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(Church Office Hours: M-F, 8:30 am to 3:00 pm)
Phone: (760) 726-0442 Rev. George Hooper

HAPPENING TODAY

Nursery Care is provided at both services in Room 222 (lower level).

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:00—10 am	<u>Class</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Teacher</u>
(Pick up children at their classroom)	Preschool	216	Sue Humphrey/Merry Nickerson
	K-2	214	Juna Spitz
(Meet parents in Fellowship Hall)	3-5	212	Ruth Rockwell
	6-8	203	Rick Lee
	9-12	204	Jim McGlocklin/Lauri LaFoe
10:00	UMW Boutique		
11:00	Rubio's Fundraiser		
4:00	Beneath the Surface Worship, Fellowship Hall		
4:00	Walking Group (in front of sanctuary doors)		
5:00	UMYF		

Today between worship services. the UMW Boutique will be in the Fellowship Hall. There will be a variety of handcrafted items, jewelry, baked goods, unique coin banks for children and much more. Come and do your Christmas shopping.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

(For the latest updates, go to www.umcvista.org)

Monday (11/08)	7:00	Education, Library
	7:00	Worship Committee, Room 212
Tuesday	8:00	Bookkeeper, Church Office (till 10 am)
	4:00	Ringers and Singers, Choir Room
	6:30	Troop 709, F. Hall/Room 204
	7:00	Lay Leadership, Pastor's Office
Wednesday	9:30	Bible Study, Library
	6:00	UMYF
	6:30	Vespers, Chapel
	7:00	Min. Prophets Class with Pastor George, Sanct.
Thursday	10:00	Membership/Congregational Care, Library
	12:00	Soup & Spirit Class with Pastors Frank/George, F. Hall
	6:00	Anderson Bell Choir
	6:00	Circle of Friends, Room 204
	6:00	Eastern Star, Fellowship Hall
	7:00	Chancel Choir
Friday	7:30	Men's Fellowship Breakfast, Sunrise Café Restaurant
	1:00	Senior Exercise Class, F. Hall
	2:00	Brownie T4338, F. Hall
	6:00	Friday Fellowship Night, Fellowship Hall
Saturday	11:00	SPRC, Room 203
	1:30	Children/Youth Christmas Rehearsal



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God's Call and Our Commitment:

**To be an authentic and accessible community in Christ,
celebrating and extending God's love into the world.**

The Mission of the United Methodist Church

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world

CONGREGATIONAL SUPPORT MINISTRIES

Worship, Education, Membership/Congregational Care, Stewardship, Family Ministries

Coordinator: Beth Brainerd Hallock

SEE'S CANDY—We will be offering small (five piece) boxes that make excellent stocking stuffers, as well as the large assortment boxes sure to please all chocoholics. Lots of other choices as well. All proceeds go to the All Church Camp fund to defray the cost for all campers. Chocolates will be delivered to the church at the end of November. Questions? Meet Sean Casey, See's Candy Chairperson, after first worship service or leave him a message in the church office.

Sixth Annual Vista Area CROP Hunger Walk is November 7 at 2:00 pm. Registration begins at 1:30 pm at New Community Church, 165 Eucalyptus in Vista. See Jean Cole or Sharon Hall for information.

Mark your calendar for Alternative Christmas on Sunday, November 14 from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm in Fellowship Hall.

Inquirers and membership gathering—Come and enjoy the fun and fellowship of shared worship and learning. We will learn about the nature of God, the wonders of Christianity and the history and beliefs of Methodists. Also you will learn about the UMC of Vista and get acquainted with some of our members. Join us on Saturday, November 20 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. You may join at the service of your choice (8:45 or 10:30) on Sunday, November 21. If planning to attend, please write your name on the back of the attendance card and/or call the church at 726-0442; also let us know if you plan to bring your children so we can plan activities for them.

Operation H.O.P.E. (123 W. Orange in Vista) will be holding their annual open house on Saturday, November 20 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. Please come!

Save the date! All Church Conference is Monday, November 15 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. All committee chairs, lay leaders and lay speakers need to turn in your reports to Paula by November 8 in order to make the book. The forms for Lay Speakers, SPRC, Finance, Trustees and UMW can be found on line at <www.cal-pac.org/pages/detail/1647> and click on "Charge Conference – Cal-Pac".

