

*SONG OF GOD'S GRACE "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" #140

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
Joys and Concerns
Silent Prayer ~ Pastoral Prayer ~ The Lord's Prayer (In Unison)

MUSIC BY THE CHOIR "We Thank You, Lord" by David Angerman & Joseph M. Martin

SCRIPTURE READINGS 1 Corinthians 1:1-9

MORNING MESSAGE "Thankful For You" Rev. Melissa Rusler

OFFERING OF OURSELVES TO GOD
Gift of Music "Now Thank We All Our God" by Henry Smith, arr. by Joel Raney
*Singing Our Praise "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" #94
 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
 Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
 Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
 Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Prayer of Thanksgiving (In Unison)
Lamb of God, bless these gifts with your mercy and your grace. Shine through these gifts with your light and love, that our ministries and our church may be a beacon of light and love, revealing your presence to our world. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

*SONG OF DEDICATION "Christ for the World We Sing" #568

*BLESSING

COMMISSIONING PRAYER FOR MISSIONARIES TO GUATAMALA Tom Rothhaar
Carol & Wes Scott

CLOSING MUSIC "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" arr. by Larry Shackley

Be a blessing to someone today!

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Murrieta United Methodist Church

Our Vision: To build a community where ALL are welcome to grow in faith in Jesus through study, worship, prayer, and an invitation to serve God, our neighbor, and beyond.

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Office Hours: Monday– Thursday
9:00 AM—1:00 PM

Worship 10:00 AM
Sanctuary
Sunday School Pre K-5th Grade 10:15 AM
Fellowship Hall
Sunday School Youth 10:15 AM
Youth Room
Sunday Study and Discussion Group 11:15 AM
Fellowship Hall

OUR CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Melissa Rusler —Senior Pastor
Rev. Tom Rothhaar—Visitation Pastor
Michelle Dewey—Nursery Coordinator
Bryce Russell— Accompanist
Parker Russell—Tech Team Leader
Liz Sabicer—Worship Leader
Sandy Selby—Office Administrator
Joe Wilson—Custodian

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Wes Scott—Liturgist
Tom Hanlon, Mike Knowles, & Eric Rusler—
Tech Team
Tresha Shaw & Cheryl Vogelgesang —
Greeters
Guy & Patricia Jenkins, Donna McCullough,
& Sai Noa—Ushers
Mark Medin & Scott Woodbury—Praise Team
Wes Scott—Choir Director

RESPONSE CARD

Please print & place in the offering plate.
Thank you.
Today's Date: ____ / ____ / ____
Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss
Name _____
Children _____
Email _____
Address _____
City/ZIP _____ Phone _____
____ First Time Attendee
____ Member(s) of MUMC
____ Regular attender(s) not
members
____ Guest of _____
____ I'd like to be on your mailing list
____ I'd like more information on
becoming a member

Rev. Melissa Rusler

10:00 AM
January 25, 2026

Third Sunday After the Epiphany



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Prayer requests/Comments:

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CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED MONDAY in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Today is the last day to contribute small toys like fidget spinners, stretchy bracelets, wedding size bubbles for kids and hair scrunchies and hair accessories for the moms. Please place your donations into the collection box in the entryway of the sanctuary.

Free tax preparation and filing for low & moderate income filers is offered here and other locations through a partner organization. If you would like to volunteer to help, training takes place this week and next. Please contact Tom Hanlon at 619-248-4344 (call or text).

Thank you for your generous support of the ministries of our church! Contribution statements were emailed January 6, 2026 to all those who made a contribution to MUMC in 2025. If we do not have your email, your statement will be on the table in the entryway of the sanctuary. For questions or corrections, contact Sandy Selby at officeadmin@murrietaumc.org, or 951-677-6174

The memorial service for Carol Wynn-Sandy will be held in the **sanctuary this Friday, January 23rd, at 11AM** with a reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall.



January 18, 2026

(An "*" indicates when to stand in body or in Spirit.)

OPENING MUSIC "I Am Thine, O Lord" by William H. Doane, arr. by Mary McDonald Bryce Russell

*"At every moment of our existence we are either growing into more or retreating into less.
We are called to become the fullest version of ourselves—beloved and Spirit-filled."
—Madeleine L'Engle (paraphrase from Walking on Water)*

WELCOME & INVITATION TO WORSHIP

*SINGING OUR PRAISE "Your Love Never Fails" CCLI #5337172

“The Jesus Way” CCLI #7217888
Mark Medin, Liz Sabicer & Scott Woodbury

OPENING PRAYER (All Voices) Wes Scott

Light of the world, shine through our worship, that we might see you more clearly and know you more intimately. Reveal your presence and make your voice heard, that we may grow in love and shine with the light of your love for all to see. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS