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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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# Temecula United Methodist Church The MESSENGER

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# SPECIAL WORSHIP AT TUMC PALM SUNDAY

March 28th is Family Day at TUMC! You and your children are invited.

## 9:00 A.M. WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. Randy Johnson preaching—"Welcoming Jesus" Chancel Choir – selections from cantata, "What a Morning" Sunday School and Palm Processional

## 10:00 A.M.-10:30 A.M. SPECIAL KIDS ACTIVITIES

Decorate a cookie, create a special Easter craft and meet the Easter Bunny!

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The youth will sponsor a pancake breakfast with proceeds benefiting SSP from 10:00 A.M. to Noon. Adults: \$5 Children under 10 \$3 Family max \$20 Menu: Fruit, juice, coffee, bacon/sausage and all you can eat pancakes.

## 10:30 A.M. WORSHIP

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#### Sunday Schedule During 9:00 a.m. Worship Children go directly to Sunday School Classes <u>EVERY SUNDAY</u>

Toddlers to Preschool–Childcare (Ages 2-4) Younger Elementary Class (Ages 5-9) Older Elementary Class (Ages 10 & 11) During 10:30 a.m. Worship Children go into Worship with Parents, then to class after Children's sermon. Family Lounge for Parents, Infants–Age 3 Toddlers to Preschool–Childcare (Ages 2-4) Elementary Class (Ages 5-11) Sunday School grades 6th–12th Youth go to Class at 10:30 a.m. (2nd & 4th Sundays only) Sunday Evening Youth Group (UMYF) Middle High 5:00-7:00 p.m. Senior High 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

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## MUSIC MINISTRY

The Easter season is rapidly approaching, and the choir is hard at work preparing music for the season. Palm Sunday will feature selections from the cantata, "What A Morning" by Jay Althouse depicting the triumphant arrival of Jesus into the village from the Mount of Olives.

Maundy Thursday occurs on April 1st, at 7 p.m.. The choirs of TUMC and Murrieta United Methodist Church will join together in a presentation of "The Seven Last Words" by Dubois. Featured soloists will be our own Alan Sheaffer, tenor, Nick Shelton, bass, and Lori Ebrecht, soprano. Please be sure to attend, and again fill Celebration Hall with the spirit of Easter.

On Good Friday, the same program will be presented at Murrieta UMC, again, by the joint choirs. I believe this is the first time the two churches have collaborated on such an event and we are excited about the opportunity to share this celebrated Easter musical.

Easter Sunday we will present the final section of "What A Morning" celebrating the risen Christ at the 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. services.

On behalf of the TUMC Choir, thank you all for the continued support you show for the service they provide every week.

Spread the word about our Easter services to your friends and neighbors, and encourage them to come hear for themselves.

### Worship Media Presentation Deadline

Because of the interest to increase Sunday media presentations to the congregation during services, it is **MANDATORY** to deliver the presentation to the head of the Sound team, KEN BOYLE, **NO LATER** than the Wednesday at 5 p.m. before the next Sunday. This includes all PowerPoint, DVDs, and other type of media used. This allows time to notify the technicians working in the booth ahead of time and allows us time to make sure it works. Starting **March 14th** we will not play anything that has not been run through this process. This will help things run smoothly for everyone and allow Pastor Randy time to determine when it will take place in our service. Thank you for your support.

TUMC Sound Team

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# Maundy Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup> – 7:00 P.M.

Murrieta UMC Choir will join TUMC's Chancel Choir in a presentation of "The Seven Last Words" by Dubois. Featured soloists: Alan Sheaffer, tenor, Nick Shelton, bass, and Lori Ebrecht, soprano.

