President's Message: Terrie Matsumoto

Happy holidays to everyone! It is one of the busiest times of the year. So many things to do and so little time. The "To-Do" list seems endless! As the "To-Do" list for family, for school, and for community fills our day, it is our hope that you will be able to add the following to your "To-Do" list and join us for the following temple activities.

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DECEMBER 2026

NEWSLETTER

MARYSVILLE BUDDHIST CHURCH



Rev. Matt Hamasaki

Rev. Matt's Message

I know this newsletter is supposed to be for the December edition, but I was asked to have it finished at the beginning of November, so Halloween is still in my mind. Along with the discounted bat shaped candy, is the decorations (that have started to come down) of witches, ghosts, and, of course, jack-o'-lanterns. These hallowed out pumpkins have such a fun history going back to originally being turnips, and the legend of Stingy Jack.

Stingy Jack is an old Irish folktale about a mischievous man who is so clever he manages to trick the Devil not once, but twice. In doing so, he bargains with the Devil to keep him out of hell despite his unsavory behavior. Yet all his schemes leave him unchanged. When he dies, he's welcome neither in Heaven nor Hell and is doomed to wander the earth alone, carrying a lantern made from a hollowed-out turnip. As I have learned, Irish immigrants found pumpkins (native to the Americas) to make a much better container for the lanterns and thus created the next evolution of the tradition.

This myth is a cautionary tale about how cleverness without growth can leave us lost and isolated. And, as we are now getting closer to Christmas, a similar story of a clever but not so nice person holds a similar role – Ebenezer Scrooge, the miser from A Christmas Carol. He begins in a similar place—selfish, bitter, and consumed by money. But after being confronted by the ghosts of Christmas Past, Present, and Yet to Come, he sees the impact of his choices and opens his heart. He embraces generosity, community, and compassion, becoming a source of joy rather than misery.

Together, the stories offer a simple but powerful contrast: Jack never changes, and his life becomes an endless wandering. Scrooge changes, and in doing so finds connection, purpose, and redemption. This is the turning of the heart within Jodo Shinshu that we are taught to realize. Fortunately, (or unfortunately, depending on how you look at it) most of us are not visited by ghosts on the eve of holidays to help us see the error in our ways. Thus, it becomes our responsibility to confront ourselves over the impact of our choices. Luckily, during the Christmas season, we are full of opportunities to see compassion on display in fullest form. Let's try to open our eyes and hearts to take it in and transform the miserly parts of us into generous ones.

Rev. Matt Hamasaki

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President's Message

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We would love to see you and would love to have the opportunity to wish you Happy Holidays and Happy New Year in person!

MBC GENERAL MEETING

Sunday, December 6, 2026, 10:30 a.m. Social Room

This meeting will give our temple members an opportunity to hear what is currently occurring and what is being forecasted for 2027 and our concern for the future of our temple. Members will also have the opportunity to share their thoughts regarding any aspect of our temple past, present, and future. This meeting is open to all temple members. You may attend in person or you may now join us virtually through Zoom. If you would like to attend via Zoom, please contact the church office at 530-743-6424 or email the church at office@MarysvilleBC.org and a Zoom link will be emailed to you.

DECEMBER SHOTSUKI HOYO & BODHI DAY SERVICE

Sunday, December 6, 2026, 1:00 p.m. Sensei Keith Kato

Bodhi Day is the day when Siddhartha Gautama became the Buddha after attaining enlightenment under the Bodhi Tree. The December Shotsuki Hoyo will honor all those who passed away during the month of December. Everyone is invited to attend this service and all are invited for refreshments following the service in the Social Room.

MOCHI TIME!

Mochi Orders due by Sunday, December 1, 2026

Mochitsuki at Placer Buddhist Church

Sunday, December 13, 2026 - 7:30 a.m.

MBC Mochi Pick Up Time is Sunday, December 13, 2026

3:00 - 5:00 p.m. - MBC Annex Hall

It's that mochi time of year! This year mochi will be prepared by the Placer Buddhist Church. Their Mochitsuki will be held on Sunday, December 13, 2026, starting at 7:30 a.m. If you would like to lend a helping hand at their Mochitsuki, please contact Katie at the church office, 530-743-6426 or email the church at office@MarysvilleBC.org.

