

First United Methodist Church Roseville 109 Washington Blvd. Roseville, California 95678 www.firstumcroseville.org Pastor Rolland Loomis

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Dear Member of First United Methodist Church of Roseville,

I have been here for just over three months. I have learned much about you and I hope you have gotten to know me. My love for you and this church continues to grow every day. We have been sharing our dreams together and look forward to a bright future. We are growing in numbers and enthusiasm and God is in it all. It is our purpose to Make disciples for Christ Jesus for the Transformation of the World. We are readying our church to accept new people who will come through our doors. People are hungry to hear, see and experience the Good News of God's love, a love so strong that all are accepted, no strings attached. We are a beacon of light in or community. Our light will shine even brighter as we continue to share God's love.

We will soon hire a quarter-time youth coordinator who will help grow and lead a vibrant youth group. We have signed contracts to build a Lift (small elevator) that will open the second floor, where activities will abound. (The lift will be built with separate gifts not included in our budget). We will offer more children's programs and Adult Education opportunities. We will soon begin a new worship service designed to attract young families with children, and of course, we will be maintaining our classic worship service for those more steeped in tradition.

I ask for your continued financial support for the ministries of this church. We are headed in a wonderful direction and I ask you to support our Church at a monetary level that works for you. I know that we are an economically diverse congregation. It is part of the beauty of First Church. But I ask that you prayerfully consider pledging an amount that is the best you can offer. If you can increase your previous pledge by 10% or more it would be truly appreciated.

Please complete the enclosed 2019 Pledge Card and bring it to church on Pledge Sunday, October 28th and place it on the Altar or in the offering plate at any time.

Sisters and Brothers in Christ.

I Thank You.

Rev. Rolland Loomis