

ANNOUNCEMENTS

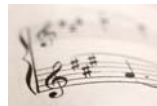
HELP!! HELP!!



Do you enjoy visiting with your friends after church with a cup of coffee or punch? Would you miss the goodies the hosts provide each week? If you answered “Yes” to either of these questions, then **WE NEED YOU!!!** We need hosts for the Fellowship Time after the 11:00 service. All that is required is some time to prepare the goodies, serve, and clean up after the service. To become a Central Foodie during August, call Maureen Kroll, 473-2598 or see her after church on Sunday.

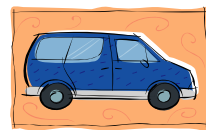
COFFEE FOR SALE TODAY!!

A NEW SUPPLY OF COFFEE HAS ARRIVED! If you have been waiting for your favorite blend, maybe it is here today. Check the coffee table before you go to the barbecue.



CANTATA BY OUR CHOIR

Sunday, June 14, the choir will be performing “Gloria” by John Rutter. Be ready to enjoy our outstanding vocal performers. This will be the last Sunday for the choir to sing before the summer break.



SIERRA SERVICE PROJECT

Off we go!! On Sunday morning, July 12, fifteen youth group members and three adults will board three vans in our parking lot and head for a week of mission work in South Central Los Angeles. We will stay at Vermont Square United Methodist Church and rehab houses in the neighborhoods surrounding the church. This will be our fifth year to take young people on an SSP trip that will most likely transform them into seeing our world differently.

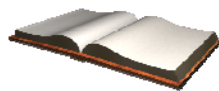
This year many of our participants are unable to fund the trip on their own. With parents out of work or families on limited budgets, \$310 is too much to give the

students. Would you consider giving a gift of \$20 or \$40 to help us send our youth to Sierra Service Project?



WELCOME TO ROME!

Our Summer Sunday School begins next Sunday, June 14. Hopefully this will be an amazing program if we get people to volunteer to be storytellers, craft people, game leaders and snack providers. Please consider volunteering for two Sundays. See Alan Cook today or sign up on the board.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP TACKLES GILEAD

Marilynne Robinson's Pulitzer Prize winning Gilead is a tale of fathers and sons and of the spiritual battles that still rage in America's heart. It is a reminiscence bridging the Civil War to 1950's Iowa. Well-written and a compelling read, it's the current focus of the Wednesday Night Book group. Interested? Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Administrative Conference Room.

-Alan England

CENTRAL'S SUMMER AGAPE

Central's Agape group will be moving to Victory Park for Concerts in the Park beginning Wednesday, June 10. We will start gathering at 5:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to join us. Bring your own dinner and look for Alan Cook in the center of the park. Last year we had a lot of fun and we are looking forward to another year of fellowship and great music. The concerts begin at 6:00 p.m.

June 10	- Air National Guard	July 1	- Valley Concert Band
June 17	- Art Bregante	July 8	- Tropical Nights
June 24	- Dixie Inc.		

PEACE AND JUSTICE SUNDAY

Our communion offering next Sunday will be given to programs of the United Methodist Church throughout our own country and the

world. Peace with Justice Funds have been used by United Methodist missionary Rick Jost in Haiti. Rick and other United Methodists are using solar ovens to help poor families in Haiti pasteurize their drinking water and cook healthy meals in a safe environment.

Half of the Peace with Justice offering stays within our own annual conference for peace and justice ministries here in California and Nevada. The other half goes to the General Board of Church and Society to allocate for programs that promote a just and peaceful world.

To learn more about Peace with Justice Sunday, visit www.umcgiving.org/PWJS.

PLANNED GIVING WORKSHOP SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY JUNE 14 AT GRACE UMC

Grace United Methodist Church will host a Planned Giving Workshop on Sunday, June 14 from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. Presenters will be the Reverend Betsy Schwarzentraub and Ms. Susan Peters from the Conference Office of Planned Giving.

Refreshments will be served.

If you are interested in this workshop please contact Pastor Dave (466.5046) so we can RSVP to Grace Church.

Central's Missionaries

Sunday, June 21 Alan Cook and eight high school and college age students from throughout California will leave for a Sierra Service Project trip to Talanga, Honduras. Our own Jacob Schumake will be a member of this team. While in Talanga the team members will work side by side with family members and others from the community to build two simple, but safe, dry and secure brick dwellings. Nearly all of the work will be done by hand. This will include moving bricks, sand and water. The group will also be mixing mortar and digging and pouring footings. This SSP group will be guided by and work along side a few skilled Honduran workers. They will be gone for two weeks.

Please keep Alan and Jacob in your prayers.