Our Mochi Pick Up Time will be on that same day, Sunday, December 13, 2026, from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. in the MBC Annex Hall. I would like to thank Kahn Kochi for picking up the mochi at Placer Buddhist Church and Lysa Kinoshita for coordinating the Mochi Pick Up at the Marysville Buddhist Church.

JOYA-E NEW YEAR'S EVE SERVICE

Thursday, December 31, 2026, 11:00 a.m. Rev. Yuki Sugahara

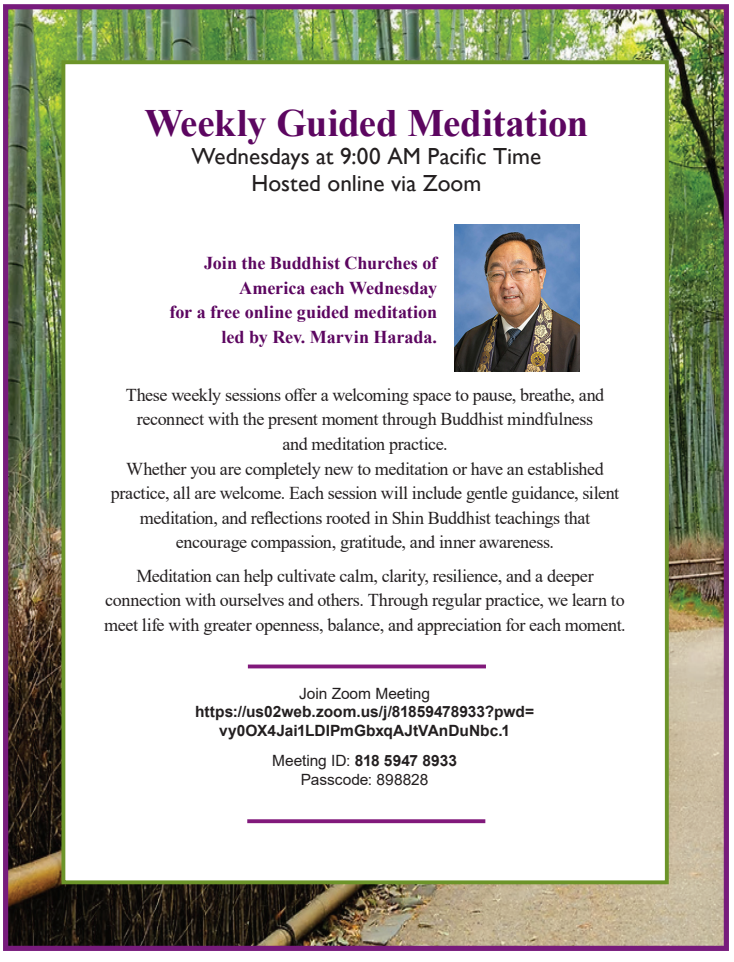
The Joya-E New Year's Eve Service is a time to reflect upon the past year and to look forward to the new year. It is at this service we ring the outdoor Kansho (bell) 108 times as a symbol of overcoming the 108 passions that human beings are said to possess. Each time you hit the bell, it rings out the old and at the same time, rings in the new. Everyone is welcome to attend the Joya-E service and for refreshments following the service. We will be serving the traditional hot soba noodles as well as the regular udon noodles for all to enjoy! It is a wonderful opportunity to come and join us as we ring out 2026 and welcome the new year

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MBC Dec. Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
CLOSED – Friday, Dec. 25, 2026 for Christmas Day & Friday, Jan. 1, 2027 for New Year's Day

If you wish to stop by the church, please do so during those hours. Please contact the church at 530-743-6426 and let us know what day and time you would like to stop by. Please park on the 2nd street side of the church and enter through the Social Room door.



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of 2027!

2027 NEW YEAR PARTY
Saturday, January 23, 2027 - 12:00 p.m.
MBC Annex Hall

Reservations must be received no later than Monday, January 11, 2027

Come and join us and wish everyone a Happy New Year on Saturday, January 23rd. Enjoy a delicious prime rib or chicken lunch, great entertainment provided by Matrix Reloaded (Kenny Uyemoto, Tom Koga, Phil Nakamura, and Mike Catano), and great raffle baskets! All members, families, and friends of the temple are invited. The reservation form is attached to this Newsletter or you may place your reservations online at MarysvilleBC.org. There is a QR code on the reservation form that you can use to access the online New Year Party reservation form.

