ALDERSGATE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Lenten Prayer

Your Aldersgate Staff will be praying for you during the season of Lent, beginning on Ash Wednesday, March 6. We gather weekly and will be praying for the congregation by Shepherd Group. By Easter we will have prayed for everyone. If you have any special prayer requests that you would like to have lifted before God, please call the church office and ask for Gail Kendall, or email her at admin@aumctustin.org.

It is our joy and privilege to be in relationship with you through prayer.

SUNDAY, MARCH 3 - LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Worship at 9am—Holy Communion
"Friends Carry Each Other" Mark 2:1-12
~ Food Collection for Sunday Supper ~
Connect 101, 10:30 am, Library
Zero Gravity (4th & 5th grades), 5:30 pm, Ed Bldg, Rm 8

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6 - ASH WEDNESDAY

Service at 7pm—Imposition of Ashes

SUNDAY, MARCH 10 - FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

(Daylight Saving Time Begins—Spring forward)
Family Worship at 9am
"A Gift from the Spirit" John 3:1-8
Lenten Class: "John the Gospel of Light and Life" (see pg 11 for details)
Children ages 4th grade & up remain in worship with their families
Family Promise Chili Cook-off, 5:00 pm, Fellowship Hall (see pg 10 for details)

SUNDAY, MARCH 17 - SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

Worship at 9am
"Do You Want New Life?" John 5:1-15
~ Food Collection for Sunday Supper ~
Sunday Supper, 5:30 pm, St. Paul's Episcopal Church

SUNDAY, MARCH 24 - THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

Worship at 9am
"The Bread of Life" John 6:25-40

SUNDAY, MARCH 31 - FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

UMCOR SUNDAY

Worship at 9am
"Listening to Jesus" John 10:1-18

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Facility Use

Please remember that **ALL GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS** using the Aldersgate facility **must** contact the church office and schedule their meetings, rehearsals and events on the Master Calendar. Using the Master Calendar avoids conflicts and confusion and insures that your meeting or event is set up properly with the necessary equipment.

Our facility is in **constant** use both internally and by outside groups. What you see on the Sunday bulletin calendar is only a small portion of the events and activities that are occurring during the week.

In addition, it is **VITALLY IMPORANT** to remember to close and lock all doors and windows when you adjourn. Thank you for your help in keeping our property secure!

ZOE Report

Empowerment beyond charity

Read about our adopted Rwandan orphans' progress plus much, much more. Find document as a separate attachment.

ZOE

BeFriender—Listening Presence

BeFriender Ministry
A Listening Presence

The BeFriender ministry of Aldersgate is a listening presence.

This ministry is not a ministry of "doing", but of "being," —being present and listening quietly. At times, everyone can be on a difficult journey and needs a caring companion who will listen, empathize, and be a reminder of a caring, faith community.

All requests and meetings are confidential. This ministry comes under the umbrella of the Care and Nurture team.

If you are interested, or know of someone who might be, do not hesitate to contact the church office (714) 544-3653..

PASTOR TIM'S THOUGHT

LENT

40 DAYS WITH JESUS

March 6th is Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of the season of Lent. Lent is the forty days (excluding Sundays) leading up to Easter.

The term Lent comes from the word *lencten*, which means "spring." The season is a preparation for celebrating Easter. As Judy Naegeli puts it:

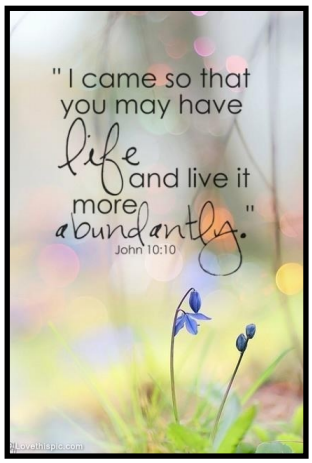
> *During this season, we spend forty days meditating on our brokenness—the brokenness in ourselves, in our relationships with God, with others, and with creation—that Jesus came to heal with his death and resurrection. After that comes Easter, a long celebration lasting until Pentecost, in which we celebrate that healing and God's promise of wholeness and shalom.*

Lent is a very important season. It invites us to walk with Jesus as he heads to Jerusalem where he will be killed and then raised from the dead. Lent reminds us that to participate in Jesus' life, we must also participate in his death. Lent teaches us that the way to self-fulfillment comes through self-surrender.