Friday Night Fellowship "Game Night", Nov. 12—Come play Cribbage, Dominoes, Hearts, Canasta, Bridge or Scrabble or another game that interests you. We gather and begin playing at 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Bring a snack to share and join the game of your choice. We have two people looking for a Bridge game; if you play, we'd love to have you join us. Learn a new game or teach us one! It's a great way to get to know new friends in the church. All ages welcome; we usually have 20 – 30 people and lots of laughter.



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Turkey Dinner Invitation, Sunday, Nov. 21st—Join us for our annual Turkey Dinner Potluck at 5:00 pm on Sunday, Nov. 21st in Fellowship Hall. We will supply the fresh roasted turkey, stuffing, potatoes, rolls/butter and beverages. Bring your favorite dish to share. Enjoy a pre-Thanksgiving meal with your church family. For some of us, this IS our only Thanksgiving meal as we have no relatives nearby and friends are busy with other activities on the “official” Thanksgiving day. This is a chance for our young children to spend time with their church grandparents and vice versa. It is also a lovely opportunity to use a place setting or two of our best china and glassware that doesn’t get used much anymore. We enjoy walking around the room to admire the many different china patterns brought by other folks. There’s more to be enjoyed here besides the great food. All are welcome. See Elese Newman or Peggy Watson for details.

Volunteer Opportunity “Pickin’ Parties”, Saturday, Nov. 20th—We’re looking for people who enjoy laughter and handiwork in the kitchen to help prepare for the potluck that will occur the following day. We will be deboning (“pickin’) lots of turkey meat, preparing mashed potatoes from scratch and other such projects. We will be gathering in a few home kitchens to work together as “many hands make light work”. If you’re new to the church or enjoy small gatherings, what a wonderful way to get to know a handful of nice people! Give Peggy Watson a call to get involved. Transportation is available and we’ll have plenty of “sit down” jobs for those who can’t stand while they work.

Christmas gift ideas... Sure it seems like Christmas is months away but guess what, it’s only 48 DAYS from today! So if you dislike circling parking lots looking for a space, crowds, lines, etc. then you have found the right place! Grab an order form; put together your lists and drop it off on your way into service then you can pick up your “gifts” as you leave! It’s simple, convenient and the support to the United Methodist Church of Vista is appreciated. Thank you!

The children’s trick or treat for apportionments brought in \$739.12. Thank you all!

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

**Missions, Church and Society, Evangelism, WWJD?
Coordinator: Jacque Howard**

Today’s Communion Offering will support our annual Christmas Caring and Sharing Program which provides us the opportunity to share in the joy of Christmas giving with families who are struggling. Our Church and Society Committee works closely with Community Housing Works (CHW) in North County to select Vista families in need. Each year our congregation gives gifts to an average of 60-75 children by choosing names from a Christmas tree and then bringing the gifts to be wrapped and delivered to the families. The November Communion Offering will allow us to be certain each child receives clothing, shoes/jacket, and their special wish by supplementing where needed so that all children receive equally.



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RESOURCES FOR MINISTRIES

Twitter prayer updates: <http://twitter.com/UMCVPrayer>

PRAYERS

For our church: Don Miller, JaDene Dugas, Mario Minervini, Gil Brown, Ko Kim, Debbie Lee, Betty Beck, Helen Brown, Ron Bradshaw, Bill and Rusty Adams-Harris, Jojo Bustamante, Roger Marshall, Orville Lawson, Russ Townsend, Don Smith, Sunshine R. Nicolas-Ramos, Beverly Thomason, Ardis Taylor, Alice Leclair, Jim Rucker

