# Galt UMC This Week



Galt UMC is a warm welcoming family who worship, pray, learn, and love one another by serving our community so that everyone can encounter the Risen Lord and experience transformation through God's Grace.



June 6, 2022



I have been thinking a lot about how special it is to have a Church family: people who know you well and have vowed to help one another shoulder burdens and celebrate joys. As a Pastor, it is always a pleasure to watch you discover new things about one another, and for me to come to know your history. One thing I know about Galt UMC is that you love one another! You also love to spend time together eating and visiting. I hope you all will come to the "Grill and Chill Party" that I am hosting the end of

this month. If you have a friend or family member that is interested in our Church, this is a good opportunity for them to meet me and others in our congregation. Please make sure I know that you are coming, and how many guests you are bringing, so I have enough food for everyone. I am putting this party on (with help from our beloved sister in Christ, Pearl Silva) because I know what a financial stretch it has been for our small but mighty Church to afford a full-time Pastor and I appreciate more than I can express that you have made it possible for me to serve

you for the past two years. We will also celebrate that I have been appointed to serve you for a third "Conference year." What is a Conference year? Pastors in the United Methodist Church are appointed by the Bishop to serve from July 1 – June 30. This means that, God willing, I will continue to be your full-time Pastor from July 1,



2022 – June 30, 2023. This coming October we will have a Town Hall meeting to evaluate my effectiveness as your Pastor and whether our Church can continue to afford a full-time Pastor for the coming Conference year. The Staff-Parish Relations Committee, chaired by Leesa Klotz, submits documents on December 1 of each year requesting a part-time or full-time Pastor and indicating whether Galt UMC would like to continue with their current Pastor or have a new one appointed. Some of you have been asking me about this system, so I thought I would share this with you. During Annual Conference this coming week my name will be read out as being reappointed to Galt UMC for July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023. Know that I will be thanking God for the blessing of being your Pastor for another year.



### June 12 - United Women in Faith lead Worship!

Abigail Curlee, Sabrina Curlee, Pat McReynolds, and Rosie Kumar have returned from Florida full of enthusiasm for the mission and ministry of Jesus Christ. They will be sharing what they experienced when they lead Worship on June 12th while Pastor Mary is away at Annual Conference in Sacramento. You will not want to miss their powerful message and a chance to support our beloved young adults as they share their love of our Lord Jesus Christ!

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of the California-Nevada United Methodist Church

Pastor Mary and our Lay Member to Annual Conference, Mercedes Diego, will be in Sacramento from Friday, June 10 - Monday, June 13 conducting the business of the Conference, as well as Worshipping, and learning together. They will be joined by our own Mariah Diego, who is attending as a Central Valley District Young Adult Delegate.

have a pastoral emergency, please do contact Pastor Mary. (530-417-6584)

How well represented Galt UMC is! If you

Thank you Rob Seibel for keeping an eye on the dry rot work being done at

the parsonage. Your diligence in your role as Trustee's Chair is a blessing to our Church family!

Thank you Leesa Klotz, for visioning our altar and sanctuary for Pentecost - thank you Pam Carmichael and Mark King for being her helpers in bringing the tongues of flame to life!



## Pastor Mary's Grill and **Chill Party**

To say thank you to my wonderful Church family for two years of being in ministry together, I am throwing a party for you!

When Sunday, June 26 from 1 -3pm - drop by anytime; it's open

house style.

Where Clubhouse at Heritage Park, 700 Second Street, Galt – there is a pool, so feel free to bring your swim suit!

What do I need to bring? Nothing! The Maaga family is providing hot dogs, hamburgers, vegeburgers, beans, salad, and ice cream bars! Also sodas and water.

RSVPs are a must! Please indicate your name and whether you want hot dog, hamburger, or vegeburger. Email Pastor Mary at mjzmaaga@yahoo.com or text 530-417-6584 or leave a message at the Church Office 209-745-4133. RSVP no later than June 23rd.

