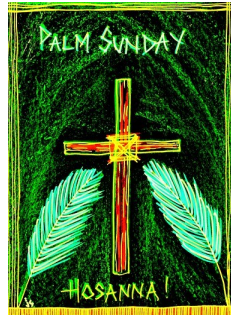


THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

- Mon Apr 03** 6:00 PM Quilt Class—CH
- Tue Apr 04** 9:00 AM Senior Exercise—CH, 10:00 AM Sew n Sews—MMR,
1:00 PM Bible Study—CH, 5:00 PM Bell Practice--HR.
- Wed Apr 05** 9:00 AM Senior Exercise—CH, 9:00 AM Church Work Day.
- Thu Apr 06** 9:00 AM Senior Exercise---CH,
5:00 PM Maundy Thursday Service---S
5:45 PM Soup Supper--CH
6:30 PM
- Choir Rehearsal--S.
- Fri Apr 07** 7:00 PM Ecumenical Good Friday Service
at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church,
- Sat Apr 08** nothing currently scheduled
- Sun Apr 09** 8:30 AM Easter Contemporary Worship Service
- Sun Apr 09** 10:30 AM Easter Traditional Worship Service



Abbreviation Legend

CH--Criswell Hall S--Sanctuary
K--Kitchen L--Library Room #123
MMR--McMillen Room #113
PS--Pastor's Study HR--Handbell Rm
#115

LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH HOSPITALITY

SPONSORED BY THE CONGREGATION. YOU ARE INVITED TO SIGN UP TO BRING SOMETHING ON APRIL 30. SIGN UP SHEET IS IN THE NARTHEX.

COMING EVENTS

Thursday April 6 is Maundy Thursday. There will be a 5:00 PM Maundy Thursday Service followed by a 5:45 PM Soup Supper.



Friday April 7 is the Ecumenical Good Friday Service at St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church at 301 Trinity Avenue in Arroyo Grande, 7:00 PM, a liturgical service.



NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 9, IS EASTER!

Between the 8:30 and 10:30 services is our **EASTER BRUNCH**, which connects us all. An **Easter Egg Hunt** happens after the second service (shortly after 11:30 AM). The **Easter Bunny** will appear at both the Brunch and Egg Hunt. **Bring your cameras!**

Apr 30 4 PM MOVIE "80 for Brady" stars Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin, Rita Moreno, Sally Fields and Tom Brady. Four best friends embark on a wild trip to see their hero play in the 2017 Super Bowl. Movie in CH.

- See more activities and details on Program Ministry list in the Narthex.



April 2, 2023

First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande

275 N. Halcyon Road, Arroyo Grande, CA 93420
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8:30 AM





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April 2, 2023

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**Sixth Sunday in Lent
PALM/PASSION SUNDAY**

OPENING PRAISE *Come Now is the Time of Worship*

WELCOMING OUR VISITORS

PRAISE SONGS *All Hail King Jesus
Hosana
Thank You Lord*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SONG OF ILLUMINATION *Breathe*

SCRIPTURE *Matthew 21:1-11
Philippians 2:5-11*

SERMON *"THE MIND OF CHRIST"* Rev. Mary Birgelaitis

OFFERING *Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King (verse1/chorus)*

COMMUNION *Amazing Love*

FINAL BLESSING *His Name is Jesus*

* CLOSING *When the Roll is Called Up Yonder*

* Please stand as able

Matthew 21:1-11

When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. If anyone says anything to you, just say this, "The Lord needs them." And he will send them immediately. This took place to fulfil what had been spoken through the prophet,

saying,
'Tell the daughter of Zion,
Look, your king is coming to you,
humble, and mounted on a donkey,
and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.'

The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting,

'Hosanna to the Son of David!
Blessed is the one who comes
in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna in the highest heaven!'

When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, 'Who is this?' The crowds were saying, 'This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee.'

Philippians 2:5-11

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross.

Therefore, God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Today's Liturgist: Joseph Brown

ALL CHURCH SUNDAY HOSPITALITY TIME IS LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH

WEEK	ATTENDANCE			VIDEO	TOTAL	STEWARDSHIP
	8:30	10:30	IN- PERSON			
03/05	36	43	79	50	121	\$13,451
03/12	30	42	72	53	117	\$1,574
03/19	32	54	93	36	127	\$3,426
03/26	28	65	93	9	102	\$1,603

Weekly offering needed: \$6,160

**FISCAL YEAR TO DATE: YTD (Budgeted): \$240,240 YTD Received: \$228,680
Easter Budgeted: \$3,300 Easter Received: \$894 UMCOR: \$640**

**HOSPITALITY
TIME**

Today's Hosts:

STAFF-PARISH

*Next Sun-April 9
Easter
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