

FESTIVAL BROCHURE

Many have already received their printed UCG Festival Brochure. If not, it is available online at: feast.ucg.org

REGISTRATON FOR U.S. SITES (some sites, especially international, have different registration times)

Early Registration begins April 20 (Sunday) at 9 a.m. PDT for those who must attend their closest site (guaranteed approval if registration is on time)

General Registration begins on April 27 (Sunday) at 9 a.m. PDT for those who don't necessarily have to attend their closest site and are applying for another site. You may register for your closest site unless it is closed.

To register go to feast.ucg.org and click on the site you would like to register for. Then click on "Register." More details are in the Festival Brochure.

IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION

If you need assistance with online registration please see our new Festival Advisor, Dave Marcum. Forms will be available. 714-313-7131 dayuse1@gmail.com

UNITED STATES FEAST SITES

Below are the U.S. Feast sites listed on the feast.ucg.org website. International sites are also listed. They are:
Aransas Pass, Texas; Branson, Missouri; Cincinnati, Ohio; Daytona Beach, Florida; Gatlinburg, Tennessee; Glacier County, Montana; Hershey-Harrisburg, PA; Klamath Falls, Oregon; Lihui, Hawaii; Lake Geneva, Wisconsin; Morehead City, North Carolina; Panama City Beach, Florida; Rapid City, South Dakota; Temecula, California, and Walnut Creek, Ohio.



United Church of God
an International Association

Orange County, California

Announcement Bulletin

April 12, 2025

Hymn Leader: **Mr. Dave Wallauch**

Sermonette **Mr. Bill Wassner**

Sermon: **Mr. Howard Marchbanks**

Sabbath Thought

Eccl. 10:14, "A fool also multiplies words. No man knows what is to be; who can tell him what will be after him?"

Believer's Commentary states, "A fool doesn't know when to stop. Words, words, words. He talks on and on as if he knew everything, but he doesn't. His endless chatter almost inevitably includes boasts of what he will do in the future. He is like the rich fool who said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have many goods laid up for many years; take your ease; eat, drink, and be merry' (Lk. 12:18-19). But he does not know what is going to happen next. He would be better advised to say, 'If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that'" (James 4:15).

-- Submitted by Mario Seiglie

NIGHT TO BE MUCH OBSERVED THIS EVENING

Because the Night to be Much Observed is this evening, there will be no Coffee Social today. For those going to the home of Rebeca and Rody Azar, maps are available at the lectern as you enter the sanctuary.

FIRST DAY OF UNLEAVENED BREAD TOMORROW, APR. 13

The First Day of Unleavened Bread will be at the Holiday Inn in La Mirada (14299 Firestone Blvd, La Mirada, CA 90638) with one service at 2:00 p.m. A map with directions and list of restaurants in the area are online on our church website and copies are at the lectern as one enters the sanctuary.

LAST DAY OF UNLEAVENED BREAD - Sabbath, April 19

The Last Day of Unleavened Bread will be the Sabbath of April 19, here at our church facility. Services will be at 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. If you come for just the afternoon service, please put your offering in the labeled box at the back.

A restaurant guide for nearby restaurants will be available on the Information Table next week and is on our church website now. You can also bring your lunches and eat here at this facility between services. Drinks will be provided. We will only set up tables and chairs, and participants are asked to do their own area cleanup.

HOLY DAY OFFERINGS FOR LAST DAY OF UNLEAVENED BREAD

We will be taking up offerings on both Holy Days of the Feast of Unleavened Bread. If you have your pre-labeled green envelopes please use them since it *speeds up processing* procedures. You can also get an offering envelope from an usher that day. Please make checks payable to “United Church of God” and remember to write the amount legibly on the front. The location is Orange County, CA

LOCAL CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING THIS COMING THURSDAY, APRIL 17

The next local church council meeting will be this coming Thursday evening, April 17, at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom. The primary focus will be council approval of our local church budget July 2025 through June 2026. If you are not a council member and wish to attend this meeting, please contact our council chairman Roy Tower.

SPREADING THE GOOD NEWS OF THE KINGDOM OF GOD

On April 6, God Our Father and Our Lord Jesus allowed 25 people to take UCG booklets and learn Our Father’s Truth. Many thanks to Irene Larvie, Ron Guizado, Jean Marini and Ray Roberts for their service. Our next outreach will be at Irvine Spectrum on Sunday, April 27, from 12:00 to 4:00 pm. The outreach will be located in front of the Verizon store.

ROOM FOR RENT REQUEST BY RAMONA MORRISSETTE-NAGAI

Ramona Morrissette-Nagai is currently looking for a room to rent. The house she is renting a room in is being sold by the owners by the end June 2025. Please contact her at 714-351-9027 or email her at ramonamnagai@gmail.com.

SABBATH AT IRVINE REGIONAL PARK APRIL 26

On April 26 our congregation (along with some from the Los Angeles and Redlands congregations) will again be able to enjoy a Sabbath in the Park (our 28th) at Irvine Regional Park in Orange. We have reserved the same secluded and beautiful Coyote Corner underneath a canopy of trees. There are plenty of picnic tables but you may bring your own lawn chairs if you would like. Note that the parking lots are basically in alphabetical order and we are in Parking Lot “O.” There are two adjacent parking areas.

Services will be at 11:00 a.m. followed by a deli-type sandwich lunch.

Our congregation again will provide all the sandwich fixings. We ask our attendees to bring a salad or side dish plus a dessert. A donation box will be there if you want to help defray some of the costs. After lunch, enjoy fellowshipping with each other in nature until you want to leave.

Please note that there will be no services at our regular church facility that day and no local webcast. Flyers with details and directions are on our church website at: orange-county-ca.ucg.org and copies will be available in the Fellowship Hall next Sabbath

Help needed for Sabbath in the Park

For the lunch, if you want to help with food handling, serving or cleanup, please contact Caty Seiglie.

LOCAL PRAYER REQUESTS Knox Anson, Cheri Musser, Lincoln Marini, Jeff Lewis, Doris Haller, Ramona Morrissette-Nagai, Will Garnant, Mark Dyches, Diana Cade, Enrique Vidal, Pam Snyder, Jimmy Ortiz, Carmel Cini, Brad & JoAnn Slater, Helene Rosenberg, Randi Hilgen, Melanie Bryan and Brennan Hilgen

COFFEE SOCIAL ROTATION

Note that these responsibilities are still divided by regions. However, the coordinators and helpers have changed in some cases.

Date	Region in Charge
Apr. 12	No coffee social - NTBMO this evening
Apr. 19	None - Last Day UB
Apr. 26	None - Sabbath in the Park
May 3	#1 (West) - Moores
May 10	#2 (North & East) - Towers
May 17	#3 (Central) - Seiglies
May 24	#4 (South) - Marinis
May 31	5 th Sabbath “Potluck”

SUNSET: Sunset this evening is at 7:22 pm; next Friday at 7:26 pm.