

World Communion Sunday



***GOD IS LOVE, AND THOSE WHO ABIDE IN LOVE ABIDE IN GOD,
AND GOD ABIDES IN THEM.***
(1 JOHN 4:16)

October 7, 2018

First United Methodist Church of Riverside

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Rev. Ji Tai (J. T.) Kim, Senior Pastor

October 7, 2018

20th Sunday After Pentecost

10:00 am

World Communion Sunday

Welcome! We're glad you're here.

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

PRELUDE:

"Song of India"
by Rimsky-Korsakov

David Lines, Organist

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

Youth

Enter with the symbol of the Light of Christ

MOMENTS OF WELCOME:

Lee Ann Salmon

Greeting

Guests

Registration

Announcements

Peace

* TRINITY BELLS (Stand as you are able)

* CHORAL INTROIT

"Psalm 100"
by Jane M. Marshall

Aldersgate Chorale
directed by
Yvonne Flagg

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Loretta Cudney, Liturgist

(Adapted from Hebrews 2, Mark 10)

(Liturgist) From troubled times and difficult walks,

(People) we come to the arms of Christ.

(Liturgist) From separate journeys and diverse experiences,

(People) we gather to worship as one.

(Liturgist) As brothers and sisters in Christ,

(All) we come to God, who welcomes us here. Amen!

* OPENING HYMN #77 *“How Great Thou Art”*

All

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER
SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

Rev. J. T. Kim, Pastor

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (THE APOSTLES’ CREED)

(Pastor) Let us join together in professing the Christian faith as contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments. Do you believe in God the Father?

(All) I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

(Pastor) Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

(All) I believe in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

(Pastor) Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

(All) I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* (“universal”) church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen!

PRAYER RESPONSE *“Hear Our Prayer, O Lord”* Aldersgate Chorale
by George Whelpton

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

Barbara Jo Wilson

Parents visiting for the first time, please follow your children to the exit door to register.

SCRIPTURE READING

1 John 4:7-21

Loretta Cudney, Liturgist

[God is Love]

(The **New** Testament, page **226** NRSV)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

ANTHEM

Aldersgate Chorale

"The Lord is Beautiful (Nimemwona Bwana)"

[Translation: We have seen the Lord, and He is beautiful.]

Traditional Tanzanian song, arr. by M. Burkhardt

with Paul Akers, Soloist

Percussionists: Gayla Lonsbery, Carmen Lonsbery & Jason Handen

SERMON

"GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD" Rev. J. T. Kim

* HYMN OF DEDICATION #2108 (TFWS)

All

"O How He Loves You and Me"

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Rev. J. T. Kim

When we share gifts in thanksgiving, we proclaim God's deeds for all to hear. May we give generously so that others may know the wonderful works of God.

(All) Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Finlandia"

David Lines, Organist

by Jean Sibelius

* DOXOLOGY

All

**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.**

HOLY COMMUNION (WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY)

INVITATION

Pastor: Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him and seek to grow into his likeness. Let us draw near with faith, make our humble confession, and prepare to receive this Holy Sacrament.

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(Pastor) Holy Teacher of humility and grace, you emptied yourself of divinity, and came to live among us as a simple, human being.

(All) Forgive us, Holy One, when we take pride in our accomplishments, and look for applause and praise from those around us.

(Loretta Cudney, Lay Leader) You walked among us healing and telling stories, pouring out your life for the sake of those in need.

(All) Forgive us, Gentle Servant, when we guard our time and our money, afraid that someone will take advantage of our good nature.

(Pastor) You ask us to do your work and to be the living body of Christ for the sake of a hurting, broken world.

(All) Forgive us, Gracious God, when we focus all our time and effort on what will please ourselves. Amen.

ALL PRAY IN SILENCE

(Pastor) Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that is proof of God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

All: Glory to God! Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

(Pastor) The Lord be with you.

(People) And also with you.

(Pastor) Lift up your hearts.

(People) We lift them up to the Lord.

