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Temecula UMC
Community**

Temecula UMC is a caring community dedicated to God's work. We welcome all by creating an atmosphere rooting in the fruits of the spirit. We are a positive, visible presence in our community and a place of comfort and peace. We provide spiritual fulfillment through worship, education, fellowship, missions and actions. We are people of God that live out our faith every day following Christ.

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Who has the best view of the fireworks?
TUMC, that's who!

4th of July

FAMILY FUN * PICNIC * CHILI COOK-OFF
PICNIC BEGINS AT 5PM * FREE PARKING (WITH PASS) UNTIL 7PM

Bring your lawn chairs and have fun as you listen to great music, taste chili and enjoy other affordable food and drinks, sample pies, play family games, make crafts, and enjoy a night of fun and fellowship.
FREE PARKING (donation appreciated) with pass until 7PM.

Pie
Contest

FUN
FOR ALL AGES

Music

Neon
Glow Sales

Safe
and Fun

FREE • Kids Activities • FREE
Cupcake Walk • Games • Crafts • Watermelon Eating Contest

Enter the Chili Cook-off. Must feed fifty, make at home, must finish at TUMC.
Contact Mark for more details 619-818-4860.

Enter the Pie Contest (non-refrigerated pies only). Winner receives \$25 Scrip card.
Volunteers needed for carnival games (it is easy and fun), contact Deb at 760-420-8322.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 951-676-1800

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Sunday Schedule
9:00 a.m. Worship
Sunday School Classes
EVERY SUNDAY

Toddler Room/Childcare (Ages 1-4 yrs.)
 Younger Elementary Class (K-3rd)
 Older Elementary Class (4th-5th)

10:30 a.m. Worship

Childcare: Toddlers-younger elementary.
 Toys and books available for children.

Sunday Evening UMYF

Grades 6th-12th from 5-7 p.m.

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Finance Update

Jan - May 2013 Financial Summary

Giving:	\$ 109,246
Expenses:	\$ 127,118
Shortfall:	-\$ 17,872

Building Mortgage Fund

(Not included in the 2013 General Budget)

Donations:	\$ 6,417	
Interest Expense:	\$ 2,402	
Principal Reduction:	<u>\$ 7,358</u>	
Total Loan Expense:		\$ 9,760
Shortfall:		-\$ 3,343

Mortgage Loan (Debt) Balance: \$80,353 (May)

Note: The monthly mortgage is \$1,952 per month.
 Loan Repayment Fund Cash Balance: \$4,831 (May)
This update or 'snap-shot' is meant to keep everyone informed on current financial issues - Thank you.

Toby Hammett, Finance Chair.



SSP 2013

Submitted by
Mark McCullough

Our SSP Team 2013 will leave TUMC bright and early on Saturday, July 13th, and after a sleepover in Redding, will head out to site in Susanville, CA. This site is in the northern most part of California, just minutes from the Oregon border. Our SSPers can expect cool days and cooler nights. This will be a nice break for them, as SSP is usually a hot week.

SSP Team 2013 includes adults: Meghann McCullough and JP Edwards and youth: Jacob Edwards, Grace Lloyd and Matt McCullough. This group will spend a week working on homes on the Tolowa Indian Tribe Rancheria. Work will consist of home repairs, painting and some weed abatement.

Mail is very important in the life of an SSPer. It lets them know that the people at home are thinking of them. Mail needs to be sent early (by Tuesday at the latest) and mailed to:

Sierra Service Project
c/o Participant Name
General Delivery
Smith River, CA 95567

This will be TUMC's 16th SSP and we are very grateful for the support (emotional, spiritual, physical and financial) that we get from the congregation here at TUMC. Your support is still needed. On the youth board are some individual papers that have items that we need for our trip and back. Just pick an item, either buy it or purchase Scrip for it, and get it back to us. You can either get it to Mark/Monica or drop it off at the church.

Youth News:

On Sunday, July 7th, The McCullough Family will be hosting a Family Fun Potluck at their home (31629 Promenade Bordeaux) beginning at 4 p.m. Hamburgers and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. All families and youth are welcome!

July 21st—SSPer's come home. There will be no youth group, but we will keep you posted as to when we will be driving back to the parking lot.

July 28th—Pool Party! Details to follow.

OUR CHILDREN NEED YOU!

VOLUNTEER TO TEACH SUNDAY SCHOOL DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS.

*It's not their job, when it comes to our children,
it's our job.*

Contact Diana Walker



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Sunday Adult Bible Study with Joe Hughes — *Proof of Heaven* by Dr. Eben Alexander is discussed. Please join us at 9 a.m. in Room 6.

Sunday Adult Tagalog Bible Study meets in the Youth Room at 9 a.m. Contact Dan Gutierrez.

Sunday School meets during the 9 a.m. service. At 10:30 a.m. childcare is offered for toddlers through younger elementary. Volunteer to teach with our dedicated staff. Our children need you! Contact Diana Walker.

