

**Shepherd of the Hills  
United Methodist  
Church**

*A Multi-Site Community  
of Faith serving the  
Saddleback Valley*



# HAPPENINGS

## Septemer 2018

Pastors:

Rev. Karl Stuckenberg

Rev. Jon Waterson

## September Worship

### September 2

### September 9

*I Am the Bread of Life*  
John 6:29-35

### September 16

*I Am the Light of the World*  
John 9:1-7

### September 23

*I Am the Sheepgate*  
John 10:1-10

### September 30

*I Am the Good Shepherd*  
John 10:11-16

## Sunday Worship Schedule:

### Mission Viejo Campus

9:00 am Traditional  
Worship  
11:00 am Modern Worship

26001 Muirlands Blvd.  
Mission Viejo, CA 92691  
949-837-2941

### Rancho Santa Margarita Campus

9:30 am Relaxed Traditional  
Worship  
11:00 am Modern Worship

30605 Avenida de Las Flores  
Rancho Santa Margarita, 92688  
949-589-1502

## Dear Church Family,

There is a hilarious (and very irreverent) scene in the 2006 comedy *Talladega Nights* where race car driver Ricky Bobby and his family are arguing over which Jesus they "like best." Ricky prefers the baby Jesus, while his wife prefers the grown-up Jesus with the beard who helps Ricky "win all the races." His best friend Cal prefers Jesus "wearing the tuxedo t-shirt", while his son envisions Jesus as a "ninja." The debate goes on and on. And while it seems silly, and maybe even a little sacrilegious to many of us, the scene parodies a dangerous tendency that takes place in the church all the time. Too often, we like to envision Jesus in our image, rather than allow Jesus to shape us in God's image. The danger of this tendency is obvious. Christian writer Anne Lamott once wrote, "You can safely assume that you've created God in your own image when it turns out that God hates all the same people you do."

It doesn't have to be this way. Jesus provided his followers a lot of guidance about who he was and what he came to do in the world. Jesus said a lot of things about himself. In fact, scholars call these statements "I AM statements" (clever, huh?).

In September, we will explore the I AM statements of Jesus. We will discover what Jesus actually said about himself (spoiler alert — there were no tuxedo shirts or mentions of ninjas anywhere). Join us for our new sermon series "I AM: What Jesus Said About Himself" beginning September 9. You will be glad you did.

God bless.

Pastor Jon

## Inside This Issue....

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and much more!



## Grummage Sale on September 29

We're excited to announce the Mission Viejo Campus  
Annual Grummage Sale!

### ITEM DROP OFF DAYS:

Thursday, **September 27** from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Friday, **September 28** from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

(Pizza/Pricing Party 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.)



### GRUMMAGE SALE:

**Saturday, September 29 from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

*For information or to register as a volunteer please contact*  
Cynthia Beaman at (714) 307-1115 or [beamanrectherapy@yahoo.com](mailto:beamanrectherapy@yahoo.com)  
OR

Mikael Lindahl at (949) 275-8883, or [drivenman1@gmail.com](mailto:drivenman1@gmail.com)



### Town Hall Meeting

**Sunday, September 23**

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

in the Mission Viejo Campus Sanctuary

### Shepherd 101 on Sunday, September 16

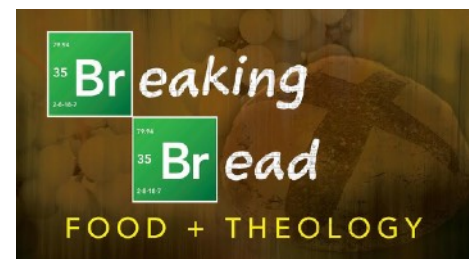
Not able to attend the last Shepherd 101 class? Here is another opportunity for you on Sunday, September 16, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

If you have been thinking about joining Shepherd of the Hills UMC or want to know more about the United Methodist Church, the Shepherd 101 class is for you. Come and join us on Sunday, September 16. Please notify the church office at (949) 837-2941 if you are interested in attending the class or stop by the office table on the patio to let us know. When you sign up for the class, please tell us if you need child care.



