

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 July 19, 2026

Prayers and Songs are displayed on the screens



Prelude	<i>"For the Beauty of the Earth"</i> Dorrie Kelly	<i>Arr. Szczepanek</i>
*Call to Worship		Richard Lemmer
*Opening Song	<i>"Come and See"</i>	FWS #2127, vs. 1-2, 1
*Passing the Peace		
Song	<i>"Morning Has Broken"</i>	UMH #145, vs. 1
Time with Children		Terry Bushart
Centering Music	<i>"Morning Has Broken"</i>	UMH #145, vs. 3
Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer	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.	
Offertory	<i>"Walk the World Now, Children"</i> CUMC Folk Band	<i>Arr. Chapin</i>
Prayer of Dedication		
Scripture Reading	Luke 19:1-10	
Message	<i>"Road to Redemption"</i>	Dr. Bill Garlington
*Closing Song	<i>"On Eagle's Wings"</i>	UMH #143
Postlude	<i>"He Leadeth Me"</i> Dorrie Kelly	<i>Arr. Faye Lopez</i>

*Please stand if you are able

Center of Prayer

IN SYMPATHY:

Cay Friederich – Passed away on July 6. Her Celebration of Life will be on Sat, Aug.29, at 2 p.m. in the Sanctuary with a reception to follow. Please call church office for an address to send condolence cards to **LeRoy Friederich** and the family.

IN PRAYER:

Gaylene McPherson – Fractured knee cap. Will be rehabbing for the next couple months.

JoAnn Vizents – For knee replacement on 7/30.

John Wood – In Solimar Post Acute assisted living in Oxnard.

SSP Team – For a safe journey back home today/Sunday, July 19.

Pick up a "Yellow Sheet" from the office for a complete list of prayers.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Altar Flowers

From Lisa Kadowaki: *In memory of husband, Mark T. Higgins.*

From Janine & Mark Ortgies: *In memory of their son, Jake Allen Vernon.*

Wellness

Balance Improvement:

(For more info on either: (805) 385-8019.)

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.

Tues., TBD, 10:30a, Howald Parlor

Classes

Pastor's Bible Study

Please note: Pastor's Bible Study continues to be on break the week of July 20. A new focus will tentatively begin on July 27.

Mons., 10:30a, Howald Parlor

Religious Epiphanies Class

Pastor Elbert and Dr. Bill will be presenting a series of 6 classes on religious epiphanies. Examples of these encounters between the Sacred and Profane will be drawn from different religious traditions including those of ancient Greece, Judaism, Christianity, Hinduism, Buddhism, and Islam. The focus for the 7/21 class is Hinduism.

Tues., 6:30p, Covenant Room

Slow Read

Led by Dr. Bill Garlington, the group is focused on the book, "Cherished Belonging," by Fr. Gregory Boyle.

Weds., 10:00a, Howald Parlor

SAVE THE DATE:

Book Talk

Helen Faul will lead the talk on "The Personal Librarian" by Marie Benedict and Victoria C. Murray.

Tue., 9/8, 1:00p, Conference Room

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: (805) 312-4115.

Friends of the Fieldworkers

Focus for July: open donations of essential items to support families, including toilet paper, baby diapers & wipes, infant formula, and bags of rice and beans. Donations can be brought to church office. Contact The Busharts.

Medical Supply Room

Help for 1-2 hours any time from 9:00a to 3:00p Mon-Thu. Contact Nanci Paulson.

Faith in Action Packing Events

Pastor Elbert will launch a new sermon series on July 26. It will involve our church getting to work together with our hands for certain themed Sundays. We'll hold Faith in Action Packing events from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. in Brooks Hall after the Sunday service for four weeks – July 26 through Aug. 16.

The July 26 event will focus on Poverty and we're thankful for the donations collected at today's service. Looking ahead, the focus for Aug. 2 is Healthcare. We will get together and create 50 Med Supply Kits. Items requested for these kits include:

- Single wrap wet wipes
- Travel size hand sanitizers
- Individual tissue packs
- Lip balm
- Assorted small hard candies/mints
- Quart-sized Ziploc bags

Please bring in the Healthcare-focused items to church by the following Sunday, July 26.

THIS WEEK @ CUMC

Sunday, July 19

Library open, 8:45-10:45a

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

MegaYouth, 9:30a, Youth Room

Ice Cream Sundae Sunday, 10:15a Brooks Patio

Coffee Conversations, 10:45a, Parlor

SSP Team returns!

Monday, July 20

Intercessory Prayer, 7:30a

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

**Finance Meeting (Zoom), 7:00p*

Tuesday, July 21

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

Religious Epiphanies Class, 6:30p, Covenant

Wednesday, July 22

Slow Read, 10:00a, Howald Parlor

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

Thursday, July 23

Staff Meeting is cancelled.

Friday, July 24

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

Saturday, July 25

No event planned at CUMC – enjoy your day!

Sunday, July 26

Library open, 8:45-10:45a

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

Faith in Action Packing, 10:30a, Brooks Hall

**Also available online*

- Submit calendar items at least 2 weeks in

advance to connect@camarilloumc.org.

(To submit info for the Connections newsletter,

send an email by Tuesday morning to

editor@camarilloumc.org.)

SAVE THE DATES:

- **CUMC Summer Choir:** The remaining opportunities to join this choir will be on July 26 and Aug. 30. Rehearsal will take place before each service at 8:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Hymns will be: "It Is Well with My Soul" (UMH #377) on July 26 and "Steal Away to Jesus" (UMH #704) on Aug. 30. For more details, email: luviavendano@cam-umc.org.

- **Campfire Sing-Along:** 7 p.m. Sunday, July 26, in Friendship Garden. Join this all-church gathering with songs, stories, and s'mores. Bring friends, family, and your favorite camp traditions to share. BYO chair or blanket and enjoy a relaxed evening around the fire.

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.

MegaYouth: On break today, July 19. Middle School and High School students will remain in church for the service. (Our SSP Team will return this afternoon.)

United Methodist Men:

2nd 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:

3rd week of each month

A community of women who engage in mission study, personal growth, and social action. (Martha, Deborah, Ruth, and Esther groups do not meet in July and August.)

Assisting in Worship

Guest Pastor: Dr. Bill Garlington

Liturgist: Richard Lemmer

Children's Time: Terry Bushart

Music & Worship Arts Director:

Dr. Luvi Avendano

CUMC Folk Band: Matt Reynolds, vocals; David VanKeersbilck, banjo/vocals; Luvi Avendano, guitar/vocals; Dave Soyars, guitar; Mark Ortgies, guitar/percussion; and Dorrie Kelly, piano

Greeters: Helen Faul, Sabrina Faul, Mele Maka, Mary Jo Wolowicz

Ushers: Kathy Brickman, Eric Johansson & Sheila Reilly, Keith Plogster