# Easter Sunday, April 4<sup>th</sup>

- 7:30 a.m. INFORMAL SERVICE (Memorial Courtyard – outdoor worship) Rev. Dr. Randy Johnson – Easter Message "Raised to Life" Pianist – Dr. Corry Bell No childcare provided
- 9:00 a.m. Rev. Dr. Randy Johnson Easter Message "Raised to Life" Chancel Choir presents "What A Morning" Pianist – Dr. Corry Bell Toddler to Preschool Childcare (Ages 2-4) Younger Elementary Class (Ages 5–9) Older Elementary Class (Ages 10 & 11)

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EGG HUNT - All Sunday school aged children are invited to join in the hunt for Easter Eggs. Each egg will contain a ticket that can be exchanged for a special Easter treat.

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#### **ORDER EASTER LILIES AND HYDRANGEAS**

\$8 each – Please fill out a form in the church breezeway and enclose your check made out to TUMC.

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Each year Pastor Randy offers Confirmation instruction to our youth, ages 12 year olds through 18 years.

Classes include:

- The Body of Christ in Action including the church, being connected, working for justice, serving others, worship and word, including Holy Communion and the Bible
- Our United Methodist Heritage
- United Methodists Beliefs
- Local church—History and Mission

Baptism for those not yet baptized - an explanation of making a public profession of faith, understanding the vows, and making a commitment of faith and practice.

SIGN UP IN THE BREEZEWAY OR CONTACT PASTOR RANDY at randy@temeculaumc.com



Adults \$12& FASHION SHOWChildren \$5Fashions provided by Coldwater Creek

April 24, 2010 · 11:30 a.m.

Circle Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m., the day of the TUMW Spring Tea and Fashion Show. Contemporary spring fashions from Coldwater Creek will be modeled by women of TUMC. Be ready to bid on fabulous items at the Silent Auction. There will be a children's table for anyone under 12 to bid on. All proceeds from the tea will support local missions for women and children including St. Catherine's Food Pantry, S.M.U.R.F. (Single Mothers United for Rewarding Fellowship) and Rancho Damacitas. Scrumptious traditional English savories and sweets will be served. In addition, a special mystery quest will join us for tea.

Get your tickets early and reserve a seat for the tea. Tickets will be sold every Sunday after each service starting March 14<sup>th</sup>.

# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

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

9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study led by Joe Hughes meets in Room 6. Contact Joe Hughes. 9:00 a.m. Philippians' Tagalog Bible Study meets in the Youth Room. - Contact Dan Gutierrez. 6:30 p.m. Young Adult Ministry meets in Room 6, March 7<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>. We will be starting a new series for discussion. Bowling March 28<sup>th</sup> - location tba.

#### **Tuesday**

**9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study** meets in the Hillside Room. We are presently reading "The Way of Discernment". All women are welcome. Contact Karen Benvenuto

**7:00 p.m. Book Discussion Group** – *The Year of Fog* by Michelle Richmond will be discussed at the home of Shirley Jankowski April 6<sup>th</sup>.

#### Wednesday

**10:00 a.m.** Scripture Study w/Pastor Randy meets in the Music Room. Pastor Randy reads, reviews, and answers your questions regarding the following Sunday's Scripture.

**12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch** – Ladies meet the first Wednesday of each month at a different restaurant for camaraderie and great food.. Contact Marilyn Barger.

#### WEDNESDAY FAMILY NIGHT - Everyone welcome.

5:30 – 7:30 p.m. MONKS serve their delicious hamburgers & hot dogs (donations accepted).
6:00 – p.m. Childcare provided for anyone participating in Wednesday Family Night activities.
6:15 – 7:15 p.m. "Saving Jesus" led by Pastor Randy in the Youth Room.
6:15 – 7:15 p.m. Kids activities planned for the second, third and fourth Wednesday of each month.
7:15 – 8:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal – new choir members always welcome.



#### Christian Education continued

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

**10:00 a.m. Yoga for Life** – Yoga taught by Deb Potts, M.S., R.Y.T., meets in Celebration Hall March 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. Stress reduction, muscle strengthening and improved range of motion, improved flexibility and balance, increased breath capacity and improved circulation is taught. Contact Deb at <u>yogaforlife06@verizon.net</u> or go to <u>www.yogaforlife06.com</u>

**7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study** meets in the Youth Room. *3:16: The Numbers of Hope* by Max Lucado is the book of our current study. We anticipate spiritual conversations by digging deeply into one of the most famous and often quoted passages of the Bible – John 3:16. This study is led by Steve Minder. All men are welcome to join in this study. Contact Milton Takeguchi.

