



## News

We are excited about rekindling Chino's UMW!! Our first meeting at the end of 2018 had about 5 people in attendance. At the next meeting we had around 20! We

hosted a much appreciated and very successful Christmas Cookie swap with a freewill offering. If you are looking to join a group that will enhance your church going experience, expand your community service, and fulfill your desire to work with and help others, this group is for you! We will meet regularly on the first Sunday of each month after the church service (12:00pm). If you're a Super Bowl Sunday fan (or hosting a party), the meeting on the same day will end by 1. The Big Game doesn't even start until 3:30.

On Saturday, January 19, three of our UMW ladies attended the East District UMW local leadership training at Redlands First UMC. Roberta Brazelton, Bobbie Lane, and Jennifer McDermott each participated in separate sessions. Roberta attended a resources for UMW session. Bobbie attended the Social Action session. Jennifer attended the Secretary session. We each got better insight into this amazing organization. They Keynote speaker was the Rev. Krista Givens, pastor of Walnut UMC. The theme was "Creating Connections-- Building Bridges Together". Please come to our next meeting (2/3/19) to get more information about this!

Some upcoming "Save the Dates" you may be interested in are:

- 2/16: Mid-Winter Conference at Yorba Linda UMC. The theme will be "Climate Justice"\*
- 4/27: East District Spiritual Retreat: Quiet Discipleship/Legacy
- 6/15: UMW Luncheon at Annual Conference (Jennifer will attend this)
- 7/25-28: "Mission u" at Azusa Pacific\*
- 9/21: East District Annual Celebration

10/25-26: DLTE and Conference Annual Celebration

\*Flyers will be available at the next Chino UMC UMW meeting on 2/3/19. We hope you will join us!

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### Dates of interest in February:

10th Boy Scout Sunday

18th Presidents Day

## Souper Bowl Sunday

As you may know, we are collecting soups (cans or mixes) on **Sunday, February 3**, the date of the Super Bowl.

History says that this outreach was first begun in 1990 at a Presbyterian Church in South Carolina, in response to the pastor who prayed, "Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those who are without a bowl of soup to eat."

So, before you settle in to watch this cultural event, please remember to be generous in your offering that morning.

All soups we collect will go to local food banks.



## All-Church Work Day February 2, 2019 8-10 a.m.

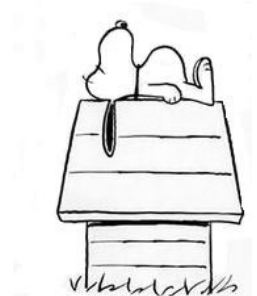
Please help us clean up and maintain our church buildings and property on Saturday, February 2, 2019, 8 -10 a.m. We will be weeding, weed whacking, freshening and cleaning. It helps if you bring your own tools. Many hands make the work light!

Thank you,  
Trustees

## Social Hall Roof Fund

As of January 23, 2019, the Social Hall Roof Fund has accumulated approximately \$2,600. Thank you for keeping this crucial maintenance issue on our church goal list.

Trustees



## Financial State of the Church

THESE ARE THE COMPARITIVE FIGURES THROUGH DECEMBER

	2017	2018	Difference
Income	\$ 212,461	\$ 219,105	\$ 6,644
Expenses	\$ 222,387	\$ 217,714	\$ -4,673
Net Income	\$ -9,926	\$ 1,391	\$



## AMERICA DEL SUR CONCERT AT CUMC

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CUMC will host the Pomona Valley Musicians' Club concert here in our sanctuary, Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 7:30 PM. Our expanded choir will sing songs from Brazil and Venezuela in Spanish and English. Anthony Lauro will play classical guitar, Karen Wootten will solo, and Ed Zeliff will play Latin piano renditions.

The program will close with an Argentine Tango dancing duo. This proves to be an exciting evening for our congregation and the community. Invite your friends. There will be a free-will offering.



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### Choir Member of the Month— Anthony Lauro

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My name is Anthony Lauro, and I've had the pleasure of being a bass in the CUMC choir for a year now. I've had a love for music almost all my life, and I'm happy to sing wherever I am welcome!

I have been a music major at Chaffey College in Rancho Cucamonga for a year and a half, where I have been studying piano, voice (both solo and choral), classical guitar, and song-writing. Next fall, I am planning to transfer to a four-year university, where I will pursue a B.M. in Music Education with an emphasis on voice. I have also been gaining teaching experience as an instructor at Mathnasium of Diamond Bar. Having taught math to students from kindergarten to the 12th grade for a year now I've found that I love working with children, and someday I hope to teach in an elementary school classroom.

