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Sunday, June 16, 2019

Trinity Sunday

Fathers' Day

8:00 a.m. Worship in the Chapel

10:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary

Scripture: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 and John 16:12-15

"You Have the Words"

Pastor George Hooper, Preaching

10:00 a.m. is Broadcast Live to Facebook/CGSUM and to CGSUM.ORG

8:00 – Worship in the Chapel.

9:00 – Coffee Fellowship – Courtyard.

9:00 - Bible Study – Library.

9:00 – 11:30 – Childcare – Toddler Room.

10:00 – Youth and Children's Sunday School.

10:00 – English Class – Library.

11:00 – SSP Stock Sale – Patio.

6:00 p.m. – Sundays @ Six –New worship experience – 30 minutes of music, prayer, the Word and discussion in the Chapel or the Lounge depending on the weather.

UMYF will not be meeting so that Youth can spend time with their Dad's or Father Figures.

Among the Church Family

In Our Prayers:

Please keep all those previously mentioned in your prayers. If you or a loved one needs to be added to the prayer chain or the newsletter prayer list, please let the church office know.

Graduation Time

All 2019 Graduates: If you, or your child, are graduating from Middle School, Sr. High School, College or Graduate School, please inform the Church Office by phone, 626-447-2181, or email: ldoran@cgsum.org, to be included in the annual list of graduates. Please include the name of the graduate, who they are related to (parents, grandparents, spouse – not the whole extended family, please) and the school they are graduating from. If graduating from college or graduate school, include the type of degree earned and the field of study. The deadline to submit names is Friday, June 21.



Sundays @ Six

Come to the Lounge (or in the courtyard) to sing, pray, read and share. This is an informal time together. Drew Brannon plays the guitar, while Franklyn Shen shares the Word. When? Sundays at 6 PM! We do it all in 30 minutes so there is plenty of time to follow a class with praise, stick around for a book study, or fellowship, end your day with prayer, or start your night out on the right foot. The service will continue meeting throughout the summer.

The first Sunday of the month, we follow worship with a shared meal (we provide the meal, you provide the lively discussion). So if you enjoyed Dinner Church, or want to try something different, this is just for you!

Women's Retreat at Aldersgate, November 1-3

“Time.” An interactive, spiritual, meditative retreat for women of all ages.

Purpose: Community building and friendship, letting go of responsibilities and stepping away from a hectic pace, laughing, nurturing our spirits, and taking time for reflecting on our lives.

Spiritual Disciplines: Visible Prayer, Lectio Divina, Journaling, Holy Listening – using movement, art materials, music, silence, writing, scripture, a movie.

Speaker: The Rev. Dr. Diana Brown Holbert, is a retired, ordained Elder of the North Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church, Dallas, Texas, having moved with her husband to Los Angeles in May 2017 to live with their son and his family, and to be close to their daughter and son-in-law. In June 2011 she retired as the Senior Pastor of Grace United Methodist Church, a Reconciling Congregation. Grace housed a health clinic, a legal clinic, a neo-monastic community for seminary students, a non-profit helping teen mothers, and the Open Door Preschool for the working poor.

Over her career as a pastor, Diana served as Minister of Education and Spirituality in Dallas suburbia, as Associate Pastor for Hamilton Park UMC, a predominantly African-American congregation in Dallas, Texas, during which time she won the North Texas Conference “Inclusiveness Award” with Rev. April Bristow, for their work with “Sisters in the Spirit: Breaking Down Racial Barriers One Friend at a Time.”

In 2005 she completed her Doctor of Ministry degree, writing about her experience as a General Board of Global Ministries missionary and founding pastor of ArtSpirit, a United Methodist ministry in the arts community of Dallas.

Dr. Holbert was raised in Kansas, received a music degree from Grinnell College in Iowa, and a Master in Music from SMU in 1971. She was on the music staff as one of the children's choir directors for First United Methodist Church, Dallas for 12 years. Beginning in 1984, Diana developed liturgical dance ministries at First UMC, and later at First Presbyterian Church, also in Dallas. She has led worship through dance in Greece, England, Australia, and Brazil, and across the United States, from Alaska to Florida and California to New York.

In 1993 Diana graduated Magna cum laude from Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, where she won awards in academics, homiletics, worship, and time management.