In Matthew 11 Jesus says, *"Are you tired? Worn out? Burned out on religion? Come to me. Get away with me and you'll recover your life. I'll show you how to take a real rest. Walk with me and work with me – watch how I do it. Learn the unforced rhythms of grace. Keep company with me and you'll learn to live freely and lightly."*

Lent is a time to come to Jesus and walk with him - a time to dance to the rhythm of his grace. It is a time to turn our attention to Jesus.

With this goal in mind, during Lent, Pastor Ken and I will be preaching through a series on ***The Gospel of John*** titled ***"That You May Have Life."*** According to John 20:31, this gospel was written "that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name." In our series we will focus in on one primary question - how do we experience life in Jesus?



Along with this series, we'll be inviting everyone in our church to read through the Gospel of John together starting on March 11. Please go to page 11 to view the daily reading schedule for our Lenten study.

All of this begins on **March 6, when we will have our Ash Wednesday service at 7:00 p.m.**

I hope that you can join us during Lent as we take this journey together with Jesus.

Grace and peace,

Pastor Tim

If you need prayers for yourself, a family member or a friend, you are invited to contact:

The Church Office
at (714) 544-3653

All prayer requests are given to the pastors and office staff, who pray together weekly. Members of the prayer chain pray specifically for those who ask for prayers for themselves and/or others. If you are interested in becoming a member of the prayer chain, please contact the church office.

Let us support you in prayer!

Prayer Request—Special Session of the General Conference

As we mail this issue, a Special Session of the General Conference of The United Methodist Church is taking place February 23-26, 2019 in St. Louis, Missouri. The purpose is to receive and act on a report from the Commission on a Way Forward. Please continue your prayers for all involved. Let us also pray for the Holy Spirit to overwhelm all United Methodists globally with the assurance and knowledge of the peace, hope and love that comes through Jesus Christ. You may view the proceedings via live stream; link available at the umc.org website.

GRIEFSHARE®

Grief Share meets each Sunday at 2:30pm in the Church Library. It is designed to help anyone experiencing grief or loss in their life. Whether the loss is through death or some other life loss—job, home, or anything that causes grief, Grief Share can help with coping with the tenderness of that loss. The group is open to anyone who can use help caring for their loss.

Contact the church office for more information (714) 544-3653.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY... meets on the **1st and 3rd** Wednesdays of each month **from 3pm to 5pm in the Junior High Room.** If you are interested in being part of this important and meaningful ministry, please feel free to attend a meeting. Even if you have no experience, there are knitters and crocheters willing to help those just getting started. Please feel free to contact the church office if you have any questions or need further information about the group.

Church Council Corner

So No One Walks Alone

Report from Annual Leadership Retreat

Dawn Marie Lemonds, Church Council Chair

On Saturday, January 26, twenty-three AUMC leaders participated in our annual Leadership Retreat with the theme "*So No One Walks Alone*" – directed to ensure that Leaders are equipped, supported and working together to support our mission to "**Connect, Grow and Serve**". Our Desired Outcomes included:

- Connect with God and each other,
- Reflect on AUMC's purpose, vision, and key goals for 2019,
- Tips and Tools for fruitful and fulfilling leadership, and
- Coordinate ministry and committee planning for 2019.

For five quick hours we connected through interactive activities, prayer, scripture study and sharing our upcoming plans for the year, led by Pastors Ken and Tim and Council Chair, Dawn Marie. We started with prayer, song, a "snowball fight" and of course goodies!

We affirmed that we have an active church that is busy doing a lot of things. We want to continually work toward building the quality of the relationships we have with each other and our guests. Finally, we developed a "working calendar" of activities and events for the year that involve the church in order to support the work of other groups and spread the "campaigns" of requesting money, products and volunteer work throughout the year.

