

May 21, 2023

## Our Core Values:

(Matthew 22:36-40 & 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 ...... \$5,319 Received on 5/14/2023 ...... \$4,107 Difference ..... -\$1,212.00

#### GIVING

In-person: Offering envelopes are in the seatbacks & collection baskets are as you exit

Online: give.svccfamily.org

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# First Time Guests:

**CONNECT & RESPONSE CARD** - First time guest? Make a decision today? Need prayer or just want to connect with us? The CONNECT & RESPONSE Card (located in the seatback in front of you) is an effective and immediate way to communicate with us! Please take a moment to legibly complete one and then give it to an Usher or place it in the Offering Basket at the end of the service today.

**CHILDCARE** is provided and encouraged for all young children (birth - 3yrs). Because our Worship Services are recorded, it is requested you check-in and drop off your child in the Nursery or Toddler's classroom BEFORE the service begins. Please wait to pick up your child until AFTER the service has been dismissed to help minimize any distractions and avoid upsetting the other children thinking it's time to go.

**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP AND CLASSES** - All children (5 yrs.- 5th grade) are to attend the worship / singing portion of our service with their parent(s), then be dismissed to their class with their teachers waiting in the hallway to walk with them to class. Parents are still required to pre-register their child(s) **before** the Worship Service begins whether or not they will be attending class or remaining in the service.

**FAMILY ROOM -** Located in the children's hall, just inside the Northwest entrance, this room is provided for parents of young children who may be ill, nursing, or new to SVCC who'd like to remain with their child and still be able to enjoy the service via live streaming in the room.

**RESTROOMS** are located just outside the Worship Center next to the drinking fountains. We also have a **Family Restroom** next to the bulletin board in the Children's Hall that has a changing table and is designated specifically for adults assisting their child or disabled family.



**PRE-SERVICE PRAYER TIME – (9:00 am - 9:30 am)** The Worship Center is open and available at 9:00-9:30 am for anyone wanting to have prayer before the service or join others in praying for today's service.

**FELLOWSHIP CONNECTION – (9:15 am)** Stop by the kitchen counter and have a complimentary cup of coffee and donut to enjoy in the gathering area or out on the patio.

**EQUIPPING TIME – (9:00 am)** This Adult Bible Study meets in Classroom #5 and covers various topics designed to teach you God's Word and help you in your spiritual growth.

Announcements

**NEW: SUNDAY MORNING BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP** - If you'd like to better understand how the Mind-Body-Spirit connection can heal you or destroy you, according to God's plan, then join Gayla Ortega as she leads this book discussion group at 9:00 AM, **Sundays.** <u>Please register</u> for this class at the Resource Table. The book: **DEADLY EMOTIONS** (by Don Colbert, M.D.) is required for the class. You can order it at Christianbooks.com or on Amazon. (Approx. \$12) <u>NOTE:</u> this is NOT a Bible Study class.

**UPCOMING MEN'S CONFERENCE** - Join the Men's Ministry of SVCC, as we carpool together to El Paso for **STAND-UP Men's Conference**, hosted by Cielo Vista Church, **Friday & Saturday, May 26 & 27**. Cost is only \$25 (1/2 price and includes meals), **Registration deadline: TODAY Sunday, May 21**. Flyers available at the Resource Table or for more information, contact JD Jones at 575-639-4643.

#### "LEAVING A LEGACY OF JOY"

(Leaving a Lasting Legacy – Part 5)

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### Joy is ...\_\_\_\_.

"Then the people rejoiced because they had given willingly, for with a whole heart they had offered freely to the LORD. <u>David the king also rejoiced greatly</u>." (1 Chronicles 29:9) [ESV]

#### I can receive JOY by ...

#### 1. ... my pain and troubles.

"The work to be done is tremendous..." (1 Chronicles 29:1) [GNT]

"I am overwhelmed with joy despite all our troubles." (2 Corinthians 7:4) [MSG]

"I have told you these things so that you can have the same joy I have and so that your joy will be the fullest possible joy." (John 15:11) [NCV]

2. ... life's realities.

"We are here for only a moment, visitors and strangers in the land as our ancestors were before us. Our days on earth are like a shadow, gone so soon without a trace." (1 Chronicles 29:15) [NLT]

"... everything in the heavens and on earth is yours, O Lord ..." (1 Chronicles 29:11) [NLT]

"Riches and honor come from you alone ..." (1 Chronicles 29:12) [NLT]

"But who am I, and who are my people, that we could give anything to you? Everything we have has come from you, and we give you only what you have already given us!" (1 Chronicles 29:14) [NLT]

"O Lord our God, even these materials that we have gathered to build a Temple to honor your holy name come from you! It all belongs to you!" (1 Chronicles 29:16) [NLT]

#### I can leave JOY by ...

#### \_\_\_\_\_ for the next generation.

"O Lord, the God of our ancestors Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, make your people always want to obey you. See to it that their love for you never changes." (1 Chronicles 29:18) [NLT]

... \_\_\_\_\_ the next generation.

"Give my son Solomon the wholehearted desire to obey all your commands, decrees, and principles, and to build this Temple, for which I have made all these preparations." (1 Chronicles 29:19) [NLT]

1. embracing 2. facing • praying • preparing

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