

# THE TRYLON

#### SIERRA MADRE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## THIRD ANNUAL FAMILY PROMISE SGV BIKE TOUR SATURDAY, MAY 19th

## COME OUT TO RIDE, OR PLEDGE YOUR SUPPORT!

The ride begins and ends at CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, ARCADIA

The Crismers are riding again this year. Contact Amy Crismer if you would like to ride, or to pledge support. They each would like to raise \$ 250 to support Family Promise Contact Amy at amy.crismer@gmail.com or (626) 826-6345

#### PASTOR'S MESSAGE:

Greetings in Christ,

I am still in Hawaii for my annual training. Hawaii is very peaceful and calm, so I don't feel any threat from North Korea or signs of preparation for war. Maybe some of you remember the history of Korean War. In 1950, when North Korea invaded South Korea, the Soviet Union and China supported North Korea. the United States and United Nations backed the South. Since the war concluded in 1953, the Korean peninsula has been divided into two countries, North and South. Thus, South Koreans do not like communism. When the North Koreans invaded South Korea, they spoke of "peace" and of reuniting the country, but the United States saw the work of the Soviet Union in this act of aggression. The USA was correct. My parents and grand parents were witnesses to this sad history because they experienced the Korean War.

Now many years passed since the Korean War, and we talking about peace between the North and South, but can we talk with the communists? I really want peace in Korean Peninsula and I know we all do. Thus I am very curious about the proposed meeting between President Donald Trump and North Korean leader Kim Jong Un. Officials will have to make one crucial decision that will frame the meeting for the world: where it will be located. Actually, I am wondering if we can trust communist leader Kim Jong Un as a peace partner? I hope and pray that this big deal between the two leaders brings big change, and the whole world will have peace.

Every morning, I hear the National Anthem at 8:00 a.m, and I realize how important keeping the peace is. Let us pray for world peace, and thank God for giving us great nation. Jesus said, "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God." Let us always try our best to be peace makers. Stay strong, everyone, until I get back. God bless all of you!

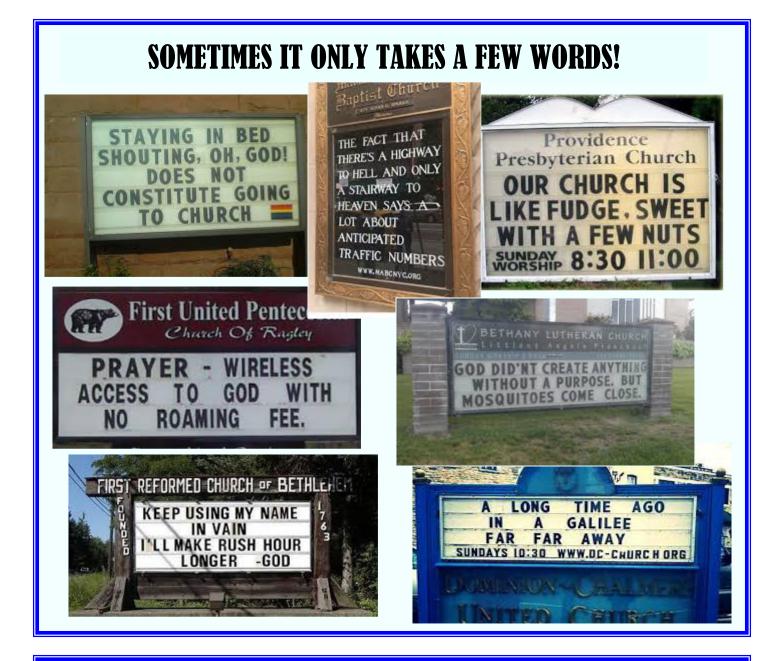
Your servant, Sangman Shin

#### BOARD OF TRUSTEES MESSAGE:

The work on Montessori School continues. Classrooms are essentially complete, and work was done on April 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> to upgrade the PCC playground, which Montessori students will be using after PCC classes are over around noon. Stop by and take a look at the playground, they have installed new play equipment and a state required mulch ground cover to replace the wood chips. It looks good, and will be an asset for both schools and the church.

As we move into warmer months, we will endeavor to keep our grounds as green as we can. The irrigation system continues to be a concern, aging pipes are springing leaks. Thanks to Brenda Walkiewicz for watering around campus, adding to the two days are sprinklers are allowed to operate.

As always, we ask that you contact the Board, or the Church Office, if you see any problems around campus. Together we can keep our facilities going.



Friday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m.

tickets \$ 12.00 in advance 14.00 at the door children under 12 admitted free. Come join the Sierra Madre Chorale as we celebrate Spring, and America!

Concerts will be presented at St. James United Methodist Church 2033 East Washington Boulevard Pasadena, CA 91104

## EAST DISTRICT CONFERENCE Saturday, May 12, 2018

Ontario First United Methodist Church 918 North Euclid Avenue, Ontario



### "GOD IS STILL CALLING"



JOIN IN A MORNING OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE, BUSINESS AND LEARNING, FELLOWSHIP AND RECOGNITION

- 8:30 a.m. Gathering Time Refreshments available
- 9:00 Worship
- 9:20 Business of the East District
  - Committee Reports
  - Nominations and Approvals of District Officers, etc.
- 10:45 Recognitions
  - Retiring Clergy
  - Churches with 100% Apportionment Giving for 2017
- 11:00 Farewell Worship and Program
- 11:30 Luncheon and Fellowship with D.S. Jan Wiley

