

Keeping in Touch at SMUMCHH

Week of January 5, 2025





Prayers for Church Family:

- **Terry FeuIner** had a CT scan as he has had stomach pain. The CT scan detected a large mass on his pancreas, some nodules on lungs, and a mass in his liver. He is scheduled for a biopsy on Wednesday, January 15th. **Please keep Terry (and Joy) in your prayers**.
- Shiryl Boerlin passed away the morning of December 24th. Keep her family in your prayers. Shiryl's memorial service will be held in our Sanctuary on Saturday, February 22 at 1:00pm with the memorial reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall.
- **Prayers for Orlen Willoughby.** He has been moved to Orchard Care Home for a short time 'til he sees the Urologist for an enlarged prostrate.
- **Keep Ruth Feick in your prayers.** Ruth is now having issues with mobility and short term memory. Ruth remains in her home and is receiving in-home Hospice care.
- **Prayers for Lisa** (Orlen Willoughby's daughter) who was diagnosed with cancer in 2023. She's had 4 surgeries and 8 rounds of chemotherapy. Something has showed up on recent PETScan on her hip and she is waiting results.
- Condolences to the family of Pastor Don Roe. Pastor Don passed away in early December. Don's memorial service will be held at St. Matthew's UMC on February 1st at 10:30am. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall. His family would love those who attend Don's service to wear Dodger blue colors.

Prayers out into our World:

- May EVERYONE in Southern California who is affected by these horrible, horrible fires be surrounded by God's arms!!!
- Continued prayers to the families who lost loved ones in New Year's

 Celebration tragedy that happened in New Orleans and prayers of healing
 to each and everyone who has been injured.

Condolences to those families who have lost their loved ones in the downing of Azerbaijan Airlines flight in Kazakhstan and the Jeji Air Company plane crash in South Korea.

Prayers for World Peace!

Continued prayers for our Members, Family, and Friends:

Donna Lilly, Pat Griffin, Jean Logan, Doris Sachs, Dorothy Tarvin, Chris Kozak (son of Rich and Denise Kozak), Diane Crawford (daughter of Shirley Butler), Jeff Graves (son of Joe and Patty Graves).



Those whose names are printed in red, have a special celebration this coming week:

January Birthdays Jan. 3 Sandy Koh

Peter Matsumura

Jan. 6 Dick Cline

Jan. 11 Orlen Willoughby

Jan. 13 Larry Howe

Jan. 15 Ruth Barnes

Jan. 16 Joe Graves

Jan. 20 Mike Gallagher

Don Pastrana

Jan. 21 Shirley Aney

Jan. 22 Jean Howe

Jan. 25 LaVerne Shaffer

Jan. 27 Johnny Doyle

January Wedding Anniversaries: January 10 Bob & Diane Hernandez

January 13 Tim Gudz & Lynda Zheng

January 29 David & Sheila Crain





Pastor David continues to offer Free Music Lessons to our community. Learn how to play the keyboard, guitar or drums. Call the church office at 626-333-6656 or email the office at smumchh@gmail.com for more information.



Christmas in January

Sunday, January 26, 2025 at 3:00pm
A freewill offering concert
featuring St. Matthew's UMC Carillon Ringers,
Chancel Choir, Children's Chorus and guest musicians

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