



SIERRA VISTA Community Church

"Where neighbors become friends and friends become family!"

January 02, 2022



Our Core Values:

(Matthew 22:36-40 and Matthew 28: 19-20)

WORSHIP:

"love God with all your heart..."

MINISTRY:

"love your neighbor as yourself."

EVANGELISM:

"Go...make disciples/followers..."

DISCIPLESHIP:

"...teach them...all things..."

COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP:

"baptize them..."

Our Mission Statement:

"Loving God, loving others and reaching the world for Christ!"

Our Vision Statement:

Sierra Vista Community Church exists to help people know, love, and serve God; bonding them into Christian community, equipping them to grow and to minister to those in need; all for the purpose of glorifying Him!

Financial

Weekly budget

Required \$5,197

Received on 12/26/21 \$4,461

Difference (\$736)

Capital Campaign

Playground....\$2,877 (Goal \$12,000)

Projectors \$4,520 (Goal \$4,500)

Sunday Activities

† PRE-SERVICE PRAYER TIME †

The Worship Center will be open and available at 9:00-9:30 am before the Worship service for anyone wanting to have a private time of prayer or join others in praying for the service.

☕ FELLOWSHIP CONNECTION ☕

Enjoy a complimentary cup of coffee and donut in the gathering area or outside on the patio. (Serving time: 9:15am - 9:55 am)

📖 EQUIPPING TIME 📖

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

We will not be having our Equipping Time on Sunday, December 26 and January 2. Class will resume on Sunday, January 9.

👶 CHILDREN'S MINISTRY 👶

Our Children's Ministry classes are available for children PreK - 5th grade.

NOTE:

Check-in using Kidscheck is required before going to class.

We have a safe and nurturing childcare available for all infants-toddlers during the Worship Service or you may choose to utilize our family room.

Announcements

LIFE GROUPS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Due to the extended holiday season, Life Groups will not "officially" meet together from December 13- January 10.

PASTORAL MESSAGE

Dear Church Family,
We'd like to take this opportunity to praise the Lord for His goodness and to wish each of you God's blessings in 2021. Thank you so much for all the Christmas cards and goodies.

We are so blessed to be a part of such a wonderful church and look forward to the great things that God has for us in the coming year as we work together to reach our community for Him!

For His Glory,
Pastor Ruben & Gayla

🦋 WOMEN'S BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP 🦋

Could you use a little fun and encouragement in your life?

Make plans to join us for our next monthly breakfast (on your own) **Saturday, January 8th at 8:00 AM** at Rudy's BBQ Restaurant 1020 N. Telshor Blvd. where we'll share some laughs, hear a short biblical teaching and gain encouragement to help us succeed in life!

(No childcare provided, but girls 10 yrs. & older are encouraged to attend!)

2021 GIVING AND TITHING STATEMENTS

Beginning Sunday, January 16th offering statements will be available in the gathering area or at the office by appointment, please call (575) 526-9535 or email to office@svccfamily.org for details. Any remaining statements after January 30th will be mailed to your address we have on file, so be sure personal information we have for you on file is updated and correct!

Contact us

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Streaming

Website

www.svccfamily.org

Giving

Online

give.svccfamily.org

Capital Campaign

offering.svccfamily.org

Mail

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Las Cruces, NM 88011

REMINDER:

Please remember to correctly wear your mask at all times (including during our Worship Service) per orders of the governor and the NM Dept. of Health. Thank you.

**“SETTING GOALS IN FAITH”
(A New You For The New Year – Part 1)
January 2, 2022**

Notes

⁶ Go to the ant, you slacker! Observe its ways and become wise. ⁷ Without leader, administrator, or ruler, ⁸ it prepares its provisions in summer; it gathers its food during harvest. ⁹ How long will you stay in bed, you slacker? When will you get up from your sleep? ¹⁰ A little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the arms to rest, ¹¹ and your poverty will come like a robber, your need, like a bandit.” (Proverbs 6:6-11)

You need to set personal goals because ...

- ... it's a _____ . “For which of you, wanting to build a tower, doesn't first sit down and calculate the cost to see if he has enough to complete it?” (Luke 14:28)
- ... they help you _____ your _____. “Therefore I do not run like one who runs aimlessly or box like one beating the air.” (1 Corinthians 9:26)
- ... they _____ your _____. “Instead, you should say, “If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that.” (James 4:15)
- ... they _____ your character. “Not that I have already reached the goal or am already fully mature, but I make every effort to take hold of it because I also have been taken hold of by Christ Jesus.” (Philippians 3:12)
- ... they _____ you _____. “What strength do I have that I should continue to hope? What is my future, that I should be patient?” (Job 6:11)

God blesses goals that...

- ... _____ Him _____!
³³ But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be provided for you. ³⁴ Therefore don't worry about tomorrow, because tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.” (Matthew 6:33-34)
- ... are _____ by love.
“Your every action must be done with love.” (1 Corinthians 16:14)
- ... _____ at least one of God's purposes.
“So I run with purpose in every step. I am not just shadow boxing.” (1 Corinthians 9:26) [NLT]
- ... are _____ in _____.
“Now without faith it is impossible to please God, for the one who draws near to Him must believe that He exists and rewards those who seek Him.” (Hebrews 11:6)
- ... are _____ with His _____.
⁵ Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not rely on your own understanding; ⁶ think about Him in all your ways, and He will guide you on the right paths.” (Proverbs 3: 5-6)

• spiritual discipline • focus, energy • stretch, faith • build • give, hope
• bring, glory! • motivated • fulfill • set, faith • reached, help

ANSWERS: