



## Keeping in Touch with SMUMC

*Weekly Newsletter –  
Week of April 19, 2026*



### **LET'S WORSHIP TOGETHER!**

**8:00am - Informal Worship Service**  
**10:00am - Traditional Worship**



### **PLANTING SEEDS FOR THE FUTURE AT SMUMC**

**St. Matthew's United Methodist Church's Finance Campaign happens year 'round. We welcome your financial support throughout the year.** You may give weekly, monthly, quarterly or annually. We sincerely appreciate and thank each of you for your giving in support of St. Matthew's UMC.

### **IN OUR PRAYERS**



Prayers for our dear Terry Feulner. He is now under Hospice care.  
Prayers for peaceful resolutions for all the "wars" and conflicts happening in our World.  
Prayers for peaceful resolutions to the current political and societal conflicts now happening in America.  
Compassion for all immigrants in the USA who are now living under the cloud of fear.  
Continued prayers of safety and recovery for those in our country dealing with extreme weather conditions.

### ***Continued prayers for our Church Members, Church Family, and Friends:***

Michael Yang, Terry Feulner, Don and Linda Pastrana, Shelia Henness, Ted and Betty Williams, Ruth Feick, Doris Sachs, Dorothy Tarvin,

Hailey Lowell (granddaughter of Dick and Diane Cline), Stephanie Lowell, (daughter of Diane and Dick Cline), Frank Bouma (son of Ruth Barnes), Sharon Dutton (daughter of Ruth Barnes), Chris Kozak (son of Rich and Denise Kozak), Diane Crawford (daughter of Shirley Butler), Jeff Graves (son of Joe and Patty Graves).



## BIRTHDAYS & WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

### *April Birthdays*

|          |                         |
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| April 16 | Todd Peterson           |
| April 22 | Lucille Householder     |
| April 25 | Bianca Ault (Hernandez) |

### *April Wedding Anniversaries*

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| April 3  | Joe and Patty Graves       |
| April 27 | Pastor David and Mary Choi |

\* If your birthday or wedding anniversary, do not appear on our Birthday or Anniversary list, please be sure to contact the church office. We do not want to miss your special day!

## SERVING OUR CHURCH ON SUNDAY MORNINGS



### ***Liturgists***

April 5 - Donna Peterson  
April 12, 19 & 26 - Jerry Casterline



### ***Coffee Fellowship Hosts/Hostesses***

April 5 (Easter Sunday) - Rodney Kurimoto  
April 12 - Todd and Donna Peterson  
April 19 - "Music Appreciation Sunday" - Choir and Bells  
April 26 - Pastor David and Mary Choi

*If you would like to host our Coffee Fellowship Time after Worship, please contact Carol Rogers. If you would like to serve as Liturgist, please contact Olga Baker.*



## ANNOUNCEMENTS



During Worship on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, we celebrate Music Appreciation Sunday. And . . . at 2:00pm there will be a Music Appreciation Concert. We are also celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our Bell Choir! Please join us. This is a free will donation concert.

## CALENDAR - WEEK OF APRIL 12 to APRIL 18

| <b>April 19</b>                                                                                               | <b>April 20</b>                            | <b>April 21</b>                                                                        | <b>April 22</b>                                                                                                                             | <b>April 23</b>                                                               | <b>April 24</b>                  | <b>April 25</b>                                                                                        |
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| 8:00am -<br>Early<br>Worship<br>8:30am -<br>Adult<br>Sunday<br>School<br>(Zoom)<br>10am -<br>SMUMC<br>Worship | 10:00am -<br>Shalom<br>(Office<br>Library) | 10:30am -<br>Phase 10<br>Game Day<br>(FH)<br>7pm-SPRC<br>Meeting<br>(Church<br>Office) | 8:30am<br>Women's<br>Breakfast<br>(Zoom)<br>3pm -<br>Worship at<br>La Mirada<br>Heights<br>4pm-Bells<br>5pm-Choir<br>6pm-<br>Youth<br>Choir | 8:00am -<br>Men's<br>Breakfast<br>@IHOP<br>3pm-8pm -<br>Free Music<br>Lessons | 3pm-8pm<br>Free Music<br>Lessons | Boy Scout<br>Fundraiser -<br>Baked<br>Goods &<br>& Scout<br>Camp<br>Cards<br>(SMUMC<br>Parking<br>Lot) |



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