# MONKS – Men of Nurturing Knightly Spirit

Proceeds of over \$2,056.14 from the Spaghetti Dinner will be put in a designated fund for the Children's Ministry Program. Thank you to everyone who supported this event.

The Children's Ministry thanks you.

MONKS Planning Meeting, March 9th at 6:30 p.m. at Gary Kerr's home.

MONKS Monthly Meeting, March 13th at 8:00 a.m.

## Cruise the Lands of the Bible-This May Be Your Time!

As we get closer to our November 2010 "Lands of the Bible" cruise, we want to renew our invitation to you, our TUMC friends, to be among our travel companions. We already have several confirmed registrations, and others have indicated their intent to register. There's no limit, however, to how many we can take with us; so there's still plenty of room for you!

We will be flying from Orange County to Athens, Greece on Wednesday, November 10th. Following visits to Athens and Corinth, with a one night stay in a luxury hotel in Athens, we will board the cruise ship MV Cristal and sail to Port Said in Egypt. We'll visit the fascinating Egypt Museum in Cairo and the Great Pyramids in Giza, and then begin our journey back up along the Mediterranean coast. We will have three days in Israel, visiting the most important biblical sites in Jerusalem, Bethlehem, and The Galilee. You will even have an opportunity to be baptized, or to renew your baptism, in the Jordan River. From Israel, we will journey to the Greek island of Rhodes and to one the most amazing archeological sites anywhere, the ancient city of Ephesus in Turkey. Those on the basic tour will return home on Sunday, November 21st. (There are also pre-tour and post-tour options available, including such places as Memphis, Luxor, and the Valley of the Kings and Queens

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## Youth News

Submitted by Mark McCullough

We will be going to Fort Hall, Idaho for Sierra Service Project 2010. We will be leaving Temecula July 10th and returning on July 18th. This is a brand new site, so this is a great opportunity for us. We will be taking 11 youth and 3 adults (Mark and Monica Mccullough and Melissa Minnesang). We are very excited to have Melissa join us this year as an adult. Melissa was an active part of SSP's in the past, attending all 5 of her eligible years! We have a long way to go and need to raise some money to get there!

Scheduled fund raisers for SSP include:

Pancake Breakfast - March 28th (Palm Sunday) see additional info on front cover. Cinnamon Rolls for Christ - pre-order and sample - April 18th and pick up - April 25th. Money for Miles (purchase a part of our trip) - June.

Dinners out (anyone with a flyer eats there and we get a percentage). Flyers will be distributed at church in the bulletins and breezeway.

Soup Plantation - Tuesday, March 30th Islands, Thursday, April 29th and look for Ritchie's Diner in May and Shakey's Pizza in June.

## UMW Corner

March 18<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. UMW General Meeting w/Luncheon in the Hillside Room. A guest speaker from Rancho Damacitas will give a presentation during the meeting.

# From the Missions Committee

Submitted by Doris Elder

**Cal-Pac Conference Gives Almost \$300,000 to Haiti Relief Efforts**—The California-Pacific Conference has collected \$293,437.27 as of February 12th through apportionment giving for Haiti which will be directed to UMCOR. TUMC collected \$2,500.00.

For 2010, we will be partnering with Project T.O.U.C.H. "Together Our Unity Conquers Homelessness" in their effort to combat homelessness in our area. Their mission statement is to bridge individual and collective Bodies of Faith within our community together with civic and business organizations to effectively overcome homelessness. One of their goals is to establish a permanent homeless shelter for Southwest Riverside County. During the rain storms in January and February, they were able to set up temporary shelters in two churches, however, many people still were exposed to cold temperatures when it wasn't raining. Another goal is to end the cycle of homelessness by setting up resources for job training and em-For those with substance abuse ployment. problems, they provide referral services. As followers of Christ, we are instructed to care for those in need – this is an area where we can truly make a difference! A Golden Basket will be designated once a quarter to help with this much needed project.

