

Golden Feather

Open Minds, Open Hearts, Open Doors

June Worship

June 7th

Greeters: Pat Foster

Coffee Hour: Betty Ledford

Lockup: Sem Xiong

June 14th

Greeters: John & Randy
Fowler

Coffee Hour: Emily Fancher
& Louise Weitze

Lockup: Gladeen Leboeuf,

June 21st

Greeters: Bill & Sharon
Cheek

Coffee Hour: Buis Family

Lockup: Susan Sharon

June 28th

Greeters: Ginger Ewalt

Coffee Hour: Stu & Lyn
Shaner

Lockup: Jeremy Buis

Save the Date

Promotion Sunday

June 7

Soccer Bible Camp

June 22-26

Food Booth on the Dam

July 4th

*Dinner @ Six
will return in
September*

80th Annual Turkey Dinner

November 7

Upcoming Sermons *God on Film: Finding Truth at the Movies*

June 14:

Age of Adeline – Relationships

June 21:

Tomorrowland – The Future

June 28:

Special Concert

July 5:

San Andreas – Fear

July 12:

I'll See You in My Dreams –
Widowhood

July 19:

Me & Earl & the Dying Girl –
Friendship

July 26:

Glass Chin – Integrity

August 2:

Love & Mercy – Perseverance

August 9:

Ricki & the Flash – Family

August 16:

Fantastic Four – Heros

August 23:

Max – Trust

August 30:

War Room – Prayer

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE
PASTOR'S CORNER



I can't believe summer is already here. There are many things happening, graduations, vacations, recreation, and camps. God doesn't take a break during the summer and neither will we. I am excited about several things that are taking place this summer.



SOCCER BIBLE CAMP: We will be having our Second Annual Soccer Camp from June 22nd through the 26th. We have our soccer coaches thanks to Derrald and Jeremy Buis. Pastor Dave will do the Bible Study part. We need musicians and most of all we need someone to coordinate the food. If you would like to volunteer, please let me know as soon as possible. The camp will be for Kindergarten through Junior High. There is a \$25.00 fee which will include backpacks, soccer balls, water bottle and a variety other items. There are scholarships available. Get your kids, neighbor kids, grandkids and others to sign up and let's make this a time of fun and faith.



Summer giving is always a challenge for the church. Not only do we not have the income from the Pre-School, but it seems like some of us let our giving go on vacation during the summer. Just a reminder, (The Finance Committee reminded me), just because we go on vacation, our pledges are needed for the operation and health of our church. Please help us keep our finances healthy.

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-This summer I am trying something new! I am going to use the current movies in the theater and develop sermons around them. I hope you will enjoy this series called: God on Film: Finding Truth at the Movies. Here is a preliminary list of what I'll be covering:

June 14: Age of Adeline – Relationships • June 21: Tomorrowland – The Future • June 28: Special Concert • July 5: San Andreas – Fear • July 12: I'll See You in My Dreams – Widowhood • July 19: Me & Earl & the Dying Girl – Friendship • July 26: Glass Chin – Integrity • August 2: Love & Mercy – Perseverance • August 9: Ricki & the Flash – Family • August 16: Fantastic Four – Heros • August 23: Max – Trust • August 30: War Room – Prayer

SPECIAL CONCERT ON JUNE 28TH: Veronica Tobias and Marly Morrison will be sharing their testimonies and music on June 28th. Veronica has the voice of an angel and Marly plays beautiful violin. We are still working out the details, but you won't want to miss this great music.

SHASTA CAMP 2015: This summer, Shasta Camp is August 5th – 8th, 2015 . . . just three months away. This camp is for 4th through 7th graders. This will be the 19th Shasta Camp. Last year we had seven churches send multiple campers: Eureka, Yreka, Montague/Mt. Shasta, Aldersgate Chico, Paradise, Anderson-Trinity and Arbuckle/Williams. This year we hope to include a couple more multiple-camper churches. Of course, we need your help to make this happen. If cost is an issue, Great Northern District 20% Scholarship funds can help. With the 20% scholarship, the cost is just \$112 (or \$120 after 7/1). The early bird rate ends July 15th, after that it goes up by \$10. Most children's camps, including our subsidized Conference Camps, start are \$275 - \$400 per camper. Shasta Camp remains one of the best camp deals around – thanks to our all-volunteer staff.