### Breaking Bread On Wednesday, September 19

We are beginning our second season of Breaking Bread. This is a time of food, fellowship, beverages, and growing in our faith. Our first event of the 2018-19 season will be at the Pizza Press in RSM. We meet from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Child care is available at the RSM campus. This year, inspired by Malcolm Gladwell's podcast "Revisionist History," we are going to be looking at things in the bible or church tradition that have been overlooked or misunderstood but still have an impact on our lives today. We will call it "Revisionist Breaking Bread." Join us on September 19 and see what all the excitement is about. You can RSVP on MyShepherd or on the RSM Facebook page. Child care is available.





## Journey to the Holy Land 2019

Space is still available for our January 29 - February 8, 2019, Holy Land Pilgrimage lead by Pastor Karl Stuckenberg and Pastor Jon Waterson. Brochures are available at each campus. For more information, contact Carla Beddome at (949) 350-5447 or [cbeddome@cruisesinc.com](mailto:cbeddome@cruisesinc.com).

## Give Ministries

### Hunger Sunday, September 2

Way to go, Shepherd! Our Hunger Sunday "Line Up for Lunch" in July collected 324 pounds of food for South County Outreach. Plan now for the next Hunger Sunday on September 2: SCO has plenty of peanut butter but needs jelly! Also, canned fruit and hearty soups (like Progresso) for their seniors.



### August Blood Drive a Success

Thank you to all the donors and volunteers and those people who provided child care for showing your support of the community at the American Red Cross blood drive on August 9 at the Mission Viejo campus. Your hard work has helped to collect 24 units of life-saving blood, exceeding our goal. Each unit is one donation and can help to save up to 3 lives. Shepherd has helped to save up to 72 lives this month and 324 lives so far this year. Well done!



Only a few people had to wait during this drive, primarily because their hemoglobin count had to be retaken. If you experienced any difficulties, please let us know.

Every day, patients throughout the Saddleback Valley area and across the country rely on volunteer blood donors when receiving healthcare. Cancer patients, trauma victims, organ transplant recipients, premature babies, sickle cell disease patients and others may need blood products. Your effort is truly appreciated by the blood recipients, their loved ones and all the staff at the American Red Cross. The blood you helped collect is a priceless gift to hospital patients and their families.

**Our next blood drive will be Thursday, October 11** at the Mission Viejo campus. Some people at the August blood drive have already made an appointment for the October drive.

### How to Give to Shepherd Online

Select one of these options:

- From your Mobile Device - Select a campus and Text the following:
  - Mission Viejo - Key Word: SOTHMV to 77977
  - Rancho Santa Margarita- Key Word: SOTHRSM to 77977
- Visit MyShepherd at [sothumc.ccbchurch.com](http://sothumc.ccbchurch.com) and click on Give, located in the left column of the home page.
- Visit the church website at [sothumc.org](http://sothumc.org) and click on the Giving link.

# Family Ministries

## Sunday, September 9 is Fall Kickoff!

Please join us on Sunday mornings for Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. (ages 3 to 5th grade). Children younger than 3 can attend the nursery. This quarter we'll begin a year-long journey through the Bible together!

## Sunday Afternoons

Please join us on Sunday afternoons beginning September 9 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. This quarter, we'll learn about and practice prayer together. Note the addition of **two new groups!**

### Bible Explorers' Club

For 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders

### Junior Bible Explorers' Club

For ages 3 through 2nd grade

### Sunday Afternoon Small Group

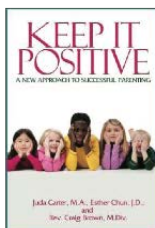
For adults

## Keep It Positive

A New  
Approach  
to Successful  
Parenting

Tired of giving time-out for the same thing over and over?  
Tired of yelling at your kids all day long?  
Feeling like nothing you do works?

**SAVE THE DATE!**



Join us for a class  
based on the book  
***"Keep It Positive"***  
taught by  
**Juda Carter  
& Esther Chun.**

**HELP IS HERE**

**Oct. 14, 21 & 28, 2018**

**Optional follow-up  
class on Nov. 4th**

**1:00 – 3:00 p.m.**

**STAY TUNED  
FOR MORE INFO!**

### QUESTIONS?

**Contact: Laura Arciniega**  
Director of Family Ministries  
& Discipleship  
[larciniega@sothumc.org](mailto:larciniega@sothumc.org)



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Mission Viejo, CA 92691



## Trunk or Treat on Sunday, October 28

4:30 - 6:30 p.m. RSM Campus, \$5.00 per person  
Join us in a fun-fill evening for the whole family!

