

FRUITLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Weekly Announcements April 29, 2026



This Sunday, May 3, 2026

Preaching: **Rev. Jorge Rodriguez**

Liturgist: **Holly Kerfoot**

Sermon: "DO NOT LET YOUR HEART BE TROUBLED"

Scriptures: Psalm 119: 2-20 John 14: 1-14

Worship service begins at 9:30 am.



MAY BIRTHDAYS

May 3	Dorothy Bivins
May 7	Hayes Dentinger
May 11	Roxie Tolbert
May 22	Cindy Lee
May 24	Kole Olinger
May 30	Scotty Hutchinson
	Douglas Hutchinson

If you know of a birthday in our congregation which is not listed here, please let Holly know.

May God bless you on your special day, and throughout the year!



Fruitland United Methodist Church
Church Calendar

May 2026

No Mission
Committee
Meeting in May.

May 3 – Communion Sunday

May 6 – Zoom Bible Study 10 AM **Note: UWF will not be doing the Spring Fair Parade this year. We can enjoy it from the curb!**

May 10 – Mother's Day

May 11 – Trustees at 5:30, Ad Council at 6:30

May 13 – Zoom Bible Study 10 AM

May 16 – United Methodist Women Program by Rosie Martinez
Refreshments: Ramona

May 17 – Youth Class visits Cathedral of the Rockies. Depart from church parking lot at 8:30 AM

Last Day of Sunday School until fall.

Worship Committee after coffee hour.

May 20- Zoom Bible Study 10 AM

May 24 – Memorial Day Weekend

May 27 – Zoom Bible Study 10 AM

Please send new items and church email.

Church Office: officefruitland@umc.org

Pastor: jorova59@gmail.com

And the re-roofing project begins!
They're up there stripping it today.
Very scary from the inside– right over my head!



Prayers for medical concerns:

Bill Tolbert

Rev. Christa Klosterman

Jim Trenkel

Gloria Ready

Prayers for the **family and friends of Winnie Henggeler**, who passed away Sunday night. Fruitland is going to miss her.

CELEPRAISE: Taylor Lee passed her oral exams. She is one step closer to becoming a Speech / Language Therapist!

CELEPRAISE: It was great to see Beverly Parks and her daughter in church with us on Sunday!

CELEPRAISE: Pam and Jim Hardenbrook joined us for Sunday worship, before returning to Virginia, where a brand new great grandchild awaits!

CELEPRAISE: Lori Peterson, our church custodian, and her husband both retired this week. They have lots of traveling planned for the months ahead – motorcycle trips!

Feel free to call celebrations and concerns in to the office by 11:00 on Wednesdays.
208-452-3260.
Or email them to officefruitlandumc@gmail.com





Have you ever painted with a FORK? We're getting ready for Mother's Day!





The **Family of Freda Lee** wants to thank all of the church for your kindness and support over the last few weeks. We are especially grateful for the “Soup, Singing, and Storytelling” event you hosted, which allowed us to connect and remember Freda in a place she loved so much. For all the coordination and acts of kindness and support that we have seen, and for the ones that occurred behind the scenes, which we many never know about, THANK YOU! Church families ARE families, and we are so fortunate to be part of the special family that is the Fruitland UMC.





Freda's Family thanks you all!





Job Description for Cleaning Staff

Fruitland United Methodist Church

317 SW 2nd Street

POSITION SUMMARY:

Cleaning staff will perform weekly cleaning of the Fruitland United Methodist Church facility.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be able to pass a background check
- Previous cleaning/House Keeping Experience preferred
- Work independently and/or with minimal supervision
- Cleaner provides their own cleaning equipment and supplies

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- Weekly Duties: Vacuuming all upstairs carpet areas including Sunday School and Nursery areas, clean upstairs bathrooms, wipe off kitchen area countertops, empty trash in designated areas, collects stray bulletins and straighten hymnals in sanctuary
- Monthly duties: Dusting windowsills, blinds, pew backs
- As needed: Washing basement and kitchen floor, clean downstairs bathrooms
- The above description covers the most significant duties performed but does not include other related occasional work.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

This is a part-time position, up to 15 hours monthly. Salary is \$ 20 per hour. This position is under the supervision of the Staff-Parish Relations Committee (SPRC). 208-452-3260

Upcoming Signups Reminders:

Coffee Hour Provider:

May 3 – Roxie and Bill Tolbert

May 10 – Holly Hutchinson

May 17 –

May 24 –

May 31 -

Liturgist:

May 3 – Holly Kerfoot

May 10 – Letha Essinger

May 17 – Jay Whitcomb

May 24 –

May 31 – Reece Hrizuk

Communion Supplies:

May 3 – Bill and Roxie Tolbert

June 7 – Jeff and Leslie Ward

July 5 – Jann and Dave Bell



Please check the bulletin board in the coffee area. Liturgists, especially, are needed!

From the Worship Committee:

If you sign up for communion duties, you are not asked to provide bread. The committee has bakers who are willing to provide gluten-free communion bread each month. They do hope that you will be willing to

- *set-up the altar for communion
- *help the pastor serve communion during the worship service
- * take charge of washing and putting away the communionware afterward.

For those of you who prefer not to tithe with cash or checks, or are unable to do so, our church treasurer has established an online giving option. A QR code will be available on the back of your bulletin and below. To use the QR Code, open up your smartphone camera app and look at the code with the camera. Once it has been able to read it, a link should appear below the code that can be tapped to send you to the donations page. If you have any questions, please ask Leonard Mess.

Offerings given in this manner will be recorded for tax purposes, just as if you had written a check.

Collections for General Fund



FINANCIAL REPORT

MONTHLY GIVING FOR OPERATING BUDGET:

Monthly offering goal- \$8000.00
Month of **April** received - \$7585*



* Updated Weekly

**The Greeter/Usher & Liturgist Sign Up Sheets
are Posted for March, April, May.**

**We need Liturgist sign-ups from people who
are not Sunday School Teachers. It's hard to
be in two places at once!**

No Experience Needed!

Please contact the church office prior to 11:00 am on Wednesdays with
any announcements to be published.

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Email: OfficeFruitlandUMC@gmail.com

Call: 208-452-3260

Email or Leave a voicemail anytime.

To reach Pastor Jorge directly, email jorova59@gmail.com

If it is an emergency, his phone number is (971) 217-3221.

