

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Update on Altar Flowers

Our new florist is 805 Floral! Cost of arrangements will continue to be \$60 – extra for special flower requests. Sign up to donate flowers for upcoming church services in the Flowers & Cookies Sign Up Sheet book in the Narthex on Sundays or call the office.

### Reminder: Easter Lily Orders

Cost is \$12. Deadline to order is Sun., 3/29!  
Order forms on church office front counter.

### Events

#### **Sanctuary Cleaning:**

Please help us get our Sanctuary ready to welcome everyone for Easter Sunday on April 5!

*Sat., 3/28, 12:00p, Sanctuary*

#### **Glow in the Dark Easter Egg Hunt:**

This annual event will also include games, crafts, and more at Brooks Patio. Everyone is welcome.

*Sat., 3/28, 6:30p, Friendship Garden*

### Service Opportunities

#### **CSUCI Dolphin Pantry Donations**

CUWF Martha Fellowship is collecting non-perishable food items for the CSUCI Dolphin Pantry. Drop off: Sanctuary patio or church office. No expired items please.

#### **CUMC Disaster Response Team**

Be part of a ministry that puts faith into action by caring for people and property in times of need. Contact Michael Radonich.

#### **Days for Girls**

All who can sew are invited to attend. They meet 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Discipleship Room.

#### **Friends of the Fieldworkers**

Dried bags of rice, beans, and pasta needed. Contact Tena or Terry Bushart.

#### **Many Meals Ministry**

Volunteers needed to make entrees for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month. Contact Lisa Kadowaki: smidgetslk@gmail.com.

#### **Media Ministry**

Camera operators and sound technicians needed. No experience necessary. Contact Anna Binney or Mike Nelson.

#### **Medical Supply Room**

More volunteers are needed! Please help for 1-2 hours any time from 9:00a to 3:00p Mon-Thu. Contact Nanci Paulson.

### Classes

#### **Pastor's Bible Study**

Join Pastor Elbert in studying the Letters to the Corinthians where Paul addresses the challenges of division within the Christian community.

*Mons., 10:30a, Howald Parlor*

#### **Women of Wisdom Classes**

This is the final class for the "Women of Wisdom and Courage" series. Taught by Dr. Bill, this series covers women from different spiritual traditions.

*Tue., 3/24, 6:30p, Covenant Rm.*

#### **Slow Read**

Led by Dr. Bill, the group is focusing on Richard Rohr's "The Tears of Things." The book has been described as prophetic wisdom for an age of outrage.

*Weds., 10:00a, Howald Parlor*

#### **Save the Date: Book Talk**

Barbara Williams will lead the talk on "Social Justice for the Sensitive Soul" by Dorcas Cheng-Tozun.

*Tue., 5/12, 1:00p, Howald Parlor*

### Wellness

#### **Balance Improvement:**

##### **Tai Chi for Seniors 55+**

Beginner: Mons, 10:30a, Brooks Hall  
Intermediate: Mons, 12:15p, Brooks Hall  
*\*Wednesdays, 10:00a, ZOOM*

##### **Bone Builders**

Tues & Fri, 9:00a & 10:30a, Brooks Hall

#### **Group for Grief Sharing**

Receive support through your grief journey where you can share in a safe and confidential environment.

*Tue., 3/31, 10:30a, Howald Parlor*

#### **Meditation & Spiritual Growth Group**

Please feel free to join us as we explore and deepen our spiritual growth through readings, music, art, life experiences, meditation, and journaling.

*2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs, 10:00am, Howald Parlor*

## THIS WEEK @ CUMC

### **Sunday, March 22 – Modified Service**

Library open, 8:45-10:45a

*\*Worship/Sunday School, 9:15a*

Disaster Preparedness, 10:00a, Sanctuary

Cherub Chimes, 10:30a, Neish Rm. 3

Ukulele Strummers, 10:30a, Neish Rm. 5

Tech Bar, 10:30a, Library

Coffee Conversations, 10:45a, Parlor

Youth Group Movie Night, 3:00p, Offsite

Young Adult Bells, 6:00p, Sanctuary

### **Monday, March 23**

Intercessory Prayer, 7:30a

Pastor's Bible Study, 10:30a, Parlor

Tai Chi, 10:30a & 12:15p, Brooks Hall

Chapel Bells Rehearsal, 5:00p, Sanctuary

Youth Bells Rehearsal, 6:00p, Sanctuary

Trustees, 7:00p, Conference Room

### **Tuesday, March 24**

Bone Builders, 9 & 10:30a, Brooks Hall

Women of Wisdom, 6:30p, Covenant Room

### **Wednesday, March 25**

Slow Read, 10:00a, Parlor

*\*Tai Chi (ZOOM), 10:00a*

Choir Rehearsal, 7:00p, Mission House

### **Thursday, March 26**

Meditation & Spiritual Growth, 10:00a, Parlor

Staff Meeting, 11:00a, Conference Room

Adult Bells Rehearsal, 7:00p, Sanctuary

### **Friday, March 27**

Bone Builders, 9:00 & 10:30a, Brooks Hall

### **Saturday, March 28**

Sanctuary Cleaning, 12:00p, Sanctuary

Easter Egg Hunt, 6:30p, Friendship Garden

*\*Also available online*

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### **SAVE THE DATES – Holy Week Events:**

- **Palm Sunday Service:** 9:15 a.m., March 29, in the Sanctuary. Launching Holy Week, this service spotlights Jesus' entry into Jerusalem amid cheers of "Hosanna in the highest!"

