

This Sunday's Events

May 20, 2012

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN

9:15 – 10:30am

The Nursery is provided for infants through children who are under 3 years old.

3 years - Kindergarten: Located on the sanctuary level and is for children age 3 years through starting Kindergarten.

1st & 2nd Grades: Located in Room 22 (second floor balcony).

3rd - 5th Grades: Located in Room 20 (second floor balcony).

Older children welcome.

Please pick up your children in their classrooms at 10:30am.

SUNDAY ADULT CLASSES

10:10 - 11:00am

Faithlink

Connecting current events and faith questions as United Methodists. Room 12 - lower level

Today: **Poverty In The United States** led by Jerry Hurley

Next Week: **Prescription Drug Abuse** led by Geri Bramwell

"The Book of Acts" Led by Ed Whitmer in the Trott Room (Sanctuary Level). Everyone welcome.

FUMC Tweens & Youth Groups

Sunday May 20th: Tweens/ Jr. & Sr. High Youth Groups

Meets at 5:30pm - Sanctuary

Sunday May 27th: No Groups

Sunday June 3rd: Tweens/ Jr. & Sr. High Youth Groups

Meets at 5:30pm - Sanctuary - End of Year Fun!!

Carload Rehearsals: Friday May 25th (Time: TBA)

Friday, June 1 & 8 at 5pm, Sanctuary

Questions to: Peggy 243-2403 x 303 or peggy@reddingumc.org

Today ... & Special Mention

Parents.....Join Rod and Conni for a conversation with Sunday School Parents in **Room 21 following the 9:00 worship service today.** Refreshments provided. Rod wants to visit with you about pastoring your children and Conni wants to give an update on future events your family may enjoy. Please join them - the children will remain in their Sunday School classes if they happen to run past 10:30.

Further Up / Farther In

Tonight - following in the evening service in the Fireside Room

Discussion dedicated to Youth Group Families.

No meeting next Sunday May 29th.

Resumes June 3rd (Feedback on May's sermon theme.)

“Music Man” Movie Sing-a-Long

Sunday May 20th at 1:00PM in the Sanctuary

\$5 suggested donation to support Genocide No More-Save Darfur of Redding. Free popcorn & Lemonade.

Questions to Marv Steinberg.



Floating of the Lanterns

Sunday May 20, 2012 - 7:30 PM

At the Park Marina Pond (behind River Inn). Dinner provided by the Sikh Temple at 7:30pm / Lantern Float at 8:30pm (*requested donation \$5 each*) Please park in the Bloodsource parking lot. Bring a chair and water. Sponsor a lantern (\$20) by calling 243-8862. Event Co-Sponsored by Shasta County Interfaith Forum (SCIF) Proceeds Benefit: Peace Projects in Greater Redding Area.

Special Church Conference

To Elect New Board Member to Trustees

Wednesday May 23rd at 5:30pm in Room 10

Monthly Church Council meeting to follow. All members welcome.

Special Mention

You're Invited to Participate!

It's not too late to sign up in the Lobby & Social Hall for a fun and instructive UMW mini class. All are welcome.
Proceeds benefit the church General Fund.

Worship Team

Needs Volunteers This Summer!

Communion Servers and PowerPoint Operators.

Please contact Peggy Rebol at 243-2403.

We have a number of spots that need to be filled.

Stop by and see the excellent progress board on our
2012 Renovation Project in the Social Hall.
And fill out a blue volunteer form (in your program today).

Youth Graduation Project

Looking for Words of Inspiration and Wisdom!

...for our special graduation worship service on June 10th. Please email to
Peggy at peggy@reddingumc.org.

Congrats & Welcome New Members:

Nancy Piazza

Carol Jennings

Upcoming Events

Interfaith Prayer for Darfur

Friday May 25th at 7:00pm
Sundial Bridge, North End

Singles Talking to Singles

Sunday, May 27th, Early Afternoon Movie & Dinner.
Movie & time TBA, Host Ken Wickman 223-9677 or email:
kwickman@snowcrest.net.