Keep your ears open as we are working on a special Luau event for all the church. This event is still in the planning stages, but it will be fun and free.

So, keep yourself in touch with the church. We are also thinking about Movie Night like we did last summer. Don't go on vacation from God. There are lots of things happening. See you in church!

Blessings, Pastor Dave

USE OF CHURCH FACILITIES

In regards to the use of the church facilities, there have been a few changes. Any member who wishes to use any part of the church facilities/grounds must fill out Request For Use form. Please, notify a Member of Trustee, Pastor or Office Volunteers and they will assist you. Completely and accurately filling out this form will help prevent issues such as event conflicts, unlocking and locking facilities as well as insuring that your event goes by smoothly, with the assistance of a trustee. For non-members, there is an Application For Use and agreement form that must be filled out which can also be approved by any member of Trustee, Pastor or Office Volunteers.

We appreciate your understanding. We hope that this will help make everyone's experience a memorable one. Any questions and concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Marlys/Doris Circle

Marlys/Doris Circle will meet on Monday, June 22nd at the church at 6 PM. We will have our meeting and prayer Circle in the Fireside Room followed by a potluck dinner. Bring a dish to share and Big Prayers for our Church.

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Support Oroville Students

Business Partners for Education

A3 Appliance
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2586 Olive Hwy
534-3436

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2470 Oro Dam
532-1624

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534-9047

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403-7466

Show This "SOS Certificate"

10% of your purchase will help buy classroom supplies

Support Oroville Students (SOS), sponsored by Golden Values, is an effort to help buy classroom supplies for Oroville-area elementary students each month. When you show this "SOS Certificate" to the cashier at these participating restaurants on the 3rd Wednesday each month, 10% of your check (pre-tax) will be donated to buy paper, pencils, books, etc. The next schools to benefit will be:

December 17 - benefiting Poplar Avenue Elementary
 January 21 - benefiting Plumas Avenue Elementary
 February 18 - benefiting Ophir Elementary
 March 18 - benefiting Oakdale Heights Elementary
 April 15 - benefiting Helen Wilcox Elementary and Honcut Elementary
 May 20 - benefiting Golden Hills Elementary
 June 17 - benefiting Bird Street Elementary

Participating Restaurants

THE CORNUCOPIA OF OROVILLE
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534-9025

GOLD CITY Grill
935 Oro Dam
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Denny's
2470 Oro Dam
532-1624

