

July 02, 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 \$5,319.00 Received on 6/25/2023 \$4,096.00 Difference - \$1,223.00

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 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) <u>before</u> 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:

MEN'S BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP - Join us for our monthly Men's Breakfast Fellowship Saturday, July 22nd, at 7:00 am at Rudy's BBQ Restaurant, 1020 N. Telshor for a great time for fellowship and Bible study.

"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. <u>Registration</u> <u>deadline</u>: 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 2B) July 2, 2023

Notes

⁴²⁰ 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 <u>think and act like Christ Jesus</u>." (Philippians 2:5) [NCV]

10 Characteristics of Thinking Like Jesus (5-10):

5. He never _____ about _____ everyone.

"I only try to please the One who sent me." (John 5:30) [NCV]

6. He _____ on God's power instead of His own.

"I assure you, the Son can <u>do nothing by himself</u>. He can only do what he sees his Father doing..." (John 5:1) [NIV]

7. He ______ His enemies and those who hurt Him.

"Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing." (Luke 23:34) [NIV]

8. He was willing to ______ for others.

"By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers." (1 John 3:16) [ESV]

9. He came to do God's _____.

"I came...<u>to do what God wants me to do</u>, not what I want to do." (John 6:38) [NCV]

10. He _____ an eternal perspective.

"We must focus on Jesus, the source and goal of our faith. He saw the joy ahead of him, so he endured death on the cross and ignored the disgrace it brought him. Now he holds the honored position—the one next to God the Father on the heavenly throne." (Hebrews 12:2) [GW]

HOW CAN I LEARN TO THINK LIKE JESUS?

• _____ His life and words in the Bible.

"Keep your eyes on Jesus, who both began and finished this race we're in. <u>Study how he did it</u>." (Hebrews 12:2) [MSG]

_____ God to _____ you the meaning and how it applies to your life today.

"Open my eyes that I may see wonderful things in your Word!" (Psalm 119:18) [TLB]

ANSWERS: 5. worried, pleasing 6. depended 7. forgave 8. sacrifice 9. will 10.had • Study • Ask, show