NOTE: There will be *NO ASSIGNED SEATING*. Doors will open at 11:30 a.m.

NEW YEAR PARTY RAFFLE BASKET DONATIONS REQUEST

Donations for our New Year Party Raffle Baskets will be greatly appreciated. Gift cards and items pertaining to sports, entertainment, dining, games, household items, items suitable for children, Japanese food and/or Japanese items will be appreciated to fill our Raffle Baskets. Donations can be dropped off at the church on Monday, Wednesday, Friday, from 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. Please contact the church office to make drop-off arrangements, 530-743-6426.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE 2027
November 1, 2026 to March 31, 2027

MBC 2027 Membership Drive kicked off on November 1, 2026. We had a very successful Membership Drive for 2026 and through your membership contributions, we were able to make improvements and major repairs to our temple. It also helped fund major events such as the 2026 New Year Party, Japanese Vintage Sale, Ireicho: Book of Names event, and the 2026 Obon Festival which were all successful and very well attended! Your membership dues contribution is truly helping to sustain the viability of our temple. We look forward to your continued support for 2027. Pass the word to family and friends. Membership is open to everyone of all ages, living locally or out of town. The 2027 membership form is located in this newsletter or you may submit your membership dues online at MarysvilleBC.org. You may also use the QR code on the membership form to access the membership form online.

Please take care and remember to pause and to take deep breathes during this holiday season! Look forward to seeing you all in 2027!

Gassho,
Terrie



CONDOLENCES

The Marysville Buddhist Church would like to extend condolences to the families of the following for the loss of their loved ones.

Don Kodani, who passed away August 25, 2026.
Mizuye Hatamiya, who passed away October 24, 2026.

Pond and Garden

October Notes

BY JIM EDGMAN

The Skunks are busy digging up the garden. I'll be glad if they moved on. The one fish that had the bad spot on its forehead is looking a lot better. The other with the hole by his eye is still on the West end eating. Yesterday there were all sorts of Sparrows, some very young and small. Today is quiet.

This morning there are 3 Doves all together preening. I have never seen that before; it has always been just the 2. Lily blooms are now extremely rare. Taro Island was just tended again. It won't be long before it all needs to be cut back for Winter. We have been having the yellow pollen from the cheese puffs leaving a film everywhere. Now with the rain and wind the cheese puffs are everywhere. Our normal 2 Doves are together on one of the rocks right now. They are sure cute.

We had a storm the other day and the cheese puffs are everywhere. Today I started working on cleaning them up from the garden. That is going to take a while as it looks like there are 5 to 6 thousand up there yet! The pond had to be skimmed before feeding.

I've gotten the walkways pretty much cleared from the cheese puffs. Still working on the land islands.

Everything is OK!
In Gassho
Jim

Correction from last month's article

It reads, "a 2 ½ inch PVC pipe was leaking." That is wrong. It was 2 each ½" PVC lines with 1 leaking.

Jim Edgman tends the skimmers on a cold morning.

Donations Gratefully Acknowledged

The Marysville Buddhist Church gratefully acknowledges the following donations received. For any corrections or omissions, please call the Church at (530) 743-6426 or email office@MarysvilleBC.org. **Thank You.**

Received from Oct. 1, 2026 to Oct. 31, 2026

In Memory of (IMO)