Following are the **Key messages** the group developed to share with others as "ambassadors" for the work we are doing to **C**onnect, **G**row and **S**erve:

- We are ministers and need to model good leadership. Follow Jesus' leadership principles.
- All we do in our committees and groups need to advance our work toward **Connecting, Growing and Serving** and take into account the other work being done in that season.
- We need to be "*hands of Christ to each other*" and know about and support the work of other leadership groups.
- Connect all of the tasks we do to clear purpose, details and desired outcome.

Finally, we commit to continue to keep our Church family updated on our work and invite interested members to ask questions, provide suggestions and give us feedback throughout the year of any of our Church Council members!

Safe Sanctuaries and VBS Training

Sahra Tanikawa

Safe Sanctuaries is an overt expression in making Methodist congregations safe places where children, youth, and adults may experience the abiding love of God and fellowship within the community of faith. The philosophy is to put policies and procedures in place that align with our California-Pacific Conference guidelines to reduce the risk of abuse in the church for children and youth and keeping everyone safe during church based activities. AUMC Tustin developed these guidelines and has had them in place for the last 13 years to support the mission and vision of the conference, but it is also a requirement of our insurance provider to have our church insured. One of the ongoing tasks is to have all volunteer and staff that work with youth participate in training and background checks that align with the church and conference policies. The United Methodist Church contracts with Safe Gatherings, an organization that facilitates these activities and if you are a person who works with our youth, you will be contacted shortly by the church to participate in this online training so that we can be in compliance with our Safe Sanctuary guidelines.

One of our largest outreach ministries with children and youth is our Vacation Bible School in June. This year, in support of our large VBS volunteer team, our Children's Ministries Director will be hosting ***safe sanctuaries trainings in May and June at the church for all adults and youth that wish to volunteer at VBS***. We look forward to your support of this vital program to keep children, youth and adults safe during church-sponsored activities.

Youth

For our youth gatherings, we collected and sorted canned goods for Families Forward on Souper Bowl Sunday. We connected with our Zero Gravity group by eating and playing 9 Square together which was awesome! We also had a game of extreme dodge ball on our youth led activity night! Good times!

Thank you all so much for your constant love and support of our incredible youth! Amen!

Blessings,

Scott Wilmoth
Director of Youth Ministries

Hello Everyone!

We had a wonderful February! We have studied together, served together and played together to help us continue to connect, grow, and serve with each other. First of all, we had some insightful Bible studies based on Pastor Tim and Pastor Ken's Friends series. Friends are important to each of us, and we need to be reminded that God speaks through our friends to help us in our daily lives.

We have had some fantastic Confirmation Class sessions on Wednesday evenings. Pastor Tim, Courtney Hunter, and I have been working with our Confirmation youth since September, and we are all growing in our faith each time we gather. Thank you to the mentors of our youth for the time and effort you put into them. Confirmation Sunday is April 28th!

Important Dates

Vacation Bible School—June 24 to June 28

Junior High SSP, Smith River —June 29 to July 7

Senior High Houston Rebuild Mission Trip—June 30 to July 6

Elementary Camp, Lazy W Ranch —July 7 to July 12

Junior High Camp, Lazy W Ranch—July 14 to July 19

Senior High Camp, Lazy W Ranch —July 21 to July 27

Plan ahead for fun and meaningful volunteer opportunities next summer!

Family Ministries

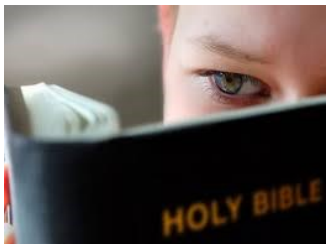
Kim Wilmoth, Family Ministries Director

Third Grade Bible Class

Perhaps you remember receiving a Bible from your childhood church? Perhaps you still have it and use it? Bibles given to children by their church hold significant meaning.

Our 3rd grade Bible Class will begin **Sunday, March 24**. The class is open to all children in 3rd grade (or 4th or 5th who have not been through the class). The class will be held in the library during the Sunday school time. The children will be dismissed following the word for children. We will meet every week except for Easter, Memorial Day weekend and Youth Sunday.

