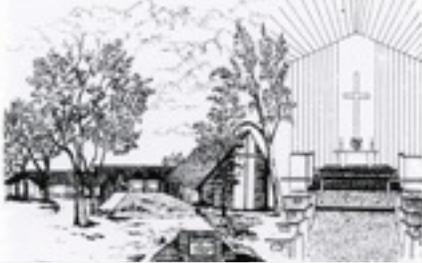


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September 7th

Honey Glazed Roast Pork Loin, roasted potatoes, vegetable, salad, garlic bread, dessert

Chef: Randy Fowler

September 14th

Tamale Casserole, mashed potatoes, salad, dinner roll and dessert.

Chefs: Trustees

September 21st

Chicken Scaloppini, buttered pasta, vegetable, salad, garlic bread, dessert

Chefs: Randy Fowler & SPRC

September 28th

Mixed vegetables with beef Steamed white rice Chicken salad

Eggroll

Chefs: Hmong ladies

Save the Date

September 4

Sunday School resumes

Heifer Sunday

September 18

Homecoming Sunday

September 24

Salmon Festival

Breakfast 7am to 11am

Lunch 11am to 3:30pm

October 8

Children's Faire

October 29

Night of Magic & Mystery

November 12

Turkey Dinner & Christmas Baskets

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE

Pastor Update

Pastor Cheng speaks fluent English and will be the Anglo Pastor. There is no change for Pastor Chuckua, he will remain the Hmong Pastor. Pastor Cheng will assist Pastor Chuckua when needed, but is mainly the Anglo Pastor. Pastor Cheng will do the sermons for the Anglo's 2 times a month and Pastor Bob will do sermons 2 times a month. Pastor Cheng will be here every Sunday and Pastor Bob will be here every Sunday and he will make suggestions to Pastor Cheng and work with him for this year. He is Pastor Cheng's mentor. Pastor Cheng will be working with the youth and to build our church up, he is musically inclined. Everyone on Staff Parish was very impressed with Pastor Cheng. He has a wife and three children 18, 15 and 3 years old. He will be here this Sunday to meet us and will start on September 4th and there will be a potluck on September 4th. He will be here working for us Friday, Saturday and Sunday. District Superintendent Dave Samuelson will be here on September 4th to preach the sermon. He will be doing additional studies to become ordained.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE

LOWER LAKE METHODIST CHURCH

LAKE COUNTY (CBS13) — The Clayton Fire continues to scorch through part of Lake County Monday evening. As of 10 p.m., the fire had grown to 4,000 acres and is 5 percent contained.

The fire started on Saturday along Highway 29 near Lower Lake.

More than 10,000 people have been evacuated, and about two-hundred structures were destroyed as of Monday afternoon — among them — the Lower Lake Methodist Church.

Pastor John Pavoni got his first look at what was left of his church, two days after the Clayton Fire ripped through the small town.

“You can see the rod iron is the only thing that’s left,” said the pastor.

The church was known to be a cornerstone to many people in the community after it was built in the mid-1800’s.

Pastor Pavoni says the church was a safe-haven for the community and a place where people could get help.

“We welcome people with open arms, anyone and everyone is accepted in our church,” the pastor added.

Lower Lake Methodist also runs a thrift store in Lower Lake, donating clothes instead of charging people in need.

The church would open its doors every week to the needy, providing food and supplies.

Pastor Pavoni says church volunteers would give 80 bags of supplies every week.

Those supplies are now gone, along with the rest of the church.

But faith lives on, says Pastor Pavoni.

As a church that has served the community for more than 150 years, it now looks for support from its own people.

“Things will be rebuilt. Fire destroys but it also purifies so let’s see where it takes us,” said Pastor Pavoni.

Habitat for Humanity was also destroyed by the fire.

The organization has been helping fire victims from the wildfires last year, and now will not be able to continue.

