

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE

THE GOLDEN FEATHER



Dinner @ 6 Menu's for February

Contact the church office
at 530-534-9455 to find out
the current weeks dinner.

Save the Date

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February 6th

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February 27th

Soup Sunday

February 3rd

No potluck

Proceeds go to Hunger Walk

All You Can Eat Pho Soup

Luncheon Fundraiser

February 9th

Italian Dinner & Auction

March 9th

Educator of the

Year Dinner

April 29th

Bishop Minerva G. Carcaño | District Superintendent Rev. Blake Busick

Pastor Cheng Yang

February Birthdays

for updates please give the information to Erin or Jeremy Buis or
send to: umc@1stunitedmethodist.org

2 Por Yang
4 Shoua Lor
4 Susan Sharon
5 Wa Lee Kue
6 Cindy Cha Yang
10 Alice Pittman
10 Joe Yang
10 Sue Fredericksen
10 Vue Yang
12 Natalie Yang
13 Maichou Yang
15 Zoua Vang
16 May Lor
18 Connie Guererro
19 Tony Moua
21 Jeremy Buis
21 Lynn Cha Yang
21 Chor Vang
23 Larry Ott
24 Adrine Hoke



February Worship

Feb. 3rd

Greeters: Gerry Miller

Coffee Hour: Soup Lunch

Feb 17th

Greeters:

Coffee: Carol Anderson

Feb, 10th

Greeters: Joun and Randy
Fowler

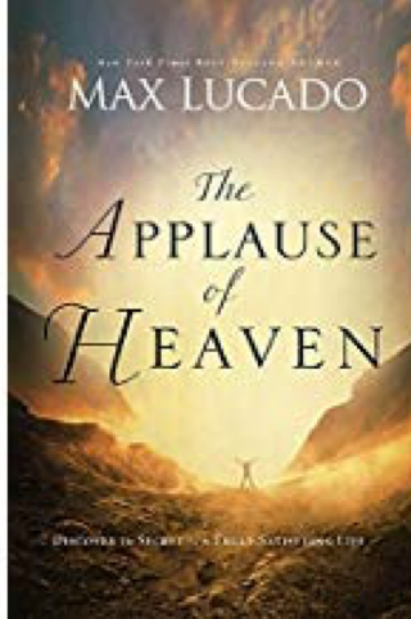
Coffee Hour: Janet Short

Feb. 24th

Greeters: Betty Ledford

Coffee Hour: Wayne and
Bev Smith

*If you'd like to host a coffee hour or greet people as they come to church please
contact Pastor Cheng or email umc@1stunitedmethodist.org*



Applause of Heaven. It's a study of the Sermon on the Mount and the Beatitudes. written by Max Lucado. Books available from me or Amazon. Glenda Ott

Would you like to be part of a Visitation Team?

There are many members of our congregation who can no longer make it to church for various reasons. However, one of our Methodist traditions is to care for our members and we may be letting them down. All it would take would be visits to their place of residence to let them know we still care. Pastor Cheng needs our help. Anyone who would enjoy visiting with our homebound members please contact the church office and let us know. The visits will enrich your life.

Thursday Morning Bible Study
For more information you can call or
speak to
Joan Azevedo, 589-5509.



CHURCH SHARE CARDS

I have a report on how are church share cards are doing as a fundraiser for our church general fund. In December 2018 our share cards made \$56.22. Year to date they have made \$809.22. This will be the final report for 2018.

When you shop at Food Maxx remember your share cards when you pay for your groceries. The money you spend will come back to the church general fund. When the clerk starts to scan your groceries put in the church phone number (530) 534-9455 then touch the green button. That is all you have to do. There is no card to use. If you have a problem ask the clerk for help.

What an easy way to help your church general fund.

Thank you

John S. Fowler

Church Treasurer

Chairman Finance



SHOP AT YOUR FAVORITE ONLINE STORE AND DONATE FOR FREE

UMC Market Place is a shopping market that is linked to the Methodist Church that rewards the local church for your online shopping. Go to www.umcmarket.org register for the site and register to **First United Methodist Church of Oroville, CA.** you then go to the list of stores and do your shopping. OverStock pays up to 75%, Macy's pays 4%. This time of year when people are shopping online for gifts is a time to also think of the church earning dollars. Please consider using this site to do your online shopping you just go into the site each time you begin your shopping.



Staples

Shopping at Staples? Use the Church's phone number 534-9455 and the Church will receive Staples Rewards credit.