Each third-grade child will be presented with a Bible on **June 9** during the regular worship service. We hope this special Bible from the church will support and guide each child's faith journey. Bible Sunday is a significant day; bring the whole family to church. Tell your child this is an important moment. Beat the drum, sound the symbols! This is how we pass on the faith!



Finally, if you are interested in being part of this faith journey and would like to help teach the class, please let Kim Wilmoth know. We use a scripted curriculum that also allows for teacher input. You would not need to commit to the whole 8 weeks.

If you are the parent of a third-grade child at our church and have not received your letter about this program, please contact Kim Wilmoth.

Zero Gravity

Calling all
4th and 5th graders

Sunday, March 3 • 5:30-7:00 • Room 8

Come for pizza and fun!

Questions: Families@aumctustin.org

We Welcome Sarah to Aldersgate UMC

Miracle Movers Instructor

"Miss Sarah" Johnston has been hired as the Miracle Movers instructor to perform three dances per year (Easter, Youth Sunday and Advent). She has been dancing since the age of three and teaching dance for over 20 years, graduated Magna Cum Laude from the University of Arizona with a BFA in Dance. She has performed professionally in ballet, modern, and jazz productions locally with Watson Dance, and also with Paul Powell Productions in Tucson and Canyon Movement Company in Flagstaff, and in "The Glory of Christmas" at the Crystal Cathedral. For 5 years, she danced at Disneyland: in Parade of Dreams, A Christmas Fantasy Parade, Disney's Electrical Parade, and *Fantasmic!*

Miss Sarah has taught ballet, modern, jazz, lyrical, tap, hip hop, leaps and turns, and choreography for Momentum Dance Center, Pacific Dance Center, Canyon Dance Academy, Orange County Dance Productions, Flagstaff Arts and Leadership Academy, and Coconino Community College, and she coached the Flagstaff High School Dance Team. She is the owner and director of Showtime Dance, which provides preschool and after-school dance programs all over San Diego and Orange counties, and "Miss Sarah" has been sharing her love of dance with the children of Aldersgate Children's Center for almost 15 years. She has taught and performed in Las Vegas, the Grand Canyon, the Netherlands, and Italy, as well as all over the U.S. Miss Sarah is a certified yoga teacher and a certified "Rhythm Works Integrative Dance" instructor for children with special needs. Her newest title is that of "Mom," to her two (adopted) baby girls, Elizabeth and Isadora, one- and two-years-old.

Environmental Ministries

Sylvia Williams, in memory of Buttons

Our Feline Friends are Best Kept Indoors

February was National Cat Health Month. This may seem like an unusual choice to mention in an Environmental Ministries article, but the care and keeping of our feline friends can dramatically affect God's fragile ecosystem around us.

Cats are wonderful creatures capable of living in either a domesticated or wild environment. This may be why so many people choose to allow their feline friends outdoors. Unfortunately, the outdoors is no place for a cat. By allowing our pets outdoors, we are allowing certain behaviors to alter our local wildlife.

Cats are hunters by nature, so will not hesitate to think twice about catching birds or other small animals for food, fun, or as a gift to their owner. When there are a large number of loose cats in a particular area, the number of small animals that fall victim to our little friends grows exponentially.

According to a report by the College of Natural Sciences at the University of Massachusetts, loose cats have led to the extinction of certain wildlife species, causing other predators to find alternative prey and to hunt one another. This can lead to smaller organisms running rampant, since they are no longer being hunted by whatever our cats have preyed upon.

The food chain relies on a delicate balance which our chosen furry friends should not be disrupting. And while we may feel like we are denying these critters the chance to be like their wild cousins, we must remember that *indoors is safest* for them and for the local wildlife.

If you feel your cat needs more stimulation than is being provided by his day-to-day indoor life, then try some of the following actions:

1. **Interactive toys** are perfect for the home. It allows your pet to exercise and can mimic their natural desire to hunt (think laser pointers or a kitty fishing pole).
2. **Scratching posts and climbing places**, again, allow your pet to practice behaviors that they would be doing outdoors but from the safety of their home.
3. **Plant catnip!** If you haven't tried giving your cat this plant before, you'll get a kick out of watching them with it.
4. **Finally, take your little friend out for a walk.** Just because you shouldn't let your cat loose outdoors doesn't mean they shouldn't go out at all. There are cat leashes that will allow you and your companion to roam the neighborhood while keeping its ecosystem intact.