Angela Musallam

<http://sacramento.cbslocal.com/2016/08/15/lower-lake-methodist-church-building-destroyed-by-clayton-fire-but-not-faith/>

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

for updates please give the information to Erin or Jeremy Buis or
send to: umc@1stunitedmethodist.org

1	Hlee Vang	15	Moua Vang
2	Tracy Yang	21	Glenda Ott
3	Tyler Yang	22	Claire Vang
5	Taylor Buis	23	Kassandra Yang
5	Sunny Vang	29	Jay Vang
7	Mee Lee Xiong	30	Mai Yang
10	Suzanne Love		



A very special thank you to Kiea Lee for the updates to the birthday list.

SEPTEMBER WORSHIP

September 4th

Greeters: Ginger Ewalt & Ginger Diver

Coffee Hour: Emily Fancher & Daisie

Lockup: Sem Xiong

September 11th

Greeters: Larry & Glenda Ott

Coffee Hour: The Buis Family

Lockup: Gladeen Leboeuf

September 18th

Greeters: Gerry Miller & John Fowler

Coffee Hour: Louise Weitze & Ginger Ewalt

Lockup: Susan Sharon

September 25th

Greeters: Richard & Emily Fancher

Coffee Hour: Emily Fancher & Janet Short

Lockup: Jeremy Buis

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**Dinner @ 6 Schedule
2016 - 2017**

September

7th Randy
14th Trustees
21st Randy/SPRC
28th Hmong Ladies

October

5th Randy
12th Randy/Finance
19th Randy/Outreach
26th Hmong Ladies

November

2nd Randy
9th Randy/SPRC
23rd No Dinner
30th Outreach/Disci

December

7th Randy
14th Randy/Finance
21st No Dinner
28th No Dinner

January

4th Randy
11th Trustees
18th Randy
25th Hmong Ladies

February

1st Randy
8th Randy/Finance
15th Outreach/Disc
22nd Hmong Ladies

March

7th Randy
14th Trustees
21st Randy/SPRC
28th Hmong Ladies

April

5th Randy
12th No Dinner
19th Randy/Finance
26th Hmong Ladies

May

3rd Randy
10th Randy/SPEC
17th Randy
24th Hmong Ladies

**If anyone needs any help with
your dinner or advice please call
Randy 533-5921**

Louisiana churches cope with flooding

By Sam Hodges

Aug. 15, 2016 | UMNS



First United Methodist Church in Denham Springs, Louisiana, was proud to be a Red Cross Shelter for people flooded out of their homes late last week.

But [the good work](#) stopped when floodwaters started closing in on the church itself.

“It became very apparent that we had to evacuate the shelter,” said the Rev. Jackie King, pastor.

Denham Springs would have to turn out the people it was rescuing, as well as volunteers. Sunday services were cancelled.

King and other church leaders have been scrambling to make sure church members are accounted for, and to offer comfort and counsel to the many who have had major flood damage to their homes.

“We’ll forever more talk about ‘after the flood,’” King said. “This is catastrophic on a level that even those who have weathered many, many storms have never seen in their lifetime.”

[The flooding from heavy rainfalls that began last week has claimed at least seven lives in Louisiana](#), and prompted the rescue of more than 20,000 people. Thousands fled to shelters, and even Louisiana Gov. John Bel Edwards and his family had to leave the Governor’s Mansion in Baton Rouge because of flooding and loss of electricity.

President Obama has signed a disaster declaration for the state, even as officials predicted waters would continue to rise in some areas.

Louisiana Bishop Cynthia Fierro Harvey said she is unaware of any United Methodists among the fatalities, but she estimated that a dozen of the denomination’s churches have had flood damage, and many church members have major flood damage to their homes.

The area just north of Baton Rouge, including Denham Springs, was especially hard hit because of flooding of the Amite River, she said.

Harvey counseled patience, emphasizing that the situation is still threatening, making volunteer relief work premature.

“Right now, we’re still in the rescue efforts,” she said. “We’ve got to stay out of the way of that. Next will come our trained early responders.”

Harvey predicted it make take a few weeks before volunteer groups can be deployed safely and effectively. However, she said there’s an immediate need for cleaning buckets and monetary contributions, which can be made through the [United Methodist Committee on Relief](#) or the [Louisiana Conference](#).