For others: Family of Fred Burgess (Jim McGlocklin), Joseph Paulk (Marian Glover), Jean and Mark Swartwood (Ruthie/Rob Dean), Diana, Rick Wood, Cheryl Marecki, Monica Ward, Geraldine Lamb, Ken Frazier (Gary Lamb), Marie Evans (Mario Minervini), Linda Harlow (Bob Harlow), Karen Daley (Marjorie Heist), Eladio Gozun (Maniti family), Miguel Rodriguez (Linda Skinner), Geneva Andrezze (Bonnie Berumen), Greg Hernandez (Sue/Paul Hernandez), Paul Wimmer (Nancy Montgomery), Steve Metz (Heidi Kendall), Barbara Heins (Marilyn Marshall), Lillie Ford (Joyce Bales), Jason Rooney, Cody Smith (Karen Felien), Maybelle Mathers (JaDene Dugas), Jack Keye, Ann and Ralph Fletcher (Jean Cole), Mike Walker (Stan/Anita Maag), Mom (Richard Trawick), Julie Beck, (Teresa Flanagan), Tom Dimando (Hernandez-Jackson family), Don Preti (Sharon Hall), Lester Yalung (Andy/Sonia Maniti), Karen Robinson (Debbie/Jason Edwards), Arlene and Lee Fletcher, Virgel Groll, Paul Mounts (Lynda Mounts), Dick (Jim/Carol Pence), Lena/Rose (Laurie Sheahan), Ken Richards, Barbara Stiles, Joyce Burke, Ferne Kahlberg (Susan Lenker), Stella Blake, Alison Aardahl (Ranae Mathias), Margaret Nishikawa (R./J. Frizzell), James, Sarah, Charles Cunningham (Juliet Cunningham), Carol Alterman (Merry Nickerson), Mary Kronoff (Susan Kronoff), Vicki McLees (Vic/Sherry Johnston), Shirley Patty (Carol Yunt), Ken Annin (Ray/Marlene Coast)

Please notify the church office (726-0442) when special prayers are no longer needed.

Military families: Greg Bergman, Cody Murray, Joe Caruso (Iraq), Bryan Dhondt (Afghanistan), John Goff, Jerry Jackson, Amanda Jarrard, Gregory Cole, Lisa Marshall, Steve Coast (Afghanistan)

SUNDAY WORSHIP Sunday, October 31: 239

FUNDRAISERS (pick up flyer from SCRIP table)

[Submarina](#)—Nov. 21/Weekdays

[Rubio's](#)—December 5

[Souplantation](#)—Nov. 16

[Picket Fence](#)—any week day

[Applebee's](#)—Nov. 28

[Famous Dave's](#)—TBA

[El Pollo Loco](#)—any day

[Carl's Jr.](#)—November 14

[Chili's](#)—October 31

OPPORTUNITIES TO VOLUNTEER (just call the church office)

Coordinator needed for home delivered meals and transportation for church members.

.COMING UP IN WORSHIP

Nov. 14	“Something New”	Isaiah 65:17-25; Luke 21:5-19
Nov. 21	“Better Shepherds”	Jeremiah 23:1-6; Luke 23:33-43
Nov. 24	Thanksgiving Eve Service	
Nov. 28	“Jesus: Teacher” (Peace)	Isaiah 2:1-5; Matthew 24:36-44
Dec. 5	“Jesus: Judge” (Hope)	Isaiah 11:1-10; Matthew 3:1-12
Dec. 12	“Jesus: Redeemer” (Love)	Isaiah 35:1-10; Matthew 11:2-11
	Children’s Christmas Pageant	
Dec. 19	“Jesus: Immanuel” (Joy)	Isaiah 7:10-16; Mathew 1:18-25
Dec. 24	Christmas Eve services	



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PARTNERS IN MINISTRY

Minister

Lay Leaders`

Pastor

Minister of Music of Fine Arts/Facilities Administrator

Music Coordinator

Church Organist

Family Ministries Co-Directors

Church Secretary

Bookkeeper

Nursery Attendants

Pastors Emeriti

Deaconess

Clergy from our congregation

Members of the Congregation

Norm Corwin/Lynda Mounts

Rev. George Hooper

Rev. Frank Hallock

Dan Mahin

Carol Graham

Rick Lee/Juna Spitz

Paula Amaro

Michael Murray

Cindy Rivera/ Brenda Villalva/Laura Stockdale

Rev. Lanny Arrowsmith/Don Diegelman/Rev. Orlie White

.Zelle Hammond

Rev. Bill Gordon (PAC-NW)/Rev. Laura Rockwell (OR-ID)

The Sanctuary is open after services for personal prayer and meditation.

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