



Oregon City United Methodist Church Newsletter

July 6, 2022

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

Saturday, July 9

Sunday, July 10

10:00am – Worship

10:15am – Sunday Fun Zone

Monday, July 11

Tuesday, July 12

Wednesday, July 13

1:00pm – HOPE Food Pantry

5:00pm – Worship Design Team

6:30pm – Bell Choir

Thursday, July 14

10:00am – Ladies' Bible Study

Friday, July 15

Our Weekly Giving

Are you interested in furthering education at home and around the globe? Preventing and fighting the addiction of gambling? Nurturing lay missionaries in their vocation? A [World Service Special Gift](#) may be the perfect way for you to share your blessings.

World Service Specials are official programs within The United Methodist Church through which support may be designated for projects approved by the General Conference and, in the interim, by the General Council on Finance and Administration and the Connectional Table. Gifts may be made by individuals, local churches, organizations, districts or annual conferences.

Current World Service Special Gifts projects include the Africa University Endowment Fund, the Leonard Perryman Communications Scholarship for Ethnic Minority Students, the Methodist Global Education Fund, the National Anti-Gambling Project and the Lay Missionary Planting Network.

Receipts have ranged from more than \$1.2 million in 2018 to nearly \$900,000 in 2021. To learn more, go to [World Service Special Gifts | The United Methodist Church \(umc.org\)](#).

HAPPY Birthday

WERBER, BOB	07/05
HILL, BETTY	07/08
OSTRICK-CRONRATH, AUGUST	07/12
STERLE, JOANNE	07/13
MYERS, CARRIE	07/16
EMMERSON, CONNIE	07/20
FERGUSON, MARTY	07/23
TONOLE, MARJORIE	07/23
SYTSMA, DANIEL	07/24
CRAWFORD, PAM	07/25
CRUIKSHANK, WILLIAM	07/26
DANIELS, BILL	07/30
GIFFORD, MARY	07/30
NORRIS, MICHAEL	07/31

Worship Opportunities

In-person & Live-streamed
Sundays at 10:00 a.m.



Rev. Tom Orquiza-Renardo

Pastor
Cell: 503-888-5224
ocumcpastor@gmail.com

Christa Palmer

Secretary
Office: 503-656-3433
Office@oregoncityumc.com

Rick Wilson

Music Director



Call from Pastor Tom

At Oregon City UMC, I want to take advantage of the summer weather and have some get togethers. The first is visiting with as many of you as I can. I have been hesitant for the past year because of COVID. Though now with the loosening of restrictions and the effectiveness of vaccines, I want to take this summer to get to know the members of this congregation better. This could be over coffee, a meal, a walk in one of the beautiful Oregon City parks, or a sit-down visit at home.

BBQ on the Porch

The second opportunity for some church family socialization will be with a BBQ on the porch on Wednesday, July 20th at 6:00pm. We're taking advantage of the summertime sun and inviting the congregation to come together for a BBQ dinner. Come join us for burgers, hot dogs, sodas, and time to be with friends and faith family.



Upper Room

July/August issue of the Upper Room Devotional is now available. If you are not able to pick up a copy at the church, you may request to have a copy mailed to you.

Office Closed

The church secretary will be away on vacation July 7 - 15. The office will be closed for the week. Please contact Pastor Tom if you have any questions or concerns during this time.

Covid Update

Clackamas County is at a Medium Community Risk Level, while caution is still advised, masks are optional in public spaces. At Oregon City UMC, we recommend the wearing of masks.