Foster's FREEZE
970 Oro Dam
534-0485

MUGGERS
25 Feather River Blvd
534-8282

Shakey's
2890 Olive Hwy
534-8844

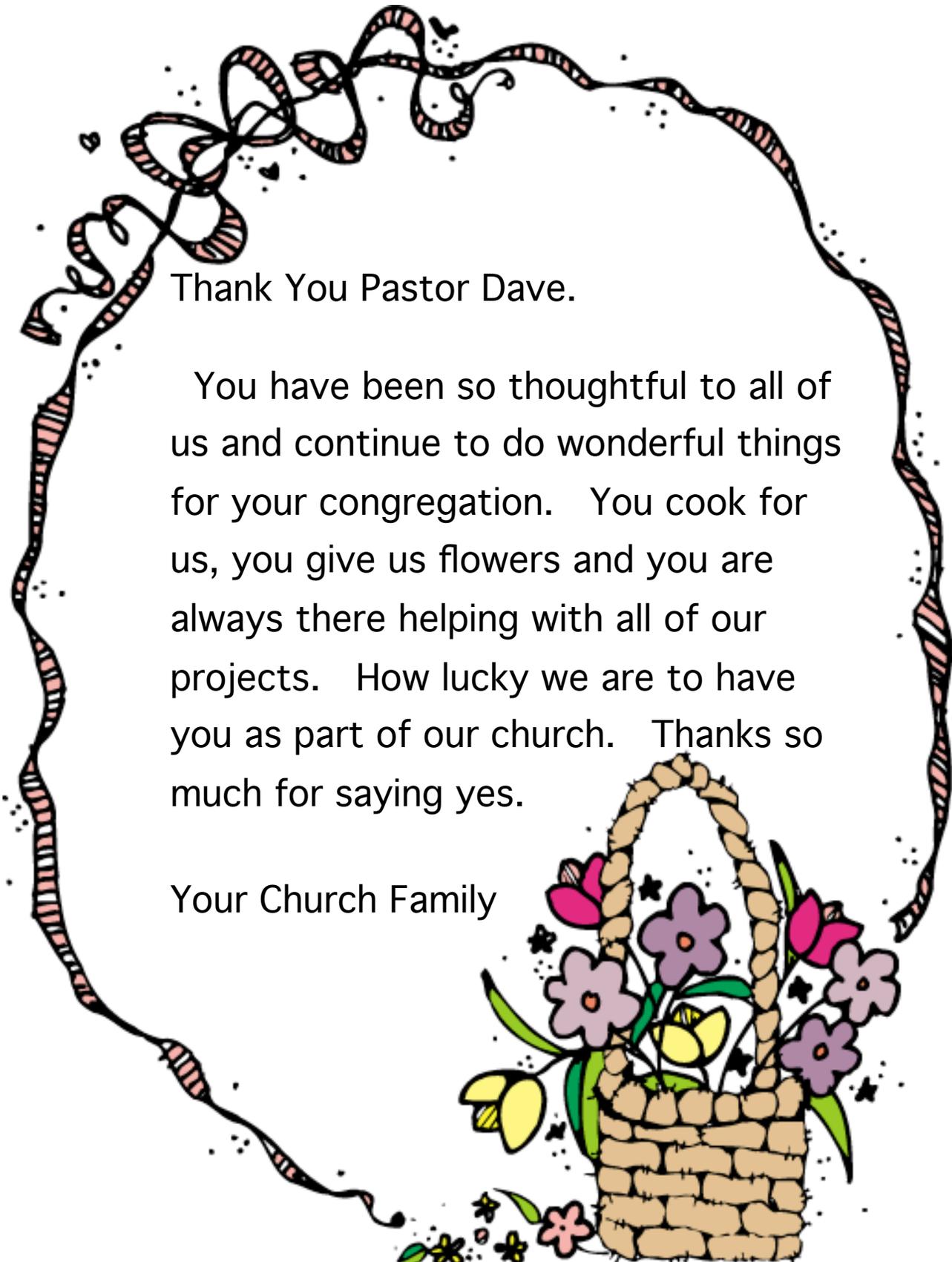
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(See Genesis 6-8)

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**YOU'VE DONE WELL PREPARING THE ARK,
BUT FORTY DAYS IS A LONG TIME SO TAKE
THIS DUCT TAPE JUST IN CASE**



Thank You Pastor Dave.

You have been so thoughtful to all of us and continue to do wonderful things for your congregation. You cook for us, you give us flowers and you are always there helping with all of our projects. How lucky we are to have you as part of our church. Thanks so much for saying yes.

Your Church Family



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE

ROSS-HARMON EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR AWARD DINNER 2015

On Monday evening April 27, 2015 the annual Ross-Harmon Educator of the year award dinner took place in our fellowship hall at our church. All four of our school districts from our area had awards presented to outstanding educators. The school districts were Oroville Union High School District, Oroville City Elementary District, Palermo Union School District, and Thermalito Union School District.

The award dinner is named after long time Oroville High School employee Charlotte Ross and the late Bruce Harmon. Both were very involved in education.

A lovely tri tip dinner was served before the awards were presented. The menu was tri tip, potatoes, carrots, salad, and dessert. There was also a veggie choice if you did not want tri tip. The dinner was cooked by Cathy Weitze and she was helped in the kitchen by Erin Buis and Randy Fowler. Outside the tri tip was barbecued by Derrald Buis and members of the Buis family. The dessert was prepared by Janet Short and Louise Weitze. The dinners were served by members of our church youth group and The Las Plumas Key Club.

