

*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

COMMISIONING 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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TFWS = The Faith We Sing Song Book

= The United Methodist Hymnal



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 _____

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Next Week at MUMC:

Rev. Melissa Rusler

“United In Christ”
1 Corinthians 1:10-18

10:00 AM
January 25, 2026

Third Sunday After the Epiphany



Prayer requests/Comments:

Confidential

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

TOY DRIVE FOR KIDS IN GUATAMALA

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 SERVICE AT MUMC

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).

2025 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

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

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR CAROL WYNN-SANDY

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.



Second Sunday After the Epiphany

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)

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