- Activities: Games, Crafts, Live Music, Dinner
- Trunk Decorating Contest:
  - ▶ Win a prize if your trunk is the Cutest, Funniest, Most Elaborate, Best Themed or the Grand Prize
  - ▶ Decorate the trunk of your car from 2:00 - 5:30 p.m.
  - ▶ Pass out your goodies to the children from 6:10 - 6:30 p.m.
  - ▶ Sign up at either campus to let us know how many cars to expect
- Children's Costume Parade

For additional information or to volunteer, please contact Vicki Faivre at [vfaivre@earthlink.net](mailto:vfaivre@earthlink.net).

## Contact Us!

For Children's Ministry information, contact: Laura Arciniega, Director of Family Ministries and Discipleship, at [larciniega@sothumc.org](mailto:larciniega@sothumc.org); Christina Flores, Children Coordinator at RSM, at [cflores@sothumc.org](mailto:cflores@sothumc.org) or Amy Strawn, Childcare and MV Sunday School Coordinator, at [astrawn@sothumc.org](mailto:astrawn@sothumc.org).



# Preschool

## It's Been Quiet...But Not for Long!

During the summer months, we've been busy with two weeks of summer camp at RSM and two weeks at MV; now it's been way too quiet around the campuses without the sounds of our children! We have been painting, repairing, organizing, and working on accreditation, curriculum, and our beautiful outdoor classrooms!

We still have a few spots available at both our campuses, so if you know someone with a child between the ages of 2 1/2 - 5, have them give us a call to arrange a tour! Looking forward to a new school year full of fun, learning and faith...

Becci Lukes, Executive Director,  
Sarah Galliver, RSM Site Director,  
Cindie Reilly, Admin Director

Shepherd of the Hills  
United Methodist Preschool



# Music Camp

## Music Camp 2018

Music Camp 2018 was one of the best productions we've ever had! "I Witness News: Live from Jericho" told the story of Joshua and faithfulness of God. This summer we had 41 kids, which is a record for this annual event that's in its 18th year!

Many thanks to all the parents for bringing snacks, painting sets, making costumes, and helping the kids learn their lines. Big Big Thanks to all of the kids for a fantastic job! See you all next summer!





# Vacation Bible School





# Around the Church

## Class for Mental Health Caregivers in September

Family members and caregivers usually play the largest role in caring for someone with a mental illness. Millions have experienced the same questions, thoughts, and concerns you may be feeling right now. Come join us for the National Alliance of Mental Illness (NAMI) Family-to-Family class at the MV campus starting Sunday, September 23 from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m. There will be a faith message and prayer time from 12:00 to 12:30 p.m. before the start of each class. Pick up a flyer for more information and pass along to neighbors and friends—all are welcome. For information, contact Paul Lu at [Plu@namioc.org](mailto:Plu@namioc.org).

## Disciple Bible Study Begins September 11

Elizabeth Schoettger will lead a Tuesday evening Disciple Bible Study from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the Aldersgate Room beginning September 11. The study runs until December 4. Sign up at the MV office table or email Elizabeth for additional information at [chaplainbe@gmail.com](mailto:chaplainbe@gmail.com).

## Pastoral Care at Shepherd of the Hills

James 5:13-15 reminds us that as the church we are to care for one another, especially in times of struggle and illness. Pastoral care is important in the spiritual life of a church, and Shepherd of the Hills wants to walk with you when life gets hard. Our Pastoral team wants to pray with you before surgery, visit you in the hospital, and walk with you through tough times. In addition to our Pastoral team, we have trained Stephen Ministers, who are here to care for you as well.

If you are in need of pastoral care, please call the office and let us know. We have also set up an e-mail address at [pastoralcare@sothumc.org](mailto:pastoralcare@sothumc.org) that is confidential and will go directly to our pastoral team, so that we can respond to those needs.