IMO: Tamezo Shinseki
Mori Tanimoto's daughters
IMO: June S. Tanimoto
Mori Tanimoto's daughters
IMO: Harry Tabata
Pearl Fukumitsu
IMO: Harry Tabata
Mabel Modrell
IMO: Seiji Iwamura
Iwamura Family
IMO: Suyeno Nakamoto
Carol Lauher
IMO: Kay Kunimitsu Yokotobi
Mitsuko Yokotobi
IMO: Keiji Doizaki
Paul & Lois Kashiwase
IMO: Hideo Takeuchi
Paul & Lois Kashiwase
IMO: Brian Uyemoto
Jean Matsui
IMO: Rev. Tesshi Aoyama
Haruko & Richard Arent
IMO: Tomoko Yoshimura
Lynne Yoshimura
IMO: Toichiro Mayahara
Lynne Yoshimura
IMO: Iyo Mayahara
Lynne Yoshimura
IMO: Hashioka Family
Lynne Yoshimura
IMO: Kakita Family
Lynne Yoshimura
IMO: Okikawa Family
Lynne Yoshimura
IMO: Ikuto Nabeta
Irene Nabeta-Yee
IMO: Ken Nabeta
Irene Nabeta-Yee
IMO: Brian Uyemoto
Pat Uyemoto
IMO: Henry Tsukimura
Don Tsukimura
IMO: Harry Tabata
Craig & Janet Nakagawa
IMO: William Nishimatsu
Nishimatsu Family
IMO: Kazuo & Kikue Sasaki
Allen Sasaki
IMO: Tadayuki Igawa
Ben Igawa
IMO: Roy Kiyoshi Tagawa
Gayle & Stephen Broce
IMO: Kazue Tagawa
Gayle & Stephen Broce
IMO: Clark Tokunaga
Terrie & Gary Matsumoto
Bob & Janis Tokunaga
Joanne & Kevin Devine
Mark & Linda Tokunaga
IMO: Keiji Doizaki
Gary Takeuchi
IMO: Hideo Takeuchi
Gary Takeuchi
IMO: Brian Uyemoto
Craig & Janet Nakagawa
IMO: Jim & Shirley Fukui
Keith & Lucy Fukui
IMO: Mitsuru Okidoi
Lynette Guevara
IMO: Tom & Mizuye Hatamiya
Stan Nakamura
IMO: Takeshi Takeuchi
Gary Takeuchi

PET MEMORIAL:

IMO: Gracie, Idgie, Scout, Gigi, Corky, Kane, Goldie, Broken Tail, Birdie, Bow
Lynne Yoshimura

IMO: Betty Lou, Abigail, Ching Ching, Mickey, C.C.
James and Pamela Edgman

SPECIAL DONATION (Monetary):

William and Suzanne Nakashima – General Fund

Ben Igawa (IMO Tadayuki Igawa) – Fujinkai

Ben Igawa (IMO Tadayuki Igawa) - Hoyukai

SPECIAL DONATION (In-Kind):

Cathy Tsukimura – Vintage Sale Items

2027 MEMBERSHIP

We would like to extend our gratitude to the following for their continued support of the Marysville Buddhist Church. Your membership contribution is greatly appreciated!

Louise Nishikawa
Ben Igawa
Kay Cockrell
Lynette Guevara
Sara & David Yoo

2027 SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP

Thank you to the following members for their MBC Sustaining Membership. Your continued support into the future is truly appreciated!

Scott Itamura

DANA IN ACTION

Pond & Garden: Thank you to Jim Edgman for garden & pond upkeep & cleanup during the month of October.

Eitaikyo, Pet Memorial & October Shotsuki Service, October 18, 2026 – Thank you to Reverend Yuki for officiating the service, Kahn Kochi for chairing the service, Pat Uyemoto for playing the organ, Katie Strauss for the slideshow of October Shotsuki names and pet memorials. Thank you to the following for providing treats & refreshments after the service:

Kahn Kochi – somen dashi & garnishes, chocolate chip cookies

Terrie Matsumoto – somen noodles, chashu, cucumber

Darrell Naruto – Anpan, red bean cake

Carol Tsukimura – kuri manju

Nishimatsu Family – dried persimmon

Suzanne Nakashima - wonton

NEWSLETTER CREW

Thank you to the following people for folding, taping, labeling, and sorting the November Newsletter October 20, 2026.

Darrell Naruto
Kahn Kochi
Scott Itamura
Don Tsukimura
Jackie Basa
Jean Matsui
Irene Nabeta-Yee
Gary Matsumoto
Terrie Matsumoto

Thank you to the following for providing treats for the Newsletter Crew:

Irene Nabeta-Yee – Chashu Bao

Kahn Kochi – Strawberry Cheese Danish

Terrie Matsumoto – Bagels & Cream Cheese

NEWSLETTER STAFF

Editor: Jeffrey Kimoto
Articles Editor: Katie Strauss

SCRIP GIFT CARDS - ORDER FORM

Gift cards are available for gifts, birthdays, anniversaries, holidays,
or whenever you may have a need to give someone something special.

