

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

GIVING

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

Online: give.svccfamily.org

Mail: 514 North Telshor Blvd.
Las Cruces, NM 88011

Contact Information:

Phone number (575) 526-9535 Email: office@svccfamily.org

Streaming:

www.svccfamily.org or youtube.com/@svccfamily

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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 or if watching online, please email the office@svccfamily.org with your information or decision.

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.

Sunday activities:

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 the multipurpose room and covers various topics designed to teach you God's Word and help you in your spiritual growth.

announcements:

"FAMILY FORUM TODAY" - There will be an important "Family Forum" (business meeting) for members and regular attendees, immediately after service to discuss and approve this year's budgetary information. We need your input, so plan to attend!

"DISCOVERY CLASSES": Join us for this informal time of dialogue and refreshments on Sat., July 15 (9 am - 2 pm) Breakfast, lunch and childcare (birth-10 yrs.) are provided, so REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED! Please complete a Connect Card stating your interest, call the office at 575-526-9535 or email to office@svccfamily.org to register. Registration deadline: Wed, July 12.

CLASS 101: "Discovering Sierra Vista" (*Prerequisite for membership and ministry!*) Come and discover what Sierra Vista is all about, including: our purpose and vision; our beliefs and structure; as well as ministry opportunities and how YOU can become a part of our "family"! **CLASS 201:** "Discovering Spiritual Maturity" Do you desire to grow in your relationship with Christ? Come to discover the "Four Basic Habits" that every Christian needs to develop as we equip you with the skills and tools necessary for healthy spiritual growth! (*Prerequisite: Class 101)

"LEARNING TO THINK LIKE JESUS" (Rethinking Your Life - Part 2-A) June 25, 2023

" ²⁰ My child, pay attention to my words; listen closely to what I say. ²¹ Don't ever forget my words; keep them always in mind. ²² They are the key to life for those who find them; they bring health to the whole body. ²³ Be careful what you think, because your thoughts run your life." (Proverbs 4:20-23) [NCV]	
"We can understand these things, because we have <u>THE MIND OF CHRIST!"</u> (1 Corinthians 2:16) [NLT]	
"In your lives you must think and act like Christ Jesus." (Philippians 2:5) [NCV]	
10 Characteristics of Thinking Like Jesus (1-5):	
1. He exactly who He was.	
"I AM:	
" the Bread of Life." (John. 6:35)	
" the Light of the world." (John 8:12)	
" the Good Shepherd" (John 10:11)	
" the Resurrection and the Life." (John 11:25)	
" the Way, the Truth and the Life." (John 14:6)	
" the True Vine." (John 15:1)	
" the Son of God." (Mark 14:61-62)	
2. He knew His for life.	
"I <u>must</u> proclaim the Good News about God's kingdom, for <u>I was sent for this purpose</u> ." (Luke 4:43) [RSV]	
3. He was always that God was with Him.	
"Behold, the hour is coming, indeed it has come, when you will be scattered, each to his	
own home, and will leave me alone. Yet I am not alone, for the Father is with me." (John 16:32) [ESV]	
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4. God Him His word.	
"I have not spoken on my own. Instead, the Father who sent me tells me <u>what I should say and how I should say it</u> ." (John 12:49) [GW]	
5. He never about everyone.	
<i>"I only try to <u>please the One who sent me</u>."</i> (John 5:30) [NCV]	