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Louisiana churches cope with flooding Continued

The upper part of Louisiana was hit by flooding earlier in the year, Harvey noted. Gregory Forrester, UMCOR executive for disaster response, said Harvey has requested a \$10,000 emergency grant and relief supplies in regard to the new floods.

“We are working with her and her staff to meet those needs,” he said.

Hard times, selfless acts

Many member of Zachary United Methodist Church, in Zachary, Louisiana, are among those coping with major flood damage.

“We’ve got people who had four feet of water in their homes,” said the Rev. Ricky Willis, pastor. Willis said his parsonage had minor water damage, and the church building had none. Other local churches weren’t so fortunate, so Zachary United Methodist served as the site of a community worship service Sunday.

Zachary United Methodist also has been sending teams out to help church members deal with flood damage, especially those who don’t have much family support.

Willis noted that the Baton Rouge area has felt considerable racial tension this summer, owing to the fatal shooting of Alton Sterling, a black man, by police, and later the killing of three Baton Rouge police officers.

For Willis, one good outcome of the flood has been to see the racial tension yield to a spirit of cooperation in early relief efforts.

“Everybody is saying what a beautiful thing that we’re all working together. We’re not focused on the divisions,” he said.

The Rev. Jonathan King — husband of Rev. Jackie King — reported by Facebook on the situation at Blackwater United Methodist Church in Baker, Louisiana.

“When it came to our church members, some had to be airlifted out of their homes and the folks that were staying at our church had to be airlifted out,” said King, pastor of Blackwater United Methodist. “Everyone is alive even though many homes have been flooded.

The toll was heavy for many of the faithful at First United Methodist Church in Baker, as well.

“We have a lot of church members who did lose everything,” said Sue Dupont, administrative assistant and member. “The devastation is unbelievable.”

Jackie King credited many with acting selflessly under extreme conditions.

“I had church members whose house was going under, but because they had a boat they went out to rescue people,” she said tearfully.

Hodges, a United Methodist News Service writer, lives in Dallas. Contact him at (615) 742-5470 or newsdesk@umcom.org

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7th Annual

*Ross-Harmon
Educator of the Year*

Monday, April 25, 2017
Nominations deadline March 24, 2017

Nomination forms are online:
<http://ross-harmon.org/>

2016 Award Honorees

Andree Earley & Sandra Dysart – Oroville Union High School District
Catherine Diaz & Tabitha Vangunda – Oroville City Elementary School District
Sara Smock & Diana Noyer – Palermo Union School District
Ed Gregorio – Thermalito Union School District

FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR

Contact:
Emily Fancher
to sign up for a Sunday



LOW VISION SUPPORT GROUP

STARTING THURS SEPT 22

FEATHER RIVER SENIOR CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

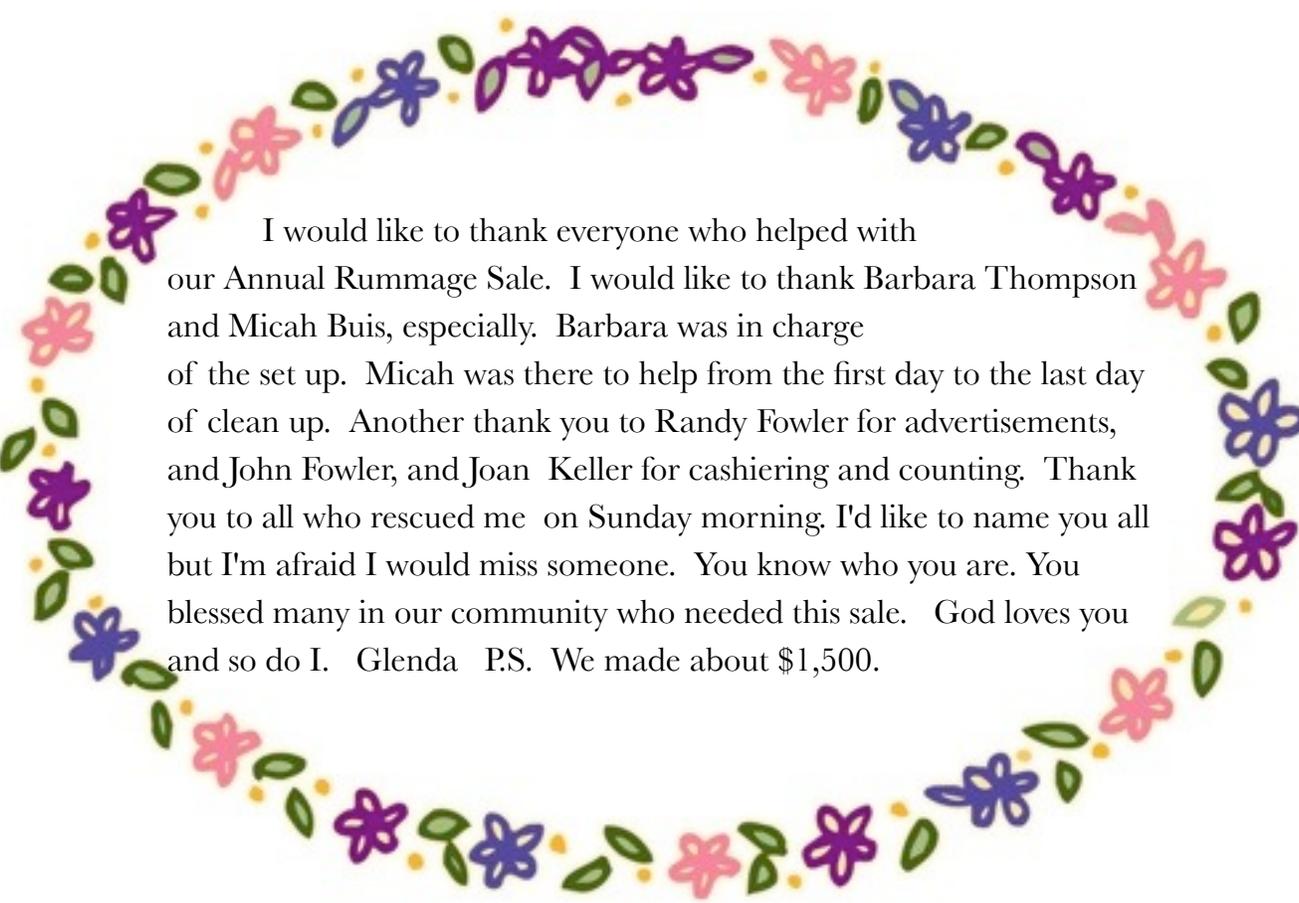
1335 MYERS ST

11 AM TO NOON

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

PAT GRAY

530-712-1144



I would like to thank everyone who helped with our Annual Rummage Sale. I would like to thank Barbara Thompson and Micah Buis, especially. Barbara was in charge of the set up. Micah was there to help from the first day to the last day of clean up. Another thank you to Randy Fowler for advertisements, and John Fowler, and Joan Keller for cashiering and counting. Thank you to all who rescued me on Sunday morning. I'd like to name you all but I'm afraid I would miss someone. You know who you are. You blessed many in our community who needed this sale. God loves you and so do I. Glenda P.S. We made about \$1,500.

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August 12 – 3 years ago Dad passed away and my life was changed forever. The pain I felt has imprinted my heart & soul. I am quite sure it will never leave. It is improving, as all things do in time.

And now September comes; mom's & dad's anniversary and mom's birthday. So many emotions with these days in a month. Good memories, immense laughter & tears. Wonderful food, family and lots of love.

I've tried many times to come and sit in the Sanctuary. The Church I've called home for so many years. But the pain is too real, to near to the surface of my emotions.