Life Touch Pictures had a large photo of the honorees up front. The honorees were presented with the photo to take home with them along with their award certificates presented to them by The Ross-Harmon Committee.

Alma Short decorated the fellowship hall for the event and it was beautiful as it always is. Tom Aldridge a long time school teacher was master of ceremonies again this year. Tom always does a great job. Congressman Doug La Malfa and Assemblyman James Gallagher sent certificates to those being honored. Glenda Ott was a greeter and sent out thank you notes. Micah Buis and members of the Buis family washed the dishes and our custodian Elizabeth cleaned up afterward. Joan Keller helped me with tickets and money at the door. The Ross-Harmon Committee sent out nomination forms and the school districts sent in nominees then the committee selected the final honorees. The Committee meets many times and works hard on this event. Nonie Buis oversees all of this and make sure everything goes smoothly. Thank you so much Nonie. Jeremy Buis ran the sound system so everyone could hear what was being said.

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From The Oroville High School District the teacher receiving the first award was Rachel Gwinnup. The award was presented by Steve Brown. Brown described Gwinnup as a role model. He said she is a passionate worker for students. She insists on high standards.

The second award from Oroville High School District was presented to Oroville Adult School secretary Lisa Ekdahl. Corey Wallenberg Superintendent of The Oroville School District who presented the award said Ekdahl started at the adult education 16 years ago. He said she does everything in the office and keeps it running. An administrator needs a good secretary like Ekdahl.

The first award from Oroville City Elementary School District was presented to Steve Harmon a teacher at Central Middle School. Steve Harmon couldn't attend the award ceremony because he teaches a class at Chico State University on this evening. Harmon spoke in a video that was showed. He said teaching is more than my career, it's my life. I can't imagine a better career.

The second award from The Oroville Elementary City School District went to Roxann Morris an instructional aide at Ophir Elementary School. Roxann has worked in special education more than a decade. Diane Peters introduced Morris and said she comes in early every day. She sees in every student who they are.

From The Palermo Union School District the first award was presented to Theresa Holyoak a Psychologist .Theresa was hired to be a psychologist but she works beyond what is expected of her. She relates well with students and adjusts her schedule to help the students. She was introduced by Kathy Andoe. She said that Theresa is a tireless advocate for students and is a problem solver.

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The second award from Palermo School District went to Cheryl Turnbough a library technician at Palermo Middle School. Cheryl supports teachers and she has materials for students that do not have a computer at home. They can check out the materials so they can complete their school projects. Cheryl has worked for The Palermo School District for 27 years.

From The Thermalito Union School District the first award was received by Jeff Smith a third and fourth grade teacher at Plumas Ave. School. Jeff was described as a person with a big heart. He has skills with the kids in his classes. He has a pottery night with parents to get to know them.

The second award from The Thermalito School District was presented to Della Jones the secretary at Sierra Ave. School. Sierra school principal Ed Gregorio said Della wears many hats and makes sure that teachers needs are met.

The profit on the dinner was \$476.10. The committee met and the money will go for education purposes. \$155.00 to purchase bells for the young children to ring in church. \$100.00 will go as a scholarship to the Youth Soccer Bible camp coming up in June. And \$50.00 will go to The Sierra Service Project an outreach program in the Methodist Church that some of our youth will attend this summer. The balance will go to our church general fund for church expenses.

Thank you everyone that helped on this awards dinner and awards presentation. this is a large project to put on each year.

Thank you everyone

John S. Fowler

Chairman Finance Committee

Memorial Day May 25, 2015



<http://www.oroivillemr.com/general-news/20150525/oroville-cemetery-bridge-ceremonies-honor-veterans-in-memorial-day-tribute>



Oroville cemetery, bridge ceremonies honor veterans in Memorial Day tribute

Stu Shaner speaks as he stands beside Sherry Morehouse Monday during the Memorial Day ceremony on the green bridge in Oroville. Bill Husa — Mercury-Register

Oroville >> On Memorial Day, Stan Starkey can't imagine standing anywhere else but atop the green bridge.