Monday Centering Prayer meets quarterly. The next Centering Prayer will be Monday, July 22nd from 6:00–7:00 p.m. in Celebration Hall. TUMC is fortunate to have a trained Centering Prayer leader, Deb Potts, who helps us receive the gift of contemplative prayer.

Centering Prayer is a method of silent prayer that prepares us to receive the gift of contemplative prayer in which we experience God's presence within us, closer than breathing, closer than thinking, closer than consciousness itself. This method of prayer is both a relationship with God and a discipline to foster that relationship.

Tuesday Ladies Bible Study at 9:30 a.m. in Room 1. All ladies are welcome to join us.

Wednesday Out to Lunch Bunch meets at noon the first Wednesday of each month at a different restaurant. Please sign up in the breezeway or contact Marilyn Barger.

Wednesday Welcoming and Outreach Committee meets Wednesday, July 17th at 1:30 p.m. in Room 6.

Thursday Yoga with Deb Potts meets in Celebration Hall the first, second and fourth Thursday of each month. Yoga will meet next on July 11th due to the observance of July 4th. Deb's underlying theme for practice is "honor your body and do not take it anywhere it does not want to go, until it is ready." Class themes generally change each week so that students are continually exploring different aspects of Yoga to broaden their knowledge and skill level. Contact Deb at yogaforlife06@verizon.net.

Thursday Mens Bible Study will not meet during June, July and August. Sessions will resume in September on Thursdays from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Youth Room. We have agreed tentatively to begin in the fall by reading and studying *Proof of Heaven, a Neurosurgeon's Journey into the Afterlife*. All men are welcome. Contact Milton Takeguchi.

Friday Storm Baseball—Ken Johnson has ordered 100 tickets for the July 12th Night of Fellowship Storm baseball game. TUMC is known to have some great tailgate parties as well. Single tickets will be \$6 and if you want to include the tailgate, tickets are \$8. For two bucks you get a premium hot dog with all the fixings, bag of chips, soda or water plus your ticket.

The Storms also have another promotion for churches. If you present your Sunday bulletin at the box office you can get "buy-one-get-one" tickets for Monday games. See Ken or Debi Johnson.

Sixth Annual "Birdies For Bread" Golf Tournament



Proceeds benefit our community wide food pantry mission
The Legends Golf Club, Temecula, CA
Friday, September 13, 2013
11:30 a.m. Check-In
1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start

- Scramble Format
- Awards Dinner (Buffet Style)
- Free Range Balls
- Putting Contest
- Longest Drive Contest
- Closest Drive Contest
- Closest to the Pin Contest
- Live Auction and Prize Drawings

Cost: \$100 Golf/dinner, \$35 Dinner only
For information and reservations,
Please contact Garey Black at 951.699.3060

2013 CRAFT FAIRE

The TUMC Annual Craft Faire will be held Saturday, October 26th, 2013, 8:30 am to 3:00 pm. Over 100 applications were sent out in April to former vendors and those on a waiting list from last year. Return applications are coming in at a rapid pace with half of the Sanctuary booths already committed. Space is available for 65 to 70 vendors.

Products must be handcrafted and of high quality. Woodcrafts, sewing arts, jewelry, home décor, ceramics, paper crafts, fine art, wool spinning, floral and garden, and holiday crafts will be featured.

Once again there will be a UMW Bake Sale, continental breakfast and light lunch.

Used books, CDs, and videos will also be available. Books, CDs, videos, children's books, games and puzzles to be donated may be placed in the breezeway container marked for them.

Sanctuary space rental is \$45, Patio \$35 and Grass area \$40.

All proceeds are used to support local and TUMC mission projects.

To become a vendor or for more information call: Doris Elder or Donnie Weaver.

Did You Know? TUMC's monthly Messenger is available on line. www.temeculaumc.com—click on Publications on left column, click on The Messenger, click on the image of the July Messenger to download and enjoy. A PDF copy can also be emailed to you. Kindly send your current email to Mary at tumc@temeculaumc.com.

Scrip Update

Submitted by Shirley Johnson



New SMART Cards are now available for sale for \$30 each at the Scrip table. These special discount cards can be used over and over at hundreds of stores and restaurants. There are many buy one/get one free offers and super discount offers all listed in a booklet you get when you purchase a Smart Card. This really is a great deal you won't want to miss since the membership card is good for twelve months from the time of purchase/activation. Activation is online or by calling customer service. This is great, you can buy a super discount shopping card while donating to TUMC at the same time! TUMC keeps \$15 of the cost of the card which is fantastic.



UM WOMEN CORNER

August 18th—Sunday, UMW serve dinner for SMURF. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Sally Messersmith.

July 18-22—UMW Mission Unit at Biola University in La Mirada, CA. If you would like to attend, see or contact Anita Louise Cressy or Dorothy Smith.

Reminder:

There will be no UMW Board meeting or UMW General meeting in July and August.