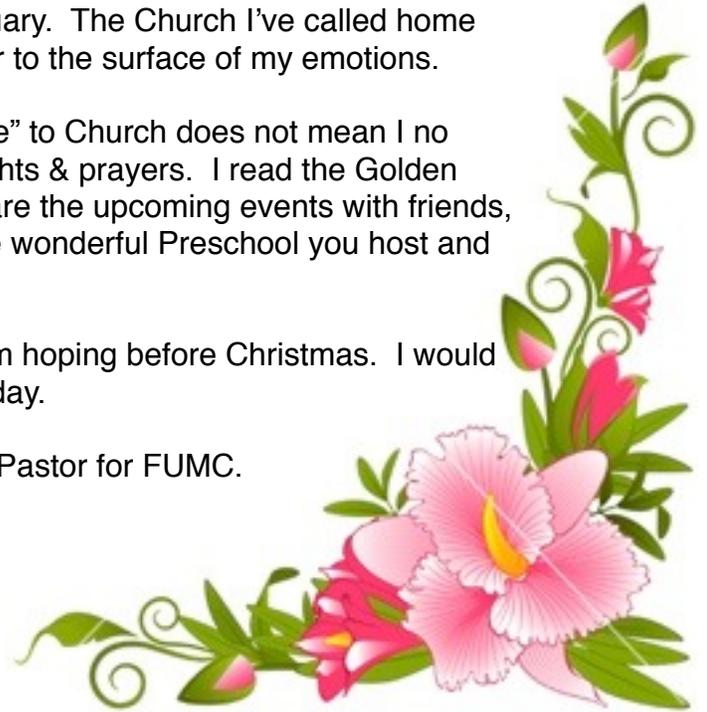
I wanted each of you to know, my inability to "come" to Church does not mean I no longer care about you. FUMC is in my daily thoughts & prayers. I read the Golden Feather (often more than once) each month. I share the upcoming events with friends, coworkers & family. I remind people at work of the wonderful Preschool you host and the love you have for our community.

I'm not sure when I will be able to come back. I am hoping before Christmas. I would love to see dad's artwork shining for Christ's Birthday.

May GOD show his favor when choosing the new Pastor for FUMC.

Love & Peace to all;

Gail Brown-Leonard



The Turkey Dinner is coming soon. This will be our 81st annual dinner. How wonderful that our church has put on this dinner for so many years.

This year I decided to change the date of the Turkey Dinner. It will be the second Saturday in November.

Sign ups for cooking the turkeys and the sides will be posted in October. I am also going to start advertising in October. Remember to talk to your friends and neighbors about our dinner.

Blessings, Erin Buis

**KYLE BUIS & LACEY CARROLL
MARRY IN ICELAND**

Kyle Buis son of Larry & Nonie Bidwell Buis and Lacey Monet Carroll were married on July 16, 2016 in Iceland surrounded by 15 friends and family members. Kyle and Lacey live in Sacramento, with their niece Katarina, 3 dogs 1 cat and a spunky guinea pig.

They will be here Sunday, November 13 for a reception during coffee hour until 3:00pm. All are welcome to stay, visit and celebrate.



COFFEE HOUR & GREETERS

Emily Fancher is now in charge of coffee hour and greeters. Please see her to sign up

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7 Layer Dip

Recipe submitted by Christine Williams

<http://www.flumc.org/recipe/detail/2831782>

Great for tailgate parties.

Yields 6 cups

Total Time: 20 minutes

Ingredients:

1 can (9-10 1/2 oz) FritosR brand Jalapeno Bean Dip	2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 large ripe avocado, peeled, seeded, and chopped	1/2 teaspoon garlic salt
1 package (1 1/8 oz) dry taco seasoning mix	1/4 cup sour cream
2 large ripe, tomatoes, finely chopped	1/4 mayonnaise
1/2 cup sliced black olives	
1 can (9-10 oz) Frito-Lay'sR brand Cheddar and Jalapeno Flavored Cheese Dip	
1/2 cup chopped green onions	

Directions:

Spread bean dip in a shallow 2 quart dish. Arrange avocado over bean dip, sprinkle with lemon juice and garlic salt. In a small bowl combine sour cream, mayonnaise and taco mix, spread over avocado. Top with a layer of tomatoes and black olives. Spread with cheese dip and sprinkle with green onions.

**Email or drop your favorite recipe with Erin or Jeremy Buis
so it can be shared in the next Feather!**

Chicken Corn Wraps

BY LSEMON@GCFA.ORG / JANUARY 20TH, 2016

<http://umcwell.org/2016/01/20/chicken-corn-wraps/>

Chicken, corn, tomatoes and sun-dried tomatoes wrapped into a whole-wheat tortilla.