SUBMITTING ITEMS TO THE GOLDEN FEATHER

An article can be submitted to the Golden Feather in many ways. Here are a few: in the body of an email and sent to

umc@1stunitedmethodist.org

a picture in jpeg form and emailed to address above written on a piece of paper and left in the office for Jeremy Buis

if more information concerning your article please include the link.

All articles must be submitted on or before the third Sunday of the month. Any questions please check with Jeremy Buis. He will be happy to help you.

SHOWING VIDEOS AT CHURCH

There has been a form submitted so we will be able to show videos on the church site. If this form was not submitted there would be a strong fine for showing videos without the form.

By having this form, we could show family films during the summer with a BBQ or just popcorn. Admission would be by donation.

Prayer Chain

If you would like to be put on the email or phone list to be informed of Prayer Chain requests for prayers please let Rod know. 782-0486. You can also send an email:

oroumcprayer@gmail.com or our new additional prayer line

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1stumcoro/>

(Facebook group is a closed group so only members see postings)

Soup Lunch

First United Methodist Church Of Oroville
45 Acacia Ave
Oroville, California
530-534-9455



Sunday February 3, 2019

11:30 AM

Donation

Variety of Soups
French Bread
Dessert



To Benefit Oroville Hunger Walk



Remember those in our church family in need of prayers:

Sue Fredericksen asks for prayers for her granddaughter **Hailey** as she is starting college with a respiratory infection; Helen Beall asks for prayers for her neighbor **Betty Wright**, she has Parkinson's & had to go to the ER; Glenda Ott asks for prayers for husband **Larry** as he has some heart issues & is going to be evaluated; Alma is asking for prayers for a former member **Judy Adams**, as she is now in a memory care facility; Prayers for **Joan Azevedo** as she recovers from a fall; Prayers for **Pat Gray** for continued healing of her eyesight; Keith Felice asks for prayers for **his cousin** to recover from an operation and is now in rehab; **Helen Beall** is asking for prayers for her high blood pressure & also her **daughter-in-law** was injured by a fall from a horse, pray for healing; **Derek Cheek** asks for prayers for his high blood pressure & also **his son** is deployed overseas, needs prayers to keep him safe; Pray for Seng & Cindy's baby **Lincoln**, as he had successful heart surgery and is home now recovering; Pray for **Bill Cheek** who was hospitalized last month, but is home now; Louise Weitze asks for prayers for her friend **Karen Whitlow-Martin** as she has been diagnosed with breast cancer and is undergoing chemo; pray for *Sharon Cheek* as she is in a lot of pain still; **Pastor Bob** has placed his wife Nadeen in a Memory Care facility and also has two sisters in care facilities. Pray for Pastor Bob and family as they go through this process; Cristl Yates asks for prayers for her father **Rudi** as he has a tumor that is not operable. She reports that sometimes these tumors are benign, so pray for this tumor to be one of those; Prayers are needed for Som Xiong's mom **Mee** who is now home recovering from her stroke; Derek Cheek asks for prayers for his **2 year old grandson** who has elevated levels of blood sugar & also for his **brother-in-law** who has heart issues; **Cathie Mooney** – prayers for her as she has ongoing health issues; Prayers for Sue Fredericksen's cousin Billy Dale Christian who has cancer; Prayers needed for **Darol & Shirley Valder**. **Darol** has heart problems & high blood pressure. Alma Short requests prayers for her friend's daughter, **Lizann**, who is in the process of dying. Lizann is only in her 50's & her mom Sandy is having a hard time; Helen Beall asks for prayers for her *neighbor's daughter*, who has breast cancer; Cathie Mooney requests prayers



for her friend **Diane**, who needs a kidney transplant; prayers are needed for **Avalynn**, the little girl we were helping through Wings of Eagles. She needs a bone marrow transplant; **Cristl's** friend **Jewel** was diagnosed with ALS & now is in hospice care; **Cynthia Slattery** requests prayers for her cousin **Stephanie Couris** – some improvement in her kidney function & Cynthia is seeing a change in her spiritually; Prayers for **Wang Her Vang**, who is very ill, and no longer able to attend church; Prayers for **Pastor Joseph Vang**, **Pastor Shine Vang's** son, as he was hospitalized in critical

condition after suffering a stroke. He will need surgery, pray for healing; Prayers for **Erin Buis** as she is recovering from back surgery in August. Pray for **Jeremy & Taylor** as they go through this process with her; **Sue Fredericksen** asks for prayers for her friend **Julianne Bennett**. Julianne has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer & is only receiving comfort treatment; **Sue Fredericksen** asks for prayers for her son **Kelly**, who is in prison & has some medical issues. Also, **Kelly's wife Missy** has advanced bilateral ovarian cancer. Pray for the family as they go through a difficult time.; **Alma Short** asks for prayers for **Joan Jacobson**, as she is now in Prestige Assisted Living; **Reidun McGrath** – Prayers for her husband **Tim**, who is still dealing with his cancer, but a recent scan went well.