In my spare time, I enjoy making all kinds of music, from playing guitar in my bedroom to singing in a barbershop quartet with my friends and everything in between. Reading, solving Rubik's cubes, and origami are some other hobbies of mine. I also go hiking, play tennis, spend time with my parents and younger sister, and embark on journeys to find the best cup of tea around!

I also wanted to give my thanks to the members and staff at CUMC. I'm very grateful to come to such a welcoming and loving church, and I'm honored to be even a small part of the services held each Sunday!

## From the Worship Committee

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Our undecorators packed away the Christmas decorations. Thanks to **Al, Lupe, Emily, Roberta, Beth, Terry, Stan, Margaret, Bill, BJ, and Robert**, who gave up some Saturday time to do so.

**VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY:** This year, our Valentine's Day party will be geared more toward adults. Join in the fun at our "Love Bingo" party. We'll also have Uno to play. There will be sweets, prizes, and one lucky winner could win a dazzling tiara and be crowned Love Queen! This will occur on Saturday, February 16, in the social hall. I've purchased a traditional Bingo set for this and future events.

**"AMERICA DEL SUR" CONCERT:** The Pomona Valley Musicians Club will treat us to a night of South American music on Tuesday, February 26, in the church. Please attend to support our choir, which will be performing two numbers, directed by **Carole** and accompanied by **Robert**.

### FUTURE EVENTS:

Sunday, March 17, after church, social hall (during coffee hour), Green Party  
Friday, April 19, 7 p.m., church, Good Friday Lay-led Service  
Sunday, April 21, after church, patio, Easter Egg Hunt  
Possible "Birds and Bees" Organ Concert—not yet determined  
Friday, May 31, 7 p.m., church, "Rising Above" Ascension Lay-led Service  
Saturday, June 29, 7 p.m., patio, Hymn Singalong

### LET'S TALK ABOUT LOVE

Did you know that there are seven types of love, only four of which are noted in the Bible? See if you can guess what they are.

1. Eros (air'-ohs), which is sexual or passionate love. This is the type most akin to our modern idea of romantic love. In Greek myth, it is a form of madness brought about by one of Cupid's arrows. It has also been contrasted with logos, or reason.

2. Philia (fil'-ee-ah), or friendship, is shared goodwill. Plato thought that the best kind of friendship is that which lovers have for each other. Real friends seek together to live truer, fuller lives by relating to each other authentically and teaching each other about the limitations of their beliefs and the defects in their character. They are, in effect, each other's therapist. Philadelphia, the city of brotherly love was named with philia in mind.

3. Storge ('store-gae'), or family love, is a kind of philia pertaining to the love between parents and their children. It differs from most philia in that it tends to be unilateral. More broadly, storge is the fondness born out of familiarity or dependency and, unlike eros or philia, it does not hang on our personal qualities.

4. Agape (ah'-gahp-pae) is universal love, such as the love for strangers, nature, or God. Unlike storge, it does not depend on familiarity. Also called charity by Christian thinkers, agape can be said to encompass the modern concept of altruism, defined as unselfish concern for the welfare of others. Recent studies link altruism with a number of benefits. In the short term, altruism leaves us with a euphoric feeling—the so-called 'helper's high'. In the longer

## Small Groups—

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<b>Crocheting &amp; More</b>	<b>Grateful Cleaners</b>	<b>M &amp; M Groupo</b>	<b>Messengers</b>
<b>1st &amp; 3rd Saturday 9:00a.m. - Parlor</b>	<b>Tuesday 8:00a.m. - Main Building</b>	<b>Monday 9:00a.m. - Parlor</b>	<b>Tuesday 1:30p.m. - Social Hall</b>
		<b>Thursday Morning Bible Study</b>	
		<b>Thursday 9:00a.m. - Social Hall</b>	

## From the Worship Committee - cont.

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term, it is associated with better mental and physical health, as well as longevity. More generally, altruism, or agape, helps to build and maintain the psychological, social, and environmental fabric that shields, sustains, and enriches us. Given the increasing anger and division in our society, and the state of our planet, we could all do with quite a bit more agape.


5. Ludus (loo'-doos) is playful or uncommitted love. It can involve activities such as teasing and dancing, or more overt flirting, seducing, and conjugating. The focus is on fun, and sometimes also on conquest, with no strings attached.

6. Pragma (prag'-mah) is a kind of practical love founded on reason or duty and one's longer-term interests. Sexual attraction takes a back seat in favor of personal qualities and compatibilities, shared goals, and making it work. In the days of arranged marriages, pragma must have been very common.