#### NOTE:

RSVP\* required for attendance at luncheon celebration ALL are invited to stay for Rev. Wiley's FAREWELL GATHERING

\* RSVP to eastdistrict@calpacumc.org





#### Friends in Deed presents its First Annual Golf Classic

## Monday May 7<sup>th</sup> Glendora Country Club

To register:

please visit http://fidgolfclassic.com/ or call Friends In Deed at (626)

#### **MISSION COMMITTEE NOTES:**

SUNDAY, May 6th First Sunday

(see upper right, this page)



#### SMUMC FAMILY PROMISE HOSTING FOR 2018:

AUGUST 19 TO AUGUST 26 OCTOBER 14 TO OCTOBER 22 DECEMBER 2 TO DECEMBER 9

#### FIRST SUNDAY DONATIONS

We all know the '**GOLD**' items – the most popular and difficult to keep in stock at the food pantries to which we donate: **peanut butter, canned tuna/chicken, cereal, rice, cooking oil, sugar and flour.** 

Here's some other things you might not have thought of, beginning with **CAN OPENERS!** Spam, Vienna sausages, small canned hams, ramen noodle packs, microwave stews, macaroni and cheese bowls, individual cheese and cracker packs, fruit cups and shelf milk.

Foothill Unity Center also collects jackets, socks, razors, mini shampoo/conditioners, mini lotions, hotel soaps, toothbrushes, mini toothpastes/mouthwash, and mini deodorants.

You could donate spaghetti or pasta with canned sauce, hamburger or tuna helper, quart size zip-loc bags and plastic grocery bags, hot chocolate and Capri juices. These are all items they use to pack lunches for the homeless.



#### READY FOR SOME STITCHING?

Come join our group of intrepid workers of yarn – watch the bulletin and midweek updates for meeting dates and locations.

#### MAY WORSHIP HELPERS

#### Lead Ushers

- 6 Liz Mackey-Peterson
- 13 Peg Schuster
- 20 Dee Suzuki
- 27 Andrea Fittipaldi



#### **Cart Drivers**

- 6 Peg Schuster
- 13 Joe Schuster
- 20 Bob Travis
- 27 Steve Bridal



#### **Fellowship Refreshments**

- 6 Missions
- 13 Trustees
- 20 Finance
- 27 Worship



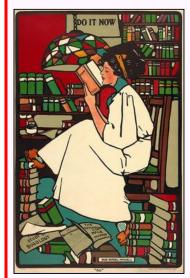


#### MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Janet Ten Eyck Joan Champlain
- 3 Yvonne Johnson
- 6 Chloe Mira Ku
- 17 Leticia Bridal
- 24 Cindy Crismer Jennifer Schofield
- 25 Joyce Travis
- 28 Elise Hernandez
- 30 Liz Mackey-Peterson

#### MAY ANNIVERSARY

25 Ning and Scott Basinger



#### SARAH CIRCLE Join us on FRIDAY, MAY 25th at 12:30 p.m. in the Sierra House.

Enjoy good fellowship and conversation. All who love books are welcome!



#### CARD CREATION

meets on TUESDAY, MAY 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. at Connie Wortham's house.

We make cards to send to shut-ins, and to charities like Operation Gratitude, which supports our troops, veterans, first responders and their families.

> Contact Connie at (626) 351-9260 Her address: 510 Pembrook Drive, Pasadena



MONDAY through FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Happy May Day!	2	3 SUN DAY Celebrating Solar Power	4 La Salle HS set-up for AP testing - HH	5 MISSION AREA MEETING Montebello UMC 10:00 a.m.
6 Sixth Sunday of Easter 9:30 a.m. – Worship – Sanctuary Guest: Rev. Inman Moore 10:30 a.m. – Fellowship – LL 11:00 a.m. – Board of Trustees – SH	7 FIRST ANNUAL FRIENDS IN DEED Golf Classic Glendora CC	8 VE-DAY!	9 Pastor Shin returns from deployment	10	11	12 EAST DISTRICT CONFERENCE Ontario First UMC 8:30 a.m.
	La Salle HS AP Testing – HH, LL, WC					
13 Seventh Sunday of Easter Ascension Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Worship – Sanctuary 10:30 a.m. – Fellowship - LL HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY	14 1804 – Lewis & Clark begin expedition	15	16	17 Finance Committee 4:00 p.m SH	18 ATIONAL BIKE TO WORK DAY	FAMILY PROMISE BIKE TOUR Church of Good Shepherd,
	La Salle HS AP Testing – HH, LL, WC					Arcadia
20 Day of Pentecost 9:30 a.m. – Worship – Sanctuary 10:30 a.m. – Fellowship – LL SUPERHERO SUNDAY Classroom	21 1914 – Greyhound Bus Co. begun, Minnesota	22	23	24	25 Sarah Circle 12:30 p.m SH	26 UHRA Pancake Breakfast 8:00 a.m. HH
Re-Dedication	La Salle HS AP Testing – HH, LL, WC					
<ul> <li>27 1st Sunday after Pentecost</li> <li>Kingdomtide – Trinity Sunday</li> <li>9:30 a.m. – Worship – Sanctuary</li> <li>10:30 a.m. – Fellowship - LL</li> </ul>	28 MEMORIAL CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	29 Card Creation 6:30 p.m. at Connie Wortham's house	30 1920 – Lincoln Memorial dedicated	31	ABBREVIATIC LL – Library Lou SH – Sierra Hou HH – Hartzell Fe WC – Wesley Ch AFM – Adult / Fa	nge se Illowship Hall napel