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Whittier First UMC

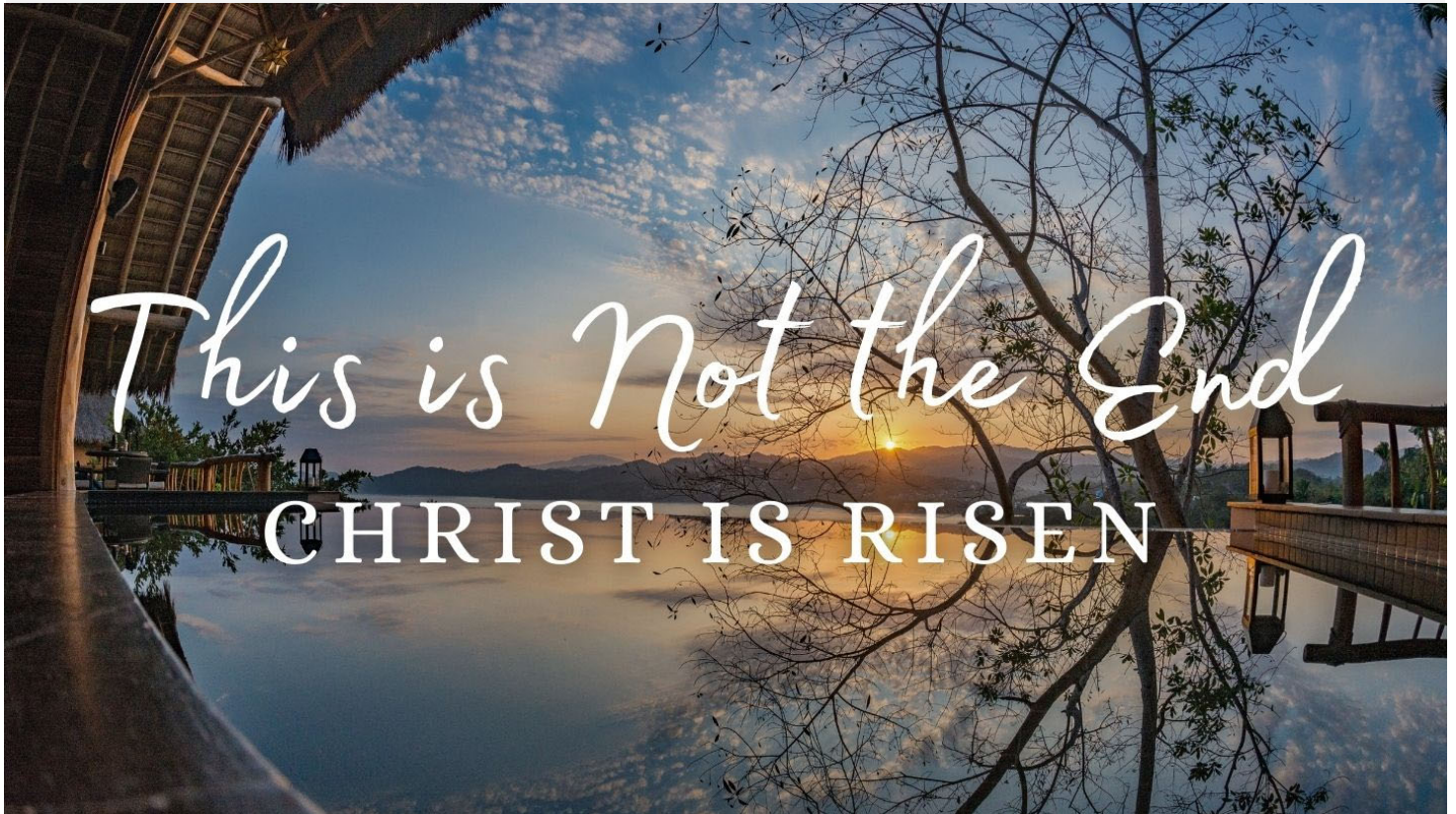
Good News for All...through learning, action, and love

IN-PERSON & ONLINE Worship every Sunday @ 10am

 **Whittier First United Methodist Church**

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“Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! At very end of Holy Week, Jesus is crucified. His disciples are left in grief and shock. But, as you know, this is not the end of the story. Death is not the end of our story . It is the beginning of the new life in Christ. We are called to be a people of resurrection , living into the new life that Christ gives us.”

-Pastor Angela

**Join us for In-Person or Online Worship
Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023 @ 10am**

This Is Not the End: He Is Risen!

