



## John 4:1-26

Now Jesus learned that the Pharisees had heard that he was gaining and baptizing more disciples than John—although in fact it was not Jesus who baptized, but his disciples. So he left Judea and went back once more to Galilee. Now he had to go through Samaria. So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. **Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon. When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?"** (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) The Samaritan woman said to him, **"You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?"** (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.) Jesus answered her, **"If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."** "Sir," the woman said, **"you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water? Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his livestock?"** Jesus answered, **"Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life."** The woman said to him, **"Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water."** He told her, **"Go, call your husband and come back."** "I have no husband," she replied. Jesus said to her, **"You are right when you say you have no husband. The fact is, you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true."** "Sir," the woman said, **"I can see that you are a prophet. Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem."** "Woman," Jesus replied, **"believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth."** The woman said, **"I know that Messiah" (called Christ) is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us."** Then Jesus declared, **"I, the one speaking to you—I am he."**

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\* Our Senior Pastor is off on Mondays.

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## Arroyo Grande United Methodist Children's Center

Program tours are given by appointment ONLY on Monday thru Friday between 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM or 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM. We invite you to visit and see if we are a good fit for your family.

**Office Hours:** M—F from 8 AM—5 PM  
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### Meet Our CHURCH STAFF

<p><b>Cal-Pac Conference Bishop:</b> Minerva G. Carcaño</p> <p><b>North District Superintendent:</b> Rev. Dr. Cedrick Bridgeforth</p> <p><b>Senior Pastor:</b> Rev. David M. Burgeson</p> <p><b>Missionary (retired):</b> Judy Atwood</p> <p><b>Church Office Administrator:</b> Frances Robertson</p> <p><b>Website Manager:</b> Jamie Foster</p> <p><b>Choir Director:</b> Julie Burns</p> <p><b>Praise Team Director:</b> Susan Coho</p>	<p><b>Choral Pianist:</b> Dennis Eiler</p> <p><b>Multi-Media Director:</b> Mike Coho</p> <p><b>Handbell Choir Director:</b> Leonard Lutz</p> <p><b>Christian Education Directors:</b> Susan Coho, <i>Adult</i> Open Position, <i>Youth</i> Carolyn Russell, <i>Children</i></p> <p><b>AG UM Children's Center Director:</b> Madrigal Quagliano (805) 481-2223</p>
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Welcome to Worship! Please take a minute to fill out the pew pad as it passes. Please silence all cell phones.

### June 21, 2015 — 10:30 AM Worship Service

✠ Denotes standing as you are able in body and/or spirit

**Welcome and News of the Church** Virginia Mothes

**Prelude** Leonard Lutz

🔔 **Handbell Introit** Holy God, We Praise Your Name Grande Ringers  
(arr. Anna Laura Page)

✠ **Call To Worship** Virginia Mothes  
\* Please rise as you are able in body and/or spirit for our Call to Worship

**Leader:** We gather this morning as the people of God.

**People:** We gather together with praise and thanksgiving.

**Leader:** As God breathed life into creation,

**People:** Let the Holy Spirit breathe new life into us.

**Leader:** Open our ears to hear your Word;

**People:** Open our hearts that we would be shaped by your Word.

**All:** Let us worship the Lord our God!

\*Please remain standing for our opening hymn.

✠ **Hymn No. 368** My Hope Is Built

🔔 **Handbell Anthem** Gaudio Exsultans Grande Ringers  
(Valerie W. Stephenson)

**Children's Moment** Leonard Lutz

\*Nursery care is available. Children ages K-6 are dismissed with their teachers at this time to room 211. Junior and Senior High will meet in church.

**Prayer of Confession** Virginia Mothes

**Leader:** Please join me on our prayer of confession:

**People:** God of grace and glory, you have given us the gift of Scripture, but we fail to read and study your Word with diligence. You commanded us to teach our children your laws and the story of your people, but we put other things and activities at a higher priority. You commanded us to instruct all new disciples in your ways, but we fall short. You gave us the gift of the Holy Spirit, yet we find excuses to avoid sharing the good news of the gospel. Create in us a hunger to read and meditate on Scripture—individually and with our families. Forgive us for those times when our words and actions are in direct conflict with your teaching. Inspire us to find ways to bear witness to those who do not know your redeeming grace. Amen.



Prayers for Joys and Concerns Judy Atwood

Prayers for Tithes and Offerings Judy Atwood

Offertory Saint Anthony Chorale Duet—BG Perriguey and Julie Burns  
(Joseph Haydn)

† 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.

Special Music We Shall Behold Him Cristy Van Hook

Sermon Hospitality In A Hostile World Rex Miller

Scripture John 4:1-26

† Hymn No. 189 Fairest Lord Jesus

† Benediction Rex Miller

Postlude Gavotte in B flat BG Perriguey  
(George F. Handel)



### Coffee Hour Today

Hosted by:  
Congregational Care  
Committee

### Next Week's Coffee Hour Finance Committee

We thank you all for your  
service to our church!

