

We would love to have you as a member of this congregation. **If you are interested** in joining our church or would like to know more about FUMC before making a decision to join, please let Rev. Brian Diggs know.



Sunday School

for all ages is held Sundays at 9:15 AM.

Rev. Brian Diggs office hours:

- Tuesdays and Fridays, 10 AM - Noon;
- Wednesday evenings;
- If emergency please call anytime: 801-635-7080.



Fellowship hour is held after worship service each Sunday. **EVERYONE IS INVITED** to join us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and visiting.

Office Hours

Monday through Friday, 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

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Staff of FUMC:

Pastor:	Rev. Brian Diggs
Minister of Spiritual Formation:	Rev. Cheryl Popple
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Pastor/Urdu Worshipping Community:	Rev. Inayat Akhtar
Pastor/Samoan Christian Church:	Rev. Lau Ta'afua
Director of Music:	Ron Richardson
Organist:	Scott Mills
Secretary:	Mary Anne Peterson

ATTENDANCE:

April 26, 10:30 AM Worship:	96
April 26, 1:00 PM Worship:	30



- * Moana Tukuafu
- * Marian Vanderlip
- * Sophia Allcott

May 3, 2009:

Liturgist - Pastor Sione Moa
Greeters -

Out of courtesy to those around you, we would request that you please turn off any cell phone or pager you may have before worship begins.

Coming Up This Week and Next:

TODAY, May 3:

4th Sunday of Easter - 10:30 AM
Rededication & open house
committee meeting after worship
Samoan worship - 1 PM
Agape @ Gratitude: 3-6 PM
SPRC: 5-8 PM
Easter study: 6-8 PM

Monday, May 4:

Lunch meeting with pastoral candidate: 11:30 AM

Tuesday, May 5:

UMW Unit: 10 AM

Women's Spiritual Formation: 5:30 PM

Wednesday, May 6:

Wed. Night Ministries: 6-8:30 PM

Thursday, May 7:

NA meeting: 8-9:15 PM

Friday, May 8:

Busy Bees - 10 AM

Staff meeting: 1-2:30 PM

Saturday, May 9:

Church cleanup: 9 AM - 1 PM

Sunday, May 10:

5th Sunday of Easter - 10:30 AM
Mother's Day dinner after worship
Samoan worship - 1 PM
Agape @ Gratitude: 3-6 PM
No Easter Study this week

Monday, May 11:

Church Council - 7 PM

Wednesday, May 13:

Fellowship Circle - 11:30 AM

Wednesday Night Ministries: 6-8:30 PM

Thursday, May 14:

NA meeting: 8-9:15 PM

Friday, May 15:

Busy Bees - 10 AM

Hilltop Gospel Choir concert - 7:30 PM

Saturday, May 16:

Church cleanup: 9 AM - 1 PM



Altar Flowers

Happy birthday Rev. Akhtar, Mariam Akhtar, and Clara Mall.

Love from the kids

MISSION MONDAYS AT CROSSROADS THRIFT STORE continue the third Monday of every month. Our next opportunity to serve is *Monday, May 18*. Meet here at FUMC at 6:00 PM. We have food and fellowship at a local restaurant and go to the thrift store together, where we sort & organize donations. Crossroads is located at 1385 W. Indiana Ave. (850 S.) Contact Scott Patton at 801-583-3327 for more information.

MAY FOOD OF THE MONTH:
Dry Pasta & Rice
MAY THRIFT STORE NEEDS:
Men's clothing
Kid's summer clothing

MESSAGE FROM LINDA HILTON: Times are tough and budgets are tight for everyone. Client loads at our pantry continue to be high. Our food supplies are dwindling. We need every kind of canned and dry goods. Please email linda@crossroads-u-c.org if you can help or if you have questions. Thanks!

RESCUE MISSION OF SALT LAKE MINISTRY

Every fourth Wednesday at 7:00 PM, FUMC helps at the Rescue Mission's worship service. Our next Mission Wednesday is *May 27th*. **WE ARE IN NEED OF A NEW WORSHIP LEADER FOR THIS SERVICE.** If you are interested in taking part, please speak with Pastor Brian.

SUNDAY SCHOOL classes are available for all age groups from 9:15-10:00 Sunday mornings!

Adult Class: In the **Cover to Cover** class, we read the Bible (Genesis-Revelation) through the year. Meet in the Sunshine Room for this class.

Children's classes for preschool-grade 1, grades 2-3, and grades 4-6 meet upstairs.

Youth Sunday School/Confirmation for grades 7-12 meets in Pastor Brian's office. Contact Pastor Brian at 801-635-7080 for more information.

During the *Proclamation of the Word* (Sermon), **Children's Church** is available for children *ages 4-12*. The nursery is available during worship south of the sanctuary.



ALTAR FLOWERS

The Flower Donation Calendar for 2009 is now posted in the Fellowship Hall. If you wish to donate flowers for a special Sunday, please **clearly print** the message you wish to be placed in the announcement page, along with the name of the donor, in the proper space. **Only one dedication per week can be accepted.** The price is \$15, payable on the day of the donation. Please mark your check "flowers". Questions? Call 801-328-8726. Thanks!

TOMORROW the church council will be meeting with our new pastoral candidate. All FUMC members are invited to attend. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to Pat Christensen no later than today if you plan to attend.

EASTER STUDY: Jesus' Resurrection Then and Now

This six-week study discusses how Jesus' resurrection was understood in the first century, by Paul and the Gospel writers, and its meaning for today. **Plan to join us Sunday evenings beginning April 19 from 6-8 PM.** We will begin each session with a potluck supper. Questions? Speak with Pastor Brian.

MONTHLY CHURCH CLEANUP

Our normal cleanup scheduled for April 25 will not be held. Instead, mark your calendars for an **intense cleanup Saturday, May 9**. We will also meet on May 16 to put the finishing touches on the building in preparation for our *open house grand opening on Sunday, May 17*. Everyone is needed. There will be lots to do!

CAMP PINECLIFF cleanup is scheduled for all day Saturday, May 9. Everyone is welcome to come and help.

MOTHER'S DAY DINNER

Next Sunday, please plan to have Mother's Day dinner with your church family after worship.

HILLTOP GOSPEL CHOIR "TOTAL PRAISE"

Roberta Shimensky, director, and the Hilltop Gospel Choir present their sixth annual concert May 9, 15, and 17.

- * Saturday, May 9 First UMC, Ogden
1339 W. 400 N.
- * Friday, May 15 HERE at First UMC, Salt Lake
- * Sunday, May 17 Hilltop UMC, Sandy
985 E. 10600 S.

All concerts begin at 7:30 PM. Tickets are available in advance or at the door for a \$5 suggested donation. Call 801-571-5777 for tickets or more information. Child care will be available at the Ogden and Hilltop concerts.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH *Bridge of Love*

The "Bridge of Love" is still an active link to vital ministries near and far. Along with our sister churches in Angola, the new UMCOR West Office and Depot in SLC will also be a recipient. You are invited to collect coins and offerings for the "Bridge of Love", to be taken to our next session of Annual Conference on June 17. You are also invited to gather items for health kits and school kits. Please check the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall for more information.

FUMC'S OPEN HOUSE & GRAND OPENING SUNDAY, MAY 17

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| Rededication and worship | 10:30 AM |
| Recognition of contractors | 12:00 Noon |
| Open house and reception | 1:00-3:00 PM |

Invitations are available for you to send. Please pick them up today!