**Confidential  
Pastoral Care**

*[pastoralcare@sothumc.org](mailto:pastoralcare@sothumc.org)  
or 837-2941*

## Acolyte Training This Fall

Coming this fall we are planning an acolyte training class. Acolyte training is for anyone in 3rd grade – Sr. High. During the training, Acolytes are trained to bring the light of God into the service, and then, at the conclusion of the service, bring the light of God out into the world. The acolyte ministry originated from Old Testament times. The scripture tells us of the prophet Samuel assisting Eli the priest and of Elijah being assisted by Elisha. If you are interested in becoming an acolyte, please contact Mary Jo Colwell at [Colwells@cox.net](mailto:Colwells@cox.net)

## Liturgist Training September 23 at MV

Whether you are a new liturgist, or have done it for awhile, come to the training at the Mission Viejo Campus on Sunday, September 23 from 2:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. For questions and additional information, please contact Ann Shimiui at [fungroup@cox.net](mailto:fungroup@cox.net)

## Pastor's Bible Study at Both Campuses

Please join Pastor Karl in the Aldersgate Room at Mission Viejo Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. as we continue our verse by verse study of Exodus. Join Pastor Jon on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. for Bible Study at the RSM campus.

## Ralph's Card Holders

Ralph's new program year begins on September 1, 2018. Everyone who was previously registered or has never registered needs to register for us to receive money back to the church for your grocery purchases at Ralph's. Our Ralph's NPO number is NY855. New members can either use our new number NY855 or Shepherd of the Hills to register.

Go to web-site [www.ralphs.com](http://www.ralphs.com)  
Click on Community  
Click on Community Contributions  
Click on Enroll Now

## Sunday Morning Goodies at RSM & MV

We thank you for your support of the Sunday morning goodies at the RSM and Mission Viejo campuses by your donations of \$1.00 - \$2.00 or whatever you can donate. Please continue to donate on Sunday morning, and we will continue to provide Sunday morning goodies for you. Enjoy your goodies! Thank you for your help and support.

# This 'n' That

## UMW Activities for September

Our **General Meeting** will be Saturday, September 15 at 10:00 a.m. in Shepherd Hall. Our program will feature Chaplain Gail from David and Margaret House. She is spending her birthday with us, so come out and wish her well and learn about some of the 17 programs happening at this national mission site. Potluck salad lunch will follow the meeting, and there will be birthday cake!

**Leadership Team**, please note change in date: *Tuesday*, September 4 in the Choir Room.

**Sarah Circle** will meet with Andrea Cook on September 18 at 1:00 p.m.

**Deborah Circle** will collect items for Operation Interdependence kits for military.

**World Thank Offering** suggestion for this month is 1 coin for land line phone; 2 for a flip phone; 3 for each smart phone. Our offering will be collected at the October 25 General Meeting.

Reminder: early next year we will collect bras for a mission project for women in Fiji. If you are purchasing new ones soon, be sure to save your old ones. Wash them and keep in a Ziploc bag ready to bring when asked. Thank you. PS same project needs dog collars.



## Shepherd Seniors Fellowship Luncheon on September 25

The Shepherd Seniors Fellowship begins its 2018/2019 year with a luncheon on September 25 at Shepherd Hall on the MV campus. Join us for lunch, and then join Pastor Karl and Pastor Jon in a rousing game of Bible Jeopardy! Most everybody loves trivia – the Bible Jeopardy game gives players the chance to not just show off their knowledge but also to learn even more about the Bible. It is an exciting game that is both informative and entertaining. The meeting begins at 12:30 p.m., with Bible Jeopardy at 1:15 p.m.



The menu for the meeting is slow roasted pork with tangy BBQ sauce and hoagie rolls, served with potato salad and fresh fruit.

Cost for the luncheon and game is \$15, with signup due by September 16. You are always welcome to bring your own lunch or join us only for the program and the fellowship.

Reach out - bring a friend to our meetings! The more the merrier!

RSVP to Sunny Hartman at [sunesue3@yahoo.com](mailto:sunesue3@yahoo.com), Wanda Slowiaczek at [slowiaczek@sbcglobal.net](mailto:slowiaczek@sbcglobal.net), or Avis French at [eavisf@cox.net](mailto:eavisf@cox.net).

## More Shepherd Senior Fellowship Events for 2018

Besides the September luncheon/Bible Jeopardy gathering, there are two other events in 2018.

Mark your calendar for **Halloween Happenings** luncheon on Tuesday, October 23, at 12:30 p.m.

Then, on December 9, join us at the Lake Forest Sun and Sail Club at 3:00 p.m. for **The Festival Singers concert**, "The Many Moods of Winter."