UMW Local Mission Project

Neighborhood Healthcare is an award-winning organization that is known for excelling at its mission. A private, non-profit 501(C) (3) community health organization, it employs 450 people and provides medical, dental, behavioral health counseling and wellness promotion to 66,500 people a year including 20,600 children who might otherwise go without care. At its ten health centers located throughout San Diego and Riverside counties, Neighborhood Healthcare is regarded as a caring and compassionate place that helps those most in need.

NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTHCARE—41715 Winchester Road, Suite 106, Temecula CA 92591

Services: All ages, Primary & Preventive Health Care, Pediatrics, Behavioral Health/Psychiatry and Healthy Families/Medi-Cal Application Assistance. Hours: Mon—Fri 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except Tues 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Tel: (951) 694-9449.

Monks of TUMC

Men of Nurturing Knighly Spirit

We:

- Listen to joys, concerns and needs of others, and share them with God in prayer.
- Nourish the spiritual growth of men through a variety of programs, ministry opportunities for action, and provide fellowship and fun moments so strong relationships can blossom.
- Seek to enrich and equip men as courageous disciples and servant leaders in church, our families, and at work.
- Commit to work with and support our pastor, church ministries, and members of TUMC.
- Strive to contribute toward the mission of *“shepherding all to worship God, to follow Jesus Christ, and grow in faith through the Holy Spirit.”*

MONKS Upcoming Events:

July 4th—Parking for church picnic

July 11th—MONKS Planning Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in Room 6

July 12th—Lake Elsinore Storm Fellowship Night.

July 13th—Monthly Breakfast at 8 a.m. in the Hillside Room. Larry Sealey will be our guest speaker.

He will tell us about his experiences as a fireman.

September 13th—Annual Birdies for Bread Golf Tournament at Legends Golf Course. Information and forms on www.birdiesforbread.com

July 2013						
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Pray for others. Enlarge your heart with a personal prayer list. The larger our hearts, the more compassion we will have. Prayer is powerful, and we know that God wants to hear from us. Praying for others is one way that we can all live a life of compassion every day.

“We will never know by experience God’s richest blessings of comfort and compassion toward others until we ourselves have had trials.”

T. J. Bach

- 7/1 7:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting
- 7/2 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
5:00 p.m. Men cook Chili in kitchen
- 7/3 12:00 p.m. Out to Lunch Bunch
- 7/4 5:00 p.m. 4th of July Picnic & Family Fun
- 7/7 7th Sunday after Pentecost
Lay Leader, Bill Steele, preaching
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Class
11:45 a.m. Missions Committee
4:00 p.m. McCullough Family Potluck—see page three
- 7/9 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
6:30 p.m. MONKS Planning Meeting
- 7/11 10:00 a.m. Yoga w/Deb Potts
- 7/13 Youth leave early for SSP
8:00 a.m. MONKS Monthly Breakfast
- 7/14 8th Sunday after Pentecost
Pastor Randy preaching
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Class
11:45 a.m. Stephen Ministers meet
- 7/16 11:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
- 7/17 1:30 p.m. Outreach & Welcoming Committee
- 7/21 Youth return from SSP
9th Sunday after Pentecost
9:00 a.m. Adult Class w/Joe Hughes
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Class
- 7/22 6:30 p.m. Church Council
- 7/23 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study
- 7/25 10:00 a.m. Yoga w/Deb Potts
- 7/28 10th Sunday after Pentecost
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study w/Joe Hughes
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Tagalog Bible Class
Youth Group Pool Party—details tba
- 7/30 9:30 a.m. Tuesday Ladies Bible Study



“Free will is not the liberty to do whatever one likes, but the power of doing whatever one sees ought to be done, even in the very face of otherwise overwhelming impulse. There lies freedom indeed.”

- George MacDonald

	July 7	July 14	July 21	July 28	
USHERS 9:00 a.m.	Eric Toberman Larry Messersmith Bert Bjorkland John Cloutier	MONKS	Youth	Oscar Loud Thelma Loud Sam Hill Pat Hill	
USHERS 10:30 a.m.	Janet Galbraith Dick Mohammed Dan Gutierrez Marilyn Barger	MONKS	Youth	Dan Little Cliff Elder Raul Denisac John Cloutier	
LITURGISTS 9:00 a.m.	Toby Hammett	MONKS	Youth	Toby Hammett	
10:30 a.m.	Pat Hill		Youth	Pat Hill	
GREETERS 9:00 a.m.	Gera Thole	MONKS	Youth	Gera Thole	
10:30 a.m.	Stella Mohammed		Youth	Stella Mohammed	
SOUND TECH 9:00 a.m.	McCullough Family	Severns Family	Youth	Severns Family	
10:30 a.m.	Lloyd Family	Boyle Family	Youth	Cloutier Family	
VISITOR TABLE 9:00 a.m.	Sue Bradshaw	Anita Accordino	Sue Bradshaw	Anita Accordino	
10:30 a.m.	Dorothy Smith	Gloria Galvez	Vinya Gulla	Jean Williams	

If you cannot serve as assigned, please call John Cloutier for ushers and Bea Waite for liturgists & greeters.



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