

REMEMBER
YOUR
BAPTISM
AND
BE THANKFUL



BAPTISM OF THE LORD SUNDAY WORSHIP
CONGREGATIONAL REAFFIRMATION
OF THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

January 13, 2019

First United Methodist Church of Riverside

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

* OPENING HYMN #139 *“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”* All
(Verses 1, 2, & 5 only)

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS Alice Musarra
Parents visiting for the first time, please follow your children to
the exit door to register.

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER Rev. J. T. Kim, Pastor
SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS
PASTORAL PRAYER
THE LORD’S PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE *“Hear Our Prayer, O Lord”* Aldersgate Chorale
(By C. Robert Scholin)

* GOSPEL READING **Luke 3:15-17, 21-22** Ron Bayer, Liturgist
[The Baptism of Jesus]
(The New Testament, page 56 NRSV)
Leader: This is the Gospel of Christ!
All: Glory to You, O Christ! Amen.

ANTHEM *“All Praise to Thee”* Aldersgate Chorale
(By Thomas Tallis; arr. by Marie Pooler)

SERMON **“REMEMBER YOUR BAPTISM”** Rev. J. T. Kim,
Sr. Pastor

* HYMN OF DEDICATION #2251 "We Were Baptized in Christ Jesus" All
(TFWS)

We Were Baptized in Christ Jesus 2251



1. We were bap-tized in Christ Je - sus, we were bap-tized in his
2. In the wa - ter and the wit-ness, in the break-ing of the
3. Glo - ry be to God the Fa-ther, glo - ry be to Christ the



death; that as Christ was raised vic - to - rious, we might
bread, in the wait - ing arms of Je - sus who is
Son, glo - ry to the Ho - ly Spir - it, ev - er



live a brand new life. And if we have been u -
ris - en from the dead, God has made a new be -
three and ev - er one; as it was in the be -



nit - ed in a dread - ful death like his, we will
gin - ning from the ash - es of our past; in the
gin - ning, glo - ry now re - sounds a - gain in a



all be re - u - nit - ed, for he lives. _____
los - ing and the win - ning we hold fast. _____
song that has no end - ing. A - men. _____

WORDS: John Ylvisaker (Rom. 6:3-5)

MUSIC: John Ylvisaker

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INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

(Pastor) As God has gathered us together, let us join together to share our gifts with God's people, that all may know they are all beloved children of God.

(All) Amen!

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Minuet"

David Lines, Organist

(From Water Music by G. F. Handel)

* 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.**

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Rev. J. T. Kim

CONGREGATIONAL REAFFIRMATION OF THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

INTRODUCTION TO THE SERVICE

(Pastor) Brothers and sisters in Christ: Through the Sacrament of Baptism we are initiated into Christ's holy Church. We are incorporated into God's mighty acts of salvation and given new birth through water and the Spirit. All this is God's gift, offered to us without price.

(Lay Leader Loretta Cudney) Through the reaffirmation of our faith we renew the covenant declared at our baptism, acknowledge what God is doing for us, and affirm our commitment to Christ's holy Church.

RENUNCIATION OF SIN AND PROFESSION OF FAITH

(Pastor) On behalf of the whole Church, I ask you: Do you renounce the spiritual forces of wickedness, reject the evil powers of this world, and repent of your sin?

(People) I do.

(Lay Leader) Do you accept the freedom and power God gives you to resist evil, injustice, and oppression in whatever forms they present themselves?

(People) I do.

(Pastor) Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the Church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races?

(People) I do.

(Lay Leader) According to the grace given to you, will you remain faithful members of Christ's holy Church and serve as Christ's representatives in the world?

(People) I will.

(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.

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

(Pastor) The Lord be with you.

(People) And also with you.

(Pastor) Let us pray. Eternal Father: When nothing existed but chaos, you swept across the dark waters and brought forth light. In the days of Noah you saved those on the ark through water. After the flood you set in the clouds a rainbow.

(Lay Leader) When you saw your people as slaves in Egypt, you led them to freedom through the sea. Their children you brought through the Jordan to the land which you promised.

(All Sing)

(1)

Charles H. Webb



Sing to the Lord, all the earth, tell of God's mer-cy each day.

