



**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 fruit 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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COME CELEBRATE WITH US

EASTER SERVICES

PALM SUNDAY -APRIL 14TH

9:00 a.m. Celebrate with Palms

10:30 a.m. Celebrate with Palms

AFTER SERVICE

Pancake Breakfast

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MAUNDY THURSDAY-APRIL 18TH

6:00 p.m. Soup Supper and Communion

GOOD FRIDAY-APRIL 19TH

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross in the Worship Center

EASTER SUNDAY -APRIL 21ST

7:00 a.m. Sunrise Worship (*dress warmly*)

9:00 a.m. Easter Worship (*childcare ages 1-4*)

10:00 a.m. Egg Hunt

10:30 a.m. Easter Worship

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. WORSHIP

Sunday School Classes (EVERY SUNDAY)
 Toddler Room/Childcare (Birth –4 yrs.)
 Younger Elementary Class (K–2nd)
 Older Elementary Class (3rd–5th)
 Teens (6th–12th)

10:30 A.M. WORSHIP

Childcare: Toddlers–Younger Elementary
 Toys and books available for children.

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Rick's Ramblings

Doing a New Thing

These words of hope come to us from the Prophet Isaiah speaking the word of God: "Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert." (*Isaiah 43:18-19*)

There is much happening among United Methodists everywhere and in our congregation here at Temecula United Methodist Church. I believe we are at the threshold of new and exciting possibilities for a church and people to be in ministry, to be inclusive, to live the way of a God of grace, hope, peace and joy in Christ. As with many new opportunities, it doesn't come without change, without struggle, without opposition and possible rejection. But we are called as a people living out the faith of the resurrected Christ to move forward and not look back to a time that is only perceived as calm and comfortable, but was not. We are called to push outside our comfort zones and speak with conviction and passion in love, forgiveness, invitation and welcoming.

We are truly welcoming to all people in our community in all that we do in our acts of worship, our acts of mission, and in our care for the resources God has blessed us with. When people in our valley come to "check us out", they can find a place of safe haven that offers protection, care, and compassion and help. When persons come to find a place of home and family, we must present ourselves and our facilities in the best possible light

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Rick's Ramblings *continued*

that will say “yes, we care” and “we can offer support and strength”.

In the coming weeks we shall celebrate Easter when God the heavenly parent demonstrates in the resurrection of his Son the Christ His immense love for us. We come to it realizing a new Hope for all people. In a few weeks we shall make time for the whole Church family to come together to make an important decision about how to care for our facility resource that supports the ministries we do. Upon my return from sabbatical, we shall have conversations about how we offer worship for our community. We also shall begin to have conversations how we as a church family and Resurrection people truly live out open hearts, open minds, open doors for ALL PEOPLE in our neighborhoods and valley.

What God is doing in our midst is a new thing. Be not afraid, but embrace and move forward in love, hope, joy and peace.

Peace & Grace
Pastor Rick



Thank you to all who supported the “Friends of the Poor” Walk on March 30th. We are over \$5,000 plus with donations still coming in. It is an impressive sight to see the participants scatter out to the track to walk/run to Salsa music and live entertainment. See you next year.

ONE SERVICE AND ALL CHURCH CONFERENCE

On Sunday, April 28, we will be celebrating together as one Church Family with worship followed by an All Church Meeting regarding the renovation of the kitchen, Hillside Room and Family Bathroom. All in attendance will be given updated information regarding status of the contractor, financial situation, and possibilities to pay for renovation and the time-line. All people of the Church Family are invited but only members of TUMC will be able to vote, if any vote is taken. If you have questions, you can contact Pastor Rick or Toby Hammett, Chair of Church Council.

MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE

Thursday, April 18, at 6:00 P.M. we will gather for a special meal and service together to remember Jesus' last Supper with his close Disciples. We will begin with a simple soup supper and conclude with Communion and stripping the church of all symbols to prepare us for the remembrance of Jesus's suffering and death on Good Friday.



GOOD FRIDAY

On Friday, April 19, the Worship Center will be open for meditation and reflection from 8 A.M.—12 noon. At 7:00 P.M. the Youth will lead us in the Stations of the Cross service, a time in which we are reminded of Jesus' suffering and death. We look forward to your participation.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND FELLOWSHIP

Sunday

9 a.m. Adult Sunday School Class with Joe Hughes - Meets in Room 6 weekly. All are welcome.