The scenery and program is always the same: The names of veterans who died within the last year are called out, each one marked with the tolling of a bell, and wreaths are flung into the Feather River below, flowers facing skyward as they slowly drift away. Starkey's thoughts go to one man — Howard Stanton Gould, his uncle, namesake and one of Oroville's first casualties of World War II.

"I remember as a little kid doing the exact same thing," Starkey said. "I didn't realize it when I was young, but in the last few years it really comes to heart."

The green bridge ceremony was one of two Oroville remembrances Monday in honor of Memorial Day. Across town three hours earlier, hundreds gathered in iterations of red, white and blue and gazed out upon 2,782 fluttering flags, one for every veteran buried within the cemetery's borders.

Assistant District Attorney Pancho Zarate told the crowd Memorial Day shares special significance for him, as his life is truly a credit to those willing to die for their country. His parents were both born in Mexico and moved to the United States in pursuit of freedom, better opportunities and a right to education — all of which they and their children achieved.

"Our lives would not be possible were it not for those who made the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedom," he said. "These individuals demonstrated great valor, going into battle knowing the consequences."

One by one, members of various veterans organizations and community groups set wreaths on the veterans memorial pillar, until the base was blanketed with flags, photos and flowers. Organizer Sherry Morehouse, who coordinated both events, said she was pleased with the turnout and to see so many people honoring those who served.

"These men and women who did this for us, this is the least we can do, to recognize them at least one time a year," she said.

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Oroville cemetery, bridge ceremonies honor veterans in Memorial Day tribute.

Shading herself under a stars-and-stripes umbrella, Oroville resident Gretchen Clinkingbeard's said her family's military roots run deep, with her ancestors fighting on both sides of the Civil War. Her brother served in Vietnam and both her parents are buried in the veterans area of Memorial Park Cemetery.

"When the one man said that there are still some missing in action, I was so glad my brother came back," she said, tears welling in her eyes. "I really appreciate what they are doing to have this ceremony. All this effort means a lot. It brings us back to our roots and that freedom isn't free."

The only element missing Monday was younger generations in attendance, Clinkingbeard said. The sentiment was echoed by Oroville resident Laura Smith, who had come to pay her respects to fallen heroes and noted that most people at the cemetery were senior citizens or a few young families.

"It just seems like there is a generation gap in there," she said, as she paused to study the flag-marked headstones on her way out.

At the green bridge ceremony, veteran Susan Sharon said it seems that many have forgotten the intention of Memorial Day and instead see it as the start of summer. She urged people to respect the real reason for the holiday.

"Remember those who gave their lives so we can continue to live in freedom," she said.

The ceremony concluded with the crowd joining their voices to sing "America the Beautiful." Erik Piper's baritone rang out as he stood with his two daughters, ages 7 and 11.

His first wife, father and grandfather all served in the military, and he would have too, had it not been for an injury, he said. By attending Monday's ceremony, he hoped to instill in his children patriotic values and respect for those who have served.

"It's important that I teach them that there are people who are out there fighting for our country and giving the ultimate sacrifice," he said.

Contact reporter Ashley Gebb at 896-7768.



Did you know that we have a family in our church who have four, yes that is 4 children, who all graduated this June 2015? The parents are Zoua and Zongchang Yang. We all watched these children grow up in our church and what adults they have become. Paterra has graduated from UC Davis School of Medicine; Lounghoungchua has graduated from UC Berkeley with his BS in Integrative Biology; Noukoushua, also known as Nou has graduated from UC Los Angeles with a BA in Psychology and Public Health and last but not least is our own Shisha who graduated early from Oroville High School and was in the Top 10 students as a Senior. We should be so proud of this family and know that we had some small part in their becoming such wonderful adults.