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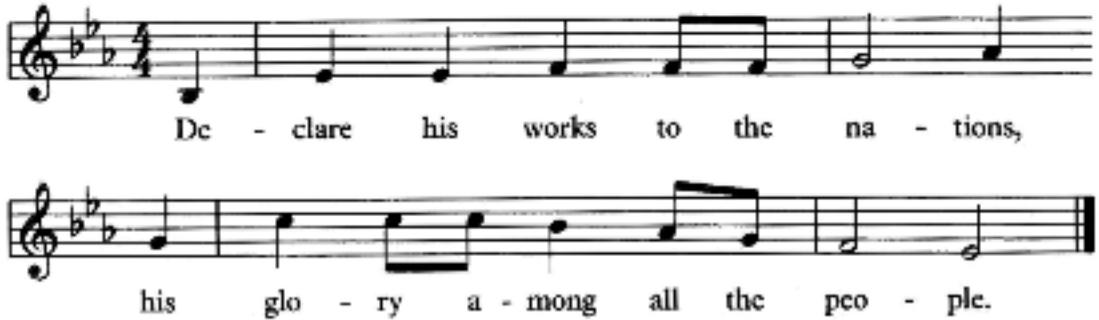
(Pastor) In the fullness of time you sent Jesus, nurtured in the water of a womb. He was baptized by John and anointed by your Spirit.

(Lay Leader) He called his disciples to share in the baptism of his death and resurrection and to make disciples of all nations.

(All Sing)

(2)

Charles H. Webb



De - clare his works to the na - tions,
his glo - ry a - mong all the peo - ple.

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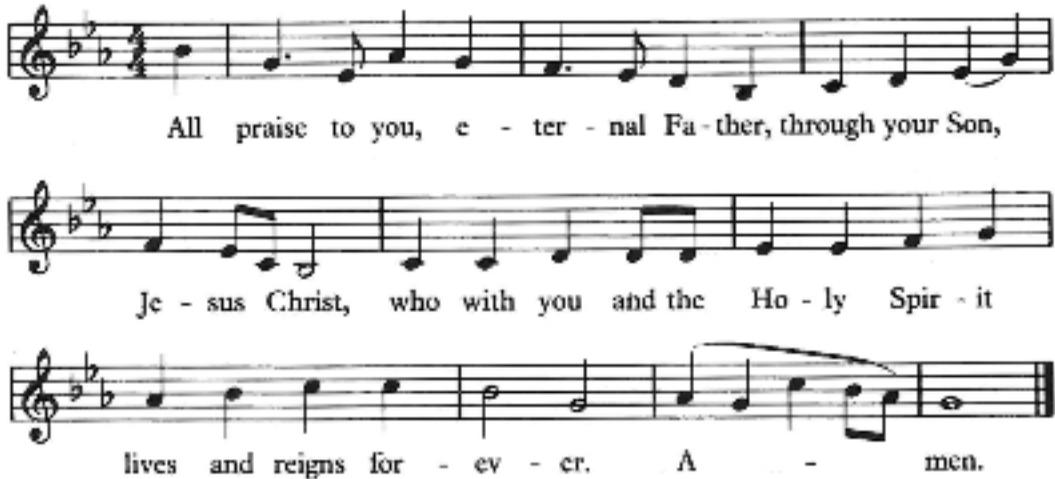
(Pastor) Pour out your Holy Spirit, and by this gift of water call to our remembrance the grace declared to us in our baptism.

(Lay Leader) For you have washed away our sins, and you clothe us with righteousness throughout our lives, that dying and rising with Christ we may share in his final victory.

(All Sing)

(3)

Charles H. Webb



All praise to you, e - ter - nal Fa - ther, through your Son,
Je - sus Christ, who with you and the Ho - ly Spir - it
lives and reigns for - ev - er. A - men.

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CONGREGATIONAL REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH

("A very small amount of water may be sprinkled toward the congregation... This may be done by dipping the end of a small evergreen branch into the baptismal font and shaking it toward the congregation. It may be seen as representing biblical sprinkling with hyssop for purification [Exodus 12:22; Psalm 51:7] and sprinkling as a sign of renewal [Ezekiel 36:25-26] – The United Methodist Book of Worship, p. 114)

(Pastor) Remember your baptism and be thankful.

(All) Amen.

(After the Reaffirmation of Faith)

(Pastor) The Holy Spirit work within you, that having been born through water and the Spirit, you may live as faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.

(All) Amen!

THANKSGIVING

(Lay Leader) Let us rejoice in the faithfulness of our covenant God.

(All) We give thanks for all that God has already given us. As members of the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we will faithfully participate in the ministries of the Church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

BLESSINGS

(Pastor) The God of all grace, who has called us to eternal glory in Christ, establish and strengthen you by the power of the Holy Spirit, that you may live in grace and peace.

(All) Amen!

* BENEDICTION

Rev. J. T. Kim

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"Benediction"
(By C. Albert Scholin)

Aldersgate Chorale

POSTLUDE

"Allegro maestoso" David Lines, Organist
(From Water Music by G. F. Handel)

* DENOTES STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.

