

Clarksburg Community Church

Chimes

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Third Class



Youth Choir at Clarksburg Community Church! Inviting all 1st-9th graders!

Where: Clarksburg Community Church

Who: Cherub Choir – 1st-3rd grade students

Junior Choir- 4th -9th grade students

When: Every Wednesday evening beginning **August 30, 2017**

Cherubs- 6:00-6:40 pm

Juniors- 6:45-7:30 pm

Why: To celebrate the gift of music and use it to glorify our Lord Jesus!

We will be performing in church many times throughout the year. Please put these dates on your calendar and make a commitment to attend choir regularly!

We will be singing in church on Sunday:

- ❖ September 17
- ❖ October 22
- ❖ November 19
- ❖ December 17 (special service, more info to come),
- ❖ January 28
- ❖ February 25
- ❖ March 25 (Palm Sunday)
- ❖ May 13 (Mother's Day).

There will be no practice on Wednesday: Nov. 22, Dec. 20 & 27, Jan. 3, and March 28.



FROM THE PASTOR

A special thank you for two special people, Lorna and DJ. After 13 years as the church office secretary, Lorna retired in June. Thank you for all your days and years of faithful work for me, for the church, and for so many.

After 10 years as editor of the Chimes, DJ passed that task on to Lee Harris, who also has taken over as church office secretary. Thank you DJ for keeping us informed every month on all the happenings.

At the same time, there are numerous others I want to thank for all they do. It takes everyone doing their part to keep the church and its mission going day after day and year after year. In Ephesians 4, Paul reminds us “But to each one of us grace has been given as Christ apportioned it...From him the whole body joined and held together by every supporting ligament grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.” I thank God and I thank each one of you for this church where so many do so much!

Pastor Dennis

NICARAGUA MISSION TRIP

Pastor Dennis and Lee Harris will be going to Nicaragua September 23-29 to join the IBAC team once again in the ongoing task of teaching the Bible and theology to the pastors and church leaders of Esquipulas. This will finish the 4th year of a 7 year commitment Clarksburg Community Church has with IBAC. The subject for this seminar will be the Doctrine of the Holy Spirit. Pastor Dennis will be teaching 6 sessions over 4 days. Please be praying for him as he prepares, pray for the people and churches as God prepares their hearts.

We are raising money for the trip; if you would like contribute please indicate “Nicaragua Mission” on your offering at church or you can mail it to the office at:

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We will be sending a team in the spring, is this something you might consider? Pray about it!!



| Worship in September Sunday School all ages 9:30 am Service Begins at 11:00 am | | |
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| Sept 3 | “God the Creator” Genesis 1 | Communion |
| Sept 10 | “Male and Female” Genesis 2 | |
| Sept 17 | “Thy Word” Psalm 119 | |
| Sept 24 | Guest Speaker John DeLeeuw | |

SUNDAY SCHOOL HAS STARTED AGAIN!

Our theme this year is Chosen. We meet Sunday mornings at 9:30 and start by singing in the Sanctuary and then moving into our classes. I hope you all choose to come and study with us, there is a class for everyone!

- Pre-K- 1st grade: Ashley Sanders and Tracy Mangunlay
- 2nd – 5th grade: Darlene Webber and Gabby Krueger
- 6th – 8TH grade: Steven Winkler and Matthew Spain
- 9th - 12th grade: Don and Karen Clark
- Women’s group: Jaimie Lynn Mc Gregor
- Adult: Bob Bartron and Dennis Montzingo

MONDAY BIBLE STUDY

Starting September 18th from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in the "Blue Room" by the nursery. We have chosen a Max Lucado book entitled “Grace: More Than We Deserve - Greater Than We Imagine” as our guide. All are invited to join our fellowship for an uplifting study and stimulating discussion. Please contact Charlyn Connor to ensure we order enough books.