Way to go Yang family.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

10 Ted Beall
12 Chuckua Yang
13 Gordon Fredericksen
13 Glen Martin
15 Chao Thao
15 Her Xiong Thao
15 Xnai Xion
15 Zoua Yang
15 Chia Xiong Vang
16 Ginger Ewalt
17 Dee Lae Yang



18 Joyce Hutchins
18 Rudi Messerschmidt
23 Malena Pieper
23 Bee Thao
23 Thai Vang
23 Jill Farris
23 Chong Vang
25 Joan Wayes Smith
26 Georgia Nelson

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ARTICLES FOR

JULY-AUGUST FEATHER

DUE SUNDAY, JUNE 21ST

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Remember those in our church family in need of prayers:



Patti Blissenbach – her friend had blood clots in her lungs, but dissolving now & should be released from the hospital, continue to pray for her recovery; Jim Webster asking for us to pray for **Jinx Diliberti** – she has been diagnosed with Stage 1 lung cancer and will be starting treatment soon; Prayers requested for **Lance Anderson**, the young Las Plumas student who was injured in a car crash recently. Lance is in an induced coma at UC Davis and is only 14 years old. His friend **Cameron Sabatino died in the same crash. Pray for his family** too; **Louise Weitze** – her test for lymphoma came back positive,

continue to pray for her; Carol Anderson's friend – **Carlene McCarty** has lung cancer, pray for her recovery; Elaine Klein's grandson's friend – **Jake**, is recovering from a motorcycle accident; **Ted Beall** – per Helen, his eye is swollen & he is in pain, had to go to the ER, pray for Ted's eye to recover; prayers for **Chet Ainsworth's grandson** in Missouri who is dealing with heart problems; Elaine Klein's sister **Valarie (Mickey) Cavallo** – having surgery to fuse her vertebrae in her neck; pray for **Klaus Kuukka** – he is off life support & breathing on his own now, but still in San Diego, on dialysis, pray for his wife **Sue; Enola Whitmore** – in hospice care with cancer; **Chet Ainsworth** – he will be having surgery soon, pray for the continued relief of his pain; Ellen Felice's son Jeffery has cancer and is very ill; Tyler's father **Zong Hur Yang** - he has throat cancer, needs prayers; **Mee Xiong** - has a tumor in her head & is starting radiation; Pastor Chukua & Poyee - **Poyee's younger sister Lee Khang**, she is getting her voice back now & still recovering, pray for all the family, including Poyee's brother **Nha Sou Khang**, as he lives with their sister.

Pray for those with ongoing concerns: Mee Lee & Tong Xiong; Emma Spencer; Gary Azevedo; Bruce Barton; Jeremy Buis; Pastor Chuckua & Poyee Yang; Luisa Shaner; Buz Manwell; Chris Barnes; Steve Ewalt; Norman Rieck; Chris Christian; Barbara Thompson; Jeffery Felice; Roger Byrd; Joan & Doug Jacobsen; Adrienne Hoke; Hayden Wyman; Joshua Springsteen; Chet Ainsworth and Steve & Annie Terry.

Pray for our military at home & abroad and for the families of our missing ones, our POW's & MIA's who never came home. They serve, so we can be free.

Pray for our church finances. Continue to pray for cheerful and thoughtful giving to help our church thrive.

Loss of loved ones: Please remember & pray for the Sabatino family upon the untimely death of Cameron Sabatino in a car crash. Cameron was a student at Las Plumas High School and was only 17. Please pray for the Lewis family upon the recent death of a 3 year old child in their family.

JOYS!! -- Erik Pieper reports he has some work now at the Tulare Renaissance Festival!

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UMCmarket Shopping Move Provides Improved Functionality

As you may have recently heard, the General Council on Finance and Administration (GCFA) announced that the UMCmarket shopping/donation program has moved to UMCmarket.net. Any churches that previously signed up for the program will be automatically enrolled at the new address. Even if you enter UMCmarket.org in your browser, you will automatically be redirected to UMCmarket.net. There's nothing new for you to do.

The new site, <http://click.esp.umcom.org/?qs=b68970d3015f1261dd81087880930d8e3a74300a9ce21777a018ccb2102ed73a>, offers enhanced features for users including:

- **New browser applications with improved functionality that works with all browsers.**
- **Automatic handling of Amazon orders. No more manual verification.**
- **Improved customer service with faster response time.**
- **A new team and marketing staff that will help educate churches on how to benefit from the program.**

We apologize for the inconvenience and confusion this change may cause. However, working with our trusted service provider Zebraplace, we are confident that donations made through the old web address, UMCmarket.org, have reached or will reach their intended United Methodist church or organization. We believe this change to UMCmarket.net will better meet the needs of our constituents and we thank the people of The United Methodist Church for their continued support of innovative donation opportunities that enable ministry in their local churches.

