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## United Methodist Church of Vista

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

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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 and 10:30 am

Sunday School: 9:00—10:00 am

(Pick up children at their classrooms)

(Meet parents in Fellowship Hall)

Wired Word meets at 9:15 am

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

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
- 2:00 Video Tech Training, Sanct.

### HAPPENING THIS WEEK

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

Monday, 09/19	3:00	Memorial Service: Ruth Matzigkeit, Sanctuary
	7:00	LGBT Bible Study, Scrip Table
Tuesday, 09/20	10:00	Staff
	10:00	UMW Leader Meeting, F. Hall
	1:00	Leadership Book Study, Chapel
	6:30	BSA Troop 709, F. Hall/Room 204
	7:00	Missions, Scrip
	7:00	Trustees, Room 203
Wednesday, 09/21	8:00	DCOM (till 9 pm), Narthex, Chapel, Room 212
	9:00	Flame Deadline
	10:00	Bible Study led by John Haase, Room 203
	1:00	Tri-City Mom's Class
	3:00	Grief Seminar, Library Table
	3:15	Ringers & Singers, Choir
Thursday, 09/22	4:00	Sunshine Magic Singers, Choir
	8:00	DCOM (till 9 pm), Narthex, Chapel, Room 212
	10:00	Knitting Group, Bride's Room
	2:00	and Two Fishes (meal preparation), F. Hall
	4:30	Outreach Meal, Fellowship Hall
	6:00	Anderson Handbells
Friday, 09/23	7:15	Chancel Choir
	7:30	Men's Fellowship Breakfast, Sunrise Café
	1:00	Sr. Exercise Class with Carl, Fellowship Hall
Saturday, 09/24	4:00	Girl Scouts (till 6 pm) (Kathy S.), 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**

**\*Training session today at 2:00 pm in the Sanctuary for those interested in volunteering as 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. If you're interested in serving in this way, please contact Beckie Henselmeier.

**Nursery and Childcare-worker position** is opening up. 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, SPRC Chair, or Pastor Leigh Ann in the church office.

**\*Amen Corner** (gathering meeting after the second service) is taking a recess until after Christmas. Contact Peggy Muir for more information.

\*We are pleased to announce the South District event to officially **welcome Bishop Grant Hagiya as the new episcopal leader of the Los Angeles Area** (California-Pacific Conference) will be held as follows: **Informal Fellowship and Welcome, Sunday, Oct. 2 from 3 to 5 pm at San Diego First UMC** (2111 Camino del Rio S. in San Diego). Please feel free to contact the South District Office at [619.232.5683](tel:619.232.5683) if you have any questions.

**\*Please join us for Book Club** on Thursday, Sept. 29, 6:30 pm at the library table. This month's book is *The Alchemist* by Paulo Coelho. Call Lyn Berry at 760.201.6113 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](mailto:michaelwwalker@cox.net), or calling the church office.

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



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### **OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

**Missions, Church and Society, Evangelism, WWJD?**

**Coordinator: Jacque Howard**

**Today's special giving** will benefit The Well United Methodist Church in Ponchatoula, LA. The recent floods devastated their property, including the Sanctuary. Funds collected today will be given directly to this local church, pastored by Rev. Warren Clifton, seminary classmate of Beckie Henselmeier, Director of Family Ministries. These funds will be used to replace the damaged chairs in their sanctuary at The Well. Checks can be made payable to UMC Vista with "Louisiana Relief" in the check memo or cash can be given in an offering envelope with the same indication. Thank you for your support.

**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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### RESOURCES FOR MINISTRIES

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

#### BY OUR PRAYERS

**For our church:** Bob Hickman, Luene Corwin, Giorgio Graziano, Stu Gibson, Al Amaro, Ruby McCormick, Sharon Hall, Joan Lindegren, Beverly Johnston, Peggy Watson, 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

**For others:** 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), 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 Ondovicik, (Gary Lamb), Harriet Oakley (Lucy Kaplanian), Matt Payne, Diane Diaz, Paige McCoy (Paula Amaro), Dawn D. Barrow (Dede Lewis), Trinity Violet (Ronald Levarado), 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), Jerry Carmody (Vickie Wolf), Cheryl Herring (Raub/Marilyn Mathias)

**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—Oct. 2

Carl's Jr.—Oct. 9

Souplantation—Oct. 19

**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@yahoo.com](mailto:Flame-UMCV-subscribe@yahoo.com). You will receive an email to confirm your subscription. Follow the directions in that email. Be sure to add: [Flame-UMCV@yahoo.com](mailto:Flame-UMCV@yahoo.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

Sept. 25:      Video Technician: Phil Biggs      Sound Technician: Barbara Mitchell  
                 Liturgist: Loretta Pierce              Acolyte(s): TBA  
                 Guest Preacher: Rev. Frank Hallock