- **Good Friday Service:** 7 p.m., April 3, in the Sanctuary. Experience the depth of God's love for the world through reflection. *Before service, there will be a walk with the cross starting from Mount Cross Lutheran Church (102 Camino Esplendido) at 5 p.m. and ending at CUMC.*

- **Easter Sunday Service:** 9:15 a.m., April 5, in the Sanctuary. Join us as we rejoice in the resurrection and the promise it brings. After the service, there will be a special Easter coffee time and egg hunt in Friendship Garden.

## Fellowship Groups

### **Children's Ministry:**

#### **Youth Group, Sundays, 4:00p**

Middle and high school youth participate in giving ministries and learn leadership skills. For more information about high school youth, please email Kristi VanKeersbilck at vankeersbilckfamily@gmail.com. For middle school youth, please send an email to Dorrie Kelly at Dorrie.kelly@camarilloumc.org.

**TODAY, March 22:** We're having a Youth Group Movie Night at 3 p.m. at The Franas' Clubhouse.

### **United Methodist Men:**

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays, 8:00a**

A community of men who share in evangelism, mission, and spiritual life. (No meetings in July, August, and December.)

### **United Women in Faith:**

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> week of each month**

A community of women who engage in mission study, personal growth, and social action. (No meetings in July and August.)

*Martha Group meets Wed., 10:00a*

*Deborah Group meets Wed., 1:00p*

*Ruth Group meets Wed., 1:30p*

*Esther Group meets Thu., 9:30a*

## Assisting in Worship

**Pastor:** Rev. Dr. Elbert Kim

**Liturgist:** Debi Bates

**Music & Worship Arts Director:**

Dr. Luvi Avendano

**CUMC Bell Choir Director:**

Kristi VanKeersbilck

**Organ/piano:** Mark Holmstrom

**Acolyte:** Leti Gonzalez

**Greeters:** Ann Gramlich,

Kathy Joseph, Cheryl Peterson,  
Ken Wesbrooks

**Ushers:** Mike Gorzoch, Paul &  
Peggy Graham, Carolyn Grogan

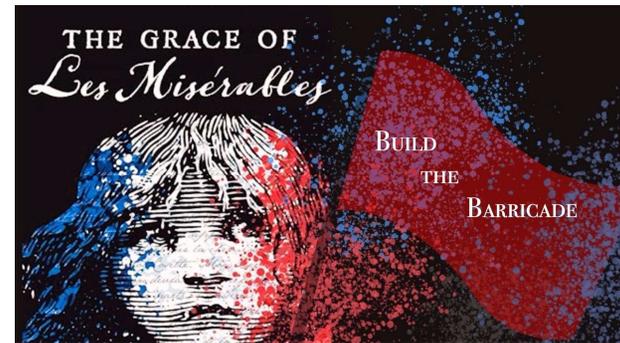
## Notes



**Welcome** to this time of worship, fellowship, and learning about the Christian gospel. Our purpose is to build a Christian community that loves God and serves others with grace, compassion, and hope.

### **Worship Service for March 22, 2026**

*Prayers and Songs are displayed on the screens*



<b>Prelude</b>	<i>“Trumpet Tune”</i>	Chapel Bells
<b>*Call to Worship</b>		Debi Bates
<b>*Opening Song</b>	<i>“We Are God’s People”</i>	FWS #2220, vs. 1-2
<b>*Passing the Peace</b>		
<b>Song</b>	<i>“This Little Light of Mine”</i>	Cherub Chimes
<b>Pastoral Prayer/Lord’s Prayer</b>		
<b>Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.</b>		
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>“Down By the Riverside”</i>	Youth Bells
<i>(Children will go to Sunday School at this time. They will remain in Sunday School during the Disaster Preparedness Training.)</i>		
<b>Prayer of Dedication</b>		
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Luke 19:37-44	
<b>Sermon</b>	<i>“Build the Barricade”</i>	Rev. Dr. Elbert Kim
<b>*Closing Song</b>	<i>“In the Midst of New Dimensions”</i>	FWS #2238, vs. 1-3
<b>Disaster Preparedness Training</b>		
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>“Empty Chairs at Empty Tables”</i> Mark Holmstrom	Schönberg/Kretzmer
*Please stand if you are able		

## Center of Prayer

### IN SYMPATHY:

**Millie Bewley** – Passed away Wed., March 11.

**David Kaiser** – Passed away Sat., March 14.

To send condolences to his family, please contact the church office for an address. His memorial is planned for 2 p.m. Saturday, May 9, in the Sanctuary.

### IN PRAYER:

**Debbie Bessey** – Has plantar fasciitis on left foot that has had flare-ups and pain. She will also have a breast biopsy on April 14.

**Kathy Brickman** – Home after hospitalization at CMH for high blood pressure.

**Richard Figueroa-Barajas** – Good news on his liver and colon biopsies.

**Peggy Graham** – For new infusion program.

**Stacy Hall** – Started PT for possible tear of meniscus and hamstring. Prayers for healing.

**Eric Johansson** – Prayers for improved health following recent hospitalizations for TIAs.

**Joy Lutz** – Undergoing treatment for cancer.

**Joan Olsen** – Recovering from March 12 carpal tunnel surgery.

**Pat Rockney** – Recovering from recent major surgery at CMH in Ventura.

**Bev Schippmann** – Doing better following hospitalizations for recurring heart problems.

*Pick up a “Yellow Sheet” from the office for a complete list of prayers.*

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