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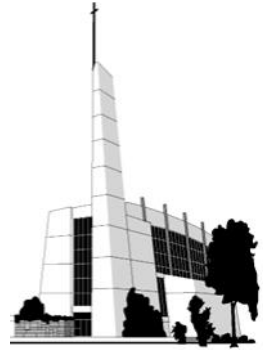
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*Come
to the
Table*

Beginning at our next communion on Sunday, June 4th, we will begin to sing "God Be With You Til We Meet Again" *after* service. This will continue at every Communion Sunday, as we used to do sometime ago.



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June 2nd
Rose Huong Paap

June 3rd
Luc Dang

June 4th
Robert Nease
Sheri Nash

June 6th
Frank Kelley

June 12th
Howard Dudley
Linda Shepard

June 16th
Rebekah Beard

June 19th
Carla Granados
Angelina LeDang

June 22nd
Pamela Schneider

June 23rd
Richard Walth

June 24th
Melinda Guinaldo
Jana Henke

June 27th
Karen Cole
Shana Iwasiwka

June 30th
Marylou Ball



A Very Special “*Happy Birthday*” this month to ***Robert Nease, and Frank Kelley!*** ***Robert*** will be 92 on June 4th, and ***Frank*** will be 93 on June 6th! If you would like to send them a special greeting, ***Robert’s*** address is 4778 E. Washington Ave., Orange, CA 92869-4124, ***Frank’s*** address is 1530 W. Doris Pl., Anaheim, CA 92802-2509.



July 1st
Patricia Graham

July 6th
Joy Dudley
Jack Mee
Jordan Nguyen

July 7th
Crystal Nguyen

July 9th
Beverly Shewman

July 11th
Doris Hamby
Charlotte Delpilar

July 12th
Amanda Kusinsky

July 14th
Richard Brown
Linda Colgin
Margaret Doane
Debra McCart

July 16th
Ann Powell Cordon
Daniel Granados
Lanu Iosua

July 18th
T. J. Sherlin

July 22nd
Brandon Wislocki

July 24th
Linda Wislocki

July 26th
Mary Brock

July 30th
Vickie Barber
Jake Bearden

July 31st
Zachary Seto



i A Very Special “*Happy Birthday*” this month to ***Patricia Graham, Jack Mee, and Jake Bearden!*** ***Patricia*** will be ***96*** on the ***1st***, ***Jack*** will be ***93*** on the ***6th***, and ***Jake*** will be ***93*** on the ***30th***! If you would like to send them a special greeting, ***Patricia’s*** address is 23235 Cavanaugh Road Lake Forest, CA 92630, ***Jack’s*** address is 1525 E. Taft Ave. Orange, CA 92865 , ***and, Jake’s*** address is 1946 W. Willow Ave., Anaheim, CA 92804-2558.



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Please keep Stacey Beard's mother-in-law in your prayers. She is back in the hospital with pneumonia and water in her heart. They are going to try thoracentesis to try and remove as much water as possible.

Kim Lormier who is undergoing cancer treatments for liver cancer.

Dianne Bradfield who is healing from a broken leg.

Jonni Lorenz & the Lorenz Family

Skip Clark who is dealing with pancreatic cancer, Bud Ruhl, Gary Palmer.



Ken Pearce's Celebration of Life will be on 6/29/2023 at 10 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Ken was a longtime member of GGUMC and served as the sound technician for most of those years. He was a founding member of the Growing Friendships group in the 1980's that still meets regularly. He is survived by Patricia, his wife of 43 years. They were married at GGUMC by Miles Acker. He is also survived by his children Bradley Pearce and Kim Walker and step children Sandra Christiansen and Kathryn Hartman and grand-daughters Sierra Irick and Ruth Christiansen. Ken passed on April 12 after a brief illness.

Maria, who does some of our janitorial services here at the church, is looking to move into a smaller place with her husband. She currently lives in a home in Garden Grove, but would like to move into a backhouse or smaller apartment in the Garden Grove/ Anaheim/Westminster areas. She is asking the congregation to reach out if they have or know anyone who has anything available for rent. You can call/email the church office, or call her directly at (714) 422-6323.



Amy Parker has moved to Rowntree Gardens! Her new address is:
12151 Dale St,
Stanton, CA 90680
C-121
Her number is
(714) 971-6654



Garden Grove 25th Anniversary Free Concert!

In honor of Garden Grove's 25th anniversary, the Garden Grove Community Foundation is hosting a celebratory concert on Friday, June 9th at the Garden Amp! The show will be headlined by Flashback Heart Attack, in addition to tributes to Van Halen and U2. The event will be *free* to Garden Grove residents and \$10 for non-residents. Click here to secure your tickets today! More information here:

<https://www.ggcf.com/25th-anniversary-concert>

Sunday, June 4th 10:30 a.m. – Communion Sunday - the beginning of singing "God Be With You Til We Meet Again" after service.

Wednesday, June 7th at 9:30 a.m. - Trinity Circle - in the Lounge.

Friday, June 9th 6:00 p.m. - Garden Grove Free Concert.

Thursday, June 29th 10:00 a.m. - Ken Pearce Memorial in the Sanctuary and Acker Hall.

Friday, August 8th - Saturday, August 9th - VBS in Acker Hall.

Sunday, August 27th - 10:30 a.m. Worship committee meeting in the Lounge.



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Boba making with Zi was a success! Acker Hall hosted lots of joyful youth eager to learn how to make boba balls! The church looks forward to more youth events.



Thank you to everyone who made it out to this creative and fun event, and a big thank you to Zi for being the best host!



Vacation Bible School is coming! Save the date for VBS on Friday, August 4th and Saturday, August 5th in Acker Hall. More information to follow, so please look out for rates and times in upcoming GGUMC News updates.

BIBLE SCHOOL

HE HAS REMOVED OUR SINS
AS FAR FROM US AS

THE EAST IS FROM THE WEST.

Psalm 103:12, NLT



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:

Bishop..... Dottie Escobedo-Frank
District Superintendent Sandra Olewine
ClergyLui Tran, Yong Sam Park, Toné Tosi
Minister of Youth/Young Adult Ministries ... Zi Nghiem
Administrative Assistant.....Sonia Guerrero
Director of Youth/Children Choirs Sally Hickman
Financial Bookkeeper Linda Gregory

Missionary to CambodiaRev. Andrew Lee
Missionary to Greece Rebecca Swartz
Vietnamese Administrative Asst.Phuong Dinh
Organist.....Norberto Guinaldo
Music Leaders Dang Nguyen, Quang Nguyen
Wedding Coordinator Mitzie Larson
Membership Secretary Donna Gregg

We have a new Bishop! Her name is Dottie Escobedo-Frank. More information about her background and her plans, visit here:

<https://www.umc.org/en/content/alumnae-profile-rev-dr-dottie-escobedo-frank-mef>



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Once again, we thank you all for your continuing support.

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ARTICLES IS**

Tuesday, June 27th

The *Expectations* deadline for the July issue (to be mailed on Thursday, June 29th) is 12:00 noon, Tuesday, July 27th. News and Events for July and August should be in this issue. You may E-mail articles to ggumc@ggumc.net, bring them to the Church Office, mail them, or (if they are short) call them in, on or before the deadline.

Sonia Guerrero,
Editor