SPECIAL PRAYERS for all of the Camp Fire Victims, especially those who lost loved ones. Continue to pray for recovery, for families displaced and wanting to go home and for those who are never going back. And for the 86 victims and all of their families who are now mourning the loss of a loved one.

Pray for those with ongoing concerns: Gary Azevedo; Troy Barton; Jeremy Buis; Pastor Chuckua & Poyee Yang; Buz Manwell; Chris Barnes; Steve Ewalt; Norman Rieck; Chris Christian; Jeffery Felice; Joan Jacobsen; Adrienne Hoke; Rick Roath, Nancy Jacobsen, Stephanie Couris, Cody Fredericksen, Rhylan Fredericksen, Chuck & Marie Bailey, Haydon Wyman, Diane Becerra, Phil Azevedo, Connie Longshore, Cathy Santos, Frank Johnson, Elaine Klein, Molly & Randy, Junior, Alice & Wayne, Noella Phillips, Josiah Hayden, Mitchell Kenneth, Nick Butrix, Connie Myers, Rudy Messerschmidt, Linda Perry, Emily Fancher, and Amber's mom.

NOTE: As you read the above, please let me know if there is anyone who needs to be removed/added to the prayer list or ongoing concerns, please email umc@1stunitedmethodist.org or betty@accularm.com.

Prayers for those who have lost a loved one recently: prayers for Vivian Grainger and her family as Vivian's son Michael Grainger passed away in early January. Also, Janet Short asks for prayers for Meryl Townsend as her husband Al Townsend passed away on January 11th.

Pray for our military at home & abroad and for the families of our missing ones, our POW's & MIA's who never came home. They serve, so we can be free.

Continue to pray for our overall church finances. We are doing much better financially now, paying off some of our debts. Please continue to help the church become debt free! "And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. As it is written: "They have freely scattered their gifts to the poor; their righteousness endures forever." 2 Corinthians 9:8-9.

JOYS – A joy to see Emily Fancher in church visiting. We miss her when she's not here. A joy that baby Lincoln is home & doing well. Derek Cheek reports how wonderful it is for him & Tammy and Junior to all be in recovery, with Junior being in recovery for 66 years. Several baptisms were held on January 6th. Such a joy!

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or our new additional prayer line

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After over 30 yrs our beloved Ginger Ewalt has decided to give up her position as church secretary. We thank her and bless her for all her years of service to our church.

Thankfully Cheryl Dieter has graciously accepted the position as church's new secretary. Her contact information is 559-334-1002 and her email is orovilleumc1@outlook.com.

Doug Krause would love to hear from you.

Doug Krause
Lavender Hills Rm 10
1794 Collyer
Redding, CA 96003
530-680-1341

CHURCH EVENT CALENDAR REMINDER

Members and Non-Members,

For all events that required the usage of church facilities, whether or not it is a church event, please fill out the facilities use form and turn it into the Trustees. They will then go over the form and place the event on the calendar if all information meets the facilities use criteria. A trustee will inform you if the event is approved. Please do not put the event on the church calendar yourself without approval from the trustees.

Thank you,
Trustees and Pastor Cheng Yang

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Pab Trustees thiab Xh. Txawj Tsheej Yaj

HMONG NEW YEAR



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Italian Dinner & Auction

First United Methodist Church Of Oroville
45 Acacia Ave
Oroville, California
530-534-9455

Saturday March 9, 2019
6 PM

Tickets
\$15

Antipasto
Salad
Spaghetti & Meatballs
with
Meat Sauce or Alfredo Sauce
Garlic Bread
Dessert
Coffee
Punch/Water

To benefit Church and Youth Programs open to the Oroville Community

Tickets/reservations/information

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Randy
530-533-5921
530-353-1976

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530-636-0081

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OROVILLE, CA 95965

ALL YOU CAN EAT PHO LUNCHEON FUNDRAISER

DATE: 2/9/19 AT NOON

TICKETS: \$10 PER TICKET; \$6 FOR AGE 4-10

LOCATION: OROVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TO SUPPORT THE HMONG MEN'S MINISTRY

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE
Income & Expense Report
November 2018