(Pastor) Let us give our thanks to the Lord our God.

(People) It is right to give our thanks and praise.

(Lay Leader) It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. You have made from one every nation and people to live on all the face of the earth.

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

(All Singing)

Elise Eslinger
(after NICAEA)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might.

Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the

high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the

Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical score is written in 4/4 time on a single treble clef staff. It consists of four lines of music. The first line contains the lyrics 'Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might.' and features a triplet of eighth notes. The second line contains 'Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the' and features two triplet markings over eighth notes. The third line contains 'high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the' and continues the melody. The fourth line contains 'Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.' and ends with a double bar line. The lyrics are printed below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across multiple notes.

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(Lay Leader) 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. He commissioned us to be his witnesses to the ends of the earth and to make disciples of all nations, and today his family in all the world is joining at his holy table.

(Pastor) 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.

(All Singing)

Elise Eslinger

Christ has died, Christ is ris - en, Christ will come a - gain!

The image shows a single line of musical notation on a five-line staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are written below the staff, with hyphens under 'ris - en' and 'a - gain!' to indicate syllables across multiple notes. The piece ends with a double bar line.

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(Pastor) 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.

(Lay Leader) Renew our communion with your Church throughout the world, and strengthen it in every nation and among every people to witness faithfully in your name. 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.

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

(All Singing)

Elise Eslinger



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(Pastor) And now, with the confidence of children of God, let us pray:

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.**

TAKING THE CUP AND THE BREAD

SHARING THE CUP AND THE BREAD

COMMUNION MUSIC

David Lines, Pianist

"The New World" and "Polovetsian Dance"

arr. by Michael Scott

UNISON PRAYER

All

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* SENDING HYMN #733 *“Marching to Zion”*
(Verses 1 & 4 only)

All

* BENEDICTION

Rev. J. T. Kim

* BENEDICTION RESPONSE *“Jesus, Our Only Joy”*
by Paul Sjolund

Aldersgate Chorale

POSTLUDE *“In Christ There is no East or West”*
arr. by Charles Callahan

David Lines,
Organist

* DENOTES STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.

*The flowers on the Altar
are in honor of
World Communion Sunday*

*Randy Bello, son of Judy Bello and brother of Kim Austin,
passed away on September 27. A Celebration of Life Service
will take place Saturday, October 13, at 1:00 pm
in the Sanctuary.*

In Our Prayers:

*In convalescent care, Kirk Ferguson, Bertha Harris,
Rev. Bob Mayou, Marjorie Souder*

*For health and support, Carole Arnold, Cecily Ashworth,
Lynn Ashworth, Bello Family, Mary Boon, Scott Bunyar, Danielle Casem,
Phyllis Chandler, Cheryl, Tim Clark, Pam Conlin, Denetria,
Helen Dennington, Terry Edlin, Deborah Gallardo, Aaron Gerstner,
Kimberly Goforth, Josh, Barbara Kent, Chuck Kidder, Judy Lamers,
Luna, Diane Marsh, Laurel McDonald, Don Nauss,
Jessica Oaks, Kay Otto, Ashish Peters, Barbara Pope, Laura Robinson,
Madison Salvador, Shukla Sen, Bob Schiffer, Micheline Scoggins,
Randy Sosa, Mark Spangler, Lisa Thomas, Claudia Velazquez,
Sherry Weide, Lynette Williams, Myra Williams,
Gerry Wright, Anita Yunes*

Commission on the Way Forward—Bishop Grant Hagiya

Date and Time: Sunday, October 14, 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Location: UMC of Cucamonga
7690 Archibald Ave.
Rancho Cucamonga, CA

Bishop Grant Hagiya will be meeting with clergy and laity in the East District regarding the “Way Forward” decision. He will be speaking to the district and will listen to your concerns and questions. All are welcome to join the gathering.

If you plan to attend, please notify the church office. If you would like to carpool, please let us know.