Information and sign-up sheets at the Give Table on the MV patio and in the RSM lobby.

## Shepherd Seniors Brunch on September 9

The Shepherd Seniors will meet for brunch on Sunday, September 9 at 11:00 a.m. at the Canyon Fireside Grill, 22312 El Paseo, Rancho Santa Margarita. Hostess: Grace Christensen. Please RSVP to Jean Lehman at [jlehman2@cox.net](mailto:jlehman2@cox.net) or (949) 713-2025 by Saturday noon, September 8. Newcomers welcome.



*Daylight Saving Time ends on  
Sunday, November 4, at 2:00 a.m.*

So don't forget to set  
your clocks back one hour before going  
to bed Saturday night, November 3!

## Shepherd Activities Calendar Is Online

For up-to-date information on church events, see the online calendar at [sothumc.org](http://sothumc.org).

### MV:

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# Prayer Ministry



Mission Viejo Campus:  
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## Be Part of Our Prayer Chain

Prayer is the practice of the presence of God. It is the place where pride is abandoned, hope is lifted, and supplication is made. Prayer is the place of admitting our need, of adopting humility and acknowledging our dependence upon God. Prayer is the needful practice of all peoples from all over the world. Prayer is the exercise of faith and hope. Prayer is the privilege of touching the heart of the eternal. Prayer is simple communication with God through written or spoken words, thoughts, meditation or song. It is a very powerful tool. The power of prayer should not be underestimated. A prayer list is sent out each week listing those who have requested prayer. If you would like to become part of Shepherd of the Hills Prayer Chain, please email Carolyn Bohmholdt at [cbohholdt@sothumc.org](mailto:cbohholdt@sothumc.org).

*Draw near to Me and I shall draw near to you,  
for I am the source that you seek.*

### Prayer Chain:

E-mail sent to members of the Prayer Chain

### Prayer Teams:

Available weekly during both MV worship services and Communion Sundays at RSM

### Centering Prayer:

Christian Meditation, Sundays at 8:30 a.m.  
in the MV Prayer Room,  
First Friday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the  
MV Sanctuary and every Wednesday at  
11:45 a.m. in the MV Sanctuary

### Prayer Room & Prayer Garden:

Available 24/7 at MV Campus

### Walk the Prayer Labyrinth:

RSM Campus

### Prayer Requests

Prayer requests can be made by  
calling the church at (949) 837-2941  
or emailing [jyamada@sothumc.org](mailto:jyamada@sothumc.org) or  
[cbohholdt@sothumc.org](mailto:cbohholdt@sothumc.org).

If you have a confidential prayer  
request or concern, please email it to  
[pastoralcare@sothumc.org](mailto:pastoralcare@sothumc.org).

Anyone interested in becoming a  
part of Prayer Ministry, please  
contact Diana Annett at  
[annett1@cox.net](mailto:annett1@cox.net) or 949-533-3028.

If you would like to be a part of the  
prayer chain, please contact Carolyn  
Bohmholdt at  
[cbohholdt@sothumc.org](mailto:cbohholdt@sothumc.org).

*"...God is love, and those who abide in  
love abide in God and God abides in  
them."*

--1 John 4:16

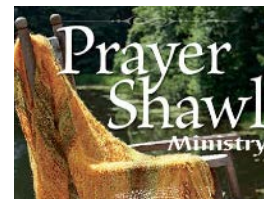
## Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets on the third Monday of each month. We knit and crochet prayer shawls, prayer squares, and scarves for those who need a hug with God's love knit in.

Our meetings are at 7:00 p.m. in the Aldersgate room on the Mission Viejo campus. We share ideas, patterns and most of all friendship and fellowship for an hour and a half.

If you enjoy knitting or crocheting and would like to be part of our Ministry, just show up on September 17 at 7 p.m. We promise you a "fun" evening with experts who can help you if you need it.

For further information, call Marilyn at (714) 821-9634 for further information.