In Our Prayers:

In hospital, Laurel McDonald

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

For health and support, Michelle Arguelles, Carole Arnold,
Lynn Ashworth, Mary Boon, Scott Bunyar, Danielle Casem,
Phyllis Chandler, Noriekim Chavez, Cheryl, Tim Clark, Elizabeth Davis,
Denetria, Helen Dennington, Jim & DeDe Earhart, Terry Edlin,
Walt Einhorn, Emerson, Aaron Gerstner, Kimberly Goforth,
Rhonda Irving, Josh, Barbara Kent, Judy Lamers,
Reuben Munoz, Don Nauss, Jessica Oaks,
Kay Otto, Ashish Peters, Barbara Pope, Jason Pritchard,
Melissa Qualtieri, Chandra Roberts,
Laura Robinson, Madison Salvador, Shukla Sen,
Bob Schiffer / Lisa Thomas, Micheline Scoggins,
Claudia Velazquez, Paul Ward, Sherry Weide, Velma Wellborn,
Lynette Williams, Myra Williams, Gerry Wright, Anita Yunes



Meet with United Methodist Men TODAY after worship for a luncheon and program. A great meal prepared by cook David Fraser will be served at a nominal cost of \$6 per person with a maximum of \$15 per family. Everyone is welcome!!

Our speaker will be our own **Ann Pfeifle**. Ann is a distinguished history professor in the RCC System, who is consistently rated as top notch by her students and peers. Her talk is titled “Exploring Family—Where Does History Take Us,” and deals with the increased public interest in family history, genealogy, and genetic testing.

Ann has been a member of FUMCOR for several years and has served on the FUMPS Board of Directors and the Board of Trustees. This will be an interesting program that you do not want to miss.

A big thanks to Barbara and Regan Pope who told us about the renovation of their historic Riverside home at our last meeting in November.

Faith & Fellowship Chili Cookoff

Mark your calendar and open your cookbooks to make the best chili!

Faith & Fellowship is hosting a luncheon on Sunday, January 20, 2019, after worship. Please bring some type of chili to share and judge the best one.

Cornbread, chili fixings, brownies, and drinks will be provided. A fun time for all!



**Chili
Luncheon**

Missions Garden Set for Sunday, January 20

Thanks to all those who have brought in fruit, vegetables and flowers to the patio for our wonderful Missions Garden. It is time to start that again, next Sunday, January 20.

It is citrus and avocado season, but we welcome anything that you are willing to share on the third Sunday of the month. Take some produce home, while you make a donation for missions projects.

—*Church & Society/Missions*

Magazine Sunday will be January 27

For a long time, the fourth Sunday of each month has been declared “Magazine Sunday.” Bring some that you have enjoyed, take a few that you want to read. The leftovers go to a retirement community nearby. This is a ministry that saves money and keeps good magazines out of the landfill.

—*Church & Society/Missions*

Flowers on the Altar

Anyone is welcome to honor someone or to celebrate a special occasion with flowers on our altar on Sunday morning. The price is reasonable—\$25 per bouquet, and the process is easy. Just ask an usher in the Narthex for the form or call or come into the church office, and we will take your information to put in the bulletin.





- January 2019** *No Handcrafters*
- 14 Almond/Wesleyan Circle
Potluck, Mary's Kitchen
12:00 Noon
- 16 **UMW Meeting**, (Koinonia)
10:00 AM, Coffee,
Program: **Pledge and
Remembrance Service**
- 19 East District Officers
Training, Redlands
First UMC (**see upcoming
Messenger for regis. form**)
- 22 Citrus Circle
(Adult Lounge)
7:00 PM
- 30 Handcrafters Bazaar
Idea Day
(Asbury) 10:00 AM

**East District Local Leadership
Training**

Saturday, January 19, 2019

8:30 am to 1:30 pm

"Creating Connections"
Build Bridges Together

Redlands First UMC
1 E. Olive Ave., Redlands, CA 92373
Registration fee \$15. Registration
deadline is January 14th.
\$20 if postmarked after registration
deadline.

For more information contact
Lisa Laird 951-276-4490

Handcrafters Bazaar Idea Day!
January 30, 2019 at 10:00 am
in the Asbury Room

If you have ideas or suggestions
for items the Handcrafters can make
for the 2019 Bazaar, please bring
them along with instructions and, if
possible, an already-made item for
us to see.

You need not be a Handcrafter or
a member of the UMW to take part
in Idea Day.

Handcrafters will not meet in
January (Idea Day only).