9 a.m. Adult Tagalog Bible Study meets in Room 8 weekly. Mission: We grow in Christian faith and watch over one another in love by studying and living the words from the Bible. Contact is Boni Gulla.

9 a.m. Sunday School meets EVERY SUNDAY

10:30 a.m. childcare is offered for toddlers through younger elementary.

4:30–6:00 p.m. **Club 3.16** w/Jeanette Frisbey—3rd to 5th graders see page six.

12:00–1:30 p.m. Sunday Lunch Book Club April 14th — *The Greatest Salesman* by Og Manbino will be discussed. Five copies of the book available for \$5 each. Contact Joe Hughes. Location TBD.

6 p.m. Youth Group meets April in the Youth Room. Contact Gian Adesso.

Tuesday

9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study— Meets weekly at the home of Karen Benvenuto from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Lenten study is *Simon Peter* by Adam Hamilton. All ladies of the church are welcome. Contact Karen Benvenuto.

7 p.m. Book Buddies – This group meets in the participants' homes at 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month through June, skipping July and January. **April 9th *Ordinary Grace* by William Kent Krueger** will be hosted and reviewed by Ethel Takeguchi at her home.

Wednesday

10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Weekly Bible Study with Pastor Rick in Room 6. Join Pastor Rick each week for Bible Study.

➔ **6:15 p.m. Joy Ringers** - Weekly rehearsals up to Easter in the Music Room. Contact Audrey Grier.

7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir—Weekly rehearsals are Wednesday evenings in the Worship Center. We are currently rehearsing Easter Music. Join the harmony. Contact Rob Hodo, Director of Music, Sunday mornings.

Thursday

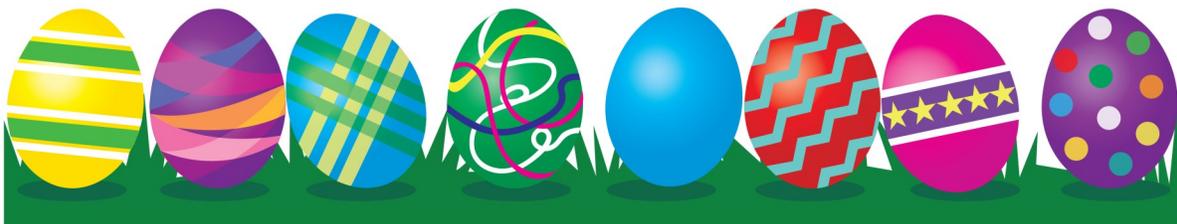
Welcoming & Outreach Committee meets every other month. The next meeting will be **Thursday, May 2, at 10:30 a.m.** in Room 6. Contact Sue Bradshaw.

Out to Lunch Bunch meets the first Thursday of each month at a different restaurant for fun, food and fellowship. The group will meet **April 4, at 12 noon at P. F. Chang's** located in the Promenade Mall.

Friday

10:30 a.m. Book Discussion w/Rev. Marlene Oaks meets the first and third Friday, **April 5 and 19**, in Room 6.

10:00 a.m. Prayers and Squares Ministry — Prayers and Squares Ministry meets **April 12 and 26**, in Room 1. Email marleneoaks56@gmail.com.



UM WOMEN

April 11, Thursday at 10 a.m. Executive Meeting in Room 6.
11:15 a.m. UMW Tea Meeting in Room 6.

April 17, Thursday at 10 a.m. UMW General Gathering and luncheon in Room 1.
A representative from Rancho Damacitas will speak about their mission/purpose helping women and children. All women of the church are encouraged to attend.

April 27, Saturday, UMW Annual Tea/Fashion Show

From the Breezeway

April: Worship Themes and Scriptures

- 7th Theme: *Living God*
Scripture: *Isaiah 43:16-21*
- 14th Theme: *Always With Us*
Scripture: *John 12:1-15*
- 21st Theme: *Hope Lives!*
Scripture: *John 20:1-18, Romans 15:13*
- 28th Theme: *Seeing is Believing or Is It?*
Scripture: *John 20:19-31*

Early Response Team Training Saturday, April 27th 8:00A.M.—5:00 P.M. Murrieta UMC at 24652 Adams Ave. Murrieta CA 92562-9149 Meet in the Youth Room.

Registration Cost: Registration is \$40. Registration cost includes light lunch, manuals, safe sanctuary training, and background check.

Registration Deadline: Registration and payment are due by Friday April 26, 2019. Please go to this link to register. <https://calpacumc.formstack.com/forms/index.php>

Additional Materials: Participants owning a laptop or WiFi-enabled tablet are encouraged to bring one, in order to efficiently process paperwork related to certification.

About the Class: The instructor for this class is Ken Ellis. Early Response Teams (ERTs) fill specific needs in the early days after a disaster, such as cleaning out flood-damaged homes, removing debris, placing tarps on homes and otherwise helping to prevent further damage, while providing a caring Christian presence. To be eligible for an ERT team, participants must take the 8 hour Basic Class ERT. After completion, participants will receive an ERT identification card which is valid for three years.

step Out to Step UP

**Temecula
United Methodist Women
Present**

**Annual Tea &
Fashion Show
Saturday
April 27, 2019
11 A.M. - 2 P.M.**

*Fashions by
Ms. Chievious Boutique*

*Catered by
Skip Thomas*

*Featuring
Live Music
Opportunity Drawings
Live Auction*

*Proceeds go to
Local missions benefitting
Women, Youth and Children*

**\$25 adults
\$10 children 12 and under**

Share the Day

Tickets available Sundays
Beginning March 10

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Temecula, CA**

Children's Ministry Corner April 2019

Club 3:16

We'll be meeting on 4/14
4:30 – 6:00 PM in Room 1



Legend of the Three Trees
April 14, 2019
During the 9:00 and 10:30 Services
"Legend of the Three Trees" is presented by
the Children and Youth.
All Children and Youth are welcome to participate.
Please contact Jeannette Frisbey, if your child or youth
would like to participate

**April 7 – Run through of
"The Legend of the Three Trees"
at 4:30**

April 12 - Family Movie night

**April 14 - Performance of
"The Legend of the Three Trees"
at both services**

**April 21 – Easter Egg Hunt
at 10:30**



YOU ARE INVITED
TO
FAMILY
MOVIE NIGHT
at
Temecula United
Methodist Church
Friday, April 12th
Doors open at 6:30 p.m.
Movie starts at 7:00 p.m.
Movie – "Sing"
OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY
FREE ADMISSION
Snacks available at the concession stand

Hope to see you there!



Please join us for Sunday School from 9:00 A.M. through 10:00 A.M.
3rd Graders - 5th Graders will meet in Room 1
Kindergarten - 2nd Graders will meet in Room 3
Birth - 4 year olds meet in the nursery, Room 2.



God bless,
Children's Ministry Team

Children's Ministry Coordinator
Children's Ministry/Sunday School Office

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*Love the Lord your God
Deuteronomy 6:5-9*

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates.

CELEBRATING OUR FIRST RESPONDERS

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2019
AT 10:30AM

COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH PROVIDED
SEE EMERGENCY VEHICLES UP CLOSE AND ENJOY
AN EXHILARATING PROGRAM HONORING OUR
FIRST RESPONDERS



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PLEASE JOIN US IN "CELEBRATING OUR FIRST RESPONDERS" ON SATURDAY, MAY 4 AT 10:30 A.M. AT THE CHURCH.

Please be sure your calendar is marked for this date, MAY 4. This special recognition of our RESPONDERS will be a tremendous event for the whole family. Feel free to invite a friend or relative to join you. Honoring our FIRST RESPONDERS and seeing up close their emergency vehicles, plus enjoying a program of music and surprise presentation highlights, will become a memorable experience for all in attendance. YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS IT! The event sponsor, Miller-Jones, will be providing a complimentary lunch for all in attendance. The vehicles represented will be on static display at one end of the parking lot both before and at the end of the event with RESPONDER PERSONNEL explaining their use and application. We look forward to your attendance at this very special community-wide event.

