

NOVEMBER 2019

The Chimes



CRAIG MEMORIAL
CONGREGATIONAL
CHURCH

Worship: Paradise Lutheran Church
Sundays: 11:30 am

Remembering the year...

Last year's Camp Fire brought so many changes—the fire destroyed many of our homes, lives were lost and good friends were scattered, some never to return to the Ridge or to worship with us again.

But God is steadfast and He promises us His love and care always. At Craig Memorial Congregational Church we're confident in God, even when we may be uncertain about our future. While we've put some church traditions on hold (remember those great Thanksgiving dinners?), we remain a Pilgrim people, going where God calls us.

On All Saints Day this year, we give thanks for the lives of these members and friends who went home to be with our Lord (Nov. 2, 2018 to Nov. 1, 2019): Irv Eaton, Whit Lawrence, Jim Grand, Bob Curtis and Karlyn SeEVERS.



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calls us.**

**WE GIVE THANKS
FOR THE JOURNEY.
ALWAYS.**

Upcoming Camp Fire events:

Nov. 8: 10:30 am; Phoenix Key Project Tribute Reveal: 6295 Skyway

Nov. 8: 11:08 am. 85 seconds of silence to mark those lives lost.

Nov. 9: 10 am-4 pm; The Ridge Lives On, Remembrance & Celebration Fair; Pine Ridge School.

Nov. 9: 3:30-7:30 pm; We Stand Together. Includes fair with games, rides, petting zoo and food plus two free shows (reservations needed). Paradise Alliance Church. WeStandTogether.info.

Nov. 17

PIZZA LUNCH

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

Nov. 20

**CHURCH
BOARDS**

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

**FOR YOUR
CALENDAR**

Dec. 8

CHRISTMAS MUSIC & SWEET TREATS



Please share with us—we need to hear from you!

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.

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 now unable to attend, volunteer or support Craig Memorial Congregational Church.

If you’re in that group, it will really help us if you can notify us by telling us (phone the church office: 530.519.3133; or email: office@craigchurch.com) or complete the form here and mail it to us (PO Box 1386; Paradise CA 95967).

If you relinquish your membership now but plans change and you return to the ridge, we’d love to welcome you once again as a participating church member!

Thank you for your understanding; your phone call, email or letter will help us know how many members we can count on moving forward.



Church memories: Do you remember these commemorative plates?

Please complete one form for each member in your household and return by Dec. 1.

Name _____

Phone _____

Mailing address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Email _____

- Please **remove** my name from the church membership list.
- Please **keep** my name on the church membership list.
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