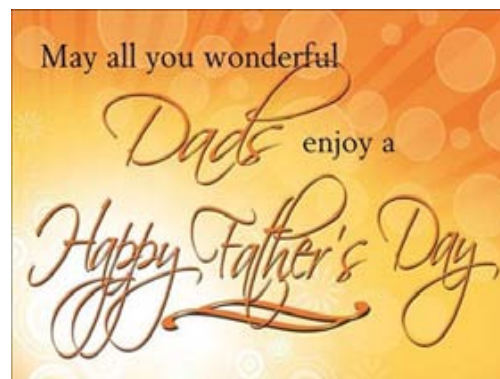


Happy 18th Birthday to  
Victoria Paredes

From Nancy St. Laurent

Narthex Flowers  
Happy Father's Day to  
Bob Atwood  
& Larry Weimers

From Cristy Van Hook & Judy Atwood



### Abbreviation Legend

(S) Sanctuary (PL) Parking Lot  
(L) Library (CH) Criswell Hall  
(MMR) McMillen Room (K) Kitchen



Monday—6/22

#### Pastor's Day Off

- UMC of AG Emergency Food Pantry—1 PM (CH)
- Women of Prayer—7 PM (S)

Tuesday—6/23

- Senior Exercise—8:30 AM (CH)
- Sew 'n' Sews—9 AM (MMR)
- Ladies Christian Counseling Groups—5 PM (L)

Wednesday—6/24

- Senior Exercise—8:30 AM (CH)
- Church Work Day—9 AM
- Mary-Martha—9:30 AM (MMR)
- Free Dinner—5 PM (CH)
- Adult Bible Study—6 PM (CH)

Thursday—6/25

- Senior Exercise—8:30 AM (CH)
- Intercessory Prayer—10 AM (L)

Friday—6/26

- Bible Study—8:30 AM (L)
- UMW Book Club—11 AM (MMR)

Saturday—6/27

- California Poppy Decorative Artists—7 AM-4:30 PM (CH)
- Praise Team Set-Up—5:30 PM (S)
- Praise Team Rehearsal—6:30 PM (S)

Next Sunday, June 28

One Combined  
Worship Service  
At 10:30 AM

Judy Atwood preaching

A very special welcome  
to Rex Miller for serving our  
congregation today as  
Guest Preacher.



We are pleased to have you with us!



Free Wednesday Suppers?  
Will we continue to offer  
Wednesday 5 PM free meals for  
the church and the community  
after July 1st?

Let's Plan Ahead!

There are funds to reimburse  
for expenses if you desire.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ARROYO GRANDE

Join us Friday, July  
24—6:00PM - 8:00PM

Saturday, July 25 -  
10:30AM - 2:00PM  
(pizza lunch)

Sunday, July 26 -  
10:30AM - 11:30AM



VBS Theme

Contact Carolyn Russell, Children's  
Christian Education Director, for  
more information and to volunteer.

#### Summer Volunteers Needed

- Two volunteers are needed to assist setting up chairs and tables during the summer for the morning worship services.
- Occasionally set up is needed for other events.

Please contact Dave Bauer or  
Kent Unsworth.

### Special Service Music During The Summer

We are scheduling  
special music for the  
second worship  
service. Volunteer to  
sing a solo, duet, form  
a small combo group,  
play an instrument!



Please contact Julie Burns

Share your talents with God  
and your church.



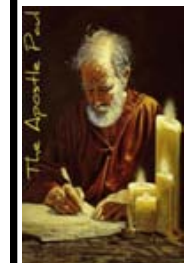
The Church has an opening for a part time

Youth Director

Please contact the church office  
for a job description and an application.

### JOIN US WEDNESDAYS ADULT STUDY at 6:00 PM

Wednesday, June 24, Criswell Hall



The third in a series of  
three study  
evenings entitled  
"In the Footsteps of  
Paul, My Second  
Pilgrimage" is  
led by Dr. Alice Addison.



In the name of Christ Jesus, we welcome you to the First United  
Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande and to this service of worship. We  
are all so happy that you have joined us here today. Your presence is a  
gift and we hope that you will find our worship meaningful and  
that you come worship with us again.

If it is your first time with us, we hope that you will join us for goodies  
in our fellowship hall so that we can get to know you.

We hope to see you again soon!

We invite you to fill out the pew pad as it is passed and give us a record  
of your attendance. If you have any special concerns or needs that this  
congregation is to be aware of, or you have a need to see the Pastor,  
please don't hesitate to let us know. You can either write it in the pew  
pad or fill out the prayer card in the pew in front of you and place it in  
the offering plate as it passes. Contact our church office at the phone  
numbers and e-mail listed on the back of this bulletin.

We praise God that you are here with us today!