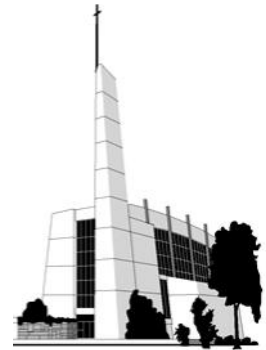




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November 2019

COME TO CHURCH AND SHOP & EAT AT THE HOLIDAY BAZAAR

to Benefit Missions

by United Methodist Women of GGUMC

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

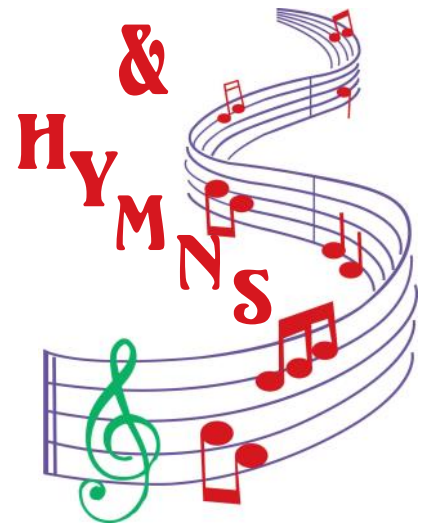
11:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

Baked Goods ~ Homemade Jams and Jellies ~ Egg Rolls

Beautiful Handmade Jewelry ~ Hand Crafted Items

Plants ~ Books ~ Puzzles ~ and a Kids' Corner

Annual Choir Dinner and A Christmas Concert of



Saturday, December 7th

Doors open 5:30 p.m., Dinner 6:00 p.m. Adults \$16, Children \$8. Reservations for dinner are required. Reservation deadline is Tuesday, December 3rd, call 714-534-1070. If you are unable to attend the dinner, you may still attend the Concert at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Freewill donation.



Holiday Luncheon at The Bazaar

Sunday, November 3rd

11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

\$ 8 adult, \$4 child



By the time you receive this Expectations, our Holiday Bazaar will just be ready to happen on Sunday, November 3rd from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. We will not



meet for a General Meeting in November. Our December Meeting will be a Brunch meeting at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 18th with a Christmas theme. Come and join us.



There will not be a United Methodist Men's Brunch in November because of the Holiday Bazaar & Brunch (see article on front page for more information). They will have Brunch on Sunday, December 1st, in Acker Hall following 9:30 worship. Everyone is invited for a time of food and fellowship. \$5.00 suggested donation.



Can you spare 1 to 1 1/2 hours every week, or so, to help Faye LaBare keep the pews stocked with offering envelopes and sharp pencils? It's easy! Faye is currently doing it on Thursday mornings, however, she can do it another time that's convenient for you. Please call Faye LaBare, 714-775-1498, or Janine in the Church Office, 714-534-1070.



Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before you go to bed on Saturday, November 2nd, unless you want to get to church an hour early!

HANGING OF THE GREENS



Save the Date!

Saturday, November 30th

Come and help deck the hall 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. Get a jump start on Christmas in the church. Be part of the celebration! Cider, coffee, and donuts will be served. And remember, many hands make light work.

Worship Commission



Work Day

Sunday, November 3rd, 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. – United Methodist Women’s Bazaar in Acker Hall. *See front page for more information.*

Wednesday, November 6th, 9:30 a.m. – Trinity Circle at Faye Gregory’s.

Wednesday, November 6th, 6:30 p.m. – Board of Trustees Meeting in the Lounge.

Tuesday, November 12th, 2:00 p.m. – United Methodist Women Executive Board Meeting in the Library.

Wednesday, November 13th, 6:30 p.m. – Finance Committee Meeting in the Lounge.

Tuesday, November 19th, 7:00 p.m. – Staff Parish Relations Meeting in the Lounge.

Wednesday, November 20th, 7:00 p.m. – Congregations Coordinating Council Meeting in the Lounge.

Sunday, November 24th, 11:00 a.m. – Charge Conference in Acker Hall. This is our annual meeting where we make decisions for the coming year.

Saturday, November 30th, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon – Come and help deck the hall, or Sanctuary, as the case may be! Get a jump-start on Christmas in the church. Be part of the celebration! Cider, coffee, and donuts will be served. And remember, many hands make light work.

Wednesday, December 4th, 9:30 a.m. – Trinity Circle at Joyce Hall’s.

Wednesday, December 4th, 6:30 p.m. – Board of Trustees Meeting in the Lounge.

Saturday, December 7th – “A Christmas Concert of Lessons, Carols & Hymns” the Garden Grove United Methodist Church Music Ministry’s 41st Annual Christmas Dinner and Concert. Doors open 5:30 p.m., Dinner 6:00 p.m. Adults \$16, Children \$8. Reservations for dinner are required. *Reservation deadline is Tuesday, December 3rd*, call 714-534-1070. If you are unable to attend the dinner, you may still attend the Concert at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. *Freewill donation.*

Tuesday, December 10th, 2:00 p.m. – United Methodist Women Executive Board Meeting in the Library.

Wednesday, December 11th, 6:30 p.m. – Finance Committee Meeting in the Lounge.

Tuesday, December 17th, 7:00 p.m. – Staff Parish Relations Meeting in the Lounge.



Ongoing Activities

Mondays, 7:00-8:30 p.m. – Boy Scouts in Acker Hall. Ages 11-17.

