



# The Messenger

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August 17, 2018

## Events in Review

### Saturday, August 18

7:30a – Walking Group

### Sunday, August 19

8:45a – Adult Christian Education

10a – Worship Service

### Tuesday, August 21

9a – Faith Journey

5:45p – Staff Parish

6:30p – Administrative Board &  
Council on Ministries

### Wednesday, August 22

7:30a – Weds. Morning Bible Study

7p – Midweek Gathering

### Thursday, August 23

11a – Pack lunches @ Settlement House

### Saturday, August 25

7:30a – Walking Group

### Sunday, August 26

8:45a – Adult Christian Education

10a – Worship Service

Noon – Lunch with Older (55+) Adults

### Tuesday, August 28

9a – Faith Journey

### Wednesday, August 29

7:30a – Weds. Morning Bible Study

### Friday, August 31

Family Camp @ Pilgrim Pines through  
Labor Day!

INLAND EMPIRE UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

## 2018 FAMILY CAMP

**WHO:** All UMC's in the Inland Area

Sponsored by Wesley UMC, Riverside

**WHERE:** Pilgrim Pines Camp, Oak Glen

**WHEN:** Labor Day Weekend, 8/31 - 9/3, 2018

Friday evening 8/31 to Monday morning 9/3

Stay for only a day for reduced fee

**COST:** \$175/adult, \$125/child 6-11, under 6 free

Daytime only - see fee list \$10 to \$15 per meal

**THEME:** "Jesus, the Rock"

- Bible studies, praise, singing, worship under the stars
- Guest Speakers: \*Dr. Hilary Jenkins:  
"Geology of the Area, Volcanic Eruptions"  
\*Christine Chatterton, BS Geology:  
"Fossils, Types of Rocks"
- Recreation: Rockets, Field Day, Tug of War, Swimming,  
Morning Hikes, Water Games  
Crafts: Arts and crafts, making fossils, plant prints, etc.

Payment Due: August 12, 2018

Some Camperships Available - Call Corona UMC 951 737 5225

For further information: Call Wesley UMC at 951 689 2649



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### Saturday, September 1

7:30a – Walking Group  
TBD – Day @ Family Camp

### Sunday, September 2

8:45a – Adult Christian Education  
10a – Communion Worship Service

### Monday, September 3

*Happy Labor Day!*  
*Church office closed!*

### Tuesday, September 4

9a – Faith Journey

### Wednesday, September 5

7:30a – Weds. Morning Bible Study  
10:30a – S.T.E.P. Women's Group  
7p – Choir  
7p – Boy Scouts

### Thursday, September 6

10a – Seams of Faith  
7p – Choir  
7p – Boy Scouts

### Friday, September 7

7p – Cub Scouts

### Saturday, September 8

7:30a – Walking Group

### Sunday, September 9

8:45a – Adult Christian Education  
10a – Worship Service  
Noon – Lunch with Married Couples

## **Our Attendance**

### Sunday, August 5, 2018

10am: 103

### Sunday, August 12, 2018

10am: 105

## Pastor's Paragraph

*"No one who trusts God...heart and soul... will ever regret it." Romans 10:11 (MSG)*

Somos hijos de Dios. We are children of God.

Children are a joy. We all love to see new parents and babies. Their innocence, openness and ability to love remind us of who God has made us to be. Jesus said, "...the kingdom of heaven belongs to people like these children" (Matthew 19:14).

One thing children do is trust.

They trust their parents. Mothers have a unique bond, a caring way of showing their deep love. Fathers share that bond, guiding and teaching children in their own way. Together, families of all types are created. That's where we learn what it means to trust. That's how we learn what it means to love. That's the way we grow up with the freedom to be ourselves, with hope for the future.

Do we teach our children to trust God?

That's probably the most important lesson they can ever learn. Without trust in God, we don't know God's unfailing love. Without love of God, we live from a place of scarcity, not abundance. Without hope, we stumble on the worries, doubts and fears of the world around us.

Trust can be learned. Trust can be earned. Trust gives us assurance that there is help when we are down. Trust God. All will be well. You have God's word on it.

You are a child of God. And God loves you. Halleluia!

Yours in Christ,  
*Pastor Eric*

## Scripture Readings

### Week of August 19

John 6:51-58

1 Kings 2:10-12, 3:3-14

Psalms 111

Ephesians 5:15-20

### Week of August 26

John 6:56-69

1 Kings 8:22-30, 41-43

Psalms 84

Ephesians 6:10-20

### Week of September 2

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Song of Solomon 2:8-13

Psalms 45:1-2, 609

James 1:17-27

## SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES AUG. 19TH

**Pre-K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade meets every Sunday morning!**

**The schedule for Junior & Senior High is:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month stay in the worship service with their families.
- 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month, go to class.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month, participate in the worship service.