Checking Balance November 1,2018		\$14,507.26
Income Deposits during November 2018		7,532.37
Checking Expenses during November 2018		11,180.11
Checking Balance November 30, 2018		10,859.52
Liabilities		
Parsonage Loan		\$ 19,382.03
Pension 2010		5,585.70
Pension 2011		7,096.00
Pension 2013		3,712.67
Fundraisers		
Food Maxx Share Cards	\$ 53.67 November 2018	\$753.00 Year to date
Dinner @ Six	29.75 Loss November 2018	2,226.78 Profit Year to Date
Turkey Dinner	207.92 Profit	

November was not a good month with the Camp Fire up in Paradise, Concow, and other areas and with all of the smoke here in Oroville church had to be canceled one Sunday, The Preschool had to be closed because of the smoke for three weeks we had no check from the preschool, our tenants moved out of the parsonage and we received no rent. Our collections were down and all of this took its toll on our finances. Still I was able to pay all of our bills on time. I spent \$3,647.74 more than we received. We ended November with a much smaller balance in the checking account than I started with at the beginning of the month. The good news is December looks much brighter.

Thank you for your help with our church finances.
Thank you
John S. Fowler

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF OROVILLE

Income & Expense Report

December 2018

Checking Balance December 1, 2018	\$10,859.52
Income Deposits during December 2018	19,171.32
Transferred funds to pay property and sewer taxes on church and parsonage	2,354.93
Checking Expenses during December 2018	15,812.06
Checking Balance December 31, 2018	16,573.71

Liabilities

Parsonage Loan	\$ 18,960.75
Pension 2010	5,185.70
Pension 2011	7,096.00
Pension 2013	3,712.67

Fundraisers

Food Maxx Share Cards	\$ 56.22 December 2018	\$809.22 Year to date
Dinner @ Six	125.24 Profit December 2018	2352.02 Profit Year to Date
Turkey Dinner	223.13 Profit	
Retired Teachers Luncheon	269.00 Profit	

Special Offerings

UMCOR Camp Fire Victims	\$436.00
U.M. Student Day	130.00
Christmas eve Offering	
The Hope Center	281.34
Oroville Rescue Mission	281.34

December was a very good month for our church finances. Our collections were back to normal, the preschool is back, and our parsonage has been rented again. We had special offerings for victims of The Camp Fire and our Christmas Eve offering was divided in half. We gave 1\2 to The Hope Center and the other half to The Oroville Rescue Mission. Both are helping people right here in Oroville.

Thank you for your help with our church finances.

Thank you
John S. Fowler
Church Treasurer

Oroville First United Methodist Church
Prayer Chain

Rod: 782-0486.

**You can also send an email:
oroumcprayer@gmail.com**

Gerry Miller

Joan Keller

534-8469

534-9493

Helen Beall

Joan Azevedo

589-3149

589-5509

Virginia Bias

Ellen Felice

534-8004

533-8879

Susan Sharon

Vivian Grainger

532-0215

589-5440

If you have a prayer request for the Prayer Chain you will call Rod. Rod will send out an E-mail to those on the email list, he would then call the first person on each list and they would in turn call the next person on the list. If the person you call is not available please call the next person on the list.

**Welcome to
First United Methodist Church of Oroville
Celebrating Over 150 Years Serving
the Oroville Community**

45 Acacia Ave, Oroville, CA 530-534-9455 <http://www.1stunitedmethodist.org>

Our mission is to know Christ and make Christ known: to nurture our relationship with God and our commitment to Jesus Christ, to invite others into the community of faith, to equip, send and support Christians for daily witness and service.

Sunday Service Schedule

Adults & Children's Sunday School.....	8:45 a.m.
Hmong Service.....	8:30 a.m.
Chancel Choir Practice.....	9:45 a.m.
Hmong Adult's Sunday School.....	10:10 a.m.
Hmong Youth Sunday School.....	10:10 a.m.
Combined English/Hmong Communion Service 1 st Sunday.....	10:30 a.m.
English Service.....	10:30 a.m.
Children's Church (after Children's Sermon).....	11:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour & Fellowship.....	Following Service
Church Council (First Sunday).....	Following Service
Trustees (Second Sunday).....	Following Service

Monday Schedule

Finance Committee (Second Monday).....	5:30 p.m.
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Wednesday Schedule

Chancel Choir Practice.....	6:45 p.m.
Dinner @ Six each Wed. Sept. to May.....	6:00 p.m.

Thursday Schedule

Bible Study & Breakfast.....	7:30 a.m.
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Friday Schedule

Community Prayer Service (room L/M).....	6:00 p.m.
Sonwalkers Youth Group Meeting.....	6:00 p.m.
Young Adults.....	6:00 p.m.
Hmong Women's Choir.....	6:00 p.m.