

First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande



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August 4, 2024 8:30 AM

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

You desire truth in the inward being; therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart. ---Psalm 51:6

OPENING PRAISE Sing to the King

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE SONGS Breathe

I Love to Tell the Story A New Hallelujah

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

ILLUMINATION Spirit

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 4:1-8

John 6:24-35

SERMON BREAD OF LIFE Rev. Mary Birgelaitis

OFFERING Trust and Obey

COMMUNION Create in Me a Clean Heart

FINAL BLESSING God Is So Good

CLOSING Will the Circle Be Unbroken

Praise Band Leader: Mike Clark Piano/Keyboard: Dennis Eiler Bass: Bob Jorstad Guitar: Ian Beard

Singers: Connie Clark and Pam Garza

Today's Scripture

EPHESIANS 4:1-8

I, therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with a humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

JOHN 6:24-35

So, when the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus. When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you come here?" Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that

endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal."

Then they said to him, "What must we do to perform the works of God?" Jesus answered them. "This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent." So, they said to him, "What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat." Then Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world/" They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Today's Liturgist: Joe Brown

		GIVING					
	WEEK	8:30	10:30	IN-PERSON	VIDEO	TOTAL	
I	07/07	34	51	85	24	109	\$ 8,932
	07/14	36	65	101	18	119	\$ 4,227
	07/21	32	54	86	16	92	\$ 7,330
	07/28	59	36	95	3	98	\$ 1,202

Our Fiscal Year started July 1 Weekly Offering Needed \$6,175
STEWARDSHIP REPORT: YTD Received \$21,691 YTD Budgeted \$23,346

HOSPITALITY TIME

Hosted by

TRUSTEES

Next Sunday August 11th

STAFF-PARISH



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR



Abbreviation	Legend

Mon	Aug 5	6:00 PM Gerry's Quilt Class.	
Tue	Aug 6	9:00 AM Senior Exercise-CH, 10:00 AM Sew n Sews-MMR, 11:00 AM Chair Yoga-CH, 7:00 PM Board of Trustees-MMR.	
Wed	Aug 7	9:00 Church Work Morning-CH, 10:00 AM Fellowship Team-Library	
Thu	Aug 8	9:00 AM Senior Exercise-Criswell Hall.	
Sun	Aug 11	8:30 AM Contemporary Worship Service-Sanctuary. 10:30 AM Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary.	







MAKE A On Sundays, Aug 4 & 11 the Mission team will collect a Noisy offering to support the Children's Center at the end of 1st & 2nd

services. Funds raised will purchase school supplies for the upcoming school year. If you prefer to donate school items, a list is available.

Pease come for a TOUR of the Children's Center classrooms between services from 9:45-10:15 AM. You are sure to be delighted!

Sunday, Aug 25 4:00 PM in Criswell Hall

FREE MOVIE "Unsung Hero" will be shown. It is based on a true story of a couple, after the collapse of their music business, move from Down Under along with their seven children.

The movie shows the power of Family. Movie is free, as is popcorn & refreshments. Remember, free tickets are available to give to family & friends. Check the Connections Desk.



Wednesday, Sep 11 9:30 AM Camp Arroyo Grande Discovery Hike and Tour. Meet at the church at 9:15 AM to carpool. The camp was originally founded & operated by the Methodist Church. It is also the location of our 140th Anniversary Celebration. Sign up at Connections.

Sunday, Oct 20th 4:00 PM 140th Anniversary Celebration in the Tabernacle Save the date and invite your friends and family to this fun and historic event!





For information on flower dedications and ordering altar flowers. please contact the church office.



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