Ingredients:

1 cup corn, fresh or frozen (thawed)	1/2 cup chopped fresh tomato
1/4 cup chopped soft sun-dried tomatoes*	1/4 cup chopped onion
2 Tablespoons olive oil	1 Tablespoon red wine vinegar
1 cup cooked, shredded chicken breast meat	4 whole-wheat tortillas, 6-inch
2 cups chopped romaine lettuce	

Preparation:

Combine corn, tomato, sun-dried tomatoes, onion, oil and vinegar in a medium bowl.

Divide chicken among tortillas. Top with equal portions of the corn salad and lettuce. Roll up. Serve the wraps cut in half, if desired.

*Note: If you can only find dry (and hard) sun-dried tomatoes, soak them in boiling water for about 20 minutes before using.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE
CHURCH SHARE CARDS



**GOOD NEWS ON
RALEY'S AND FOOD MAXX
SHARE CARDS**

During May 2016 we received a check for our Food Maxx Share Cards for \$196.05. Our Food Maxx Program has made \$434.97 year to date so far this year as a fundraiser for our church budget. We receive a check about once every three months We no longer can use the shares card. Just put in the church phone number(530)534-9455 in the keypad and touch the green button when you pay for your groceries. The Raley's Something Extra Card has made \$151.13 so far this year for our church budget. We receive a check about once every three months for the Raley's card. We received a check from Raley's just last month. We still have a card at Raley's. If you don't have a Raley's card ask for a card the next time you shop at Raley's. You are required to designate how much you want to come back to the church when we use our Raley's card. You can do this from your own computer. If you don't have a computer or if you are having trouble setting this up ask Jeremy Buis to help you. We get money from Food Maxx and Raley's every three months. The UMC Market has made \$23.10 so far this year for our church budget. The UMC Market is when you purchase things on the internet. Many stores participate. See the article of what stores in the feather.. You can read about the UMC Market in The Feather each month. Remember Food Maxx, Raley's and UMC Market when you shop. Put all three together and we have made \$609.20 so far this year for our church budget. What an easy to help our church budget.

Thank you
John S. Fowler
Chairman Finance Committee

September 2016



**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. OverStock pays up to 75%, Macy's pays 4%. 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.

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Month	Recycling \$\$\$
May/June	\$59.06
July/Aug	\$65.98
Sept	\$27.23
Oct.	\$43.60
Nov.	\$16.90
Dec.	\$46.87
Jan.	\$26.88
Feb.	\$43.48
Mar.	\$46.45
Apr/May	\$87.44
Year to Date	\$463.89

SUBMITTING ITEMS TO THE GOLDEN FEATHER

An article can be submitted to the Golden Feather in many ways. Here are a few:

 in the body of an email and sent to

umc@1stunitedmethodist.org

 a picture in jpeg form and emailed to address above

 written on a piece of paper and left in the office for Jeremy Buis

 if more information concerning your article please include the link.

All articles must be submitted on or before the third Sunday of the month. Any questions please check with Jeremy Buis. He will be happy to help you.

SHOWING VIDEOS AT CHURCH

There has been a form submitted so we will be able to show videos on the church site. If this form was not submitted there would be a strong fine for showing videos without the form.

By having this form, we could show family films during the summer with a BBQ or just popcorn. Admission would be by donation.

Prayer Chain

If you would like to be put on the email or phone list to be informed of Prayer Chain requests for prayers please let Linda Perry know. linlap@comcast.net or 532-1298.