More information on the “Way Forward” can be found at this link:
www.calpacumc.org/prayer-2/prayer-for-the-way-forward-2017-cal-pac

2018 Annual Church Audit

The Finance Committee is looking for one (1) qualified church member who can volunteer to work with our existing internal auditor on the church annual audit, which will be performed in January 2019. The audit primarily includes a review of financial transactions and internal procedures. Some business/accounting knowledge would be helpful; however, the United Methodist Church provides easy to follow audit procedures. We need someone who has time to devote to the audit and can work flexible hours.

If you can assist us, or can recommend someone, please contact Pastor Kim, Becky Ruiz, or anyone on the Finance Committee. Questions? - please contact Don Knowles.

UNITED METHODIST MEN

United Methodist Men will host the luncheon after Worship on Sunday, October 14. Our Program speaker that day is our own **Dr. Kevin Simpson**, a longtime active member of our church. We often feature speakers of our congregation to get to know each other better. Kevin is a Chemistry Professor at UCR but will talk to us about his life-long interest in the classic animation of Walt Disney Studios (including a peek inside Walt Disney's recently restored office). Lunch will be prepared again by Chef, David Fraser. Cost is \$6.00 each and \$15.00 max for a family. Plan to join us if you can.

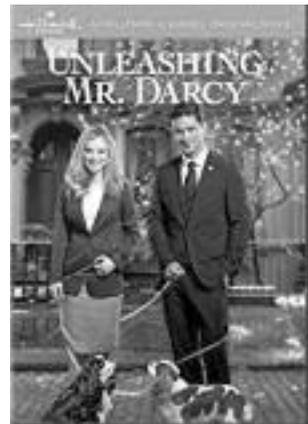
We want to thank Jaamal Zaheen from the Orange County Islamic Institute for the (nearly 1 hour) question and answer session before our lunch last month, explaining differences between Islam and Christianity. We also need to thank David Fraser for his above-and-beyond efforts in researching and preparing a unique Middle Eastern luncheon.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Ladies' "Chick Flick"

Thursday, October 18, 5:30 pm
in the Adult Lounge

A light dinner will be served.



AGAPE: A new social ministry begins!

Good news! The church has started a new social ministry called AGAPE. This group's activities is targeted to those with young children and/or young couples/singles.

The group will be meeting every other month on the second Saturday. The schedule is as follows:

November 3rd: Black and White Potluck @ church

January 12th: "Apples to Apples" night @ church

March 9th: Progressive Dinner

May 11th: Movie Night

July 13th: Concert Night

September 14th: Movie Meal Potluck & Meeting @ church

To join and get added to the email distribution list, please contact the church office.

—*Gayla Lonsbery, Facilitator*

IT'S TIME FOR O.F.F. GROUP



You are invited to join us
Saturday, October 13, at 5:00 p.m.
for our version of



6025 Elenor Street, Riverside, CA 92506

We will provide the main dish

"Grilled Brats & Potato Casserole"

Please bring an Appetizer, or Salad, or Dessert

RSVP by October 10th

951-956-0987 or paulettebru@gmail.com

Hosted by: The Bruggeman's and Kate Hunter



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Calling all Youth, Scouts, Men and anyone needing Community Service Hours. The Fall Festival has been moved this year to a **“Kids Zone Activity Area” on Saturday, November 3**, during the UMW’s Bazaar. Since all the women will be busy managing the Bazaar, it’s going to be up to the rest of us to have some fun with the Kids!

I have listed a few activities that need adult supervision from 8:00 am to 11:30 am or 11:30 am to 3:00 pm. If you can help at one of these sessions, there will be a sign-up sheet in the church office and on the patio each Sunday.

Climbing Wall * Obstacle Course * Jousting * Bounce House
Velcro Wall * Milk Bottle Throw * Ring Toss * Skee Ball * Hatchet Throw
Balloon Darts * Fishing Booth * Bike Rides * Face Painting

Other ideas are always welcome to create a carnival feel.

One of UMW’s delicious lunches will be provided to all volunteers!