EAST DISTRICT UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Local Leadership Training

"Creating Connections – Build Bridges Together"



Guest Speaker
Rev. Krista Givens
Pastor of Walnut UMC

Saturday, January 19, 2019

8:30 am – 1:30 pm (8:30-9:00 am)

REDLANDS FIRST UMC

1 E. Olive Ave., Redlands, CA 92373

Registration fee: \$15 Registration deadline: January 14, 2019

(\$20 if postmarked after registration deadline)

Make checks payable to: East District UMW

Send to Registrar: Liz Roark, 695 Sequoia St., San Bernardino, CA 92407

Questions call: 909-227-6919, e-mail: lizumc94@gmail.com

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Name _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____

Address _____ City _____ ST _____ Zip _____

Local Church Name _____ Position _____

Class Attending _____

Childcare needed? Y ___ N ___

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

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

Dietary needs: YES ___ Type _____

Gluten-free? _____

OFF Group

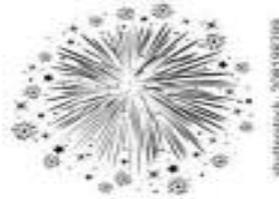
Saturday, January 19th — 5 PM

Bob & Norma Nelson's Home

Co-Hosted by Bill & Lynn Ashworth

5281 Candlewick Court, Riverside

Break In the New Year—2019



Mostly a Standup Affair —
Hearty Appetizers & Desserts
Beverages provided by Hosts

RSVP with what you choose to bring

951-683-3496 or bobnelson01@icloud.com

By Monday January 14

Everyone Welcome!



YOUTH CALENDAR

Sunday, January 13

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

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

Sunday, January 20

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

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

Sunday, January 27

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

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

“Our Town” at Poly High School

Please mark your calendars to see our **Ian George** in the following performances of “Our Town” at Poly High School:



Thursday, January 10, 7:00 pm

Friday, January 11 at 3:30 pm

Friday January 11 at 7:30 pm

Saturday, January 12 at 7:00 pm

Ian will be in all performances.

This Week at FUMCOR

Sunday, January 13

- 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
—Mary's Kitchen
- 10:00 am Worship
- 11:15 am UMM Lunch Program
—Fellowship Hall
- 5:00 pm Youth and Young Adults
—Youth Center

Monday, January 14

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

Tuesday, January 15

- 9:00 am Staff Meeting—Conf. Room
- 10:00 am Bible Study
—Mary's Kitchen
- 7:00 pm Bells—Mary's Kitchen

Wednesday, January 16

- 10:00 am UMW Meeting
—Koinonia
- 7:00 pm Evening Bible Study
—Conference Room

Thursday, January 17

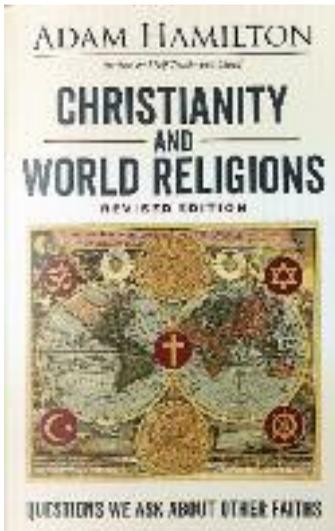
- 7:00 pm Aldersgate Chorale
—Music Room

Saturday, January 19

- 8:30 am UMW East District
Leadership Training
—Redlands First UMC
- 5:00 pm OFF Group Fellowship
—Nelson's Home

Sunday, January 20

- 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—YC
- 10:00 am Worship/Family Service
- 11:00 am Missions Garden—Patio
- 11:15 am Faith & Fellowship Chili
Cookoff Luncheon
—Fellowship Hall
- 11:15 am Music Committee
—Mary's Kitchen
- 5:00 pm Youth and Young Adults
—Youth Center

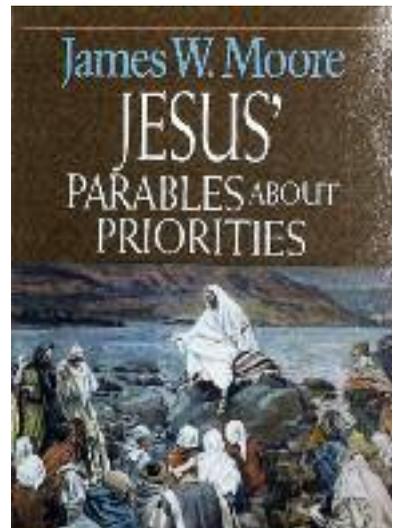


Adult Sunday School

A new series has begun with the book Christianity and World Religions (Adam Hamilton, 2018) at 8:45 am in the Adult Lounge. All are welcome!

Wednesday Bible Study

A new series has begun with the book Jesus' Parables About Priorities (James Moore) at 7:00 pm in the Conference Room. All are welcome!



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.