

2018**MAY****2018**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 7pm Deacons	2 530pm Feeding the Hungry	3 7pm Choir & Quilters	4	5 530am KC 10am Prayer Shawl Ministry
6 10am Worship/ Communion/ Sunday School 1pm KC 5pm IC	7 7pm Evangelism	8 330pm Gustine Admin. Committee (Lea Lounge)	9 630pm Worship	10 545pm Mission 7pm Choir & Quilters	11	12 530am KC
13 10am Worship/ Sunday School 1pm KC 5pm IC	14 7pm Finance	15 Newsletter Deadline 7pm Session	16	17 7pm Choir & Quilters	18 6pm Piano Recital	19 530am KC 8am Men's Breakfast 2pm Violin Recital
20 10am Worship/ Sunday School 1pm KC 5pm IC	21	22	23	24 7pm Choir & Quilters	25	26 530am KC 10am T.I.M Workday 2pm Piano Recital
27 10am Worship/ Sunday School Fellowship Cake 1pm KC 5pm IC	28 Office Closed	29	30 845am Newsletter Folding Crew	31 7pm Choir & Quilters		

Introducing...Roy & Marie Patterson

Roy and Marie grew up in Tracy. Marie is a 5th generation Tracyite and Roy is a 3rd generation Tracyite. Both graduated from Tracy High, Roy in 1961 and Marie in 1963. Both graduated from Sacramento State College. After college Roy stayed in Sacramento and worked for Bel Air Markets, while Marie returned to Tracy and started her teaching career.

Roy and Marie have a long history with Tracy First Presbyterian Church. Roy grew up in the church, attended Sunday School, and became a member in 1956 as a teenager. Marie became involved in the church in 1958 attending Sunday School and during High School was involved with a large Youth Group. After college Marie continued her attendance at First Presbyterian and became a member in 1976. When Roy came back to Tracy in 1979, Roy and Marie met one Sunday after church, and were married in First Presbyterian on April 12, 1980. Our two sons, Danny and Justin, Roy's two daughters, Keri and Tanya, and Marie's son, Steven all have been baptized at Tracy First Presbyterian and the three boys became members; Steven is still a member; Danny is a member of Celtic Cross Presbyterian in Fair Oaks; and Justin attends with his wife, Laura Holy Family Catholic Church in Citrus Heights.

Marie has been Sunday School Superintendent, is a Deacon and Elder, serving several terms and was recently Financial Secretary. Roy is an Elder, serving several terms on Session. Roy was also Youth Director for three years during the 1980's.

Roy was a Painting Contractor for nearly 30 years. Roy spent 9 years (1985-94) on the Tracy Elementary School Board. He also coached youth baseball, soccer, and basketball. Marie taught school at Delta Island School until the birth of our last child. Marie stayed home for a year then taught in Manteca, where she ended her 39 years of teaching.

Roy retired in 2008. He is active in Tracy Breakfast Lions, where he is treasurer, and helps at most of their activities. Roy has been a board member of the Community Center for the Blind in Stockton since 2010, where they provide services for the blind and sight impaired. Since 2011 Roy has also been a member on the board of Lions Eye Foundation of CA/NV based in San Francisco where eye surgery is provided to people without insurance or of low income.

Marie, after retiring in 2008, joined Stockton Delta Lions and is an active member. She is a volunteer at the Tracy Museum working with third grade classes in Tracy to provide "a hands on" learning experience of the history of Tracy. Most recently Gladys Poet Christian School asked her do to some volunteer reading, this was especially rewarding since the school is named for her mother. Marie enjoys working on her class reunions and having monthly lunches with classmates.

We have eight grandchildren, six boys and two girls. We enjoy time with family, especially the grandchildren, taking trips to the coast, going to plays and going on vacations. We are blessed with family and good friends. Tracy First Presbyterian Church has been an integral part of lives. We give God thanks for all our blessings.



"Zephyr Point is a haven where God's presence seems to reach out from the mountains and the deep blue lake to drape the world-weary visitors in a profound peace."

- Chicago Tribune Correspondent



Zephyr Point Family Camp in Lake Tahoe has been a long-standing tradition for the First Presbyterian Church of Tracy. Daily bible studies and lessons are given during an adult learning portion of each morning, which coincides with a separate children's program. It is through these times that the opportunity for growing in your personal faith can take place, regardless of your age or where you are at on your journey.

There are ample opportunities to spend time together as a congregation and as individual families. Camp attendees may choose to walk the camp grounds, spend time at the lake, read, work on puzzles, take a hike, go golfing or head to the skies on a parasail. The Lake Tahoe area provides many fun activities suitable for all ages and interests.

This incredible week wraps up with a special communion service held at the Donaldson Memorial on the Zephyr Point grounds. It serves as a unique way to reflect on the memories that have been made as well as a special time to honor God for the blessings he has bestowed upon us. It also allows everyone in attendance to head home feeling rejuvenated in faith, hope and love.

Signups have begun. Contact Jill @ the church office, Alex or Darline Pineda after Sunday Services. Cost per children 4-12 is \$95 and all others \$205. Food and accommodations are included for the entire week. A \$100 deposit is required to reserve your room as space is limited. Everyone is encouraged and welcomed to attend the 5-day Family Camp event to be held from July 15th through July 20th.

We hope to see you all there!

