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(Church Office Hours: M-F, 8:30 am to 3:00 pm)
Phone: (760) 726-0442 Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

Pastoral Office Hours (call office for appointment)

Rev. Dr. Shaw: Tuesday – Friday
Rev. Hallock: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday
Beckie Henselmeier: Monday - Thursday

HAPPENING TODAY

Nursery Care is provided at both services on the upper level.

WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:45 am and 10:30 am

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:00—10 am	<u>Class</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Teacher(s)</u>
(Pick up children at their classrooms)	Preschool	216	Merry Nickerson/Sue Humphrey
	K-2	214	Kathy Johnson/TBA
(Meet parents in Fellowship Hall)	3-5	212	Nancy Winters/TBA
	6-12	204	Beth Hallock/Jim McGlocklin
Wired Word meets at 9:15 am	Adult	Chapel	John Mitchell
Amen Corner meets at 12 pm	Adult	Library	Peggy Muir

Children are always welcome in worship. Please check with the ushers for the children's bulletins.

11:00 Middle/High School Youth Group, Rm 204

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

(For the latest updates, go to www.umcvista.org)

Monday, 08/22	8:30	Leap 2 Success, F. Hall
Tuesday, 08/23	8:00	Simplex Sprinkler Testing (about 2 hours)
	10:00	Staff
	6:30	BSA Troop 709, F. Hall/Room 204
Wednesday, 08/24	1:00	Tri-City Mom's Class
	3:00	Ringers & Singers, Choir
	4:00	Sunshine Magic Singers, Choir
	6:00	Nominating, Office
	7:00	Finance Committee, Room 203
Thursday, 08/25	10:00	Knitting Group, Bride's Room
	2:00	and Two Fishes (meal preparation), F. Hall
	4:30	Outreach Meal, Fellowship Hall
	6:30	Book Club, Chapel
Friday, 08/26	7:30	Men's Fellowship Breakfast, Sunrise Café
	1:00	Sr. Exercise Class with Carl, Fellowship Hall
Saturday, 08/27	9:00	Church Council, F. Hall

Please join us for the August 28 "End of Summer Hymn Sing" at 10:20 am (before the 10:30 am worship service). Choose a favorite hymn and we'll sing it. Your choice!



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God's Call and Our Commitment:

To be an authentic, accessible and inclusive community in Christ,
celebrating and extending God's love into the world.

The Mission of the United Methodist Church

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world

NURTURE MINISTRIES

Worship, Education, Membership, Congregational Care, Fellowship Ministries
Coordinator: TBA

Working on a **New Members Class**. Are YOU interested in officially joining in our fellowship and becoming a part of this church family? If so, please let the church office (760.726.0442), Barbara Mitchell (760.724.0923) or write it on the back of your Sunday registration card. More info to come!

***Fundraiser to support Youth Fall Retreat starts today!** Stop by their table in the Narthex to purchase coffee to help offset costs for their trip to Big Bear Lake, CA. Orders between August 21 - September 11, or by stopping in the office. Orders will be delivered by Oct. 9.

***Church Council is Saturday, August 27 at 9:00 am** in Fellowship Hall. Remember to turn Cable information into the Church Council mailbox soon. For more information, contact Beth Brainerd Hallock. *Note: Church Council will meet Sept. 21 at 7 pm.*

***Youth Family BBQ is next Sunday!** In the Youth Room and outside on the patio from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm. Please come for important information for the 2016-2017 Youth year! See Beckie Henselmeier for more details.

UMC of Vista Ringers and Singers and Sunshine Magic Singers will resume rehearsals on August 24 in the Choir Room. Ringers and Singers rehearse at 3:15 pm and the Sunshine Magic Singers rehearse at 4:00 pm. The chimers cover first through fifth graders while the singers welcome first through middle school. If interested, please register at the first rehearsal. Questions for the chimers may be directed to Carol Pence by calling, texting or emailing at 760.689.8024 or cnjpence@sbcglobal.net. Pastor Frank Hallock can be contacted through musicmanfh@hotmail.com with questions about the singers.

Nursery and Childcare workers position is opening up. As our personnel committee (SPRC) continues their work reviewing our staff to fulfill the ministry goals of our congregation we are revising the job duties of our Nursery and Childcare workers. In order to provide enrichment activities, as well as a safe environment for our children, we are looking for individuals with early childhood education units and leadership skills. For more information, please contact Dakota Koenig or Pastor Leigh Ann in the church office.

****“and Two Fishes” needs** your plastic grocery bags! Thank you.

***Book Club will meet** Thursday, August 25 at 6:30 pm in the Chapel. Please join us to see what we're all about. This month's book is *Thousand Cranes* by Yasunari Kawabata. But come even if you don't have time to read the book! For more information, please contact Lyn Berry.

***Fall music season to begin!** The Chancel Choir season begins with our annual barbeque and rehearsal on Thursday, Aug. 25, 6:00–8:00 pm. If you have ever considered joining our Chancel Choir, Handbells or any of our music groups, this event is for you. You'll meet members from both Chancel and Handbell Choirs. All members (and spouses) of the music departments and guests are invited. For details, contact Pastor Frank in the church office.