Questions regarding the use of UMCMarket.net can be forwarded to info@umcmarket.net or blsmith@gcfa.org.

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7th Annual

Ross-Harmon
Educator of the Year

Monday, April 26, 2016
Nominations deadline March 21, 2016

Nomination forms are online:

<http://ross-harmon.org/>

2015 Award Honorees

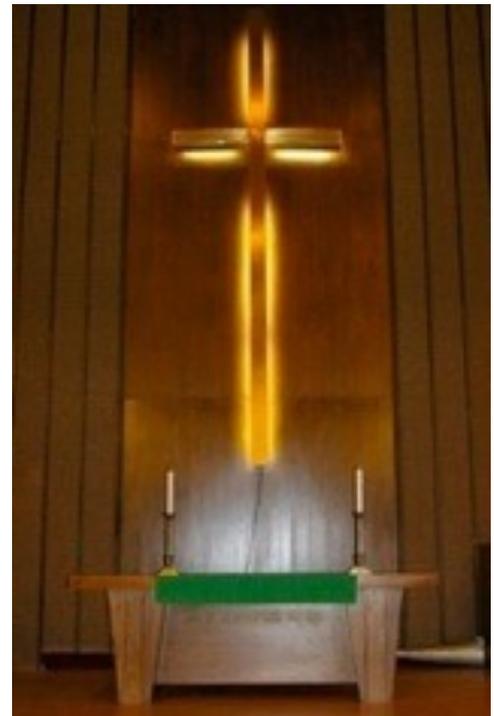
Rachel Gwinnup & Lisa Edkahl – Oroville Union High School District
Steve Herman & Rexann Morris– Oroville City Elementary School District
Therea Holyoak & Cheryl Turbough – Palermo Union School District
Jeff Smith & Della Jones – Thermalito Union School District

FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR



Contact:

**Pat Foster &
Emily Fancher
to sign up
for a Sunday.**



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HAVE A FAVORITE RECIPE YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE?
SEND IT TO umc@1stunitedmethodist.org SUBJECT LINE: RECIPE FOR FEATHER
OR GIVE THE RECIPE TO JEREMY OR ERIN BUIS

CHINESE CHICKEN SALAD

Alma Short

4	chicken breast halves	1	pkg	wonton skins	
1/4	C	sesame seeds	1/4	C	slivered almonds
1	head	lettuce, shredded	10		green onions, sliced
	any veggies you would like except tomato, chopped	4	Tbsp	vinegar	
1/4	C	sugar	2	tsp	salt
1	tsp	MSG, if desired	1/2	tsp	pepper

Cook chicken breasts until done; dice when cooled. Fry wonton skins, crumble and set aside. Toast sesame seeds and slivered almonds in a frying pan with no oil. Combine diced chicken, wontons, sesame seeds, almonds, lettuce, green onions and other vegetables in a large bowl.

Make DRESSING by heating sugar, salt, MSG, pepper and vinegar in a pan until boiling, stirring. Remove from heat and pour over salad; toss well. Serve immediately.

QUICK 'N EASY STRAWBERRY JAM

Merle Caborn

1	qt	ripe strawberries, mashed	4	C	sugar (do not reduce sugar)
3/4	C	water			
1	box	Sure-Jell fruit pectin			

This is the Sure-Jell recipe. Measure 2 C of the mashed strawberries into a large bowl. (Save any remaining fruit for other use.) Stir in sugar. Let stand 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Mix water and pectin in small saucepan. Bring to a boil on high heat, stirring constantly. Continue boiling and stirring for 1 minute. Stir into fruit mixture. Stir 3 minutes or until sugar is completely dissolved.

Fill plastic containers to within 1/2" of tops. Cover with lids and let stand at room temperature for 24 hours. Jam is ready to use. Refrigerate up to 3 weeks or freeze up to one year. Thaw in refrigerator.