Thank you for supporting the Buddhist Church of Marysville!

Send your order along with a check made out to the Buddhist Church of Marysville to:

MBC
P.O. Box 1462
Marysville, CA 95901

Pat Uyemoto
Scrip Coordinator
Phone Number: (530) 673-6627

Apparel	%	Qty	Total
American Eagle $25	10%		$
Gap/Old Navy $25 & $100	14%		$
Lands End $25 & $100	16%		$
Department Store	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
JCPenney $25*** & $100***	5%		$
Kohl's $25* & $100*	4%		$
Macy's $25*** & $100***	10%		$
Discount Store	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Marshalls $25 & $100	7%		$
			$
Ross $25	8%		$
Target $25 & $50 & $100	2.5%		$
Walgreens $25 & $100	5%		$
Walmart/Sam's Club $25 & $100 & $250	2.5%		$
Entertainment	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Cinemark Theater $25	4%		$
Gas & Auto	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Arco $50	1.5%		$
Arco $100 & $250	1.5%		$
Chevron $50 & $100 & $250	1.5%		$
Grocery	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Food MAXX/SaveMart $25 & $100	2%		$
Raleys/Bel Air $25 & $100	4%		$
Safeway $25 & $100	4%		$
Home Improvement	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Home Depot $25 & $100	4%		$
Lowe's $25 & $100	4%		$
Pets	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
PetSmart $25	4%		$
Sporting Goods	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Bass Pro Shops $25 & $100	9%		$
Big 5 $25	8%		$
Cabela's $25 & $100	11%		$
Foot Locker $25	9%		$

Restaurants	%	Qty	Total
Applebee's $25 & $50	8%		$
Burger King $10	4%		$
Carl's Jr. $10	5%		$
Chili's/Maggiano's/On the Border $25 & $50	11%		$
Chipotle Mexican Grill $10 & $25	10%		$
Denny's $10	7%		$
Domino's $10 & $25	8%		$
Dunkin' Donuts $10 & $25	3%		$
IHOP $25	8%		$
Jack in the Box $10	4%		$
Outback Steakhouse $25 & $50	8%		$
Panera Bread $10 & $25	8%		$
Papa Murphy's Pizza $10	8%		$
P.F. Chang's $25	8%		$
Pizza Hut $10	8%		$
Red Robin $25	9%		$
Red Lobster $25	9%		$
Starbucks $10	7%		$
Starbucks $25	7%		$
Subway $10 & $50	6%		$
Taco Bell $10	5%		$
Wendy's $10	4%		$
Specialty Retailer	**%**	**Qty**	**Total**
Ace Hardware $25 & $100	4%		$
Amazon.com $25 & $100	2.5%		$
Barnes & Noble $10 & $25 & $100	9%		$
Bath & Body Works $10 & $25	13%		$
CVS Pharmacy $25 & $100	6%		$
			$
Michaels $25	4%		$
See's Candies $25 Gift Card	9%		$
Staples $25 & $100	5%		$
Total Amount due			**$**

* Can be used to pay account balances
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Name Phone Number Picked up by

Revised October 2026

DECEMBER SHOTSUKI HOYO

The **December** monthly memorial service will be observed on **Sunday, December 6, 2026** at **1 p.m.** officiated by **Sensei Keith Kato.**