Matthew 28: 1-10

THIS WEEK AT WHITTIER FIRST UMC

Thurs, 04.06.23

- 5 pm **Jubilant Bells Rehearsal**
Bell Room
- 6:30 pm **Maundy Thursday Service**
East Whittier UMC, 10005 Cole Rd.
- 7:30 pm **Chancel Choir Rehearsal**
Choir Room

Fri, 04.07.23

- 7 pm **Good Friday Service**
Woven in Faith,
6442 Glengarry Ave.

Easter Egg Hunt for children—April 9 @ 9:30 AM,
Central Park across the street from Church

Easter Traditional Worship—April 9 @ 10 AM

Tues, 04.11.23

- 1:30 pm **Tuesdays Art & Music**
Wesley Lounge

Wed, 04.12.23

- 9 am **Sew n Sew**
Admin 101
- 2 pm **Prayer & Meditation**
Sanctuary

Thurs, 04.13.23

- 2 pm **Staff Meeting**
Conference Room
- 5 pm **Jubilant Bells Rehearsal**
Bell Room
- 7:30 pm **Chancel Choir Rehearsal**
Choir Room

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

In-Person:

Sun, April 2, 2023: **45**

Online (Facebook & YouTube):

Sun, March 26, 2023: **180**

Flowering of the Easter Cross

Please bring flowers or greenery to worship service on Easter Sunday to help decorate the cross as a symbol of Jesus' resurrection.

FRIDAY FAITH FLICKS

Friday, April 14 @ 6 PM

Kraft Friendship Room

80 for Brady

“Four best friends live life to the fullest when they embark on a wild trip to see their hero, Tom Brady, play in the 2017 Super Bowl.”

Starring Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin,
Rita Moreno, and Sally Field

Join us for dinner & a movie!

Reservations not needed but help us plan

RIDES ARE AVAILABLE,
Just call the Office 562-698-0022

Thirty years ago several former members deeded cemetery plots at Rose Hills to the church. They have been “rediscovered” and are now for sale by the Trustees. Rose Hills is selling their plots for approximately \$15,000 each. The Trustees have set a price of \$8,500 for each of our six available plots. Please contact the church office or Sharon Hastings (562-693-2303) for more information.



On April 29 from 10:00-2:00 the NAMI Greater Los Angeles County (NAMI GLAC) NAMI WALK returns to Los Angeles AND at a new location: LA Historic State Park (<https://LAStateHistoricPark.org/>).

We use our Walk as an opportunity to raise awareness of National Alliance on Mental Illness Greater Los Angeles County (NAMI GLAC) and the work we do to support, education, advocate and create awareness to reach our goal of “Mental Health for All”. We also hope to raise funds for the important work that we do.

To register for the walk or make donations, visit www.namiglac.org/namiwalks2023

This event is also a mental health resource fair and fun fest. You will find a Health and Wellness area providing free meditation, yoga, get a massage, learn to meditate, and other wellness mini-workshops; a KidZone with games and activities for children; a pet area (and a best dressed pet contest); information and resources. All of this, while enjoying a beautiful park. We encourage you to join a team or create a team representing your family, workplace or a group you are part of. To earn a walk t-shirt you must be registered as a walker and raise at least \$100 in donations. There are other incentives if you raise higher amounts. Of course, you really don't have to walk. There are so many other things to do there.

After attending the Walk last year, Amy Ray encourage her employer to become a sponsor so they will have a table. Be sure to stop by United Health Care and let them know that you know Amy and thank them for their support.

Another way to support the walk this coming week is by eating at Taco Nazo at 121 S. Beach, La Habra this Monday, April 10 from 10 am to 9 pm. Bring the flyer and 50% of your check will go to NAMI in Whittier and Long Beach. The flyers will be available at church or in the church office or Rita can e-mail you a copy.

Be sure to make sure they know it's for the GLAC program in the Whittier area. For more information, please contact me: Rita Murray at (562) 652-2162 or NAMIWhittier@aol.com. My team is “Mental Health Care Gets My Vote”.





GIVE HOPE THIS SPRING.

Give blood.



BLOOD DRIVE

Venture Crew 546

Location: Wesley Lounge
6725 Friends Ave.
Whittier, CA 90601

Saturday, May 6, 2023

10:00a.m. to 4:00p.m.

PICTURE ID REQUIRED AT REGISTRATION AND DURING HEALTH EXAM.

Schedule an appointment by using the QR code below or visit RedCrossBlood.org
and enter sponsor code: **CREW546** or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.

