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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 and 10:30 am

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

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

9:45	SSP Youth Planning Meeting for 2017, Room 204
11:00	Carl's Jr. Fundraiser
11:00	Middle/High School Youth Group, Room 204
11:30	Missions Luncheon with Rev. Paul Jeffrey, Fellowship Hall

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

Monday, 10/10	8:30	Leap 2 Success, F. Hall
	5:00	Girl Scout T1438 (till 6:30 pm), Rooms 212, 214
Tuesday, 10/11	10:00	Staff
	6:30	BSA Troop 709, F. Hall/Room 204
Wednesday, 10/12	10:00	Bible Study led by John Haase, Room 203
	11:00	Church and Society, Fellowship Hall
	1:00	Tri-City Mom's Class
	3:00	Grief Seminar, Library Table
	3:15	Ringers & Singers, Choir
	4:00	Sunshine Magic Singers, Choir
	7:00	Education, Library
	7:00	New Member Class, Chapel
Thursday, 10/13	10:00	Knitting Group, Bride's Room
	2:00	and Two Fishes (meal preparation), F. Hall
	2:30	Congregational Care, Scrip
	4:30	Outreach Meal, Fellowship Hall
	6:00	Anderson Handbells
	7:15	Chancel Choir
Friday, 10/14	7:30	Men's Fellowship Breakfast, Sunrise Café
	1:00	Sr. Exercise Class with Carl, Fellowship Hall
	6:30	Game Night, Fellowship Night
Saturday, 10/15	3:00	Faith in Film Movie Group, Room 204

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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

New Members' Class will be Wednesday, October 12 at 7:00 pm (Chapel). Have you considered joining our church, but have questions? Come ask them! Pastor Leigh Ann will be happy to answer and would love to speak with you. Please contact Barbara Mitchell for more information.

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.

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

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.

Family Game Night – October 14 at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall. Join us for an evening of fun and fellowship for the entire family. For questions or for more information, please see Suzanne McMurchie.

The Palomar Chapter of The American Guild of Organists presents
"The Fabulous French!" - Sunday, Oct. 16 - 4 pm
at Trinity Episcopal Church (845 Chestnut Street in Escondido)

Massed choir includes local church choirs and the San Luis Rey Chorale. Performers include Samuel Nguyen, Kevin Tran and Carol Graham. French-inspired dinner featuring beef bourguignon to follow concert. A $25 suggested donation (includes concert, dinner and beverage); donations go to the AGO Student Scholarship Fund.

Trunk or Treat will be held on Friday, Oct. 28 from 5 to 8 pm. Crafts, games, hot dog dinner; free neighborhood event! **Please consider donating candy or supplies** to help us make this a successful outreach event. See Beckie Henselmeier for questions or concerns.

***Save the date:** Stewardship Sunday is October 30!

***Trick or Treating for apportionments** - Save your spare change and bring it to church on Sunday, October 30th. Our students are invited to wear costumes to church and will be trick or treating for apportionments.

***Church Council will meet on Saturday, Nov. 5, 9:00 am in Fellowship Hall.** Important meeting continuing the work of Cable Outreach funding for 2017. Questions, please see Beth Brainerd Hallock.

***Alternative Christmas** is on Sunday, November 13 from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm in Fellowship Hall. This is an opportunity for you to purchase Christmas gifts for people on your Christmas list who "have everything" or for you to make a donation in another person's name to a charity of your choice. We have many worthy projects for you to choose from. See Brenda Walker for more information.

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***Annual Charge Conference is Sunday, Nov. 13 at 3:00 pm** in the Sanctuary. Remember, reports due by Nov. 2. Questions? Please call Paula at 760.726.0442.

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Missions, Church and Society, Evangelism, WWJD?
Coordinator: Jacque Howard

***Following the 10:30 worship service,** please join us in Fellowship Hall for a Missions' luncheon with Rev. Paul Jeffrey, a missionary our church supports. He visited us back in 2013. Please see Sue Humphrey for more information.

X-tra Giving for October will benefit Operation Hope-Vista homeless shelter. This organization provides a safe and comprehensive program to help homeless families and single women transition to a self-sustaining life and stable housing for themselves. Jean Cole's vision of having a year-round shelter came to fruition this year. Supplies needed are the individual boxes of spoons and forks that Costco sells. Knives not needed. Also needed are quart, sandwich, and gallon-size zip lock bags, paper towels, Murphy's Oil, Spic-n-Span cleaner, Lysol SPRAY, bowls for cereal and soups (deep), tall trash can bags, Styrofoam cups and diapers (sizes 3 or 4).

*New this week.

ESOURCES FOR MINISTRIES

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

BY OUR PRAYERS

For our church: Family of Peggy Watson, Geneva Christensen, Richard Frizzell, Bob Hickman, Luene Corwin, Giorgio Graziano, Stu Gibson, Ruby McCormick, Joan Lindegren, Beverly Johnston, Don Raun, Ron Bradshaw, JaDene Dugas, Gary Lamb, Jane Fischer, Bill Peaker, Joan Brainerd, Joan Bearss, Harold MacDermot, Nancy Koski, Carol Yunt, Randie Annin, 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 Ondovcik, (Gary Lamb), Harriet Oakley (Lucy Kaplanian), Diane Diaz, 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), Kathy Smith (Susan Lenker), Karen and David Keckley (Louise Foster), Ashely Bafile (Bonnie Berumen), Chloe (Brenda/Mike Walker), Myrna Choitz family (Phyllis Buvel), Vickie McLees (Sherry/Vic Johnston), Jerry Carmody (Vickie Wolf), Cheryl Herring (Raub/Marilyn Mathias)

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.

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FUNDRAISERS (pick up flyer from SCRIP table)

Panda Express—Nov. 6 **Carl's Jr**.—Oct. 9
Souplantation—Oct. 19 **Chili's**—Oct. 30

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

Oct. 16: Video Technician: Phil Biggs Sound Technician: TBA
Liturgist: Marlene Philippi Acolyte(s): TBA
Music Sunday