Yippee for Wahoo's!

Monday, March 4th!

Aldersgate Children's Center presents… a fundraiser at Wahoo's in Tustin! You can dine in or take out.

10:30 am-9:00 pm

Don't forget to bring your flyer and Enjoy!

UMCOR Sunday Offering—March 31

*Did you know **UMCOR Sunday** donations cover all of UMCOR's administrative costs?*
Yes, 100% of your donations go to UMCOR administration
so the rest of the year's donations may go directly to relief efforts around the world.

When disaster strikes around the globe—Haiti's 2010 earthquake or Typhoon Haiyan in 2013, the 2017 Hurricanes Nate and Harvey in the US, the recent California wildfires—so many of us watching the drama unfold on our living room televisions feel entirely helpless. How could any one person make a difference in the wake of such widespread devastation? As responders around the globe scramble to help survivors, the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is prepared to act.

Since 1940, when UMCOR's forerunner was established to meet the needs of those suffering overseas at the onset of World War II, we've continued to respond to those in desperate need throughout more than 80 countries. The response of UMCOR isn't something "they" do, it's something "we" do.

When you give, you equip Christ's body to serve in his name. That's because your generous giving to UMCOR Sunday (formerly One Great Hour of Sharing) is what allows UMCOR to act as the arms and legs of Christ's church; together we are assisting those impacted by crisis or chronic need.

Because you give, the United Methodist Church's compassionate response to human suffering continues. We responded when:

- tornadoes ripped through Oklahoma
- children in Zimbabwe lost parents to AIDS
- a massive tsunami devastated lives in Japan
- hurricanes, fires, and floods ravaged the United States

UMCOR will be able to offer aid in Jesus' name to those who suffer because United Methodists give through UMCOR Sunday. In fact, it's your generous giving that allows us to respond when disaster strikes. Not "they." "We." When we meet the needs of those who suffer we actually minister to Jesus. As we respond, we recognize Jesus in those who are reeling in the wake of disaster.

Please look for the UMCOR Sunday offering donation envelope in the March 31 bulletin.

I would like to thank everyone who has made past donations to support UMCOR or our UMCOR mission team, and to Elizabeth Circle for donating supplies and assembling 24 hygiene kits that will be used for UMCOR's humanitarian disaster relief efforts. Your support and generosity is much appreciated.

Joyce Stenberg, Chair Mission/Outreach

UMCOR Depot West Mission Trip Meeting—March 31

An UMCOR Depot West Mission Trip Team Meeting is scheduled for March 31 at 10:15 in the Senior High Room. Another way to support UMCOR is to be a volunteer.

From July 15 – 19, 2019, a team from Aldersgate will be volunteering at the UMCOR Depot West in Salt Lake City, Utah. This is one of the two UMCOR warehouses in the United States that stores disaster relief supplies that are sent globally during times of disaster and crisis. ***There are still a few spaces left on our team. If you are interested in learning more, please join us!***

MISSION OUTREACH

Opportunities and Events

Chili Cook-Off And Dancing!

Sunday, March 10 at 5 pm / Chili judging at 6:30 pm

Family Promise of Orange County is throwing their first Chili Cook-off fundraiser and Aldersgate is honored to host this fun event in Fellowship Hall. So, dust off your crock pots and put on your aprons! This event is open to everyone.

Tickets/Registration information can be found at www.familypromiseoc.org. Please reach out to Cyndee at Family Promise with any questions at 714-353-0428.

Family Promise of Orange County
Building Community, Strengthening Lives

Entry into event includes music, dancing, chili, salad, drinks and desserts. Children 5 and under are free!

Admission is $10.00 per person or $35 per family. (Submit a crock pot of chili and registration is free!)

Stories. Connect. People.