7. Philautia (phil-aw'-tee-ah) is self-love, which can be healthy or unhealthy. Unhealthy self-love is akin to hubris. In Ancient Greece, a person could be accused of hubris if he placed himself above the gods or above the greater good. Many believed that hubris led to destruction. Today, hubris has come to mean an inflated sense of one's status, abilities, or accomplishments, especially when accompanied by haughtiness or arrogance.

So have you figured out the four types of love noted in the Bible? They are eros (romantic), storge (family), philia (brotherly), and agape (God's divine) love.

# C H I N O U M C — F e b r u a r y 2 0 1 9

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					<b>1</b> Pastor's Day Off	<b>2</b> 9:00 a.m. Crocheting & More
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>3</b></p> <p><b>10:30 a.m. Worship</b> Noon UMW 4:00-6:00 Study @ Ontario 1st UMC 1:00 p.m. Potters House 1:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana 4:00 p.m. Mt. Zion Church 6:30 p.m. Prayer and Meditation for AA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>4</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. M&amp;M Grupo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>5</b></p> <p>8:00 a.m. Grateful Cleaners</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Messengers</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6</b></p> <p>7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Potters House</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>7</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Bible Study</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>8</b></p> <p>Pastor's Day Off</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Game Night</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>9</b></p> <p>2:00 p.m. Concert Rehearsal</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>10</b></p> <p><b>10:30 a.m. Worship</b> 4:00-6:00 Study @ Ontario 1st UMC 1:00 p.m. Potters House 1:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana 4:00 p.m. Mt. Zion Church 6:30 p.m. Prayer and Meditation for AA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>11</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. M&amp;M Grupo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>12</b></p> <p>8:00 a.m. Grateful Cleaners</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Messengers</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>13</b></p> <p>7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Potters House</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>14</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Bible Study</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>15</b></p> <p>Pastor's Day Off</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>16</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Crocheting &amp; More</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Love Bingo</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>17</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. SAM</p> <p><b>10:30 a.m. Worship</b> Noon Church Council 4:00-6:00 Study @ Ontario 1st UMC 1:00 p.m. Potters House 1:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana 4:00 p.m. Mt. Zion Church 6:30 p.m. Prayer and Meditation for AA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>18</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>PRESIDENTS DAY</b></p> </div> <p>Church Office Closed</p> <p>9:00 a.m. M&amp;M Grupo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>19</b></p> <p>8:00 a.m. Grateful Cleaners</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Messengers</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>20</b></p> <p>7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Potters House</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>21</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Bible Study</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>22</b></p> <p>Pastor's Day Off</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Movie Night</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>23</b></p> <p>8:00 p.m. Mt. Zion Cleaning</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Cub Scout Pinewood Derby</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Concert Rehearsal</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>24</b></p> <p><b>10:30 a.m. Worship</b> Noon Worship Committee 4:00-6:00 Study @ Ontario 1st UMC 1:00 p.m. Potters House 1:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana 4:00 p.m. Mt. Zion Church 6:30 p.m. Prayer and Meditation for AA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>25</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. M&amp;M Grupo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>26</b></p> <p>8:00 a.m. Grateful Cleaners</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Messengers</p> <p>7:30 p.m. Pomona Valley Musicians' Club Concert</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>27</b></p> <p>7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Potters House</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>28</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Bible Study</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 p.m. Iglesia Cristiana</p>		
<p>Please call the church office if you have corrections or additions.</p>						



4th Matt Seargeant  
11th Richard Cassler  
15th Marita Isidore  
23rd Kim Few  
25th Bettye Corum  
25th Michele Houska



12th Glenn & Rita Robison

### **Coffee Fellowship**

3rd Choir  
10th M & M  
17th UMW  
24th Boy Scout Troop 202

### **Greeters**

3rd Mike & Marion Proffitt  
10th Brian & Sharon Baier  
17th James & Misty Esqueda  
24th Dena Radford & Sylvia Smith

### **Liturgists**

3rd Steve Adams  
10th Joy May  
17th Marion Proffitt  
24th Beth Mendoza

### **Sunday School**

3rd Carol McFarland  
10th Sylvia Smith  
17th Carol McFarland  
Don Callju - Youth  
24th Sylvia Smith

### **Communion Assistants**

Sandy Miller & Dan Bentley

### **Blessers**

Carole Schuricht & Carol Adams

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Organist	<i>Robert Phillips</i>
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