



# CHIMES

## 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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*Love is*

*Our Witness*

John 15: 9-17

Last week, we learned an important truth – love is the true Christian fundamental. Once we recognize this truth, our perspective is transformed. Love is more than a feeling. Love is a decision that we make regardless of how we feel about someone. Love is the source of God’s creative power. Love is how God is made known in the world. Join us this Sunday as worship together and learn about how “Love is Our Witness.” –Pastor Jon

**Join us for In-person or Online Worship: Sunday, July 9, 2023 @ 10AM**

“Love is Our Witness” -Rev. Jon Wesley Waterson

*John 15: 9-17*

## THIS WEEK AT WHITTIER FIRST UMC

Sun, 07.09.23

- 8:45 am      **M & M Challengers Sunday School**  
Kraft Friendship Room
- 10 am        **Traditional Worship**  
Sanctuary/Online
- 10:20 am    **Children's Sunday School**  
Library

Thurs, 07.13.23

- 2 pm         **Staff Meeting**  
Conference Room

## First Friends Church Annual Peace Camp:



## FREE Family Peace Festival

Saturday, August 26 12:30-3:30 pm

**Crafts – Stories – Snacks**

**Special Guest: Tide Pool Animals**

**From the Aquarium of the Pacific!**

HOW TO CONTACT PASTOR JON:

[PastorJon@WhittierFirstUMC.com](mailto:PastorJon@WhittierFirstUMC.com)

## WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

**In-Person:**

Sunday, July 2, 2023: **66**

**Online (YouTube):**

Sunday, June 25, 2023: **116**

## SING WITH THE CHOIR

This is your opportunity!

Come and practice with the Chancel Choir at 9:15 Sunday mornings and sing the anthem for that day's service, starting July 2nd. There are no Thursday rehearsals - only the Sunday warm-up at 9:15. Questions? Contact Music Director, Marvin Neumann, 626.798.9332.



Christmas in July on Sunday, July 23rd, in the afternoon, at East Whittier UMC, 10005 Cole Road. Join us for a fun community event with Christmas decorations, carols and goodies! All this and a baby shower for Mary as we collect items for La Mirada teen mothers in need.