Loving Our Muslim Friends (Part II)

Increasing Our Understanding of Islam
Wednesday Evening, May 30, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m., Room 10
Sign Up in the Welcome Center

Summer Art Camp ~ June 18 July 12

Applications are being taken. Pick up the Application Form in the Welcome Center or the Reception Office soon, as we fill up rapidly. If you have friends who would like to attend there is a separate "General Public" form for them. Your children who are completing 2nd through 7th grades will love Summer Art Camp. Camp begins June 18 and the finale is July 12. Class assistants for the artists are still needed. See Conni if you can help out.

Saturday Friends will visit the **ALPACAS**, owned by Ron and Rev. Pauline Bowen, in Shingletown, on **Sat. June 23**. There will be some displays, a chance to wander around, and lunch will be provided for a donation. Meet at the church at 10:00 a.m. to carpool, and wear closed toed shoes. RSVP Doyle and Shirley Martin, 238-8831.

Save the Date:

"FAMILY CAMP"
at Camp McCumber
Weekend of July 6, 7 & 8



From the Office

Dayton Shirley Update

He is still in ICU at the Shriners Hospital in Sacramento and had a skin graft on May 8. Reannon and Jasson go down on the weekends to be with him. His spirits are lifted when his dad and Reannon show up and he'll eat something for them - otherwise he's on a feeding tube. Although he's very uncomfortable he is progressing in his treatment. First Church is still taking donations and a special fund is being set up at the bank. Please mark your check or donation envelope very clearly for Dayton Shirley. Keep him & his family in your prayers. Updates to follow.

Attention all Church Mice...

Please, since Reannon isn't here on weekends now that her step-son is recovering at Shriners, please help us look good on Sunday by cleaning up after yourselves.
Thanks! ~ *Conni Lancaster*



Church Office 243-2403

Hours: 8am to 4pm Monday-Friday
Closed Noon to 1pm for lunch

****Office closed Monday May 28th for Memorial Day.****

Pastoral or Ministry Assistance

After normal business hours, contact your lay leader:

9am service—Nancy Bray

11am service—Karen Byrne

5:30pm service—Richard Murphy

Donate with your Smart Phone -- >

Increasingly people are giving electronically,



The Week of May 20th to 26th

Today

9:00a Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:15a Children's Sunday School
10:00a Fellowship Café, Social Hall
10:10a Adult Sunday School
11:00a Worship Service, Sanctuary
Noon Fellowship Café, Lobby
5:30p Worship Service, Sanctuary
5:30p Tweens / Youth, Sanctuary
6:30p Further Up/Further In, FS

Committees & Commissions

Monday 21st

Counters 9:30a, Sus
SPRC 5:15p, Trott

Wednesday 23rd

Church Council 5:30p, Rm 10
(following Sp. Ch. Conference)

Thursday 24th

Friendly Visitors 10a, Rm 10
The Arts 5p, Rm 10

Music Groups

Sunday

Canyonwood 3p, Canyonwood
Band of Light 4:00p, Sanctuary

Monday

Joyful Noise (Summer Break)

Tuesday Rehearsals

Bell Choir (Summer Break)

Thursday Rehearsals

Band of Light 5:00p, Sanctuary
Fireband 6:00p, Sanctuary
Chancel Choir 7:15p, Sanctuary

Friday Rehearsals

Carload TBA, Sanctuary

Small Groups

Tuesday 22nd

Women's Brkfst 8a, Country Waffle

Wednesday 23rd

Women's Bible Study 10a, Sus
Wed. AM Bible Study 10a, FS
Meditation & Study 2p, Quigley's
Scripture Study 6:30p, Kermodé's

Thursday 24th

Exploring Scripture 7:30a Corbett's
Bible Study 11:30a, Hilltop Estts
Spiritual Study 5:00p, Library

Events This Week

Sunday 20th

Music Man Sing-a-Long 1p, Sanctuary
Canyonwood Music Ministry 3pm
Inclusive Ministries 4p, Fireside

Monday 21st

Writing Group 2p, Sus
Bill Stegall's Theology Class 7p, Rm 10
Garden Tract Neighborhood Mtg.,
7p, Wes

Wednesday 23rd

Special Church Conference 5:30p,
Room 10

Thursday 24th

Darfur Planning Mtg. 11a, FS
Thursday Art Group 2p, Sus
Photo Group 2p, Trott

Friday 25th

Craft Circle 9:30a, Wes
Bridge Group 1:30p, FS
Karate 4p, SH
Darfur Prayer 7p, Bridge