After seminary graduation Diana moved with her family for her to pastor four British Methodist chapels in northwest England for a year, and came back to be senior pastor at Trinity UMC, Duncanville for nearly five years. From 2002-2010, Diana was an adjunct professor at Perkins School of Theology, where she worked with all the preaching and worship students to develop their performance skills.

Diana is married to John Holbert, the Lois Craddock Perkins Professor Emeritus of Homiletics at Perkins School of Theology. You may recognize Diana and John who danced and sang the Psalms on the video of the Disciple IV Bible Study. They have two, married children. Darius is a studio musician and film composer, living in L.A., and Sarah works in Los Angeles as an Entertainment Media Manager for ABC. Darius and his wife have a two little daughters, Saoirse (5) and Moxie (2½) who have been welcomed kindly into the fold at Westwood United Methodist Church, Los Angeles.

Diana is spending most of her retirement on helping out with childcare, on guest preaching and retreat leading, and on a writing project of her first year of solo ministry, in the Alderley Edge/Knutsford Circuit, England, entitled Living on the Edge. Her writing has most recently appeared in The CEB Women's Bible which can be found at:

<http://www.abingdonpress.com/product/9781609261894#.WAEJHKOZN0s>.

To read her blog, click on <http://thespaceswebreathe.blogspot.com/>

Mark your calendars now so that you will be able to attend the retreat set for the first weekend of November this year.



LET'S ROCK AND ROLL

A United Methodist Women's Fundraiser

"50s/60s SOCK HOP"

SATURDAY, JUNE 22



In Jordan Hall at
Church of the Good Shepherd
400 W. Duarte Rd., Arcadia, CA

FROM 5-8 P.M.

**Fun for everyone, all ages invited! Bring family, friends and neighbors!
Opportunity Drawings and Silent Auction with great prizes, Photo Op,
Food, Soda Fountain, Music, Dancing and Contests to win!**

Come in 50's clothes or just wear regular, comfortable, casual attire.

**For men, women, teens and kids! Get out your bobby socks, saddle shoes, poodle skirts,
capris, jeans and white t-shirts with the sleeves rolled-up, and hair grease!!**

MAKE YOUR RESERVATION NOW!

Sign-up after church or call the church office 626-447-2181

TICKETS: \$10 EACH OR \$25 FAMILY (Includes Dinner)

This event is UMW's only major annual fundraiser.

***All proceeds go to missions and
outreach such as:***

***Foothill Unity Center, FINCA,
Elizabeth House, UMCOR, and***

Methodist Hospital Women's Auxiliary.



Gift Cards and Other Items Needed for Opportunity Drawings and Silent Auction

There will be lots of fun items at the UMW "Sock Hop" event on June 22, including a gift card tree. Do you have any gift cards that you would be willing to donate to make this item bigger and better than ever? Cards you received as gifts that you may not use? If you can help, please bring them to the church office or give them to Sandy Jelinek, UMW President for the opportunity drawings. Thanks! Deadline to donate is June 17.



Also, if you have any other items you'd like to donate...UMW needs new items for gift baskets and some bigger items (sports tickets, cabins for a weekend, concert or play tickets, to name a few ideas) for the silent auction. We already have a week for a time share at the beach being donated! Anyone have another time share week that they would like to donate? This is the UMW's major fundraiser for the year! Deadline for auction items is June 17.

Upcoming Events to Mark on Your Calendars!!

English class meets at 10:00 a.m. on Sundays. Friday classes are on a summer break and will start up again when schools start up in August.

Sundays @ Six – A new worship experience – Every Sunday at 6:00 p.m.

June 12-15 – Annual Cal-Pac Conference in Redlands.

June 16 – Father's Day.

June 22 – UMW Event for the whole family – A '50's Sock Hop with music, dancing, dinner, and prizes! 5:00-8:00 p.m. For men, women, teens and kids! Get out your bobby socks, saddle shoes, poodle skirts, capris, white t-shirts with the sleeves rolled-up, and hair grease!! Reservations are being taken Sunday after church or in the church office. Don't miss the fun!!

June 30 is Pastor George's last day and July 1 is Pastor Eva's first day. Watch for updated details on the parties being planned for both of them!

June 30 – There will be a reception after church in honor of Pastor George Hooper and his family.

This summer, Vacation Bible School here at our church will be July 15 – July 19 from 5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

November 1-3 – Women's Retreat! Watch for more info and a full bio of our facilitator.



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