Sharing Our Stories (SOS)

March 21 at 10:00 am in The Hub

Please join us for this interesting morning as former Judge Dick Behn shares some of the highlights of his life at our Share Our Stories meeting. Dick has been a long-time member of Aldersgate, grew up a Navy kid and in his own words as a "beach bum." He lived in Napoleon's horse stables for a while. (How did that happen?) As a judge hearing both criminal and juvenile cases, Dick will also discuss the Christopher Ibarra case.

Sabil USA

Thank you for Donating!

Chris Alderson, Mission/Outreach

The SABIL USA Organization of Orange County and its volunteers from Aldersgate UMC want to thank the congregation for so generously contributing items, which will replenish the SABIL pantry. The pantry furnishes items (mostly paper and hygiene products) that are not covered by The Federal government's food stamps program (SNAP) to immigrants residing in Orange County.

AUMC Mission Outreach members **connected** with SABIL representatives at the January 27th Ministry Fair.

The delivery of Aldersgate's donated items to the SABIL pantry will enable Sabil and AUMC to **serve** local immigrants.

As a church family, we will be reading the Gospel of John together during Lent. This reading schedule that will let us finish the book by Easter.

Gospel of John
Daily Scripture Reading - Lent 2019

Mar 11	John 1	Apr 1	John 12:20-50
Mar 12	John 2	Apr 2	John 13:1-17
Mar 13	John 3	Apr 3	John 13:18-38
Mar 14	John 4:1-26	Apr 4	John 14:1-14
Mar 15	John 4:27-54	Apr 5	John 14:15-31
Mar 16	John 5	Apr 6	John 15:1-17
Mar 18	John 6:1-24	Apr 8	John 15:18-27
Mar 19	John 6:25-71	Apr 9	John 16:1-15
Mar 20	John 7:1-24	Apr 10	John 16:16-33
Mar 21	John 7:25-52	Apr 11	John 17:1-19
Mar 22	John 8:1-30	Apr 12	John 17:20-26
Mar 23	John 8:31-59	Apr 13	John 18:1-18
Mar 25	John 9:1-41	Apr 15	John 18:19-40
Mar 26	John 10:1-21	Apr 16	John 19:1-16
Mar 27	John 10:22-42	Apr 17	John 19:17-42
Mar 28	John 11:1-37	Apr 18	John 20:1-18
Mar 29	John 11:38-57	Apr 19	John 20:19-31
Mar 30	John 12:1-19	Apr 20	John 21:1-25

Lenten Bible Series Led by Dan Gara

Beginning Sunday, March 10, join us for a six week Lenten Bible study written by Adam Hamilton titled "John: The Gospel of Light and Life." This study, led by Dan Gara, will explore the major themes of John's Gospel, including Jesus' miraculous signs, his "I AM" sayings, his farewell discourse, as well as his arrest, crucifixion, and resurrection. Class will be held in the Fellowship Hall beginning at 10:15 a.m.

Opportunities and Events

TGIW—Thank Goodness It's Wednesday
March 6 and March 20

Wednesday dinners are held the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a friend and join us for dinner. Let's connect. $5.00 per person/$15.00 per family for the best meal deal in town!

March 4—Fresh Expressions Discussion with Pastor Ken

Elizabeth Circle

Elizabeth Circle will meet on Monday, March 4 at 6:45 in Kim Churton's home. We will be discussing the book "Fresh Expressions" with Pastor Ken. As you are able, please bring a children's book to donate to our Children's Center.

Next month: We will be sharing favorite Easter Traditions as well as Easter recipes.

Hope Circle

March 20 in The Hub— Discover the Holy Land

On Wednesday, March 20, at 9:30 am, Hope Circle is excited to have Michele Corbett share her experiences in the Holy Land. All are welcomed. Please join us, connect and enjoy.

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Sunday Schedule

* Worship at 9am *
* Childcare provided for infants & toddlers starting at 8:30am
Christian Education for children offered after Children's Moment in worship *

ALDERSGATE MOTTO

"We're Here for Good"

CONNECTING	GROWING	SERVING
People with People	In Knowledge and Faith	Our Church, our
People with God	In Christ-likeness	Community, our World

A movement devoted to connecting, growing, and serving together

So Nobody Walks Alone!