# Resource Team

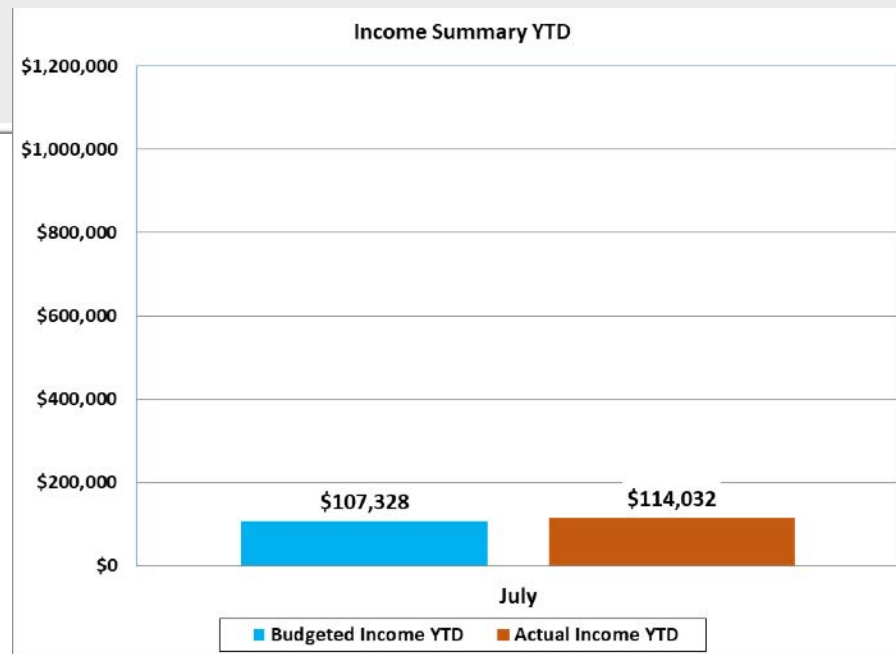
## Resource Team

### Financial Reports

In our new fiscal year, July 1-June 30, 2019, financial statements to those who pledge will be sent out quarterly. The first quarterly report will be sent the first part of October and will cover the months of July, August, and September. Please review your statement carefully. If you note any items that need correction, please contact the Mission Viejo campus church office at (949) 837-2941.

### Pledges for our Fiscal Year – July 2018 – July 2019 Budget Set

Thank you for your continued support of Shepherd of the Hills UMC through your financial giving. Your support makes it possible for the work of God to encompass us so we can reach out and connect with Jesus and each other. At the Resource Team meeting the budget for our fiscal year 2018-2019 was set for \$1,177,139.00.



Our new financial year has started. We are on track, and we praise God for the generous gifts this past year! Over the next month, we will completing the Renovate 2018 activities on both the Mission Viejo and Rancho campuses. So stop by and see the completed work. This will greatly improve our Sunday Morning Worship experience.

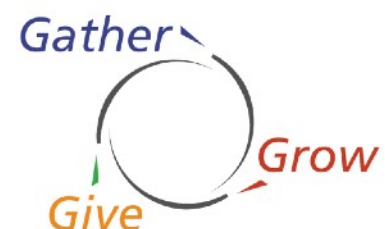
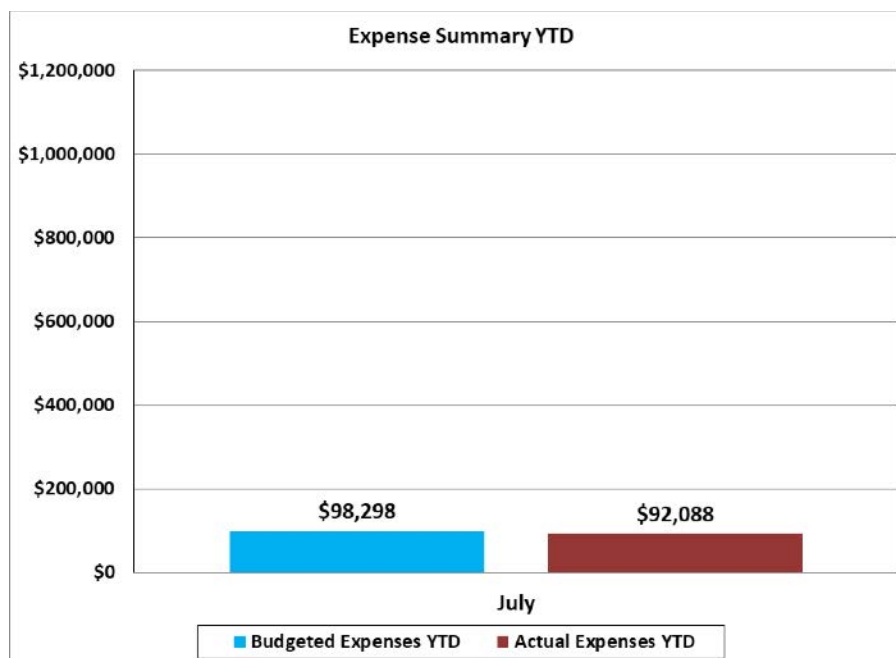
### “Happenings” Deadline...