Tuesdays, 4:00 p.m. – Cherub/Chorister Choir (age 5-Grade 6) Rehearsal in the Choir Room. *This choir is on hiatus, rehearsals will resume in January.* If you have any questions, please call Sally Hickman at 714-839-0120 or 714-376-8391 (cell).

Tuesdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m. – Cub Scouts in Acker Hall. Ages 5-11.

Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. – Vietnamese Language Bible Study in the Chapel.

Wednesdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m. – Girl Scouts in Acker Hall. Ages 5-17.

Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. – English Language Bible Study in the Lounge. All are welcome to participate in this group.

Thursdays, 4:30 p.m. – Sonshine Singers (grades 7-12) Rehearsal in the Choir Room. *This choir is on hiatus, rehearsals will resume in January.* If you have any questions, please call Sally Hickman at 714-839-0120 or 714-376-8391 (cell).

Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal (adults) in the Choir Room. We would love to have you join us; you do not have to have the best voice just a love of singing. *Will rehearse on Wednesday, October 30th & November 6th instead of Thursday, October 31st (Halloween) & November 7th.* Call Bill Shelly, our new Interim Choir Director (714-529-6219), Sally Hickman (714-839-0120) or Jonni Lorenz (714-638-4640), for more information.

Saturdays, 1:00-3:00 p.m. & Sundays, 5:00-7:00 p.m. – Citizenship/ English Class in the Lounge. This class is an outreach to the Vietnamese community by teaching English and helping them to prepare for the U.S. Citizenship interview. *If you can spare one hour on either day to help them learn English from a native English speaker, please contact Pastor Bau Dang (714-534-1070) for more details.*

Saturdays–Vietnamese Language Classes are no longer available.



November 1st
 Larry Pringle
 Brooklym Schirmer
 Selena Sherlin

November 2nd
 Ed Barber
 Lorna Cajiuat

November 3rd
 Sharon Tesdall
 Lewis Unland

November 5th
 Chris M^cKee

November 6th
 Ann Mee

November 7th
 Robert Fomai

November 11th
 Sandy Boekelheide
 Andrew Buck

November 13th
 Marion Ruhl

November 15th
 Quang Nguyen

November 16th
 Matthew Brown

November 17th
 Linda Truong Le

November 18th
 Sally Hickman

November 20th
 Douglas Beard

November 23rd
 Jennafer Gerbasi
 Rae Ramirez

November 26th
 Don Hughes
 Faye LaBare
 Charles M^cCart

November 30th
 Charles Goh
 Alice Larson



Blessing Bags

We are in need of trial or sample size toothpaste and snacks for making blessing bags. If you have questions, call Crystal Collino at 714-269-1196.



Wesley Village

The clinic is open Tuesdays 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Fridays 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., and Saturdays 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. The phone number to call for appointments is 714-633-4600. *They have moved to the first floor of the Wesley Village Family Building on Acacia.*

Church Staff

The ministers of this Church are its members. They are assisted by:

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| Bishop.....Bishop Grant J. Hagiya | Media Technician Vivianna Goh |
| District Superintendent..... John Farley | Membership Secretary Mary Lou Ball |
| Clergy Bau Dang, | Missionary to CambodiaRev. Andrew Lee |
| Yong Sam Park, Toné Tosi | Missionary to Greece Rebecca Swartz |
| Administrative Assistant..... Janine Ryder | Missionary to Vietnam Quynh-Hoa Nguyen |
| Interim Choir Director Bill Shelly | Newsletter Editor Janine Ryder |
| Director of Youth/Children Choirs Sally Hickman | Organist.....Norberto Guinaldo |
| Financial Bookkeeper Linda Gregory | Music Leaders..... Dang Nguyen, Quang Nguyen |
| I.T. Technician..... Charles Goh | Wedding Coordinator Mitzie Larson |



**Please Remember These People
In Your Thoughts And Prayers**

Betty Wilson, knee surgery November 1st
Lucas Johnston, Ann Newsome's grandson, facing
a long, painful recovery after orthopedic surgery

Barbara Welton, recovering after surgery
Diane Farley, at home
H. H. Hanson, heart and kidney issues
Ann Mee
Dexter Welton
Bud Ruhl
Gwen Anderson
David Gregory, dealing with pain
Lilas Green, health issues



*Our
Heartfelt
Sympathy*

Shirley Smith, a longtime member of GGUMC, died August 27th. A memorial service was held, Saturday, October 12th at First Congregational Church of Corona. Cards can be sent to Carolyn Egan, 4733 Sierra Vista Ave., Riverside, CA 92505.

Lennie Hamby, daughter of Doris Hamby, mother of Bobbi Gerbasi, and niece of Helen Sothan, died on Monday, October 21st and a Celebration of Life was held on Wednesday, October 30th in the Sanctuary.



Thomas Edward Skinner-Tainsh, born on Tuesday, October 8th to Courtney Skinner and Rob Tainsh. Proud great-grandparents are Larry & Jackie Pringle.



Check out the new paper towels, toilet paper, and soap dispensers in the Office restrooms! We are doing a free trial with Clean Products and so we want your opinion so we can decide if we want to switch over the entire church, try something else, or stick with what we have now.



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RELIEVE EDITORIAL STRESS:
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**DEADLINE FOR
NEWSLETTER
ARTICLES IS**
Tuesday, November 12th

The *Expectations* deadline for the December issue (to be mailed on Thursday, November 21st) is Tuesday, November 12th. News and Events for December and January (remember there is no January *Expectations*) should be in this issue. You may E-mail articles to exp@ggumc.net, bring them to the Church Office, mail them, or (if they are short) call them in, on or before the deadline.

Janine Ryder, Editor