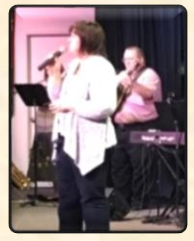




SIERRA VISTA Community Church

"Where neighbors become friends and friends become family!"

December 13, 2020



Our goal for 2020



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 \$4,966
Received on 12/06/20 \$6,334
Difference (\$ 1,368)

Prayer

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



Requests:

- Carla Casas - Melissa Moreno-Burnett (health), Steven Casas (health)
- Alice Lopez – Phillip, Grandma Ann & uncle Bob (emotional healing), my marriage, children I work with, Step-sister Mindy (healing from the loss of her boyfriend)
- Fernando - employment
- Annette Navaro (Elaine Prickett's sister) - health
- David Boteler - Health
- Rosa Calzada & Baby Camila - health
- Ethan (Janet Mattas' neighbor) - health
- George & Donna Baldwin - health
- Johny Moreno – physical & spiritual health
- Berni & Patti Farran – health

Announcements

❖ ~ Christmas Eve Service ~

Make plans to join us for our online Christmas Eve Service at 6 pm, December 24th that will virtually include traditional carols, reading of the Christmas story and communion.

❖ Update any changes in your personal information

If ANY of your personal information (including marital status, phone, address, email, etc.) has changed within this past year, please email the new information to office@svccfamily.org
We appreciate your cooperation in helping us keep accurate records for mailing your upcoming Giving/Tithing Statements.

❖ SVCC Weekly Worship Service Registration deadline

Register every Monday thru 9am Sunday at www.svccfamily.org/events
or call (575) 526-9535 no later than Fridays at noon to register, modify or cancel your registration.

Celebrations

Birthdays

TJ Jasso December 15
Dennis Prickett December 20

Anniversaries

Art & Barbara Gutzman
December 21st

Contact us

Phones

(575) 526-9535 / Cell: 386-7375

Email

office@svccfamily.org

Deacon/Staff on Call

JD Jones (575) 639-4643

Streaming

Website

www.svccfamily.org

Worship Service

Online Registration

www.svccfamily.org/events

Giving

Online

give.svccfamily.org

Mail

514 North Telshor Blvd.
Las Cruces, NM 88011

"THE PROMISE OF JOY"
(God's Promises Fulfilled – Part 3)
December 13, 2020

Notes

"Rejoice always!"[HCSB] "Always be joyful."[NLT] (1 Thessalonians 5:16)

"For whatever was written in the past was written for our instruction, so that we may have hope through endurance and through the encouragement from the Scriptures."
(Romans 15:4)

Some Truths About Joy:

★ Joy is _____.

"⁸ In the same region, shepherds were staying out in the fields and keeping watch at night over their flock. ⁹ Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them ..." (Luke 2:8-9)

★ Joy is _____.

"¹⁰ But the angel said to them, "Don't be afraid, for look, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people: ¹¹ Today a Savior, who is Messiah the Lord, was born for you in the city of David. ¹² This will be the sign for you: You will find a baby wrapped snugly in cloth and lying in a feeding trough." (Luke 2:10-12)

"¹⁷ After seeing them, they reported the message they were told about this child, ¹⁸ and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said to them." (Luke 2:17-18)

★ Joy is a _____.

"When they saw the star, they were overjoyed beyond measure."(Matthew 2:10)

"... Weeping may spend the night, but there is joy in the morning."(Psalm 30:5)

★ Joy is _____.

"Then Simeon blessed them and told His mother Mary: "Indeed, this child is destined to cause the fall and rise of many in Israel and to be a sign that will be opposed ..." (Luke 2:34)

★ Joy is a _____.

"⁴⁶ And Mary said: My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, ⁴⁷ and my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior, ⁴⁸ because He has looked with favor on the humble condition of His slave. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed ..." (Luke 1:46-48)

"²⁹ But she was deeply troubled by this statement, wondering what kind of greeting this could be. ³⁰ Then the angel told her: Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God." (Luke 1:29-30)

"... keeping our eyes on Jesus, the source and perfecter-of our faith, who for the joy that lay before Him endured a cross and despised the shame and has sat down at the right hand of God's throne." (Hebrews 12:2)

"I have spoken these things to you so that My joy may be in you and your joy may be complete." (John 15:11)

★ here ★ sent ★ journey ★ scary ★ difficult choice

ANSWERS: