



SIERRA VISTA Community Church

"Where neighbors become friends and friends become family!"



Our goal for 2020



Financial

Weekly budget

Required\$4,966

Received on 4/19/20.....\$4,415

Difference (\$ 551)

Upcoming ...

Birthdays

Sophia Shortal	Apr/27
David Boteler	Apr/28
Raquel Primera	Apr/29
Jason Calzada	May/02

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**

Prayer

We want to join you in prayer.
Send us your prayer request to
office@svccfamily.org



*"And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us."
(1 John 5:14)*

Requests:

- Jesus Salayandia's health.
- Loren's battle with addiction.
- Tara Ortega's health and housing.
- Jana's family reunion.
- For Sharon Sorenson's father's health.
- Our leaders (national, local and church)
- Health & well-being
- Finances (nationally, locally, church & individually)

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!

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"YOUR STRUGGLE BEHIND EVERY DREAM"

(Walking Through The Valleys of Life – Part 2)

April 26, 2020

Notes

"¹¹ And he came to a certain place and stayed there that night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place to sleep. ¹² And he dreamed, and behold, there was a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven. And behold, the angels of God were ascending and descending on it! ¹³ And behold, the Lord stood above it and said, "I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac. The land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring. ¹⁴ Your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south, and in you and your offspring shall all the families of the earth be blessed. ¹⁵ Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land. For I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you." ¹⁶ Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, "Surely the Lord is in this place, and I did not know it." ¹⁷ And he was afraid and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven." ¹⁸ So early in the morning Jacob took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it. ¹⁹ He called the name of that place Bethel, but the name of the city was Luz at the first. ²⁰ Then Jacob made a vow, saying, "If God will be with me and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat and clothing to wear, ²¹ so that I come again to my father's house in peace, then the Lord shall be my God, ²² and this stone, which I have set up for a pillar, shall be God's house. And of all that you give me I will give a full tenth to you." (Genesis 28:11-22)

The Struggle God Takes Us Through To Get Us Ready For His Dream:

(Genesis 32)

• 1st Phase – Crisis: You Struggle With _____ And _____.

"²² That night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two female servants and his eleven sons and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. ²³ After he had sent them across the stream, he sent over all his possessions. ²⁴ So Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him till daybreak. ²⁵ When the man saw that he could not overpower him, he touched the socket of Jacob's hip so that his hip was wrenched as he wrestled with the man." (Genesis 32:22-25) [NIV]

• 2nd Phase – Commitment: God _____ your faith in His promise to _____ me.

"²⁴ And Jacob was left alone. And a man wrestled with him until the breaking of the day. ²⁵ When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he touched his hip socket, and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. ²⁶ Then he said, "Let me go, for the day has broken." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." (Genesis 32:24-26)

• 3rd Phase – Confession: You _____ that you are your biggest _____.

"And he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." (Genesis 32:27)

Jacob = "one who takes the place of another - deceiver/manipulator"

"By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." (John 13:35)

• 4th Phase – Conversion: God _____ you a new _____ and _____.

"²⁸ Then he said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with men, and have prevailed." ²⁹ Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. ³⁰ So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life has been delivered." (Genesis 32:28-30)

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come." (2 Corinthians 5:17)

1. God, Others - 2. tests, bless - 3. admit, problem - 4. gives, identity, name.

Answers: