



ALL-SAINTS SUNDAY

November 1, 2015

First United Methodist Church of Riverside

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John Yoon, Senior Pastor

November 1, 2015

Communion Sunday

10:00 AM

Welcome! We're glad you're here.

Please sign in using the attendance books along the center aisles.

PRELUDE:

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Prelude in E-flat major, BWV 552, "Organ Mass"

ACOLYTES

Madeleine Morgan & Esther Heath

Enter with the symbol of the Light of Christ

MOMENTS OF WELCOME:

GREETING

VISITORS

REGISTRATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

* TRINITY BELLS (Stand as you are able)

CHORAL INTROIT

This is the Day

by Hal H. Hopson

The Aldersgate Chorale

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Wayne Speir, Liturgist

(Based on Hebrews 12:1-12)

Leader: Thank you God for the loved ones now resting in you, who guided us, nurtured and cared for us; ancestors who worked and traveled, lived and died that we might be who we are, where we are—your precious children in this community of believers.

All: We thank you for their example. We praise you for their lives of faith. For all your saints, O Lord, who strove in you to die, who counted you their great reward—accept our thankful cry.

Leader: Lord God, by your grace we are running a race and we are surrounded by a cloud of witnesses—

All: Family members and members of this congregation; fellow believers in every country, every denomination; friends who help, guide and uplift us—children of your family, sheep of your fold, saints of your redeeming.

Leader: We thank you for their example. We praise you for their lives of faith. For this, your name we bless, and humbly pray anew, that we, like them, in holiness may live and die in you.

All: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Christ, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

* OPENING HYMN #711 (Vs. 1—5)

SINE NOMINE

For All the Saints

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

Church members who have entered eternal life
since last All Saints' Day

Dorothy Barnekow

Fran Bilderback

Ernestine Blake

Allean Blöse

Shirley Brown

Margie Elliott

Dellaurs Hocking

Helen Nonnette

June Overton

Bill Parks

Marjorie Skorheim

Kevin Taylor

Kathleen Thompson

Elaine Vergeront

Ken Wible

SHARING KNOWN NEEDS

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

Give Ear to Our Prayer, O God

by Hal H. Hopson

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

Give us this day our daily bread.

**And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Barbara Jo Wilson

Children's Church School will be held in Room D and Club Ark.

SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 11:1-3

Wayne Speir, Liturgist

(The **New** Testament, page 211 NRSV)

Leader: This is the word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

ANTHEM

One Faith, One Hope, One Lord

by Craig Courtney
The Aldersgate Chorale

SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 12:1-2

Rev. John Yoon

(The **New** Testament, page 212 NRSV)

Leader: This is the word of the Lord

All: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

SERMON

A Faithful Race

Rev. John Yoon

* HYMN #557

Blest Be the Tie that Binds

DENNIS

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Oh God, Thou faithful God

Sigfrid Karg-Elert

O Gott, du frommer Gott

* DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Jesus Christ invites all to his table who seek his grace and new life. If you cannot come forward we will bring communion to you. The Church School children will meet in the Narthex and come forward as a group. Parents are welcomed to join them. The children may then return to their classrooms with their teachers, where parents may pick them up after the service.

CONFESSION PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

All: God of every generation, God of every time and place,
we confess that we make our way through this world
trying to give our best,
yet rarely do we achieve half of the good which we intended.
Our ideals and dreams do not always match our words and deeds;
we often compromise our values rather than live out of our convictions;
we grow weary and distracted when our endurance is tested;
we are inspired today, yet indifferent tomorrow.
In your great mercy,
forgive all that has compromised our souls and our relationships.
We pray for the grace which only you can grant,
and for the renewal which only your Spirit can provide,
through Christ Jesus, our Lord.

SILENT PRAYER

Words of Assurance (based on Revelation 21:5)

Pastor: "See," says the Lord, "I am making all things new."

This is the Good News of the Gospel:
by the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.
We can begin again.

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING FOR ALL SAINTS

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing.

always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Almighty God,

Creator of heaven and earth,

God of Abraham and Sarah,

God of Miriam and Moses,

God of Joshua and Deborah,

God of Ruth and David,

God of the priests and the prophets,

God of Mary and Joseph,

God of the apostles and the martyrs,

God of our mothers and our fathers,

God of our children to all generations.

And so, with our people on earth and all the company of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ.
By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection
you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death,
and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to
you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my
body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

When the supper was over he took the cup,
gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said:
"Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant,
poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,
we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in
union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,
and on these gifts of bread and wine.
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ,
that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

Renew our communion with all your saints,
especially those whom we named before you—
Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,
strengthen us to run with perseverance the race that is set before us,
looking to Jesus, the Pioneer and Perfecter of our faith.
By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other,
and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory,
and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church,
all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

Amen.