April 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

- 4/2 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Celebrating First Responders
7:15 p.m. Temecula Valley Master Chorale
- 4/3 10:00 a.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
6:15 p.m. Joy Ringers rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
7:15 p.m. Choir rehearsal
- 4/4 11:00 a.m. Temecula Valley MC Altos
12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch
- 4/5 10:30 a.m. Book Discussion w/Rev. Oaks
- 4/6 8:00 a.m. Trustee Work Day
- 4/7 5th Sunday in Lent Worship
9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School w/Joe Hughes
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time
10:30 a.m. Worship
11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time
12:00 p.m. New Member Inquiry Class
- 4/9 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning Meeting—Rm. 8
6:30 p.m. "The Plan" Meeting—Rm. 6
7:00 p.m. Book Buddies
7:15 p.m. Temecula Valley Master Chorale
- 4/10 10:00 a.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
6:15 p.m. Joy Ringers rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
7:15 p.m. Choir rehearsal
- 4/11 10:00 a.m. UMW Executive Meeting
11:15 p.m. UMW Tea Planning
1:00 p.m. Card Game Meetup
6:30 p.m. Trustees
- 4/12 10:00 a.m. Prayers and Squares
7:00 p.m. Family Movie Night "Sing"
- 4/13 9:00 a.m. MONKS Monthly Breakfast Meeting
- 4/14 Palm Sunday SSP Pancake Breakfast
9:00 a.m. Worship
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School w/Joe Hughes
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast
10:30 a.m. Worship

- 4/14 11:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast
12:00 p.m. Sunday Lunch Book Club
- 4/16 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Finance Committee
7:15 p.m. Temecula Valley Master Chorale
- 4/17 10:00 a.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
6:15 p.m. Joy Ringers rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
7:15 p.m. Choir rehearsal
- 4/18 10:00 a.m. UMW Meeting/Luncheon
6:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Soup Supper
6:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Communion
- 4/19 10:30 a.m. Book Discussion w/Rev. Oaks
7:00 p.m. Good Friday Stations of the Cross
- 4/20 9:00 a.m. Easter Altar Flower setup
- 4/21 7:00 a.m. Easter Sunrise Worship
9:00 a.m. Easter Worship
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School w/Hughes
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time
10:00 a.m. Egg Hunt for children
10:30 a.m. Easter Worship
10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time
- 4/23 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
:30 p.m. Kimball Coburn Planning
7:15 p.m. Temecula Valley Master Chorale
- 4/24 10:00 a.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
6:30 p.m. Bible Study w/Pastor Rick
7:15 p.m. Choir rehearsal
- 4/25 4:00 p.m. UMW Tea setup
6:30 p.m. Celebrate First Responders Mtg.
- 4/26 9:00 a.m. UMW Tea setup
10:00 a.m. Prayers & Squares
- 4/27 11:00 a.m. UMW Spring Tea
- 4/28 Second Sunday of Easter
10:00 A.M. Worship ONLY



Friday night, July 19th TUMC will join other churches for Lake Elsinore Storm Baseball Faith Night. Tickets Cost \$12 per person (\$3. goes to Pastor's Discretionary Fund) and will be available on Sundays from Scott Parker or the church office during the week.

	April 7	April 14	April 21	April 28- 10 am	
USHERS 9:00 a.m.	Bert Bjorklund Larry Messersmith George Wuertz Erik Toberman	MONKS	Bert Bjorklund Erik Toberman Mark Bowers George Wuertz	Youth	
USHERS 10:30 a.m.	Janet Galbraith Gilbert Oaks Dan Henley Larry Natwick	MONKS	Janet Galbraith Jan Tramontano Dan Henley Larry Natwick Tri Tricochi Gilbert Oaks	Youth	
LITURGISTS 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Barbara Gaborko Joyce Little	MONKS	George Wuertz Larry Natwick	Youth	
GREETERS 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Thelma Loud Bonnie Diangelo	MONKS	Judy Dermody Hazel Hailstone	Youth	
SOUND TECH 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Mark McCullough Matt McCullough	Mark McCullough Matt McCullough	Grace & Ernie Lloyd	Gian & Meghann Adesso	
VISITOR TABLE 9 :00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Sue Garcia Dorothy Smith	Barbara Lamb Jean Williams	Pauline Fields Sue Bradshaw	Thelma Loud	

If you cannot serve as assigned, please call Erik Toberman for 9 a.m. and Dan Henley for 10:30 a.m. ushers and Hazel Hailstone for liturgists & greeters . Thank you.



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REMINDER
Each Sunday - One Person
One Canned Food Item

Canned food may be dropped off in the basket at the entrance to the Worship Center and in the bin provided under the tables in the breezeway.





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 from your garden for our Easter
 Cross on the altar April 21st!



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