WHAT'S HAPPENING!

Please join us after the service for Hospitality Time in Criswell Hall

This week's activities:

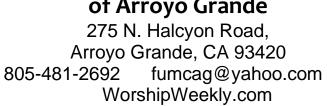
Mon.	May 26	6:00 PM	Gerry's Quilting Class, Criswell Hall
		4:30 pm	Communications Team, Library
			People's Kitchen, Food Preparation
Tue.	May 27	9:00 AM	Senior Exercise, Criswell Hall
		10:00 AM	Sew 'n' Sews, McMillen Room 113
		11:00 AM	Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
		1:00 PM	Bible Study, Criswell Hall
		5:00 PM	Bell Choir Rehearsal – Handbell Room 115
Wed.	May 28	9:00 AM	Church Work Morning, Criswell Hall
		10:00 AM	Mary Martha-Esther Circle, McMillen Room 113
Thu.	May 29	9:00 AM	Senior Exercise, Criswell Hall
		11:00 PM	Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
		5:00 PM	Bell Choir Rehearsal – Handbell Room 115
		6:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary
Sun.	Jun 1	8:30AM	Informal Worship Service

Upcoming Events:

Sun.	Jun 8	ELT Scholarship Sunday
Sun	Jun 15	Deadline to reserve tickets for "Something Rotten" play by PCPA
Sat	Jun 21	Scott Trees Garden Tour 10AM, leave church 9:45 Sun.
Thu.	Jun 26	Children's Center Promotions, Noon, S
Sun.	Jul 06	We Welcome Pastor Wesley Thompson
Sun.	Jul 20	PCPA "Something Rotten" by PCPA at Marion Theater in Santa Maria,
		1:30 showtime
Sat.	Aug 09	UWF Bingo Night 5PM
Sun.	Aug 17	Beach Themed Sunday
Sat.	Sep 20	Women's Tea and Fashion Show
Sat.	Sep 27	Harvest Festival Parade



First United Methodist Church of Arroyo Grande





May 25, 2025 8:30 a.m.



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Staff Appreciation Sunday

OPENING PRAISE To a Thousand Generations Bell Choir

WELCOME STAFF PARISH PRESENTATION by Mary Hawkins

ELT SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATION Ian Beard by Judy Leonard

PRAISE SONGS Crown Him with many Crowns

Arise

Thank You Lord

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

ILLUMINATION Who Is Like Thee

SCRIPTURE John 15:9 -17

SERMON PRESCRIPTIONS FOR LIFE:

Rx Remember

OFFERING Praise The Lord

COMMUNION SONG God I Look To You

FINAL BLESSING King of Kings

CLOSING Lord I Lift Your Name on High

Congratulations to ELT Scholarship Recipient Ian Beard

Assisting in today's service: Pastor, Rev. Mary Birgelaitis, Liturgist: Joel Anderson, Praise Team Leader: Mike Clark Piano/Keyboard: Dennis Eiler, Bass Guitar: Bob Jorstad,

Vocalists: Pam Garza, Connie Clark

John 15:9-17

As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

HOSPITALITY: Today hosted by the Staff Parish Relations Committee

June 1 will be hosted by the Finance Committee

WEEK	8:30	10:30	IN- PERSON	VIDEO	TOTAL	STEWARDSHIP
Apr 27	37	91	128	38	166	\$1,125
May 04	33	53	86	26	112	\$6,335
May 11	35	54	89	33	122	\$4,886
May 18	35	68	102	0	102	\$3,735

Weekly offering needed: \$6,331

Fiscal year to date Budgeted: \$286,626

Year to date Received: \$288,382