GIVING AND RECEIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

COMMUNION DUET

Laudamus Te
from *Gloria in D Major*
by Antonio Vivaldi

Kris Lovekin
& Yvonne Flagg

Translation is “We praise Thee, we bless Thee; we worship Thee;
we glorify Thee.”

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

We bless you, O God, for gifts of bread and cup,
for sustaining us in hope, every day of our lives.
We pray for your strength to prepare us now for your service
as we offer to you lives of witness and worship
in the world You have made.
Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

* SENDING HYMN #2117 (TFWS)

DOVE SONG

Spirit of God

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE **Fugue in E-flat major, BWV 552, "St. Anne"** J. S. Bach

* Denotes stand as you are able.

In Our Prayers:

In convalescent care, Carol Boothby, Helen Dennington,
Betty Kiech, Rev. Bob Mayou, Arnold Stevenson, Stewart Thompson

For health and support, Jerry Arjona, John Bidwell, Don Blose,
Traci Buttles, Hermie Brunner, Greg Carcerano, Ellen Charles,
Barbara Lynn-Comfort, Jim Conlin, Cox Family Baby,
Steve Draisey, Jim Earhart, Pamela Garnett, John German,
Charles Gibson, Alec Gomez, Ruthanna Hocking,
Bruce Johnson, Ed Johnson, Barbara Kent, Beulah Leake,
Wanda Lewis, Laurel Morgan, Sarah Newton, Brent Reimer,
Bob Schiffer, Micheline Scoggins, Sarah Six,
Marcy Solares, Mike Sosa, Mary Spangler, Barbara Spencer,
Charlotte Stevenson, Lisa Thomas, Arlene Tillman,
Herman Williams, Myra Williams



Holiday Bazaar & Craft Fair
First United Methodist
Church
4845 Brockton Avenue
Riverside

Saturday, November 7, 2015

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Handcrafted holiday gifts and decorations, turkeys,
knit and crocheted wearables, coasters, potholders,
crocheted dolls and finger puppets,
caricature animals, gift bags, adult bibs,
microwave bowl potholders,
scarves, table top Christmas trees, small purses,
wooden ornaments, table runners, neckwarmers,
hand-embroidered tea towels,
hand-made note cards, decorative garden tools,
afghans, aprons, jam, homemade goodies,
and collectibles from Grandma's Attic.

Lunch available 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Complimentary beverages

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes



Today during Children's Moments, the children will hand out some shoe boxes to the congregation. In order to meet the shipping deadline, **we must receive the boxes no later than November 15.**

Pledge Update

As of October 30, we have had 69 pledge cards returned.

The amount pledged is \$231,456 (74.18%) out of our goal of \$312,000.

To My Church Family

You have been such a support, especially through Bill's last months and memorial service. Prayers, cards, calls, offers of help, words of encouragement, and your love, enabled me to comfort him and endure.

My heartfelt thanks to you all,
Shirley Parks

8:45 am—Sunday School for All Ages

8:45 am—Adult Bible Study, Adult Lounge

8:45 am—Youth, Gathering and Sunday School, YC

9:00 - 11:30 am—Childcare, infant to 3 yrs.

The ministers of First United Methodist Church of Riverside are its members. Assisting them are Bishop Minerva G. Carcaño; District Superintendent Jan Wiley, and the church staff: Sr. Pastor, John Yoon; Rev. Roy Riggs, Retired Minister; Office Manager, Becky Ruiz; Secretary, Stephanie Chandler; Director of Children's & Women's Ministries, Barbara Jo Wilson; Youth & Young Adult Director, Dr. Kate Hunter; Aldersgate Director, Yvonne Flagg; Organist, Marc Longlois; Bell Choirs Director, Gayla Lonsbery; Lay Leader, Loretta Cudney; Preschool Director, Lee Ann Salmon.

Next Sunday!



Classical Piano Concert
featuring

Michael Noble
International Pianist

Sunday, November 8th at 6:00 pm in the
Sanctuary

UMM Hosting!

*Join us prior to the event
for a **barbecue at 4:30 pm.***

*A freewill offering will be taken
for college scholarships.*

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A Food Drive to Refill the Pantry

Church & Society/Missions will be collecting non-perishable food items during the months of November and December for the Riverside Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army collects more than household items and clothing. They also support the homeless by serving hot meals, providing sack lunches for homeless shelters and giving families in need food boxes monthly.