### Our Church Staff

Eric Schmidt, Pastor

[umcpastorschmidt@gmail.com](mailto:umcpastorschmidt@gmail.com)

Jeanne Cadiente, Pianist/Organist

Diane Encino, Church Secretary

### Office Hours

Monday – Wednesday:

8:30am to 3:00pm

(Closed for lunch noon to 1pm)

Thursday: 8:30am to noon

## Among Our Family

We were sad to hear of the passing of our longtime church member and friend, **LaVonne Real**. LaVonne passed away on July 25<sup>th</sup>.

## Our June Communion Offering

We received the following note from Inspire Life Skills Training:

*Dear Congregation Members of the Corona UMC,*

*“Inspire would like to thank you for your generous donation of \$392. We appreciate that you value the work that Inspire is doing to meet the needs of the former foster and homeless youth in our community. We understand that there are many worthy causes and we’re delighted that you have chosen to support our youth.*

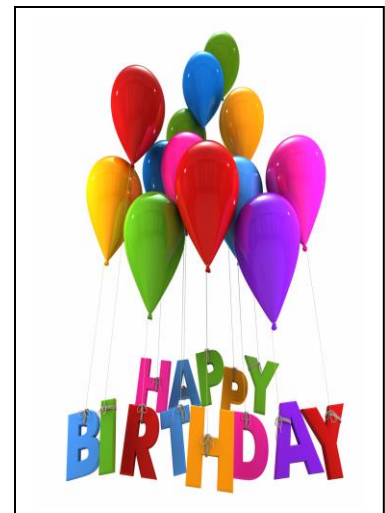
*Through your help, we’re seeing young people make a detour from a life of poverty, homelessness, ignorance, or incarceration to become independent and excited about their future. Your support is an investment in the future of these young people which not only impacts their lives directly, but their family and our community as a whole. We appreciate your love and passion for these at-risk youth and we consider it an honor to serve as an extension of your vision.*

*We invite you to take a look at our website at [www.inspirelifekills.org](http://www.inspirelifekills.org)”*

*Krista Langford, Inspire Resource Developer*

## Happy September Birthdays!

- 9/2 Ryan P.  
Kelsey S.
- 9/5 Beulah H.
- 9/6 Mary Lou B.
- 9/9 Brady B.  
Yasmine P.
- 9/10 Clint C.
- 9/11 John Z., Sr.
- 9/20 Kathleen H.  
Jaedena M.
- 9/21 Georgianna K.
- 9/23 Fungai C.  
Cat G.
- 9/26 Ken A.  
Amber C.  
Loni C.  
Ben C.  
John W.
- 9/28 Kimberly Z.
- 9/29 Linda F.



◀ August		<b>September 2018</b>					October ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
						<b>1</b> 7:30a – Walking Group  Family Camp @ Pilgrim Pines	
<b>2</b> 8:45a – Adult Christian Ed.  10a - Communion	<b>3</b> Happy Labor Day! Office Closed	<b>4</b> 9a – Faith Journey	<b>5</b> 7:30a – Weds. Morn. Bible Study  10:30a – S.T.E.P. Women’s Group  5p – Girl Scouts 7p – Midweek Gathering	<b>6</b> 10a – Seams of Faith  7p – Choir  7p – Boy Scouts	<b>7</b> 7p – Cub Scouts	<b>8</b> 7:30a – Walking Group  8:30a – Men’s Breakfast	
<b>9</b> 8:45a – Adult Christian Ed.  10a – Worship  Noon – Lunch with Married Couples	<b>10</b> 6p – Chrisitan Education Committee	<b>11</b> 9a – Faith Journey  6p – Trustees  7p - Finance	<b>12</b> 7:30a – Weds. Morn. Bible Study  5p – Girl Scouts	<b>13</b> Noon – Book Club  7p – Choir  7p – Boy Scouts	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> 7:30a – Walking Group  8a – All Church Campus Clean-up	
<b>16</b> 8:45a – Adult Christian Ed.  10a - Worship	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 9a – Faith Journey  5:45p – Staff Parish  6:30p – Administrative Board & Council on Ministries	<b>19</b> 7:30a – Weds. Morn. Bible Study  5p – Girl Scouts  7p – Midweek Gathering	<b>20</b> 10a – Seams of Faith  11:30a – Pack lunches @ Settlement House  7p – Choir 7p – Boy Scouts	<b>21</b> 7p – Cub Scouts	<b>22</b> 7:30a – Walking Group	
<b>23</b> 8:45a – Adult Christian Ed.  10a - Worship	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 9a – Faith Journey	<b>26</b> 7:30a – Weds. Morn. Bible Study	<b>27</b> 11:30a – Potluck Luncheon  7p – Choir 7p – Boy Scouts	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> 7:30a – Walking Group	
<b>30</b> 8:45a – Adult Christian Ed.  10a - Worship							