Deceased & Relationship	Sesshu Family
Shozayemon Okidoi (GGF)	Lynette Guevara
Yoshimi Shingu	Shingu Family
Himeyo Kagehiro	Kimura Family
Hisayoshi Kodani (GF)	Misaki Rooney
Masutaro Tokunaga	Tokunaga Family
Akiru Toribara	Matsumoto Family
Tsuneichi Tsukimura (GF)	Don Tsukimura
Noyo Nishihara (GM)	Alan Furuta
Yonetaro Tanisaki	Tanisaki Family
Koichi Harada (GF)	Les Harada
Hachiro Ishimoto (GF)	Shelley Glines
Mitsuma Yokohari (B)	Yoshimi Yokohari
Minekichi Fukui	Fukui Family
Suye Tokuno (GM)	Kathi Garretson
Etsu Tomita	Tomita Family
Naoichi Toyoda (F)	Masuko Shimamoto
Karoku Kobayashi	Kobayashi Family
Mitsuno Kodani (GM)	Misaki Rooney
Tomoye Ichinaga (GM)	Sue Gwaltney
Kunisuke Kawamoto (F)	Nancy Komatsubara
Shizuyo Nakata	Nakata Family
Moshichi Furuta (GF)	Alan Furuta
Hanzaburo Kochi (GF)	Kahn Kochi
Bunichi Matsui	Matsui Family
Joe Nishihara (U)	Alan Furuta
Tomegusu Nakatani	Nakatani Family
George Takamoto (F)	Valorie Chinn
Risuke James Tomita	Tomita Family
Riwa Tanimoto	Tanimoto Family
Matsuo Kashiwabara (GF)	Don Ishimoto
Jirokichi Takeuchi (GF)	Karen Takeuchi
Shinichi Yokota (GF)	Betty Tanimoto
Dan Nishita (H)	Mary Nishita
Satoko Tanimoto	Tanimoto Family
Kevin Fukumitsu (S)	Pearl Fukumitsu
Rakumi Okikawa (M)	Jiro Okikawa
Rai Ishida (GGM)	David Nakao
Yoshio Yasuda (U)	Doris Ow
Jean Iwanaga	Iwanaga Family
Kiyono Hatamiya (GM)	Frank Hatamiya Jr.
Masatsugu Uchida (F)	Monte Uchida
Helen Hasegawa	Hasegawa Family
Yuriko Tsuda (M)	Sharon Tsuda-Koga
Shurei Matsumoto (F)	Mitchell Matsumoto
Kayo Reney (W)	Frank Reney
George Toshio Kochi (F)	Kahn Kochi
Sam Isami Kurihara (F)	Sandie Takakura
Frank N. Okimoto (H)	Teruko Okimoto
Tom M. Kinoshita (F)	Russell Kinoshita & Sheryl Leong
George Tanimoto (F)	Patricia Heidman
George Y. Okamoto	Okamoto Family
Iwao Kobayashi	Kobayashi Family
Sue Sumi Tokuno (M)	Steven Tokuno & Michael Tokuno
Shigeo Jack Tanimoto (F)	Betty Tanimoto
Ole Fagerhaugh (U)	Lynne Yoshimura
Fred Matsui (H)	Jean Matsui
Robert Manji (H)	Carolyn Manji
Marie Kawada (M)	Sue Gwaltney
John Akinori Mizokawa (F)	Lorene Wong
Takako Mizokawa (M)	Lorene Wong
Lane Tokunaga (H)	Myra Tokunaga
Karl Christofferson (H)	Marcie Christofferson
Yukiye Terada (M)	Noriko Sasaki
Steven Hasegawa (H)	Dawn Hasegawa



Donate your unwanted vehicle to MBC!

Can be located in most parts of the US!
Fast and Easy through Harold's
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haroldscardonation.com
213-453-2469 or 800-310-5274
Designate proceeds to
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Who to Call

WHO DO I CALL?

Contact the Sacramento Buddhist Church at 916-446-0121 in order to request ministerial assistance regarding family emergencies such as the passing of a family member. Please leave a detailed message including your name and number, and someone will return your call as soon as possible.

Contact the Marysville Buddhist Church at 530-743-6426 for normal business needs or basic information. Please leave a detailed message including your name and number, and someone will return your call as soon as possible.

DECEMBER 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		JACL Board Meeting 2:00 p.m.	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.		Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
MBC Annual General Meeting 10:30 a.m. December Shotsuki Hoyo & Bodhi Day Service 1:00 p.m.	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.		Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.	Hoyukai Luncheon Tasty Buffet 11:30 a.m.	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.		Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.	Newsletter Crew 9:30 a.m.	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.		Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.		Christmas Day Office Closed	
27	28	29	30	31		
	Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.		Office Hours 9:00-12:00 p.m.	Joya-E/End of Year Service 11:00 a.m.		