Any questions, call Lee Ann Salmon at (951) 906-6452. Thank you!

The ministers of First United Methodist Church of Riverside are its members. Assisting them are Bishop Grant J. Hagiya; District Superintendent Rev. Melissa Roux MacKinnon, and the church staff: Sr. Pastor, Rev. J. T. Kim; Rev. Roy Riggs, Retired Minister; Office Manager, Becky Ruiz; Secretary, Stephanie Chandler; Director of Children’s & Women’s Ministries, Barbara Jo Wilson; Aldersgate Director, Yvonne Flagg; Organist, David Lines; Bell Choirs Director, Gayla Lonsbery; Youth/Young Adult Director, Steve Grimes; Lay Leader, Loretta Cudney; Preschool Director, Karen Wilson.



October Calendar

Handcrafters

(Asbury) 9:30 AM
October 17, 24, 31

- 8 Almond / Wesleyan Circle
Potluck (Mary's Kitchen),
12:00 Noon
- 10 Executive Committee
(Mary's Kitchen) 9:00 AM,
2019 Program Planning
- 17 **No Unit Meeting**
Meet in Asbury 9:30 AM
(Bazaar Preparation)
- 23 Citrus Circle (Adult Lounge)
7:00 PM, Leader: Cindy
Qualtieri
- 27 UMW Cal-Pac Conference
Annual Celebration

ALMOND/WESLEYAN CIRCLE

Tomorrow at noon is our regular monthly potluck luncheon. We meet in Mary's Kitchen. All women are welcome.

HANDCRAFTERS

October is last minute preparation time for the Bazaar. We will meet on October 17, 23 and 31 at 9:30 AM in the Asbury Room to finish up projects and get the inventory ready to display on November 3.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

There will be no Handcrafters on Oct. 10 so that we can have an important Executive Committee. The meeting starts at 9:00 am in Mary's Kitchen to plan programs for the year.

THE BAZAAR DRAWS CLOSER

The Bazaar is the UMW's main fundraiser for missions and we plan for it most of the year, starting with Idea Day at the end of January. Many of our women do most of their handwork at home, but we are always looking for people who are willing to bring a project to the Handcrafter group to work on together.

ARE YOU READY FOR THE BAZAAR?

The Bazaar is Saturday, Nov. 3, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Here are some reminders:

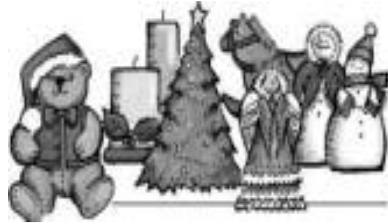
- Mark your calendar, if you haven't already.

- Lunch is served at 11:00 am, so invite your family and friends.
- Bring in your home crafts.
- Bring items for Grandma's Attic.
- Plan what food items you will donate to the Bake Sale.
- Make your list of needed Christmas gifts.
- You must pay with cash or check.

Bazaar is a guilt-free shopping trip. All proceeds go to Missions, some local and some in far off lands.

CAL/PAC 46TH ANNUAL CELEBRATION

All the information you need is on the registration page nearby in the bulletin.



Holiday Bazaar & Craft Fair

Saturday, November 3, 2018

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

HANDCRAFTED holiday gifts, ornaments (including wooden), decorations, baby items, soft knit animals, knit/crocheted wearables, unique silk scarves, aprons, handwoven items, potholders, scrubbies, dishcloths, hand embroidered tea towels, gourmet food items, treasures and collectibles from Grandma's Attic, and MUCH MORE!

Lunch available for purchase 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM for adults and kids. Complimentary beverages.

**NEW THIS YEAR - KID ZONE
FOR FAMILY FUN OUTSIDE
WHILE YOU SHOP**

Climbing Wall * Bounce House * Obstacle Course *
Fishing Booth * Face Painting * Milk Bottle Throw *
Bike Rides * Velcro Wall & More

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California-Pacific Conference

United Methodist Women

46th Annual Celebration



Kum Ran UMC, 3153 W. Marine Ave., Gardena, CA 90249

Guest Speaker:

Clara Ester, Vice President UMW Board of Directors

Saturday, October 27, 2018

Registration 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Celebration, Lunch, and Business

10:00-3:00 p.m.

