**OCTOBER 2019** 

The

# Chimes

**Worshipping at Paradise Lutheran Church** Sundays: 11:30 am



# IT WAS A JOY TO SEE SO MANY AT OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING!

Lots of current ridge residents and former residents—were on hand for Craig Memorial Congregational Church's business meeting in September.

We also celebrated the church's 140th birthday—including a cake (but not 140 candles—we've all seen enough flames in the last year...) Thanks to all for the great food—and to Ralph Neidigh who served as our guest pastor that day.









More photos, next page...

Oct. 16

**CHURCH BOARDS** 

Diaconate: 2:30 pm Trustees: 2:30 pm

Oct. 20

**PIZZA LUNCH** 

Join us at Westside Pizza after the church service for a no-host pizza (or salad!) lunch.

**FOR YOUR CALENDAR**  Nov. 3

**SHOEBOX SUNDAY** 

Return the box vou packed for Operation Christmas Child. Questions about the program or what to include? Call Tonya 530/872.0850

## We need your help as we clean up our lists...

It's been almost one year since the Camp Fire. The disaster meant the loss of our beloved church—as well as the homes of many of our members.

To move forward, Craig Memorial Congregational Church needs to update its membership list so we have an accurate count of "official" members as we make important decisions for the future.

We need to hear from everyone who is a current church member.

Our bylaws describe a member as someone who has entered into the church covenant publicly and continues to support the work and participate in the life of the church.

We know many of our members have moved away from the ridge and are unable to attend, volunteer and support Craig Memorial—even though they'd still like to hear from us to know what their church family is doing.

If you're in that group, it will really help us if you can notify the church office (530.519.3133; or email: office@craigchurch.com) to "officially" remove your name from our active and participating membership list.

If your plans change and you return to the ridge we'd look

forward to welcoming you once again as a participating church member!

And, even though you're not able to attend regularly any longer, we'd be happy to keep you updated with church news and info. Simply tell us when you call or email with your membership status and we'll keep you on the "church news" list to keep you informed.

Thank you for your understanding; your phone call or email will help us know how many members we can count on moving forward. By sharing your current membership status with us, you are really helping!

#### WHO'S PREACHING?

Oct. 6-27 Dr. Robert Biehler

### Change your clocks!



Turn your clocks back an hour before heading to bed on Saturday, Nov. 2 or else you'll be really early for church—but at least you'll know you'll have your choice of seats that day!





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