After the rush of getting food to families over the holidays, our goal is to help them stock up for the New Year by providing non-perishable food items; peanut butter and jelly, mac and cheese, beef stew, soup, cereal, canned fruit and vegetables, etc.

Collection boxes will be in the church office and Narthex during the months of November and December. Call Lisa Laird for further information, 951-276-4490.



United Methodist Women

November 2015

No Handcrafters

5 & 6 Bazaar Set Up

6 CWU World Community Day,
Arlington UMC, Riverside

7 **Bazaar** Riverside First UMC,
(Fellowship Hall) 9:00 am

9 Almond/Wesleyan Circle
Potluck (MK) 12:00 Noon

11 Executive Committee, new lo-
cation as church office is closed:
Paulette Bruggeman's home,
6025 Elenor St., Riv. 92506, **9:00 am**

**2016 Budget Planning, End of
Year Giving**

18 Unit Meeting (Koinonia) 10:00
am, Coffee, Vote on **2016 Budget/End
of year Giving and Installation of Of-
ficers**, Program: Racial Justice

24 Citrus Circle (Adult Lounge)
7:00 pm

26 Thanksgiving Day

29 First Sunday in Advent

BAZAAR TIME!

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 7!

Have you noticed the Bazaar banner above the church sign? Yes, Bazaar week is finally here. The UMW sincerely hopes you will be participating with your donations of time, goods,

and money. This event is the UMW's annual effort to support worthy causes. Every penny of profit will go to help folks in need, whether they are in far-off places or close to home.

Handcrafters and home-crafters have been working all year to build an enticing inventory. Perhaps you are among these crafters—thank you. Here are the ways your help is needed this week:

___ Sign up in the blank spots on the kiosk lists:

- to help set up on Thursday or Friday and/or

- serve a shift on Saturday. (First shift arrives by 8:30 am, 2nd shift by 11:00 am)

___ Deliver home-crafts by Wednesday morning

___ Attend Handcrafters on Wednesday morning

___ Make a cake or pie for the luncheon desserts (these do not need to be wrapped)

___ Make a delicious donation to the Bake Sale.

- Wrap attractively in small portions. Deliver Saturday morning by 8:30 am.

___ Bring fresh fall harvest items - pomegranates, guavas, persimmons, figs on Saturday morning

____ Bring your gift list and gather friends and family for a delightful day of guilt-free shopping!

(Shopping hours Nov. 7, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm)

____ Plan lunch at the Bazaar, served 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.

It will be a very special day. Plan to be part of it!

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

On Friday, November 6, Church Women United will celebrate "2015 World Community Day" at Arlington UMC, 9395 Magnolia Ave., 9:30 am to 12:00 noon.

Speaker, Salvation Army Captain Anya Henderson, was born and raised in Russia. Donations to "Nickels for National" and \$5.00 checks to Church World Service for refugee blankets will be collected. For more information, call Lynn Ashworth, 684-4457.



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Please note that because the church will be closed on Nov. 11 for Veterans Day we will meet at the home of Paulette Bruggeman, 6025 Elenor Ave. at 9:00 am. We will be deciding on the 2016 Budget and planning End-of-Year Giving of mission funds. Your input is important.

ALMOND/WESLEYAN CIRCLE

We will gather at noon in Mary's Kitchen on Monday, Nov. 9, for our monthly potluck. Women of the church are invited to attend and perhaps decide to be part of this small fellowship.

Join us for a
FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14

5:30 PM

FUMCOR'S Fellowship Hall

"THE WIZARD OF OZ"

The movie will begin following
HOT DOGS, CHIPS, AND DRINKS
Bring your own lawn chairs, blankets
and pillows

All Ages are Welcome

First United Methodist Church

Fellowship Hall

4845 Brockton Ave.

Riverside, 92506

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Youth Calendar *November 2015*

Today, Sunday, November 1

- 8:45 am—Youth Gathering in YC.
- 9:15 am—Youth Sunday School.
- 11:00 am—Pie Sale on Patio.
- 12:00 pm—Lunch in YC.
- 1:00 pm—Pie-Making in FH Kitchen.

Sunday, November 8

- 8:45 am—Youth Gathering in YC.
- 9:15 am—Youth Sunday School.
- 11:00 am—Pie Sale on Patio.
- 4:30 pm—All-Church BBQ in FH.
- 6:00 pm—Michael Noble Concert in Sanctuary.