JANUARY 2027

January 17 – January Shotsuki Hoyo Service 10:00 a.m. MBC Board Meeting 12:30 p.m

January 21 – Newsletter Crew 9:30 a.m. January 23 – New Year Luncheon 12:00 p.m.

BCA Member Survey

We want to hear your thoughts

We would like to invite you to participate in a brief survey to share your thoughts and perspectives regarding the Buddhist Churches of America (BCA). The purpose of this survey is to better understand awareness of BCA programs and services, along with your perception of the value BCA provides to local temples and sangha members, and opportunities to strengthen communication and engagement.

Your feedback is important and will help guide future efforts to support temples, ministers, and sangha members across our organization.

We invite you to complete this anonymous online survey using the link below. We expect the survey will take approximately 5 minutes to complete.

Scan the QR Code to Complete Survey



Thank you for taking the time to share your thoughts and help shape the future of our Buddhist community.

In Gassho,

Gayle Noguchi
Executive Director
Buddhist Churches of America



2026 HOLIDAY GREETINGS

Anyone wishing to be included in the New Year's greeting in our January 2027 Newsletter should submit your names by **December 7, 2026** with a $10.00 donation.

Please fill in the order form below and return it to the Marysville Buddhist Church office.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Phone No. _____

Names to be listed:

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Please make checks payable to the **Buddhist Church of Marysville.**

We thank you and appreciate your continued support.

2026 HOLIDAY GREETING AMOUNT DUE: _____

Paid by: Check # _____ Cash _____

If you have any questions, please call the church at (530) 743-6426
or email office@marysvillebc.org.



Buddhist Church of Marysville
2027 MEMBERSHIP FORM

For the Calendar Year: 2027
Deadline: March 31, 2027

NAME: _____
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS: _____
Street City State Zip Code

BIRTHDATE: _____ EMAIL _____

PRIMARY PHONE NUMBER: _____

SPOUSE or PARTNER

NAME: _____
Last Name First Name Middle Name

BIRTHDATE: _____ EMAIL _____

PRIMARY PHONE NUMBER: _____

MBC NEWSLETTER Mailing Preference: Postal Mail _____. Email _____

MEMBERSHIP DUES

_____ Single Under 80	$150.00
_____ Couple	$300.00.
_____ Senior Age 80 & over	$125.00
_____ Senior Couple *(One or both age 80 & over)*	$250.00
_____ Sustaining Membership Single	$300.00
_____ Sustaining Membership Couple	$600.00
_____ Additional Donation: _____	

_____ Total Amount Due

Sustaining Members are committed to provide annual recurring donations to provide stability and consistent support to the Church. Sustaining Members will be **acknowledged** in our newsletter and will be credited for **donations out of their dues to five Special Services** including Hanamatsuri, Gotan-E, Obon, Hoonko and Bodhi Day Services. Single Sustaining Members will receive one **complimentary dinner** at our New Year's Party and Couples will receive two dinners.

Make check payable to and send with form to:
Buddhist Church of Marysville
P.O. Box 1462
Marysville, CA 94901-1462

OR

Submit your dues and information online at the Church website at **http://www.MarysvlleBC.org**

(Office Use Only: Date Rec'd_____ Rec'd by _____ Check No._____ Cash_____ Entered dbase_____)



56th ANNUAL NEW YEAR'S O-MOCHI FUNDRAISER



Dear Members and Friends…. As a service to our members and the community, we have made arrangements with the Placer Buddhist Church to prepare o-mochi to fill the orders.

Deadline for orders is Tuesday, December 1, 2026. Please fill in the order form below and return it to the Marysville Buddhist Church office. If you have any questions, please call the church at (530) 743-6426 or email office@marysvillebc.org.

Orders will be ready for **PICK UP ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2026**
FROM 3 TO 5 PM
at the Buddhist Church of Marysville Annex,
125 B Street, Marysville, CA.

Please post this notice as a reminder to pick up your orders.
We thank you and appreciate your continued support.

