

Next Week at MUMC:

Rev. Melissa Rusler

Drink from the Fountain
of Grace
"The Broken Cup"

2 Corinthians 4:5-11

10:00 AM
February 22, 2026

First Sunday in Lent



Prayer requests/Comments:

☐ Confidential

ASH WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 18TH
Early Christians observed the Lord's passion and resurrection with great devotion, and it became the custom of the church that before the celebration of Easter there should be a forty-day season of spiritual preparation. Come and begin your journey to Easter this year with a worship service and imposition of ashes in the **sanctuary on February 18th at 7:00 PM.**

SONRISERS will meet **Saturday, February 21st at 9:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.** All women are invited. Any questions, feel free to call Donna Dewey at (951) 541-6499.

INTRO TO MURRIETA UMC
The Introduction to Murrieta UMC class **begins Sunday, February 22nd, at 11:45 AM in the Fellowship Hall** and runs for four consecutive Sundays. The classes aim to foster conversation and fellowship while teaching about church membership. Interested individuals should contact the church office to RSVP for lunch, provided. Please call 951-677-6174 or email officeadmin@murrietaumc.org.

FREE TAX SERVICE AT MUMC
Volunteers from AARP/VITA will prepare and file your 2024 tax returns in the Fellowship Hall. This free drop-in service is open to all; you DO NOT need to be a retiree nor a church member to use this service. Bring your documents to the **Fellowship Hall on Tuesdays from 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM, from February 3rd until April 14th.**

THANK YOU FROM THE FOOD PANTRY
A big "Thank you" to everyone who participated in the Soup-er Bowl Contest on Sunday and brought soup for the Pantry. It was a good day for Seattle as the Seahawks won the Soup contest and then crushed the Patriots later in the day. Neither contest was even close. The Commercials came in second with the poor Patriots in last place. The pantry picked up a nice variety of soup, so our families will have a chance to choose, which they always appreciate.



Transfiguration Sunday February 15, 2026

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

OPENING MUSIC "There Is a Land of Pure Delight" Bryce Russell
by William Billings, arr. by Larry Shackley

*Listen, for God is still speaking. Look, for God is still present.
Worship, for God is in our midst.*

WELCOME & INVITATION TO WORSHIP

*SINGING OUR PRAISE "Grateful" CCLI #7067558
"I Surrender" CCLI #6177317
Mark Medin, Liz Sabicer & Scott Woodbury

*CALL TO WORSHIP (One Voice; **All Voices**) Donna Dewey
Climb the mountain of God.
We come with open eyes and expectant hearts.
On the mountaintop, Christ's face shone like the sun.
We come to see God's glory revealed.
A voice declared, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!"
We come to hear and to follow.
Climb the mountain of God.
We come to worship the Light who scatters the shadows.