Sunday, November 15

- 8:45 am—Youth Gathering in YC.
- 9:15 am—Youth Sunday School.
- 11:00 am—Pie Sale on Patio.
- 5:00 pm—Dinner in Mary's Kitchen.
- 6:00 pm—3rd Sunday Evening Worship in Sanctuary.

Sunday, November 22

- 8:45 am—Youth Gathering in YC.
- 9:15 am—Youth Sunday School.
- 5:00 pm—Thanksgiving Dinner & Gratitude in Mary's Kitchen.

The Youth Center is open on Tuesday evenings, from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm during Bell practice.

3rd Sunday Evening Worship Sunday, November 15 6:00 pm, Sanctuary

Each month The Response band leads the **3rd Sunday Evening Worship** service with uplifting voice and sound. Join us for the 3rd Sunday Evening Worship Service at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.



Young Adults Friday Evenings Dinner & Fun November 6, 13, 20, 2015, 6:00 pm in the Youth Center. No meeting Nov. 27.

Website: [fumcor.com/young adults](http://fumcor.com/young%20adults)





**Church-Wide
Clean Up Day
November 21**

**8:00 am to
12:00 pm**

Please note the date change.

We are working on cleaning up unused/unneeded items by having a large dumpster available here in the parking lot. Over the years, there has been a collection of items that need to be discarded, sorted and organized so we can have available an inventory reference. We are hopeful that the various groups around the church will take the time to look into the areas where they store items and help us achieve this goal.

We will need help (men!) with getting items from all around the church campus, so please come and help. There will be free coffee, sodas, breakfast rolls.

**1st Sunday of Advent
November 29**

Faith & Fellowship will host the “Annual Christmas Brunch” following Worship Service. Please join us in Fellowship Hall.

**No Parents Morning Out
on Veteran’s Day
November 11**

It will resume on November 18,
9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Praise be to God!

Over the last few weeks, we have contributed \$861.75 to Imagine No Malaria from the coins collected in the little red boxes. What a gift! I wrote a note to the District Superintendent to tell how proud I am of the participation of the children and our congregation.

It shows how much we can do by giving our change to this mission. Thanks be to God.

—*Barbara Jo Wilson*



Handling the Holiday's

A Holiday Seminar for those Grieving the Loss of a Loved One

with "Healing with Hope" facilitator Chris Breyer

Saturday, November 21, 2015

10:00 am ~ 2:00 pm

"A Light Lunch Will Be Served"

Riverside Community Hospital's

HEC (Health Education Center)

4445 Magnolia Avenue • Riverside, CA • 92501

This is a free seminar.

Please R.S.V.P. to 951.788.3590 by November 17, 2015



RIVERSIDE
Community Hospital



Sunday, November 1

8:45 am UMYF Gathering & Sunday School—Youth Center
8:45 am Youth Bells—Mary's Kitchen
8:45 am Sunday School for All Ages
9:30 am Children's Chimes—Youth Center
10:00 am **Worship/All Saints Sunday/Communion**
11:00 am UMYF Pie Sales—Patio
12:00 pm UMYF Lunch in YC / 1:00 pm Pie Making in FH
11:15 am Church & Society / Missions—Adult Lounge

Monday, November 2

7:00 pm Trustees—Mary's Kitchen
7:00 pm Worship Committee—Adult Lounge

Tuesday, November 3

10:00 am Bible Study—Mary's Kitchen
11:00 am Office Staff Meeting—Conference Room
7:00 pm Bells—Mary's Kitchen / Youth Center Open for Youth & Young Adults

Wednesday, November 4

10:00 am Handcrafters—Asbury
6:00 pm Sit 'N Sew Quilters—Mary's Kitchen
7:00 pm Women's Bible Study—Adult Lounge

Thursday, November 5

6:30 am Men's Prayer Breakfast—Mary's Kitchen
9:00 am Setup for Bazaar—Fellowship Hall
7:00 pm Aldersgate Chorale—Music Room

Friday, November 6

9:00 am Setup for Bazaar—Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm Young Adults—Youth Center

Saturday, November 7

9:00 am Fall Bazaar—Fellowship Hall

Sunday, November 8

8:45 am UMYF Gathering & Sunday School—Youth Center
8:45 am Youth Bells—Mary's Kitchen
8:45 am Sunday School for All Ages
9:30 am Children's Chimes—Youth Center
10:00 am **Worship**
11:00 am UMYF Pie Pickup—Patio
11:15 am Evangelism / Discipleship—Adult Lounge
11:15 am Website Evaluation Meeting—Mary's Kitchen
4:30 pm UMM All-Church BBQ
6:00 pm Michael Noble Piano Concert—Sanctuary