



Fellowship with Our UCC Partners: Annual Picnic is August 16, 12 PM, Emerald Hills Park

Blessed are those who picnic.

Well, the scripture doesn't put it *exactly* that way. But if it's August in San Diego, count on the United Church of Christ partner churches to make it so.

The annual Partnership Picnic will take place Sunday, August 16, 12 P.M., at Emerald Hills Park (right behind Christian Fellowship UCC). Hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks will be served but bring a "family favorite" potluck dish to share. Our partnership church congregations are diverse -- Japanese, African-American, you name it -- so look forward to flavorful and diverse cuisine. Music, games, and mingling will also be featured.

Our San Diego partnership is one of the only UCC partnerships in the nation, so come celebrate our

unique fellowship. Don't forget your sunscreen, lawn chairs, and your dish to share.

Sign up to carpool or catch a ride on a sign-up in Lander Hall. Here are directions to Christian Fellowship UCC/Emerald Park:

Directions to Christian Fellowship UCC and Emerald Park:

From KCC: Take 15 south and exit ML King Jr. Freeway/CA-94. Merge onto CA- 94 East.

Travel 1.2 miles to exit 4B for Kelton Road.

Take a right at Kelton Road.

Christian Fellowship UCC is at 1601 Kelton Road, San Diego, 92114. ♦

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**Save the Date:
Sunday, September 13**

**KCC's 80th Anniversary &
Rally Day Celebration**

Each year, the first Sunday after Labor Day, we celebrate Rally Day and launch a new Sunday School year for our young people. But this year, we have much more to celebrate. After all, KCC is 80 years young, having first been established officially on September 15, 1939.

You don't want to miss the balloons, the teacher introductions, the classroom Open House, visits with former ministers, a delicious dinner, a historic slide show, and an ice cream social on the front lawn after church. So join us for the special 10 o'clock service on Sunday, September 13. ♦

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**Sunday worship at 8:30 and
10:00 a.m.
All are welcome!**



**New Titles Arrive For Your
Summer Reading Pleasure**

Stop by the Ruth Cole Library to peruse the latest additions to our collection, including:

Archer, Jeffrey – *Paths of Glory*

Binchy, Maeve – *Heart and Soul**

Carter, Charlotte – *For the Least of These*

Clark, Mary Higgins – *Just Take my Heart**

Grisham, John – *The Associate*

McCain, John & Salter, Mark – *Hard Call**

Medlicott, Joan – *Promises of Change**

Mortenson, Greg & Relin, David Oliver – *Three
Cups of Tea*

Noble, Diane – *A Matter of Trust*

Pollin, Irene & Golant, Susan – *Taking Charge*

Shaffer, Marry Ann & Barrows, Annie – *The
Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society*

Vennard, Jane – *A Praying Congregation*

*Available in Large Print♦

Moderator's Moment

Volunteers are the backbone for KCC that produce God's work. There are many behind-the-scenes tasks that get done by volunteers both for the Sunday worship service, for events, and all the other community service KCC provides.

Volunteering is beneficial to both the church community and to the volunteer. The church community benefits tremendously from your volunteer skills and energy. The volunteer is enriched even more, from the satisfaction of doing God's work to the opportunity to meet and know members better. Volunteering for a task that you have never done before can be a great learning experience. Bringing your expertise to the community can enrich other people and strengthen the community. New ideas are always encouraged.

KCC is governed from the bottom up, which means individuals vote on the church leadership, committee members and major decisions. The right to vote comes with a responsibility to be an informed member. A great way to stay informed is to be a committee member. The chairman of each committee reports back to his or her committee on the actions of the Council.

Throughout the year there are other opportunities for volunteering. Currently, the Council is looking for volunteers to represent KCC in the local UCC Partnership, to become a KCC delegate for Southern California/Nevada UCC Conference functions, and to serve as a member of the Settled Pastor Search Committee.

If you are interested in serving in any of these positions, please contact one of the Council members or me. Or if there is some task, project or skill that looks interesting to you, let me know and I will find a way to get you involved. We welcome your participation! You can always reach me at rwayman1@cox.net or 619-287-0549. ♦

--Rich Wayman, *Moderator*



Middle and High Schoolers: **Youth Swim Party is August 8!**

KCCers ages 12 through 18: You're invited to bring a friend and paddle over to a KCC swim party! The summer fun is set for Saturday, August 8th, 2 to 5 P.M. at the home of members Dale and Elizabeth Clegg, 5310 Canterbury Drive, San Diego, 92116.

Please R.S.V.P. to Beth Guepin at 619-282-9749. The party is sponsored jointly by KCC's Events Committee and the Religious Education Committee.

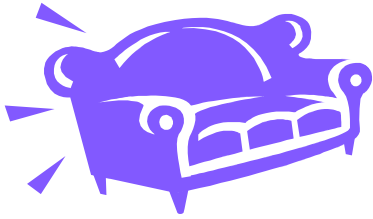
Don't forget to invite a friend! And to make a splash!



Roll Up Your Sleeves! **Spruce Up Our Sunday School!**

Several of our church school classrooms are in need of a dusting off and a fresh coat of paint. So join us Saturday, August 15, 9 A.M. to 12 P.M. at the church for a painting and clean-up party. The Clark and McCarthy families have already volunteered and invite you to join us for the clean-up day.