...for the monthly Happenings is generally the 10th of every month.

(October *Happenings* deadline is Monday, September 10.)

Deadline for the weekly *Happenings* is noon Mondays for the following Sunday.

Please e-mail articles to  
[jyamada@sothumc.org](mailto:jyamada@sothumc.org) and  
[bwestcott@sothumc.org](mailto:bwestcott@sothumc.org).





# Birthdays and Anniversaries



## September Birthdays

September 1 David Bush  
Maleyna Grandolfo  
Loyce McWee  
Tristan Olmstead  
September 2 Nathan Gibney  
September 4 Randall Oliver  
Kaylene Spangler  
Thelma Williams  
September 5 Stacy Bower  
Anne Braun  
Gay Mulgrew  
September 6 Olivia Blanks  
Cameron Kohls  
September 7 Lynn Fues  
September 8 John Thorson  
September 9 Henry Ambrose  
Paul Lu  
Mark Serfas  
September 10 Wesley DuBois  
September 11 Gina Lalani  
September 13 Rebecca Bush  
David Neish

September 14 Art Green  
Con Leatherman  
Luke Wisner  
September 15 Brenda Wiles  
September 16 Alexandria Edgar  
Sean Fullerton  
Roger Johnson  
September 17 Paul Jordan  
Susan Patcha  
Randy Tisdale  
September 18 Mike Collins  
Glenda Otto  
September 19 Mike Binder  
Mindi Foote  
Patti Snedeker  
September 20 Ethan Mills  
September 21 Terry Carlson  
John McNeil  
September 22 Jennifer Burch  
September 23 Florence Campbell  
September 24 Mel Annett  
Dale Fox, Jr.  
Sandra Green  
Troy Horner  
Levi Van Der Wal  
September 25 Nathan Beaman  
Cody Boone  
Aaron Foellmi  
Zack Lalani  
September 26 Kristen Lindgren  
Jeff McKassen  
Stewart Slykhous

September 27 Ryan Foundoulis  
Iva Green  
September 28 Jessica Binder  
Luke Brown  
September 29 Austin Burger  
Joynell Burgess  
September 30 Ryan Arroyo

## Anniversaries – September

September 2 Mikel and Donna Rodin  
September 5 Henry and Rochelle Ambrose  
September 11 John and Donna Wright  
September 12 Daniel and Patty Croft  
Bill and Norma Graves  
Jim and Alicia Riding  
Bill and Lynne Sales  
September 17 David and Cynthia Beaman  
Peter and MaryAnn Wisner  
September 24 Tony and DeAnna Grandolfo  
September 28 Bill and Sandra Greenfield  
Patric and Lisa Horner  
Paul and Jana Lu  
September 30 John and Laura Witczak

*If we missed or incorrectly listed your birthday or anniversary, please let us know at the church office.*

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### **Happenings**

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#### **Grummage Sale**

Saturday, September 29  
7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
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#### **Shepherd 101**

Sunday, September 16  
2:00 p.m.  
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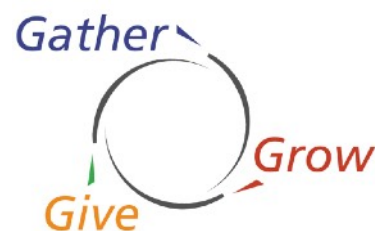
#### **Town Hall**

Sunday, September 23  
4:00 - 6:00 p.m.  
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#### **Seven Grace Disciplines:**

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#### **Sunday Morning Worship:**

##### **Mission Viejo Campus**

9:00 am Traditional Worship  
11:00 am Modern Worship

##### **Rancho Santa Margarita Campus**

9:30 am Relaxed Traditional  
Worship  
11:00 am Modern Worship