SAVE THE DATE

SATURDAY, SEPT 30th for a day of fascinating and profoundly spiritual exploration of the Old Testament by theologian and professor of Old Testament Sandra Richter. Her presentation is filled with insight and humor guaranteed to hold your interest and deepen your understanding of Good’s redemptive plan for us. We will gather at 9 a.m. in the Community Hall for coffee, begin the video in the Sanctuary at 9:30, break for a POTLUCK LUNCH at 11:30 - 12:15, continue the video till 2:30, break for dessert, and finish the session from 3-5 p.m. COME FOR ALL OR PART OF THE DAY. Invite friends and neighbors, what better way to spend your Saturday than "sitting at the feet of Jesus"?

SERVING AT UNION GOSPEL MISSION

I was 13 or 14 when I first served at the UGM. Walking in and being confronted with homelessness at a level I wasn't accustomed was challenging. It was challenging to see a group of 80-plus people congregated into one room, enjoying their potential only meal of the day and not be able to do anything more than smile and put food on a tray. Asking them how they are and hearing the same answer you give them just doesn't feel the same. My good day consisted of getting a good grade on a test or my mom being the first one in line to pick me up at school. Their good day is they ate three meals and had some space to call their own. I faced the struggles of grades or peer pressure while they faced addiction and trying to meet their own basic needs or even, for some, dealing with mental illness. My struggles just didn't match up to what they were going through. Fast forward to now: I have seen many faces come through that serving line. Some I have grown accustomed to seeing, while others I only see once or twice. Some are too old to be on the streets and some are too young to be going through a food line. Many faces have gone through the program that the UGM provides for homeless men. Of those men we have come to know, some have had great successes and are working full-time (Kevin). We even got invited to a wedding (Bobby), watching them doing great work for their family and the mission. Others, though, we have met after they beat their demons only to see their demons come back and we see them in the food line years later,

like Oscar. Seeing Oscar come through the line, after having come to know him and even hear him speak at our church, was a crushing blow that almost brought me to tears; not the first nor the last time that has happened.

Serving at the mission is something everyone at our church should do. It takes no more than 90 minutes and doesn't take much more than serving food and smiling- something I have seen all from our church servers do at one time or another. If serving the homeless doesn't touch your heart, I encourage and challenge everyone to find a cause or organization to go and physically volunteer at. It's one thing to give to a cause when all you have seen is the name while it is entirely different to go and see, up close, who you are benefitting.

Serving at the mission has been one of the most rewarding things I have done in my life. Though I didn't set out for anything more than just to serve food and offer a smile to those who needed it, I have been afforded many lessons, relationships and memories from these few years- all of which I am ready to continue.

If you are interested and would like more information, please talk to those who have served at the mission every third Thursday of the month for the past six years. If you are interested in joining us, please sign up on the sign-up sheet located on the bulletin board in the community hall.

God bless,
Matthew Spain

UNION GOSPEL MISSION OPPORTUNITY

The Mission Committee, along with Union Gospel Mission, is asking for donations this month of all sizes of SHAMPOO. Please bring your donations to the blue barrel in the Garden room at church. We will be collecting SHAMPOO through the month of September. We will be asking for different donations each month to help those that are less fortunate. Please prayerfully consider being a part of this mission! Thank you.

COLLEGE ADDRESSES NEEDED

With the beginning of the school year, this means that our college students are returning to college and many have new addresses. Please send the addresses of your college student to Margie Montzingo at:

margiemontzingo@gmail.com

We would like addresses of all college students (both those staying locally and those away at school). Even if the address is the same as last year, please send it to Margie so that she can make sure to have current addresses for all students. **Please send addresses ASAP so mailings can begin.** College "care packages" as well as "Envelopes of Love" are sent over the course of the year.

CALLING ALL BAKERS!!!

The Hospitality Committee will be calling upon all bakers to help with the Hospitality Fellowship coffee hours that are held when our Children's choirs sing. You will be called ahead of time and asked to bring 3-4 dozen of cookies prior to the worship service. It is our hope that all will be able to be a part of this wonderful church ministry.

