first year – Matt McCullough, Jeanette Edmonds, Peter Peterson and Erik Drobnick. Stay tuned for more information on sending this dedicated group mail.

As you may have noticed, SSP youth have not done a lot of extra fundraising (other than pancake breakfasts). Some of this is due to the current condition of the economy and being mindful of the Church's situation in that economy. Meghann McCullough and Jonathan Buehler made a presentation to the Men's group in November. This was so well received that, in addition to a donation from the Monks, Dick Mohammed recommended that we put in a grant request through the Datron Charitible Fund at his work. We completed the necessary paperwork, wrote the grant, included great pictures and HOORAY!, we received a grant that will complete the monies that we need to take 9 Youth and 3 Adults on a week they will never forget. We had a need and God answered! Special thanks to Dick and Stella Mohammed for thinking of our program.

You are cordially invited to Jonathan Buehler's Eagle Court of Honor

Saturday, June 13th 2 to 3 p.m. Temecula United Methodist Church

Cake and refreshments following Please RSVP by June 8th to the Buehler Family



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## Stephen Minister Classes Begin July 6<sup>th</sup>

We have had good response for enrollment in our new Stephen Minister Classes. These classes will begin July 6th, and meet each Monday at 5:30 p.m. Please congratulate Steve and Linda Jones, Robert Edmunds, Toby Elliott, Sandy Dodson and Gary Kerr as they begin study in this ministry.

If you are interested in joining this class, please contact Judy Hernandez. She will be able to help you while I am out of state.

All Stephen Ministers are grateful for the support both financial and spiritual that has been forthcoming from the congregation. Please keep your prayers and support coming as we go through this journey. Peace and blessings, Joyce Little, Stephen Leader



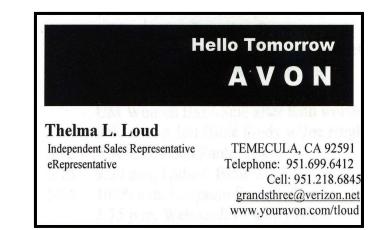
- 6/2 9:00 a.m. Moms' Picnic Play Date w/kids 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
- 6/3 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor 12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch 6:15 p.m. Pastor's Revelation Study 6:30 p.m. Trustee Meeting 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 6/4 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class w/Deb Potts
- 7/7 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe 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
- 6/9 9:00 a.m. Mom's Picnic Play Date w/kids 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study 6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning Meeting
- 6/10 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor 6:15 p.m. Pastor's Revelation Study 6:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 6/11 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class w/Deb Potts
- 6/13 8:00 a.m. MONKS Monthly Meeting 2:00 p.m. Jonathan Buehler's Eagle Scout
- 6/14 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes
  9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
  2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship
  5:00 p.m. The Builders Group Get Together
  5:00 p.m. Jr. UMYF
  6:00 p.m. Sr. UMYF
- 6/16 9:00 a.m. Moms' Picnic Play Date w/Kids 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Finance Committee
- 6/17 Pastor Randy & Lay Reps at Cal-Pac Conf, 7:15 p.m. Staff Parish Relations Committee 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 6/18 Pastor Randy & Lay Reps at Cal-Pac Conf. 11:00 a.m. UMW lunch at Macaroni Grill
- 6/19 Pastor Randy & Lay Reps at Cal-Pac Conf.
- 6/20 Pastor Randy & Lay Reps at Cal-Pac Conf.
- 6/21 Happy Father's Day

#### 6/21 UMW Bake Sale 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study 2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship

- 6/22 9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School 6:30 p.m. Church Council
- 6/23 HAPPY BIRTHDAY PASTOR RANDY! 9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School
- 6/24 9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night 6:15 P.M. Pastor's Revelation Study 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 6/25 9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School
- 6/26 9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School
- 6/28 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
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- 6/30 9:00 a.m. Moms' Picnic Date w/kids 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study

#### MISSIONS COMMITTEE REQUEST

United Church of the Valley in Murrieta is sending a mission team to Nicaragua June 15th to23rd, to build two houses for people there. They are seeking other churches to partner with them. TUMC is collecting the following items for the mission team to take with them: eye glasses (used prescription ones or drug store variety), children's vitamins, small musical instruments and Spanish books for the schools. There is a collection box in the breezeway for these items. Thank you for your participation.



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	<u>June 7</u>	<u>June 14</u>	<u>June 21</u>	<u>June 28</u>	
USHERS 9:00 a.m.	Mark Cunningham Bret Argenbright Milton Takeguchi Ethel Takeguchi	Monks	Youth	Oscar Loud Thelma Loud Sam Hill Pat Hill	
USHERS 10:30 a.m.	Janet Galbraith Richard Sharpe Dan Gutierrez Boni Gulla	Monks	Youth	Dick Mohammed Bea Waite Dan Little Joyce Little	
LITURGISTS 9:00 a.m.	Bill Steele	Monks	Youth	Deb Potts	
10:30 a.m.	Peggy Cowherd	Monks	Youth	Hazel Hailstone	
GREETERS 9:00 a.m.	Viola Beer	Monks	Youth	Beryl Murray	
10:30 a.m.	Pat O'Brien	Monks	Youth	Frances Cortese	
SOUND TECH 9:00 a.m.	Mark McCullough	Brian Severns	Youth	Mark McCullough	
10:30 a.m.	Vicki Cloutier	Ken Boyle	Youth	Frank Benson	

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

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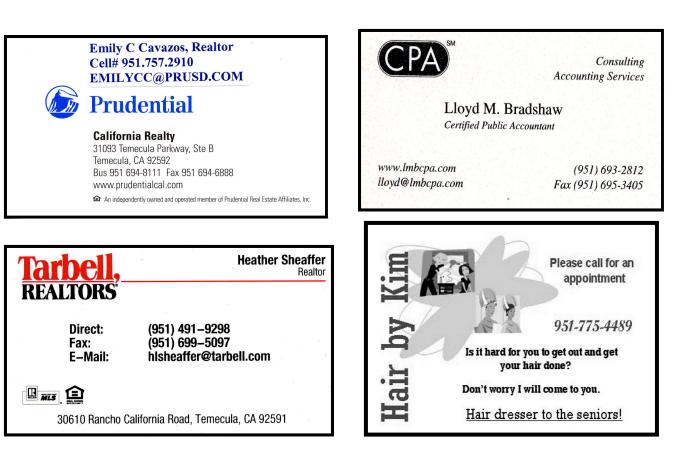
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See you in church!



June 21st is Father's Day



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