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CHURCH SHARE CARDS



I have a new report on our church share cards. We received a check from Food Maxx for \$188.73 in the month of February 2015. we receive a check about every three months so we should be receiving a new check next month. For our Raley's Something Extra Cards we have received a payment for \$70.94 in April 2015.. The year to date we have received \$148.95. Raley's sends a check about every three months as well. this is great news for our church budget. Put the two cards together and we have received a total of \$337.68 this year so far. The Food Maxx Share Cards and the Raley's Something Extra Cards are great fundraisers for our church.

Just swipe your card when you pay for your groceries. A portion of what you spend for your groceries comes back to our church. If you don't have a Raley's Something Extra Card just ask for a card while you are shopping in Raley's. Raley's does require that you designate how much you want to come back to your church. You are required to do this on line on your own computer. If you don't have a computer or if you are having trouble setting this up see Elaine Kline. If you don't have a Food Maxx Share Card see Ginger Ewalt.

Keep using the cards and help our church budget.

Thank you
John S. Fowler
Chairman Finance Committee

SHOP AT YOUR FAVORITE ONLINE STORE AND DONATE FOR FREE

UMC Market Place is a shopping market that is linked to the Methodist Church that rewards the local church for your online shopping. Go to www.umcmarket.org register for the site and register to **First United Methodist Church of Oroville, CA.** you then go to the list of stores and do your shopping. Amazon pays 4.5%, OverStock pays up to 75%, Macy's pays 4%. When you order from Amazon you will be sent an email to approve the payment. This time of year when people are shopping online for gifts is a time to also think of the church earning dollars. Please consider using this site to do your online shopping you just go into the site each time you begin your shopping.



Staples

Shopping at Staples? Use the Church's phone number 534-9455 and the Church will receive Staples Rewards credit.

***ADDRESSES FOR THOSE WHO WOULD
LIKE TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH
THOSE WHO HAVE MOVED AWAY
FROM OUR AREA.***

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Oroville First United Methodist Church
Prayer Chain

Elaine Klein is Contact Person
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Helen Beall
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Virginia Bias
534-8004

Susan Sharon
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Pat Foster
533-9213

Joan Keller
534-9493

Joan Azevedo
589-5509

Ellen Felice
533-8879

Vivian Grainger
589-5440

If you have a prayer request for the Prayer Chain you would call Elaine Klein. Elaine will send out an E-mail to those on the email list, she would then call the first person on each list and they would in turn call the next person on the list. If the person you call is not available please call the next person on the list.



**Welcome to
First United Methodist Church of Oroville
Celebrating Over 150 Years Serving
the Oroville Community**

Our mission is to know Christ and make Christ known: to nurture our relationship with God and our commitment to Jesus Christ, to invite others into the community of faith, to equip, send and support Christians for daily witness and service.

Sunday Service Schedule

Adults & Children's Sunday School	8:45 a.m.
Hmong Service	8:30 a.m.
Chancel Choir Practice	9:45 a.m.
Hmong Adult's Sunday School	10:10 a.m.
Youth Sunday School	10:10 a.m.
Combined English/Hmong Communion Service 1 st Sunday	10:30 a.m.
English Service	10:30 a.m.
Children's Church	11:00 a.m.
Staff Parish (SPRC)	
Church Council (Third Sunday)	Following Service
Trustees (Second Sunday)	Following Service

Monday Schedule

Outreach Committee (First Monday)	4:30 p.m.
Finance Committee (Second Monday)	5:30 p.m.

Wednesday Schedule

Bible Round Table & Prayer (June to Sept. 1)	11:00 a.m.
Community Prayer Service (room L/M)	6:00 p.m.
Chancel Choir Practice	6:45 p.m.
Dinner @ Six each Wed. Sept. to May	6:00 p.m.

Thursday Schedule

Bible Study & Breakfast	7:30 a.m.
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Friday Schedule

Sonwalkers Youth Group Meeting	6:00 p.m.
Young Adults	6:00 p.m.
Hmong Women's Choir	6:00 p.m.