SUMMER MUSIC - THANK YOU

I would like to thank the following people for their contribution of uplifting and joyful music for our summer worship service:

- * VBS children w/Lana Reynolds and Becky Morazzini (songs from VBS);
- * Graham Connor (vocal solo);
- * Jane Casey, David Kamminga, Sam Merwin, & Tom Wallace (fabulous quartet); Kathy Hunn (flute) & Claire Connor (piano);
- * Michael Kelly Blanchard;
- * "Witness" (Keith Connor, David & Kevin Kamminga, Matthew Spain, & Shari Winkler);
- * Gregory Merwin (organ) and Cherilyn Duncan (piano)- duet;
- * Gospel Group- Lisa Finn, David & Kevin Kamminga, Sam Merwin, & Matthew Spain;
- * Tiffani Taylor (vocal & piano);
- * Tressa Dahlberg (vocal solo);
- * Shari Winkler & Eddie Owen.

Tressa Dahlberg, Special Music Coordinator (Music Committee)

RUTH SCHNEIDER AND FAMILY

Thank you for the heartfelt expressions of sympathy, cards of condolence, meals and prayers following the passing of Lawrence Schneider on June 16, 2017 at the age of 105.

Sincerely,
Ruth Schneider and Family

THE LAZZERINI FAMILY- BABY ISABELLA

Dear Clarksburg Community Church, Guido and I would like to thank you for YOUR support and prayers that have helped us through our journey with Isabella this past year. It's hard to believe that she will be turning ONE in October!

We would like to invite you to celebrate this special day with us on **October**

1st from 3pm-5pm at Wilson Vineyards, 50878 Babel Slough Rd, Clarksburg, please RSVP by Sept. 24th to Robyn at [916-712-3721](tel:916-712-3721) or Rjlazz1313@gmail.com

No gifts please, but if you would like to donate to the UC Davis Child Life program by bringing an unwrapped gift or gift card we will be happy to deliver it. If you would like to make a cash donation you may write a check directly to UC Regents (in the memo it has to say UC Davis Child Life, so their department receives the funds directly). Having lived in the UC Davis Children's Hospital for four and a half months of Isabella's first six months of life we can't say enough good things about the programs/services that were provided. Luca spent many hours in the hospital during

Isabella's stay and there were playrooms with volunteers that would watch over siblings to make their time spent at the hospital was a bit easier. They provide several therapies including music and art; they also provided both the patients and siblings with the tools to better understand or process of what they are going through. Whether it's a stuffed animal with IV's, a feeding tube and a broviac or books, toys, a movie, even gifts for the sibling to "give" to each other, etc. They bring as much normalcy to the families as possible with holiday celebrations or even serving green eggs and ham on Dr. Seuss's birthday. It's a service that doesn't go unnoticed as we'd love to give back in honor of Isabella. Thank you so much and with love.

The Lazzerini Family



GO BALD FOR CHILDHOOD CANCER

Shaving heads in El Dorado County to fight childhood cancer. Join us!

All ages welcome

Wine, music, food & more

Saturday September 23RD 12 - 4 pm

Pleasant Valley Community Hall

4765 Pleasant Valley Grange Road

Placerville, CA 95667

Free Ticket Information

www.stbaldricks.org



Invited by:

Bob & Mary Bartron, David Kamminga

<https://www.stbaldricks.org/teams/mypage/114999/2017>



29TH ANNUAL WINES OF CLARKSBURG SUNDAY - SEPT 17TH

Save the date for the 29th annual Wines of Clarksburg wine tasting and art auction. Details:

Where: Heringer Ranch, from 1-5 pm

What: Wine tasting, gourmet local food, live music, and bid on the beautiful artwork of Sacramento and Delta artists

Benefits: All proceeds benefit our Clarksburg Library

Costs: Tickets are \$40 in advance and \$60 at the door

For tickets see Dennis Updegraff or Christy Frame or purchase online www.clarksburglibraryfriends.org