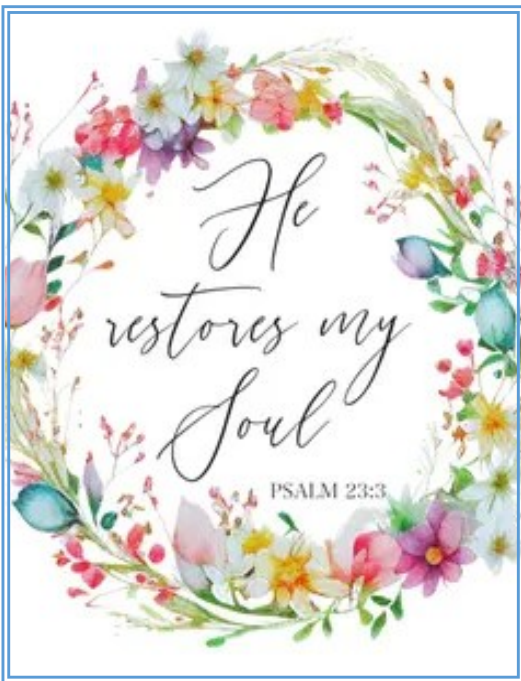


# The Wednesday Weekly

May 13, 2026

TUMC Church Family News and Updates

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Join us: Sunday May 17, 10:00 am  
Worship, Music & Fellowship

## Hold in your Prayers

Prayers for Healing, Thanks & Hope

Tami: thankful for successful eye surgery

Kay: joy that daughters (and their husbands) are wonderful  
with ongoing caretaking care of their dad

Carol: sister Ellen's cat killed

Sherris: Joy for wonderful mothers everywhere;  
Joy for National Day of Prayer in King City, last Thursday

Hal: Pastor Amy, MRI this week, pray for good results;  
Paul, new clients; Job search success for Rick;  
Continued healing for both friends, Naomi & Scotty

Melissa: Thanks for successful retreat last week for Superintendency Team;  
Guidance with wedding details and decision deadlines;  
Prayers for Kamron and Melissa's new journey in wedlock

Prayers as three congregations join in worship and music together on Pentecost Sunday (May 24);

Joy in sharing our place of worship and fellowship, with new friends and helping hands;

Prayers that we all remain engaged in our world,  
and in encouraging our communities and shaping the future

*Peace be with you.*

To share prayer requests,  
all joys and concerns

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# HILLTOP CALENDAR

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Church Office Hours: Mon & Wed 9:00 am - 3:00 pm; Tues 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

## **WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP**

**Every Sunday**

**10:00 am**

*Come as you are. Communion Celebrated, First Sunday of each Month.*

## **SMALL GROUP STUDY, DISCUSSION & FELLOWSHIP**

**Ongoing, Open to All!**

Women's Book Study

Tuesdays

10:00 am

TUMC

Men's Group

Wednesdays

9:30 am

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Women's Zoom

Wednesdays

11:00 am

\* Zoom

*\*Zoom: Contact Sara to join tualatinumc@gmail.com*

## **TUMC: EVENT NOTES & UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES**

### **Quarterly Giving Statements**

*available in the Narthex, please pick up at your convenience*

### **Tualatin Food Pantry Drive**

**MACARONI MAY ! Donations All Month**

(see page 3)

### **Trustees Meeting**

Tues May 19

5:30 pm

### **PENTECOST SUNDAY**

Sunday, May 24

10:00 am

*Bishop Bridgeforth speaking, joint congregational service with Pop-Up Choir*

### **Rev. Pastors Melissa & Kamron Wedding Reception!**

Sunday, May 24

11:30 am

(see page 3)

## **TUMC Quarterly Giving Statements Available**

Giving Statements are available in the Narthex, arranged by last name.

Please pick up at your convenience. If you would like yours mailed, contact Sara in church office.

## **NEEDED & ENCOURAGED:**

## **SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS**

If you'd like to help, choose a Sunday to serve as a Greeter, or bring Flowers for the Sanctuary or Refreshments for Fellowship. Sign up Clipboards are available in the Narthex. *Thank you!*



*For more information about any events OR to submit content for this newsletter:*

contact church office: **Sara** (tualatinumc@gmail.com) or **Pastor Melissa** (revmelissaharkness@gmail.com)

You Are Invited!! All Welcome!

Join us to Celebrate

**Revs. Kamron & Melissa !**  
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Wedding Reception

Joy, Fellowship, Dessert & Punch

Sunday, May 24, 2026

Following Worship Service (~ 11:30 am)

Downstairs in Koch Fellowship Hall

(Please ask one of our Greeters if you need help getting to the lower floor.)

**WEDDING RECEPTION TEAMS REQUESTED!**

Sat, May 23	9:00 am	Set up Team
Sun, May 24	afternoon	Clean-up and Tidy Team

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP?**

Also needed: Cookie and Brownie Brigade  
Please no pies or cake. Let us know if you'd like to share.

To sign-up or For more info on how to help:

Contact: Karen Walker at home, or  
Sara at Church office

**TUALATIN FOOD PANTRY**

[www.tualatinfoodpantry.org](http://www.tualatinfoodpantry.org)

Click above links for more info!

*Food on the table for our community friends!*



**Continuing! TUMC MACARONI MAY**

- ~ O's, Stars & Squares! (breakfast cereal and dry pet food, fancy pasta)
- ~ Spaghetti Sauce and canned tuna!
- ~ Quick Prepare Meals!

(Mac & Cheese, Spaghetti-Os, Chef Boyardee, Hearty Soups)

Drop off on Sunday morning or during office hours. Bins and more info available in the Narthex.



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## West Linn Community Chorus *presents*

### **I TAKE FLIGHT:** *Music to renew our capacity for wonder*

Fri, May 29 7:00 pm

Sat, May 30 4:00 pm

Featuring the Oregon premiere of “Daffodils”

Composed and conducted by Patrick Rooney

Milwaukie Lutheran Church, 5810 SE Lake Road, Milwaukie OR

Tickets and information: [westlinnchorus.org](http://westlinnchorus.org)

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## Encore Vocal Ensemble *presents*

### **WE ARE ONE**

Fri, May 22 7:00 pm

*Free will donation*

Unitarian Universalist Congregation at Willamette Falls

710 Sixth Street, Oregon City OR

*Directed by Melinda Beyers.* Celebrating the vast versatility of women: combining our strengths, we Create.

Including selections based on poetry and journal entries, and songs from opera and musicals

#### Note from Melinda

Dear TUMC Friends,

I am still directing Encore Vocal Ensemble and invite you to our next concert.

This concert celebrates the desires, strengths and achievements of women. We are singing two songs composed by Oregonian, Kristina Burbank. I met Kristina when we were both music students at Marylhurst University. Kristina often uses cello for the accompanying instrument with the treble voices. She is now retired from her career as an Episcopalian minister and graciously shares her music with us.

A more familiar piece we are singing is lilted “Flower Duet” from the opera “Lakme” by Puccini. My singers' favorite song of the season may be “O Love” a setting of the hymn “O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go” by George Matheson in 1882. The lush harmonies and soaring vocal lines transform us. Then, in the immortal words of Monty Python, “And now for something completely different,” we are singing “Jabberwocky,” a setting of Lewis Carroll’s poem of nonsense words.

The members of Encore relish working together to create the most beautiful sound possible. Sharing this joy with you is an honor and increases the joy exponentially. I hope you will share the evening with us.

Sing on!