

United Methodist Church of Yucaipa

Worship Service on November 1, 2026 – 9:30 am

**stand as you are able*

Hymn Sing

Raise your hand with your favorite hymn!

Prelude

Diane Kovach

Greetings and Announcements

Laurie Pertile

***Call to Worship**

Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

**Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous deeds among all peoples.**

Let all creation rejoice before the Lord, for he comes,
he comes to judge the earth.

**He will judge the world in righteousness
and the peoples in his faithfulness.** (Psalm 96:1, 3, 13 NIV)

***Hymn** “The Battle Hymn of the Republic” #717 (vs 1, 2, 5)

Passing of the Peace

Joys and Concerns

Unison Prayer

Dear Lord Jesus,

Evil, stirring spiritual darkness throughout the world, reminds us to stay watchful. As the day of reckoning draws nearer, we need to hold fast to your truth. You have set us apart—not to conform to the ways of the world, but to live in holiness.

Awaken us from spiritual slumber and complacency that dull our faith. Stir our hearts so we may faithfully live out our calling to be your light. In your precious name, Amen.

Contributed by Pastor Phillips

***Hymn** “Let Us Break Bread Together” #618 (vs 1-3)

Scripture Reading

Romans 13:11-14

Communion Message

Rev. Phillips Whang

“Keeping Track of Time”

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Presentation of Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory “Let There Be Peace on Earth”

Virginia Lange

*Doxology

#94

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

***Hymn** “How Great Thou Art”

#77 (vs 1, 3, 4)

***Benediction**

*Taking the Light of Christ into the World

*Congregational Response

“Go Now In Peace”

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.

God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.

Know he will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.

Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there watching from above.

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

Amen. Amen. Amen.

KEEPING TRACK OF TIME

The ancient Greeks used three words for time:

Chronos refers to time measured by a clock or calendar - Daylight saving time is a good example; *Kairos* describes a significant moment, such as a turning point in history or a decisive moment in someone's life; *Aion* refers to a long period of time or eternity. When Paul urged, "Do this, understanding the present time," (Romans 13:11 NIV) he used *Kairos* to describe time.

Today, the world is facing a critical moment, shaped by rapid change and challenges around the globe.

We're experiencing the fourth industrial revolution, with artificial intelligence (now called superintelligence) and large-scale data collection. Last month, OpenAI announced that its system had solved part of the Navier-Stokes existence and smoothness problem—a mathematical challenge that had eluded mathematicians for a century—in just 88 hours. Driverless taxis are now operating in major cities, and self-flying air taxis may soon be available. Data centers store vast amounts of information and process financial transactions worldwide. The mark of the beast, described in Revelation 13 as a means of individual IDs to control buying, selling, travel, and other activities, might become possible. At the same time, the world is facing wars, natural disasters, economic hardship, and many other challenges. How should we understand the present time? Paul answers:

"The hour has already come for you to wake up from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed."

“The House of Faith”

Rev. Phillips Whang



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PRAYER LIST

Dan Anderson; Judy Salveson's brother, Matthew Buckley;
Bruce & Linda Crabtree; Johanne and Steve Dyerly;
Mackenzie Farmer; Kenny Lingle's brother-in-law, Pat Fletcher;
David Brown's sister, Melissa Higginson;
Becky King's sister, Dottie; Bill Klein; Alicia Medina;
Rachael Moore; Ron Park; Pat Shores;
Janet Reed's niece, Tiffany, and son, Robert;
Alison Spiegel; Emily Spiegel and her children: Vianne and
Wren Spiegel (Wren has Cerebral Palsy);
George Weeks; The Ray Wilson family;
Pastor Phillips Whang;
District Superintendent Rev. Moonyoung Lee;
Bishop Dottie Escobedo-Frank;
the Church; our nation and our world.
Please pray for our brothers and sisters at
Saint Andrews UMC in Santa Maria.
Please pray for growth in our churches
and a return to worship.
Please pray for all the victims
of war and natural disasters.
Pray for peace.

*Please contact the office if you have
additions or corrections to the prayer list.*

Here's what is happening at Yucaipa UMC!

Birthdays This Week

Join us in wishing those noted below Happy Birthday!

Austin Barrett, Brian Porter

November 1 (TODAY)

Adult Discussion Class Begins: 11:00 am

Join us in the Camillia Room.

Bring a favorite devotional or bible study to share.

November 7 (Saturday)

Free Movie: 11:00 am

Join us in Faith Theater 2 to watch The Sheep Detectives.

Every night a shepherd reads aloud a murder mystery to his flock, pretending his sheep can understand. When he is found dead, the sheep realize at once that it was a murder and think they know everything about how to go about solving it.

A fun murder mystery of many layers!

Doors open at 10:30 am; refreshments are available.

November 11 (Wednesday)

Pastor's Lunch: 12:00 pm

Join us @ **Legend China 8** in **Calimesa**.

The **cost** will be **\$15.00**. **Please sign up** at the Scrip table in the Fellowship Hall or call the church office.

Staters Scrip Cards

Purchase cards at the table in the Fellowship Hall.

\$25, \$50, and \$100 cards are now available!

This helps to support our church finances.

Interfaith Community Support Center (ICSC)

Bring cereal/other non-perishable food
donations to the Narthex.

**Check www.yucaipamethodist.org for
more information.**