



Birthdays: 22 *Charlotte Stone*, 23 *Linda Walker*, 26 *Debbie Turnbull*,
26 *Warren Wade*, 27 *Robin Marie Matlin*, 29 *Emmanuel Wotila*
October 3 *Patricia Lacey*, 6 *Jeannie Stickel*, 8 *Fred Lemín*, 9 *Steve Gray*

Weekly Schedule:

Sundays 9 a.m. Adult Sunday School in the Ronn Garton Library, Preston Hall
Sundays 10 a.m. Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
Sundays 10 a.m. Children's Sunday School and Childcare during Worship Service
Sundays 10 a.m. Teen Church, Bob Nelson Room, Preston Hall
Sundays 7 p.m. Mug & Bible Study @ Dale & Lois Leister's home, 961-5457
1st Sundays Communion 10 a.m.
1st Mondays 5 p.m. Worship Committee meeting
2nd Sundays after worship, Computer Assistance Hour (**Sept only - will meet today Sunday instead**)
2nd Mondays 6:30 p.m. Session Meets, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House
3rd Sundays 11:30 a.m. Mission Committee meeting, Fireside Room, Eidsath House
Mondays 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Youth Group, Bob Nelson Room, Daphne Mejia, 937-5403
Tuesdays 9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study, Library, Preston Hall
Tuesdays 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Deacon's Outreach Program, including food and showers.
Tuesdays 6:30 p.m. PNC, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House
Wednesdays 3:00 p.m. Christian Spirituality Study, Fireside Room, Eidsath House
Last Wednesday of the month, 5 p.m. Soul Food outreach dinner, Preston Hall
Thursdays 9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House
3rd Thursdays 3:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House
Thursdays 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House
Fridays 5 p.m. Ringing of our bell, honoring the week's war casualties
Thursdays & Fridays, counseling sessions with Kathy Mooney

Note: CD's of sermons available from the Library after church or weekdays in the office.

Audio/Podcasts of sermons are made available each week on the church website.

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✚ Please set aside the date of Monday, September 29th @ 7 p.m. in our Sanctuary for a **Service of Wholeness**. We all have or know those who have a need for healing and wholeness. Maybe it's physical health issues. Perhaps a relationship that is stressed or fractured. Or, . . . Come on your own behalf or for someone you care about.

✚ NormaLee's September 2nd **Sunday Computer Assistance Hour** had to be postponed for September and will meet **TODAY** in the Alma Mendosa Choir Room right after the service. If you miss today, you may email your questions for next month to: nandres@mcn.org

✚ The reception for Wheatley Allen's bronze bird sculptures featuring speaker American Historian Kevin Starr this past Monday at the Mendocino Art Center was well attended. Some of Rosemary's paintings are on display. Special thanks to Janis Porter and Cynthia Scott for all the work they did in preparation. It's wonderful to be able to celebrate members of our MPC family and their gifts that continue to bless others. Art available for viewing until September 30th.

✚ Nancy Swehla is at Sherwood Oaks and would love to have visitors, calls or cards: Sherwood Oaks, Rm 22 • 130 Dana St • Fort Bragg 95437 • 964-0096 • cell: 209-639-3034

✚ Rainbow School operates within a tight budget dependent on full enrollment and full tuition payments. This year several families have requested scholarship help. There is a wonderful opportunity for you to help a child attend Rainbow. Any monetary contribution will be greatly appreciated. Checks may be made payable to Rainbow School and placed in the offering plate or mailed to the church.

✚ 9/26 Benefit for Missions - Filipino food and folk dances for a taste of the Philippines. Proceeds go to October trip to the Philippines with The Kingdom is Near Ministries (headed by Rick Spillman, Tacoma, WA). Dinner at 6:30. Suggested donation - \$15 ea. or whatever you can afford. Location: Grace Community Church, 1450 Oak Street, Ft Bragg. More info - 964-3357.

✚ School has barely begun and it's already time to think about Christmas?! Samaritan's Purse's "Operation Christmas Child" takes lots of prep; to get boxes delivered on time, collection takes place in November. You may want to participate by donating a shoebox full of enjoyment for a less fortunate child somewhere far off in the world. So... while you are shopping leisurely this fall, keep on the lookout for goods you may want to include in your gift box: toys, school supplies, hygiene items, etc. More information will be coming soon. Our congregation has been very generous in past years and has had lots of fun preparing the gift boxes. Debbie Anderson

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