#### PHILLIP'S FLOCK

SERMON

By Doc Goodwin









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Yesterday was
Pentecost Sunday The Birthday of the
Church. Leesa
Klotz, along with
Mark King, Pastor
Mary, and Pam
Carmichael did an
outstanding job of
portraying the Holy
Flames



Pastor Mary was REALLY into the "singing" thing!



Guest musicians, Landes and Cassel Dung, were Pastor Mary's Praise Band leaders from Tulare UMC. They helped lead in a Faith We Sing Worship service yesterday.



When Galt United Methodist Church's parsonage was rented a few years ago, those funds were set aside to be used for repairs and upkeep.

Recently it became clear that we must address a dry rot issue with an exterior wall. Those saved funds, \$23,000, will substantially cover the cost to replace sheeting and paint the exterior of the home. Any additional upkeep or repairs will be addressed at the time.

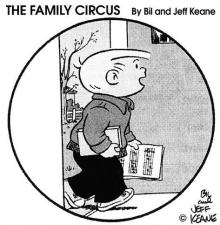


This Editor couldn't help but take a picture of Grandma Rosie and granddaughter Azad.



The whole extended Kumar family attended worship this Sunday.

The Kumar family: L-R: First row: Saphyra, Manoj, Rosie, Azad, Grandma Ruth, Saira; 2nd row: Cameron, Ronnie, Rachel, Koshmick,



"My piano teacher is very religious. She keeps closing her eyes and saying, 'Good Lord!"

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May 29: 31 Online, 57 In person Bruceville: 8



Our Prayer focus this week:

June 12: Pray for Holy Cross UMC, Stockton June 19: Pray for Islander Ministry at Holy Cross GREETERSSISCHEDULE

June 12
Ann Mitchell
Barbara Anderson

June 19
Anne Albrecht
Mona Stratton







Tuesday, June 7, 6:30pm in the church office.



Bruceville Point: Wednesday, June 8, 11:30pm - 3:15pm.



Wednesday, June 8, 8:00-11:30am: **Sunshine Food Pantry** delivers food to seniors and prepares for distribution on Thursday, June 9.

Thursday, June 9, 8:00-10:00am: **Sunshine Food Pantry** food distribution at the church.



Friday, June 10 - Monday June 13: California Nevada UMC Annual Conference in Sacramento.



Sunday, June 12, 10;00am In Person Worship led by United Women in Faith Fellowship team.

#### God's kids say & do the funniest things

Asked what they think is a proper age to marry, youngsters had a variety of replies:

"Once I'm done with kindergarten, I'm going to find me a wife. Not before," said Tommy, age 5.

"It gives me a headache just to think about it. I'm just a kid, I don't need that kind of trouble," replied Kenny, 7.

"I'm not rushing into marriage. I'm finding fourth grade hard enough," said Regina, age 10.

# Continuing Weekly



PAUL'S JOURNEYS & LETTERS every Sunday, 4-5pm on ZOOM. Attend when you can, no longterm commitment required. Feel free to log on at 3:30pm for a time of fellowship before class

begins at 4. Right now are in the thick of Paul's time in Corinth where he fine-tunes his thology of love. We will be studying from Acts Chapter 18. Here is the link: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81825968886">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81825968886</a>

Wednesday Bible Study - **JOHN'S GOSPEL** every Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 in person in the Galt UMC social hall. Attend when you can, no long-term commitment required. It would be wonderful to grow this Bible Study! If you are interested in this Bible Study, but this day or time is inconvenient, please let Pastor Mary know.



**UMC Logo** The cross and flame logo of the United Methodist Church is a mark known the world over. But what is the meaning and history of this interesting logo? Does the "flame" have anything to do with Pentecost? Chuck explains.

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Pentecost, the Birthday of the Church, is celebrated with Holy Communion, a humorous skit, and a call to BOLDNESS!

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