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Remember those in our church family in need of prayers:

Sue Frederickson – prayers for her ex-daughter-in-law, **Brandy Marshall**, who had a stroke & is home now. She has difficulty using her right arm & remembering things. She is the main parent to their grandson **Rhylan; Sean Taylor** – he is out of prison now, but is in hospice in Kansas City & doesn't have long to live. Pray for an easy passage into a better life; **Jeremy Buis** – prayers for **his family** who live in the area of flooding in Louisiana; prayers for all the **people who have been affected by fires in California**, but specifically the **congregants of the Community UMC in Lower Lake**. Their church building was destroyed. Pray for a successful **re-building of this church**; **Erik Pieper** – prayers for his dental problems; **Ginger Ewalt** – prayers for her friend **Ruth Martin**, who had cancer surgery on her face, which included the removal of an eye; **Sue Frederickson** – **pray for her mother**, who had to be taken to the hospital due to chest pains. She had an irregular heart rhythm, but is doing better. **Pastor Chuckua -- prayers for his daughter Eve** – pray for her health; Prayers for **Pastor Dave & Tracey** as they transition into his new position in Willows; **Chet Ainsworth** – doing very well following surgery for prostate cancer, continue to pray for healing; **Stu & Lynn Shaner** – Continue to pray for healing & the return of his strength and for his memory to improve, and for **Lynn** who is taking care of him; **Tracey Rieck's dad** – recently diagnosed with inoperable lung cancer, pray for healing; **Christl** – **prayers for her dad, Rudi Messerschmidt** – he has several health issues, **Georgia Nelson** – **prayers for her friend Truly**, who is in the end stages of cancer and is in hospice care; **Helen Beall** – **prayers for Ted's** general health.

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, Joan Smith, Rick McGrath, Rick Roeth, Dave & Nancy Jacobsen, Sean Taylor, the Bowen Family, Stephen Jackson, Stephanie Couris, Debbie Mays, Cody Fredericksen, Rhylan Fredericksen, Charlene Sehorn, Bernice Green, Mick Moore, Mick Trainer, Faith Radiance, Jinx Diliberti, Tou Yang, Chuck & Marie Bailey, Bernice Green, Haydon Wyman, Terry Winfield, Alice Mitchell, Larry Thomas, Ted Beall, Diane Becerra, Phil Azevedo, Stu Shaner, Jeff Bruggeman, Sandra Hays, Connie Longshore, Cathy Santos, Linda Perry, Frank Johnson, Jim Henneker, Pat Foster's family, Alma Short & all of Bill's family and the family of Virginia Field.

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If you want to send a card to Sean Taylor, who is in hospice care, here is the address: North Kansas City Hospital, Sean Patrick Taylor, Room 12, 2800 Clay Edwards Dr., North Kansas City, MO 64116.

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. Also, pray for all law enforcement and firefighters, who daily put their lives on the line just to keep us safe.

Happy Birthday!! to Junior who celebrated his 90th birthday on August 21st.

Remember to continue to give during the summer, because the bills don't go on vacation! And continue to pray for our overall church finances. "Every person shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God, which He has given you".

Deuteronomy 16:17

BIBLE ROUNDTABLE

IS CANCELED

**Thursday Morning
Bible Study**

For more information
you can call or speak to
Joan Azevedo, 589-5509.

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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE
INCOME & EXPENSE REPORT
June 2016**

Checking Balance June 1, 2016	\$	1,558.58
Income Deposits during June 2016		7,909.28
Transfer from Gen. funds Reserves Acct.		3,096.90
Checking Expenses during June 2016		11,712.73
Checking Balance June 30, 2016		852.03

Liabilities

Parsonage Loan	\$27,031.68
2010 Pension	7,285.70
2011 Pension	7,596.00
2013 Pension	6,812.67

There were no church fundraisers in June 2016.

We do not receive a check from the state preschool in June and July while the school is on summer vacation. Our income is down during the summer months. During the rest of the year we put money into our general funds reserves account each month so we have funds during the summer months. I transferred \$3,096.90 into our general fund from our general funds reserves account so we could pay our bills in June. As a result we were able to pay our bills in June. Still some of the bills that should have been paid in May had to be paid after the first of June and some bills that should have been paid in June had to be paid after the first of July. Please remember your church during the summer months we still have our bills to pay.

Thanks for your help with our church finances.

