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Whittier First UMC

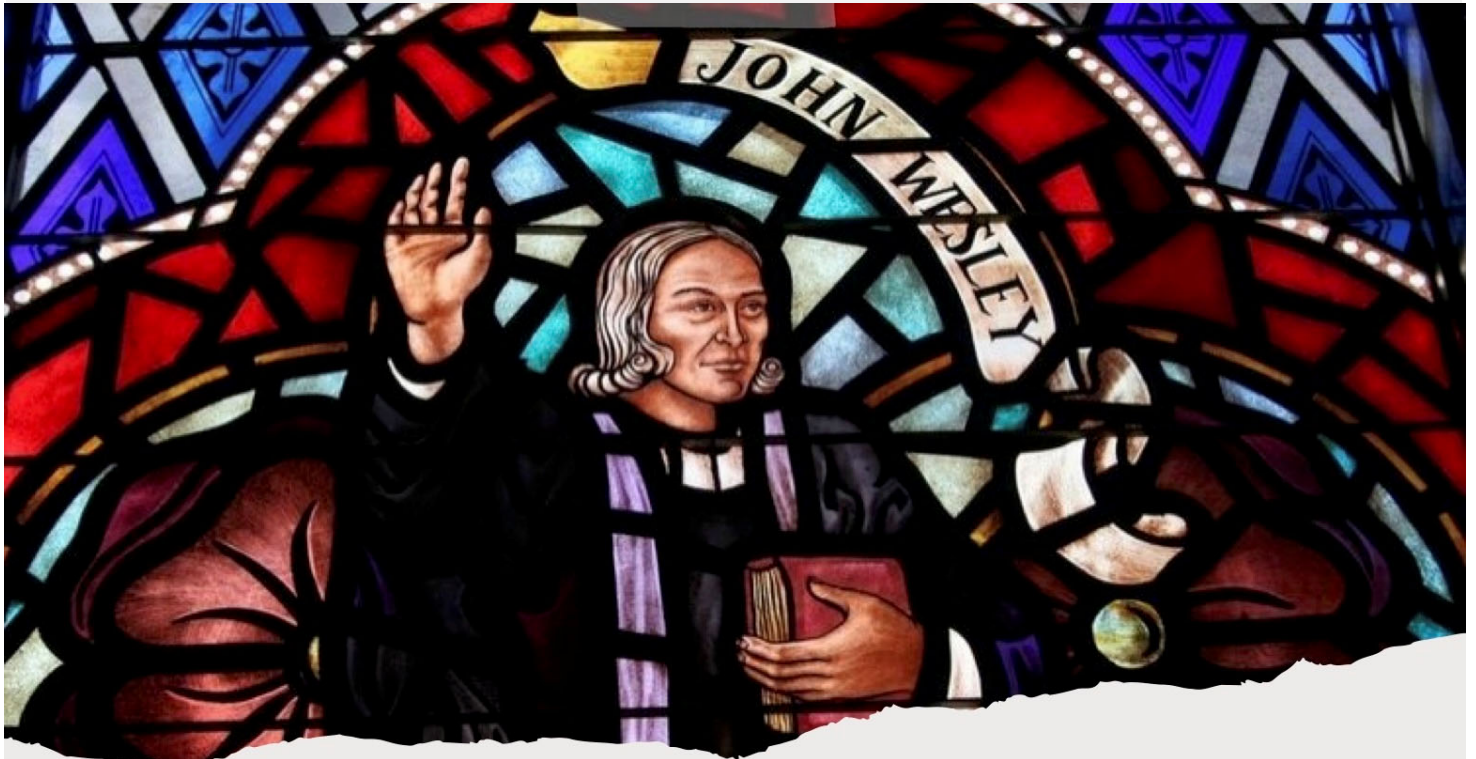
Good News for All...through learning, action, and love

IN-PERSON & ONLINE Worship every Sunday @ 10am

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“What Does it Mean to be a United Methodist?”

Grace is not always easy to define (although many have tried over the years). One thing is certain. Grace is God's love in action. God's love is revealed to us through God's "amazing grace." This week we continue our sermon series titled "What It Means to be a United Methodist." We will be exploring what it means in real life to be children of a loving God. How does God reveal God's love to us? Through God's grace. God's grace calls us, redeems us, and transforms us. Join us this Sunday as we discover "Three Times the Grace." -Pastor Jon

In-Person & Online Worship

Sunday, August 11, 2024 @ 10am

"Three Times the Grace" Luke 15:11-32 Rev. Jon Wesley Waterson

COMING UP AT WHITTIER FIRST UMC

Sun, 08.11.24

8:30 am **M&M Challengers**
Kraft Friendship Room

10 am **Traditional Worship**
Sanctuary/Online

10:20 am **Children's Sunday School**
Library

11:30 am **Worship Support Team**
Conference Room

Wed, 08.14.24

9 am **Sew n Sew**
Sewing Room (Admin 101)

Thurs, 08.15.24

2 pm **Staff Meeting**
Conference Room

Office Hours next week:

M 8:30am-5pm, T 10am-2pm,

W 10am-2pm, Th 8:30am-5pm, F closed

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

In-Person:

Sunday, August 4, 2024: **63**

Online (Facebook & YouTube):

Sunday, July 28, 2024: **103**



8th Lorena Alvarez

8th Charles Bennett

8th Pastor Angela Galanis Price

8th Sue Turco

10th Aida Neumann

11th Jesse Cena

15th Williametta Spencer

21st Betty Spelman

22nd Elinor McNay



August 18th-September 1st
and October 6th-13th

Sign ups coming soon for:

Overnight Monitors and Meal Donations

BLESSING of the BACKPACKS
Sunday, August 18th, during worship

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

It's that time again friends! We need Sunday School teachers for this next rotation, with our sign-up sheet listing slots through January.

We are hoping, starting in September, to use a new idea from Pastor Jon. Instead of a new lesson each week, we will be focusing on 12 major themes, big Bible stories and exploring them in 4 different ways (or 5, on a month with an extra Sunday). We are thinking of doing: music (1st Sundays), drama (2nd), cooking/food (3rd week and sharing what we make during coffee/refreshments time) and art (4th week) as a way to explore the lesson content in deeper ways. Curriculum and supplies will still be provided, but if you have a special interest or gifts in one of those ways of learning, considering signing up for that week! Ask CJ how you can help!