In Gassho……. Buddhist Church of Marysville

Cut along line and return order form below

ORDER FORM FOR NEW YEAR'S O-MOCHI

ORDER DEADLINE DATE: **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2026**

Please return to: Buddhist Church of Marysville
P. O. Box 1462
Marysville, CA 95901

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____TEL NO._____

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	DONATION AMOUNT
_____1 - LB PKG(S)	KO-MOCHI (PLAIN – PER POUND)	$8.00 PER LB. $_____
_____SET(S)	0-KAGAMI MOCHI (Altar – PER SET)	$8.00 PER SET $_____
_____1 – LB PKG(S)	AN-MOCHI (SWEET BEANS – PER POUND)	$10.00 PER LB. $_____

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: $_____

Please make checks payable to the **Buddhist Church of Marysville**.

Paid by: Check #_____ Cash_____ *(Office Only: Date Received _____ by _____)*

Happy New Year!

Come to the 2027 New Year's Party!

All Marysville Buddhist Church Members and Friends of the Temple are invited to join us.

Saturday, January 23, 2027, 12:00 p.m.
Marysville Buddhist Church Annex Hall

MENU

Sushi Appetizer
Choice of Prime Rib or Chicken
Green Salad Green Beans Rice Dessert

ENTERTAINMENT

Matrix Reloaded featuring Kenny Uyemoto, Tom Koga, Phil Nakamura, Mike Catano

RAFFLE BASKETS

$10 for 10 tickets; $20 for 25 tickets; $30 for 40 tickets (Purchase on day of event.)

LUNCHEON COSTS:
Prime Rib: $30 for Members; $35 for Non-Members
Roasted Chicken: $25 for Members; $30 for Non-Members
Luncheon cost for Sustaining Members shall be complimentary.

Please fill in the order form below and mail in your order OR order online at MarysvilleBC.org
Luncheon orders must be received no later than **Monday, January 11, 2027**.

*There will be **NO ASSIGNED SEATING.** Doors will open at 11:30 a.m.*

If you have any questions, please call the church at (530) 743-6426 or email office@MarysvilleBC.org.

New Year's Party 2027 * SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 2027
Prime Rib or Chicken Luncheon Order Form

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Prime Rib - $30 for Members; $35 for Non-Members Chicken - $25 Members; $30 Non-Members
Cost for Sustaining Members shall be complimentary

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First Name _____ Last Name _____

Phone No. _____ Number of Lunches: Prime Rib _____ Chicken _____

Number of Prime Rib Dine-In _____ Take-Out _____ Number of Chicken Dine-In _____ Take-Out _____

Sustaining Member Complimentary: Prime Rib _____. Chicken _____ Total $ Amount Due _____

Office only: Amount Paid _____. Check #_____ Cash _____ Date Rc'd _____

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UPCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS

Sunday, December 6, 2026 - 10:30 a.m.
MBC General Meeting - Social Room

Sunday, December 6, 2026 - 1:00 p.m.
December Shotsuki & Bodhi Day Service
Rev. Yuki Sugahara, Officiating Minister

Sunday, December 13, 2026 - 3-5 p.m.
Mochi Order Pick-Up – MBC Annex Hall

Thursday, December 31, 2026 - 11:00 a.m.
New Year's Eve Service & Otoki
Rev. Yuki Sugahara, Officiating Minister

Sunday, January 10, 2027 - 1:00 p.m.
January Shotsuki Service

Saturday, January 23, 2027 - 12:00 p.m.
MBC New Year Party

HEADS UP! 2027 MONTHLY SERVICE CHANGES

For 2027, there will be changes to days and times of our monthly services. The time of the service will be 10:00 a.m. beginning January 2027. Please make note and mark your calendars of the following monthly service schedule for January to June 2027.

Sunday, January 17, 2027 - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday, February 14, 2027 - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday, March 14, 2027 - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday, April 4, 2027 - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday, April 25, 2027 - 10:00 a.m. - additional April service
Sunday, May 9, 2027 - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday, May 30, 2027 - Cemetery Visits
9:00 a.m. - Sierra View
10:00 a.m. - Sutter
11:00 a.m. - Colusa
Sunday, June 6, 2027 - 10:00 a.m.
Saturday, June 26, 2027
4:00 p.m. Hatsubon/Obon Service
7:00 p.m. Bon Odori