John S. Fowler

Church Treasurer



**CHANGES TO THE SHARES CARD
FOOD MAXX PROGRAM**

There have been some changes to our Food Maxx Shares Card program. The shares cards are no longer being accepted so please dispose of your shares card. Now all you have to do is put in a telephone number. You just put a telephone number in the key pad when you pay for your groceries and touch the green button.

If you want to use your own telephone number you must log in on your own computer at www.escrip.com. Then sign up to use your own phone number. You must have an e-mail to do this. If you don't have an e-mail to make it easier for you Jeremy Buis has set up the church phone number for all of us to use. Just put in the church phone number in the keypad 5305349455 and hit the green button. That is all you have to do. I tried it and it works. I tried signing up but I had problems so I just use the church phone number. This is a great fundraiser for our church budget. We make about \$300.00 every three months for our church.

5305349455 THEN TOUCH THE GREEN BUTTON.

Thank you
John S. Fowler
Chairman Finance Committee

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*Rev. Mahood, Mrs. Binet,
Mrs. Dunstone,
Mrs. A. Dunstone,
Miss Mahood*

MINISTERS OF THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE

1857 J.R. Tansey	1902 H.E. Beeks
1858 R.B. Shelton	1903 Fred Sheldon
1858 No Pastor	1904 J.W. Phelps
1860 Randall Hobart	1907 J.L. Case
1863 Philetus Grove	1909 G.M. Richmond
1874 Seneca Jones	1912 A.C. Sheppard
1877 W.J. Sheean	1914 L.W. Wheatley
1878 John Tamblen	1915 U.E. Partridge
1878 J.W. Kuykendall	1918 S.D. Hutsinpillar
1879 J. Gregory	1919 W.S. Kelley
1880 John Appleton	1926 F.H. Petersloe
1883 Jessie Smith	1929 H.H. Allen
1883 N.I. Warren	1932 Dave Ralston
1884 Richard Rodda	1934 John Wilkins
1886 John Kirby	1937 Herbert Brooke
1886 C.H. Beechgood	1940 W.S. Woodhull
1889 J.P. Morris	1944 Henry Mills
1890 F.E. McCallum	1948 Ellis Peterson
1891 A.C. Duncan	1953 L.W. Reneau
1892 Angelo Carroll	1957 Robert G. Reis
1894 D.M. Birmingham	1958 Dadds B. Bunch
1896 C.H. Vliet	1964 Wayne E. Williams
1900 C.H. Beechgood	1971 Norman Callaway
1900 Fred Sheldon	1975 John N. Schmidt
1901 D.W. Chilson	1980 John M. Schmidt and Jack H. Martinus

On May 10, 1939, three branches of the church became one - (Methodist Episcopal, Methodist Church South and Methodist Protestant Church) at which time they adopted the name - simply, Methodist Church.

In 1968, our Church, having merged with the Evangelical United Brethren Denomination, took on a new name - First United Methodist Church



Rev. A. G. Shepard



*Rev. + Mrs. Partridge
50th Wedding
Anniversary*



Rev. + Mrs. Horace Allen



Rev. + Mrs. Kelly



Rev. John Wilkins



Rev. Shelton - 1858



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

Rudi Messerschmidt
8293 Lee Drive,
Citrus Heights, CA
95610

Darol & Shirley Valder
1575 Delta Wind Ln
Lincoln, CA 95648

Ann Reavis
8814 Somershire Way
Sacramento, CA 95828

Emma Spencer
10 Stoney Point Way
Chico, CA 95928

Genevieve Heath
428 W 9th St.
Concordia, KS 66901

Marvin Metzger
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If you have a prayer request for the Prayer Chain you would call Linda Perry. Linda 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.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE



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

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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.
Hmong 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 (after Children's Sermon)	11:00 a.m.
Church Council (First Sunday)	Following Service
Trustees (Second Sunday)	Following Service
Coffee Hour & Fellowship	11:45 a.m.

Monday Schedule

Finance Committee (Second Monday)	5:30 p.m.
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Wednesday Schedule

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

Community Prayer Service (room L/M)	6:00 p.m.
Sonwalkers Youth Group Meeting	6:00 p.m.
Young Adults	6:00 p.m.
Hmong Women's Choir	6:00 p.m.