

The Wednesday Weekly

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TUMC Church Family News and Updates

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Join Us in Worship Sunday, May 5, 10:00 am
& Celebration of Communion

Hold in your Prayers

Prayers for Healing, Thanks & Hope



Cid: friend, Louise, doing better

Tom at home, doing well

Brian: prayers for ongoing

Rachel: Kim's mom

Selinda: prayers for brother, Scott

Healing prayers for friend, Paul

Family: Don ♦ Anna Lynn: cancer

Katelyn: challenges with school

Chellie asks prayers for Gordon

Colleen: young friend, brain cancer

Healing for Shala ♦

Karen: Mavis, health

Hal: prayers for Tyler, Mom's death

Visit with Don M: doing well

Kay: under the weather

To share prayer requests,
all joys and concerns
phone or email :
Rev. Amy or Sara
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Letter from the Ministry Team:

Join Us in Celebrating our Music Team Sunday, May 19, 10AM

At a recent Ministry Team meeting, members discussed our regular Sunday worship as, like many other churches, we have experienced a decline in attendance that has not recovered since Covid first affected attendance. Many of those who have not returned to Sunday worship are families with children and they are truly missed. However, we feel that our church is “alive” and doing God’s work in many wonderful ways. We truly look forward to the time when our pews will again be filled each Sunday. If you haven’t attended for a while, we want to let you know about some of our activities.

Since the beginning of 2024, we have served our community and our world in many ways and share a few examples here:

Members donated \$2,290 for UMCOR;

During the Lenten season, we provided more than 100 cans of food, 122 rolls of toilet tissue, 152 packages of diapers and 80 pounds of hygiene products to Tualatin Schoolhouse Pantry; Individuals have furnished food twice for families residing at Family Promise “Bridge to Home” and, on two occasions, a team of 3 or 4 individuals from our congregation have worked in their food pantry to fill orders;

Adorned the sanctuary Easter Sunday with flowers purchased in honor of loved ones.

We have a fantastic group of musicians who fill our souls each and every Sunday. Hal Filiar-Aguilera is our Praise Team Director and has blessed us with some songs which he has written. Our very talented pianist, Devin Tran, is 15 years old and, on occasion, has played his saxophone for the prelude. (You really won’t believe his talent until you experience it for yourself.) Kelly Myers is now directing our bell choir as well as singing and sometimes subbing as pianist. James Wescott plays guitar and joins our other singers – Melinda Beyers, Rachel Elliot, and Selinda Smith.

We will be honoring these fantastic individuals at a special coffee hour on Music Appreciation Sunday scheduled for May 19. We encourage you to join us for that occasion. Come, make yourself at “home”, visit with friends, be blessed by our worship service.

~ Ministry Team

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Calendar of Church EVENTS

WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP

Every Sunday

10:00 am

*Communion Celebrated the First Sunday of each Month
Next Communion: THIS Sunday May 5, 10:00 am*

SMALL GROUP STUDY, DISCUSSION & FELLOWSHIP

Open to All!

Women's Book Study

Tuesdays

10:00 am

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Men's Group

Wednesdays

10:00 am

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Women's Fellowship Group

Wednesdays

1:00 pm

* Zoom

*Zoom: Contact Amy to join amytumc@gmail.com

TUMC COMMITTEE & TEAM MEETINGS

Trustees Meeting

Tues, May 7

5:30 pm

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Ministry Team

Mon, June 10

6:00 pm

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If you are not a committee or team member but wish to attend, or would like information, please contact the Committee Chair for date/time confirmation. If you have an item to share, please email the chairperson with a copy of your item, an estimate of time to share and provide printed copies of materials for the committee.

Contact info: *Ministry Team: tualatinumc@gmail.com*

Finance (Wes Tanac): marinerwes@aol.com Trustees (Jason Roach): jroach@anningjohnson.com

Meeting Agendas and Minutes available upon request from Front Office: tualatinumc@gmail.com



MUSIC APPRECIATION SUNDAY!

Sunday, May 19, 2024 10:00 am

Talented and dedicated musicians enhance our worship each Sunday. Join us to celebrate and thank the team that brings us amazing music! Special fellowship hour after service on May 19. (See also, page 2.)

For more information about any events or groups or meetings:

contact **Rev. Amy** (amytumc@gmail.com), or **Sara** (tualatinumc@gmail.com)

HILLTOP Community CALENDAR

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Community NEWS:

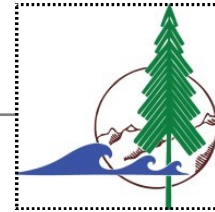
MEMBERS, FRIENDS & Outings

GO CAMPING 2024

Open to All!

www.gocamping.org

Camping Season starts soon! Check out the great opportunities for kids and adults at various local camps and retreat centers in the Great Outdoors in our Northwest corner. Schedules and information available in the Narthex.



It's Birthday Time! Sherris Harrell

Saturday, May 18, 2:00 - 4:00 pm
Koch Hall, TUMC

RSVP: Brian 503.504.3870

WEST LINN COMMUNITY CHORUS

www.westlinnchorus.org

presents "*Wanderlust*"

Saturday, May 11, 2024 4:00 pm
New Thought Center for Spiritual Living, Lake Oswego

NORTHWEST SENIOR THEATRE

www.nwseniorthatre.org



NST presents, *The Times of Your Life:*

A rollicking trip through the 60s's & 70's

Tickets: \$10.00
Wed, Thurs, Fri, Saturday
May 15, 16, 17, 18, 2024
2:00 pm

Rise Church, Tigard
Plenty of parking; wheelchair & walker accessible.

Community NEWS:

For more info, refer to individual website or contact.



UMC General Conference 2020/2024

April 23 - May 3, 2024

Charlotte, North Carolina

Typically every 4 years over 850 delegates representing United Methodists around the world gather for two weeks of worship, celebrations and legislation that will guide our denomination. Anyone can submit a petition about any topic and committees discuss each before recommending next steps.

To learn more about this process, here are three resources. The first is a short video on Facebook. The second shows who is representing churches in our region and the third is a general resource explaining what's happening and how to "tune in" for daily reports (or watch it live streamed). Don't be misled if you see 2020 as the date. This 2024 conference is handling what should have occurred in 2020 but was postponed due to Covid 19.

www.facebook.com/unitedmethodistchurch/videos/6843038029129162

www.umi.org/gc2024

www.resourceumc.org/en/churchwide/general-conference-2020

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