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in Egypt; the beautiful capitol city of Istanbul in Turkey; and the sites of many of the churches of Asia Minor which figure prominently in the letters of Paul and the book of Revelation.)

You can ask any of the people who have traveled with us before—this journey can be literally life changing. It will certainly change the way you read the Bible and think about the origins of your faith. In addition, you'll have all the fun and convenience of traveling on a modern cruise ship. This is an opportunity we don't want you to miss!

Want to know more? Want a brochure with a detailed description and list of costs? Want us to come by and visit with you just to share our excitement? Give us a call at 951-639-3490 or email us at <u>LRNTR@aol.com</u>. We'd love to have you come along! Laura and Tom Rothhaar

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#### Dates to Remember

- 3/1 6:30 P.M. Trustee Meeting
- 3/2 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
- 3/3 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor 12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night 5:30 p.m. MONKS serve food 6:15 p.m. Pastor's Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 3/4 10:00 a.m. Yoga w/Deb Potts 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
- 3/7 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
  7:00 p.m. Young Adult Ministry
- 3/9 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning at Gary Kerr's
- 3/10 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor
  5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night
  5:30 p.m. MONKS serve food
  6:15 p.m. Childcare
  6:15 p.m. Family Activities
  6:15 p.m. Pastor's Bible Study
  - 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 3/11 10:00 a.m. Yoga w/Deb Potts 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
- 3/13 8:00 a.m. MONKS Monthly Meeting
- 3/14 Daylight Saving Time begins 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study 11:45 a.m. Missions Committee 2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship 5:00 p.m. Jr. UMYF 6:00 p.m. Sr. UMYF
- 3/16 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Finance Committee
- 3/17 Happy St. Patrick's Day 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night 5:30 p.m. MONKS serve food 6:15 p.m. Childcare 6:15 p.m. Family Activities 6:15 p.m. Pastor's Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
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- 3/18 10:00 a.m. UMW General Meeting/ Luncheon 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
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6:00 p.m. Sr. UMYF 7:00 p.m. Young Adult Ministry

- 3/23 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Church Council
- 3/24 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor
  5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night
  5:30 p.m. MONKS serve food
  6:15 p.m. Childcare
  6:15 p.m. Family Activities
  6:15 p.m. Pastor's Bible Study
  7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal
- 3/25 10:00 a.m. Yoga w/Deb Potts 1:00 p.m. UMW Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
- 3/28 Palm Sunday 10:00 a.m.—Noon SSP Breakfast 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study 11:45 a.m. Stephen Ministry 2:00 p.m. Korean Language Worship
- 3/30 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Eat at Soup Plantation & support SSP
- 3/31 10:00 a.m. Scripture Study w/Pastor
  5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Night
  5:30 p.m. MONKS serve food
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USHERS 9:00 a.m.	R. Edmonds B. Argenbright M. Takeguchi E. Takeguchi	Monks	Youth	O. Loud T. Loud S. Hill P. Hill	
USHERS 10:30 a.m.	J. Galbraith J. Cloutier D. Gutierrez B. Gulla	Monks	Youth	D. Little J. Little D. Mohammed C. Elder	
LITURGISTS 9:00 a.m.	S. Minder	Monks	Youth	S. Dodson	
10:30 a.m.	P. Cowherd	Monks	Youth	S. Bradshaw	
GREETERS 9:00 a.m.	P. Hill	Monks	Youth	J. Clark-George	
10:30 a.m.	S. Benanti	Monks	Youth	K. Robinson	
SOUND TECH 9:00 a.m.	M. McCullough	B. Severns	Youth	M. McCullough	
10:30 a.m.	V. Cloutier	K. Boyle	Youth	F. 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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