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Opportunity to Serve: Acolyte Coordinator. Do you love worship and want to support children and young people participating in church leadership? Do you have a few hours to contact families for calendaring, maintain the lighters and robes and be sure the children have assistance on Sunday mornings? Are you regularly at church on Sunday mornings and want to contribute 'behind the scenes'? Are you willing to work with Paula and Pastor Leigh Ann to get it all done? If so, this might be a great volunteer opportunity for you. Touch base with Paula in the front office for more information.

Prayer Corner (located in the Narthex): A Stephen minister will be available between services to offer prayers, support or a compassionate listening ear to anyone who may feel the need. More information is available by emailing Mike Walker, michaelwwalker@cox.net, or calling the church office.

***Y'all come to eat cowboy stew and enjoy western hospitality.** Singin' and story tellin' will go along with homemade pies. Western garb will add to the fun. On Saturday, September 17, at 5:30 pm you will want to bring family and friends to the chuck wagon in Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$10 per person and \$25 per family. The event is presented by UMW to support missions. For more information, contact Jacque Howard.

Need to order a **Name Badge**? Please check the round table outside the main doors. More info? Please check with Barbara Mitchell.

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Missions, Church and Society, Evangelism, WWJD?

Coordinator: Jacque Howard

X-tra giving for August will benefit Michaelle House and Fraternity House. Fraternity House, Inc. mission is to provide warm and caring homes where men and women disabled by HIV/AIDS can receive comprehensive care and services in order to rebuild their health and return to independent living, or where they can spend their last days in comfort and dignity. We will be collecting paper goods that will benefit persons living in both residential facilities. Michaelle House is here in Vista and Fraternity House is in San Marcos.

*New this week.



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RESOURCES FOR MINISTRIES

Twitter prayer updates: <http://twitter.com/UMCVPrayer>

BY OUR PRAYERS

For our church: Giorgio Graziano, Stu Gibson, Al Amaro, Marlies Weaver, Ruby McCormick, Sharon Hall, Joan Lindegren, Debbie Forbis, Beverly Johnston, Pat Hotaling, Peggy Watson, Max/Louise Foss, Don Raun, Ron Bradshaw, JaDene Dugas, Gary Lamb, Jane Fischer, Bill Peaker, Joan Brainerd, Joan Bearss, Harold MacDermot, Nancy Koski, Carol Yunt, Randie Annin, Richard/Juanita Frizzell, Russ Townsend, Don Smith, Alice Leclair and Rev. Laura Rockwell Beville (OR-ID)

For others: Barbara Durbin, Geoff Weiss, Muriel Guess, Jessica Groll (Lynda Mounts/Deb Forbis), Sarah Andolina (Jackson-Hernandez), Carl Stacey, Ryan Quick (John/Margene Haase), Kaye/Gary Loutzenheiser, Helen Nickel (Tom/Sue Humphrey), Patrick Weaver (Marlies Weaver), Nancy Orgile (Ruth Lloyd), Jim Long, Karyn Sebbo, Dylan Brandon (Pam Brandon), Sandy Stepnick (Lucille Baumann), Jim Stover (Bob Graham), Bonnie Cates, Alice Reeves, Dennis Ondovcik, (Gary Lamb), Harriet Oakley (Lucy Kaplanian), Paige McCoy (Paula Amaro), Dawn D. Barrow (Dede Lewis), Trinity Violet (Ronald Levardo), Andy Treutle (Carl/Martha Treutle), Anastasia Lee (Loretta Pierce), Veronica Rock (Erin Fraser), Barbara Stiles, Kathy Smith (Susan Lenker), Karen and David Keckley (Louise Foster), Ashely Bafile (Bonnie Berumen), Chloe (Brenda/Mike Walker), Diane Hood (Phyllis Buvel), Vickie McLees (Sherry/Vic Johnston), Family of Ken Elderts (John Mitchell/Erin Fraser)

Memorial service for Ruth Matzigkeit is Monday, Sept. 19 at 3:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

Memorial service for Jean Cole is Saturday, October 22 at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary.

For employment: Shelly Burns, Gary Felien

Military families: Jerry Jackson (Kathy Johnson)

Please notify the church office (726-0442) when special prayers are no longer needed.

FUNDRAISERS (pick up flyer from SCRIP table)

Panda Express—Sept. 4

Carl's Jr.—Sept. 11

Souplantation—TBA

Dudley Bread—August 21

Reminder: Those wishing to make donations and pledges with debit/credit cards are welcome to do so at the SCRIP table in the narthex. Thank you for your continued support with your financial giving, your presence and your prayers!

OPPORTUNITIES TO VOLUNTEER (just call the church office)

(hospitality, office receptionist, sound board/media, ushers)

The Spark is the church's weekly email update. To subscribe to this notification, send an email to: Flame-UMCV-subscribe@yahoogroups.com. You will receive an email to confirm your subscription. Follow the directions in that email. Be sure to add: Flame-UMCV@yahoogroups.com to your list of trusted senders in your email program.

Please contact Paula (760.726.0442) with any calendar changes or updates.

Hearing devices are available if you have difficulty; please see the tech at the sound board.

COMING UP NEXT SUNDAY

August 28: Video Technician: Phil Biggs Sound Technician: John Mitchell
Liturgist: Merry Nickerson Acolyte(s): Jordyn