Wear some old clothes, and help us get our toddler, 1st-3rd grade rooms, and the upstairs hallway sparkly and colorful for a vibrant youth program to start on Rally Day in September. ♦



Betty Craig Estate Sale: Saturday, August 29

Long-time member Betty Craig, who passed away in June, bequeathed her furniture and household belongings to the church and its missions. Bless her! KCC will hold the estate sale on Saturday, August 29, 7 A.M. to 12 P.M. in Lander Hall.

We need volunteers to sort and price the estate sale items in the social hall on Thursday, August 27, and Friday, August 28. There will be sign-up sheets in Lander Hall on Sundays and in the office Monday through Friday. If you have items of value to donate and contribute to the sale, bring them to the church office on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday (August 24-26) of that week. Thanks for being great stewards of Betty's generosity.

Contact Beth Guepin for more information at 619-282-9749. ♦

Friendly Faces Wanted!

Can you help us greet on Sunday mornings this summer? It's a wonderful way to give your smile a work-out.

Greeters welcome our neighbors, members and guests on Sunday mornings just prior to the 10 o'clock service. Please sign up on the sheet at the entrance to Lander Hall if you can lend us your friendly face for 15 minutes. Thanks. ♦

Welcome to the World, Precious Margie!

The rosebud on the pulpit Sunday morning, June 28th, was to announce the birth of Marjorie Lyn (Margie) Thomas, born on June 22nd at 10:47 A.M. and weighing in at 8lb. 12 oz. Her proud parents are Jennifer and Patrick Thomas. Big brother Ciaran and grandparents, Gayle and Mike Trempe, are also sporting delighted grins.

Treasurer's Update: Here's the Bottom Line

Reflecting Tithes and Offerings Through July 26, 2009

This year's Actual	\$85,291
This year's Budget	\$90,881
Last year's Actual	\$111,946

For a complete financial report, see June 30, 2009 statements posted on the bulletin board in Lander Hall.

If there are questions, call or email Dick Wayman 760-788-7908 or rwayman@chicagobooth.edu. ♦

Special Thanks

To Abel Gutierrez

For filling in this summer when John Loomis was away, preparing coffee and refreshments after the 10 A.M. service.

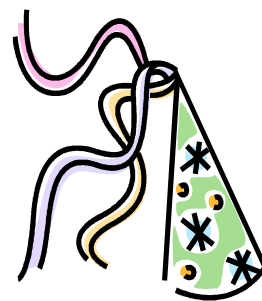
We appreciate it! ♦

Prayer List

Please remember these people in your prayers:

Adam and Denise
 The Ambayac family
 Kathleen Andrews
 Nancy Brest
 Judy Cagel
 Wayne Cagel
 Noriko Cook
 Marjorie M. Cooper
 Don Davis
 Carolyn Devine
 Rensey Durha
 Dusty
 Pat Epton
 Frank
 Carol Frontis
 Karen Gibson
 Diane Guerra
 Lowell Hansen
 Kathy Hosler
 Johnnie Huggins
 Bertha Lander
 Kimberly Larsen,
 Vicki Lvedtke
 Alden Malachowski
 The Naismith family
 Eddie Noah
 The Parr family
 Fredric Radick
 Roland
 Ann Schroder
 Bill and Joyce Stark
 Jim Toomey
 Barbara Underwood
 Carol and KP Wells
 This church community
 And the family and friends of
 Betty Bourda, Marie Grim,
 Bob Guerra, and Jack Richards.

To get a name added to this list, please contact the church office (info@kcc.sdcoxmail.com or 619-284-1129). ♦



August Birthdays

Take a moment to wish them well!

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| 1 | Jennifer Trempe |
| 2 | Alyssa Hall |
| 3 | Rebecca Soto, Jennifer Ottman |
| 4 | Ron Morebello |
| 5 | Mike Trempe |
| 7 | Debbie Loomis, Ashley Schamu |
| 8 | Patty Richardson |
| 9 | Katie Loomis |
| 12 | Sheryl Chaffee |
| 13 | Vicki Apgar |
| 15 | Peggy Suarez |
| 17 | Cheri Choy |
| 16 | Edith Mason |
| 20 | Lilah DeVries |
| 22 | Robert R. Apgar, Florence Hallinan |
| 23 | Bob Lowe, Karma Klauber |
| 25 | Jeanette Keller |
| 26 | Hunter Ottman |
| 27 | Mary Diener |
| 28 | Joan Wayman ♦ |

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UPCOMING EVENTS

YOUTH SWIM PARTY: MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL (AGES 12-18)
PLACE: HOME OF DALE AND ELIZABETH CLEGG
WHEN: SATURDAY AUGUST 8, 2 TO 5 P.M. BRING A FRIEND!
R.S.V.P. TO BETH GUEPIN AT 619-282-9749

SERVICE: SUNDAY SCHOOL SPRUCE-UP!
PLACE: UPSTAIRS, KCC
WHEN: SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 9 A.M. TO 12 P.M.
JOIN US FOR CLEANING AND PAINTING!

SERVICE: BETTY CRAIG ESTATE SALE
PLACE: LANDER HALL
WHEN: SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 7 A.M. TO 12 P.M.
WITH SORTING AND PREP WORK THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
QUALITY DONATIONS ACCEPTED MONDAY-WEDNESDAY

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