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## United Methodist Church of Vista

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

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490 S. Melrose Drive, Vista, CA 92081

Church Office Hours: M-F, 8:30 am to 3:00 pm

Phone: (760) 726-0442

#### 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.**

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:00—10:00 am**

<u>Class</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Teacher(s)</u>
Preschool	216	Merry Nickerson/Sue Humphrey
K-2	214	Kathy Johnson/TBA
3-5	212	Nancy Winters/TBA
6-12	204	Beth Hallock/Jim McGlocklin

#### **ADULT CLASSES**

Wired Word meets at 9:15 am  
in Chapel with John Mitchell

Amen Corner meets at 12 pm  
at Library table with Peggy Muir

11:00 Youth BBQ (till 2 pm), Rm. 204/outside patio

**Youth Family BBQ today** in the Youth Room (Rm. 204) 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.

**Please join us for today's "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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### HAPPENING THIS WEEK

(For the latest updates, go to [www.umcvista.org](http://www.umcvista.org))

Monday, 08/29	8:30	Leap 2 Success Graduation (till 1:30 pm), F. Hall
	5:00	Girl Scout T1438 (till 6:30 pm), Rooms. 212 & 214
Tuesday, 08/30	10:00	Staff
	6:30	BSA Troop 709, F. Hall/Rm. 204
Wednesday, 08/31	1:00	Tri-City Mom's Class
	3:00	Ringers & Singers, Choir
	4:00	Sunshine Magic Singers, Choir
Thursday, 09/01	8:00	Soroptimist Club, F. Hall
	2:00	and Two Fishes (meal preparation), F. Hall
	3:30	Stephen Ministries, Room 203
	4:30	Outreach Meal, Fellowship Hall
	6:00	Anderson Handbells
	6:30	BSA Crew 709, F. Hall
	7:15	Chancel Choir
Friday, 09/02	7:30	Men's Fellowship Breakfast, Sunrise Café
	1:00	Sr. Exercise Class with Carl, F. Hall
Saturday, 09/03	12:00	BSA Troop 709 Calendar/Planning (till 5 pm), F. Hall



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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

**\*Fundraiser to support Youth Fall Retreat** - Stop by their table in the Narthex to purchase coffee to help offset costs for their trip to Big Bear Lake, CA. Place orders through September 11; or by stopping in the office. Orders will be delivered by Oct. 9.

**Nursery and Childcare-worker 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.

**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, [michaelwalker@cox.net](mailto:michaelwalker@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.

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.

**We're looking for a few new Video Techs** for Sunday morning services. This position requires moderate knowledge of a Mac interface, ability to troubleshoot and adapt, and of course a love for worship. We'll host a training session on Sunday, Sept. 18 at 2:00 pm in the Sanctuary. If you're interested in serving in this way, please contact Beckie Henselmeier.

**\*Game Night is Friday, September 9,** at 6:30 pm. in Fellowship Hall. Please join us for an evening of fun and fellowship! Remember to bring your favorite game and snacks to share. For questions or for more information, please see Suzanne McMurchie.



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**\*Our church is offering a 6-week Seminar on Grief and Healing** on Wednesday afternoons at 3 pm, beginning Sept. 7 at the Library table. This seminar is to help those experiencing the loss through death of a loved one in their lives. It could be a family member, other relative, or friend. This seminar will offer an opportunity for growth and healing with a spiritual emphasis. The facilitators are Mary Trotta who has a wealth of experience and professional training, and Kathy Johnson. Any questions, please call the church office or Kathy Johnson at [760.560.7150](tel:760.560.7150).

### **OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

**Missions, Church and Society, Evangelism, WWJD?  
Coordinator: Jacqué Howard**

**\*Communion offering for Sept. 4**, will go to Campus Ministry for Cal-Pac public colleges. At present there are six universities under the Wesley Foundation umbrella: SDSU and UCSD in San Diego, UCLA and USC in Los Angeles, Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo, and University of Hawaii. The Wesley Foundation provides a wide range of activities including worship, Bible study, pastoral care, social visits and community services. Also, some have low-cost housing for needy students. The conference has cut the funding for the regular operating services; in order to continue to provide training and future church workers, we hope you will give generously.

**\*X-tra giving for September** will benefit Interfaith Community Services. Interfaith's slogan is, "Strengthen our community by helping people help themselves." The following items are needed for struggling families - gift cards (Target, local grocery stores or Wal-Mart); pantry items (spaghetti, cereal, canned vegetables/fruit, boxed meals, and crackers) and other non-perishable food. Grocery bags and lists will be in the narthex. Thank you for your support.

**\*New this week.**



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### Welcome!

Please complete the registration card found in the pew pocket and place in offering. Prayers and comments welcome.

### BY OUR PRAYERS

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

**For our church:** Family of Sam Caldaronello, Luene Corwin,

Stu Gibson, Giorgio Graziano, Al Amaro, Marilyn Mathias, 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 Levarado), Andy Treutle (Carl/Martha Treutle), Family of Linda Harlow, Stephanie May (Bob Harlow), 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)

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

### FUNDRAISERS (fliers at SCRIP table)

**Panda Express**—Sept. 4      **Carl's Jr.**—Sept. 11

**Dudley Bread**—Sept. 18      **Souplantation**—TBA

**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!

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