Love Donation: David & Margaret Youth & Family Services Gift Cards: \$10/ Target, Walmart, etc.

Registration fee: \$15 per person Registration deadline: Oct. 12, 2018

Registration and payment is made online at <http://www.calpacumc.org/umw>

Questions: Tina Raemon Pool, Registrar; 8735 Dartford Place, Inglewood, CA 90305

trmpool@gmail.com , 310-210-7504

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Name _____ Phone _____ Email: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

UMW District Name _____ Local Church Name _____

Childcare: \$25 refundable deposit per family required with registration.

Parents are responsible for bringing a sack lunch each child. YES _____ How many children? _____

Accessibility: Do you need assistance? Parking _____ Stairs _____ Other _____

Dietary needs: YES _____ Type _____

AC 2018



YOUTH CALENDAR

Sunday, October 7

9:15 am—Youth Sunday School in the Youth Center.

5:00 pm—Youth and Young Adults in the Youth Center.

Sunday, October 14

9:15 am—Youth Sunday School in the Youth Center.

5:00 pm—Youth and Young Adults in the Youth Center.

Sunday, October 21

9:15 am—Youth Sunday School in the Youth Center.

5:00 pm—Youth and Young Adults in the Youth Center.

Get ready for the Halloween Party October 27, 5:00 pm
in the Youth Center!



This Week at FUMCOR

Sunday, October 7

- 8:45 am Beginning Bells
—Mary's Kitchen
- 8:45 am Adult Sunday School
—Adult Lounge
- 9:15 am Youth Sunday School
—Youth Center
- 9:30 am Children's Chimes
—Youth Center
- 10:00 am Worship/World Communion
Sunday
- 11:15 am Church & Society/Missions
—Adult Lounge
- 5:00 pm Youth & Young Adults
—Youth Center

Monday, October 8

- 12:00 pm Almond/Wesleyan Potluck
—Mary's Kitchen
- 7:00 pm Trustees—Mary's Kitchen

Tuesday, October 9

- 10:00 am Bible Study—Mary's Kitchen
- 7:00 pm Bells—Mary's Kitchen
- 7:00 pm SPRC—Conference Room

Wednesday, October 10

- 9:00 am UMW Executive Committee
—Mary's Kitchen
- 12:00 pm Pier 76 Restaurant
- to 8:00 pm Fundraiser—Off Campus
- 7:00 pm Evening Bible Study
—Conference Room

Thursday, October 11

- 7:00 pm Aldersgate Chorale
—Music Room

Friday, October 12

- 9:00 am Stephen Ministry
—Mary's Kitchen

Saturday, October 13

- 1:00 pm Randy Bello Celebration
of Life—Sanctuary
- 5:00 pm OFF Group 'Octoberfest'
—Bruggeman's Home

Sunday, October 14

- 8:45 am Beginning Bells
—Mary's Kitchen
- 8:45 am Adult Sunday School
—Adult Lounge
- 9:15 am Youth Sunday School
—Youth Center
- 9:30 am Children's Chimes
—Youth Center
- 10:00 am Worship/Stewardship
- 11:00 am UMM Lunch Program
—Fellowship Hall
- 3:00 pm Bishop Hagiya
'Way Forward'—Rancho
Cucamonga UMC
- 5:00 pm Youth & Young Adults
—Youth Center



United Methodist Church
FUNDRAISER

AT

PIER 76 Fish Grill

At 3555 Riverside Plaza Drive 108
(Next to The Habit)

Wednesday, October 10th
From 12 pm TO 8 pm

INVITE FRIENDS  EAT HEALTHY  RAISE FUNDS

20% of sales Back to your Organization
No Soliciting on Site on Day of Event

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