

Nuestra Visión es / Our Vision is:
Hacer Más Y Mejores Discípulos Para Jesucristo
Increasing Disciples for Jesus Christ in Depth and Numbers
Our Mission: Vehículo de Movilización / Mobilization Vehicle of: PESCAD

11:55 a.m.
Coordina: María Aguilar

Esta congregación está basada y segura en Jesucristo y la guía del Espíritu Santo. Gócese con Dios en este ambiente familiar. This congregation is based securely in Jesus Christ, and guided by the Holy Spirit. May you enjoy this family of God.

Esclavitud mental o Cadenas Mentales, tiene tres posibles origen: Santas. Cadenas de Maldiciones Generacionales o Mundo Secular. *Jesucristo* en la solución para quebrarlas. / Mental slavery or mental chains, have three possible origins: Holy Spirit, chains of generational curses, or the secular world. Jesus Christ in the solution for all our kinks." JV Montes

"Quebrar Cadenas Mentales y Cambiar el Rumbo de Nuestra Vidas"
"Mental chains break and change the course of our lives"
Daniel 2:20-23

Tiempo De Preparación / Preparation Time

Oración de Apertura / Opening Prayer Coordinador / Leader
Bienvenida / Welcome Coordinador / Leader
Lectura Bíblica Biblical Reading

Alabemos y Adoremos Juntos / Praise and Adoration Together

Líder de Alabanza Para Hoy Raúl Zarco
Cantos de Alabanzas - Celebración Grupo de Alabanza
Singing of Praise - Celebration Worship Team
Cantos de Adoración Grupo de Alabanza
Songs of Adoration WorshipTeam
Diezmos & Ofrendas / Tithes & Offerings Coordinador / Leader

Oigamos la Palabra de Dios / Let us Listen to God's Word:

Predica / Sermon Pastor J.V. Montes
Atrévete A Cambiar / Dare to Change

Tiempo de Ministración - Peticiones / Time of Ministering & Praying
Ujieres: Fernando Contreras, Guille Ibarra, Maxi Ambriz, Jesús Duran,
Gerardo Aguilar, María Mejía, Alfredo Mejía, Nohemí y Juan Hernández

Hoy Por La Noche:

3:00 p.m. Cumpleaños Zoe Mireles salón social.
6:00 p.m. Charla sobre "Inmigración" Santuario
7:00 p.m. Acompáñenos al parque al jugar soccer - también jugaran niños (a)
7:00 p.m. Join us at the park to play soccer - children too

Reserve su Estas Fechas / Save These Important Dates:

Agosto 11. Reunión de RELID
Agosto 14-16, 2015. Camp Keola. Campamento Familiar
Agosto 18. Reunión Concilio FMC/PIM.
Agosto 29 Matrimonio David Aguilar y Ariana Sandoval.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, August / Agosto 9

5:00 a.m. Prayer Time in the Sanctuary
8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in the Infant Nursery
9:30 a.m. English Worship Service
10:00 a.m. Curso Cuidado Pastoral
10:45 a.m. Tiempo de Compañerismo Cristiano
11:00 a.m. Christian Education Hour
11:00 a.m. Reenfoque Espiritual - Sucesos De La Vida (AFC)
11:50 a.m. Servicio Alabanza y Adoración. Worship Services
6:00 p.m. Current Immigration Update and Issues

Monday, August / Agosto 10

12:00 p.m. AA Meeting in the Fireside Room
6:00 p.m. Prayer Walk in Fresno

Tuesday, August / Agosto 11

9:30 a.m. Needles & Notions in Room 2
6:00 p.m. Templo Servicio de Oración / Prayer Time
7:00 p.m. RELID

Wednesday, August / Agosto 12

7:00 p.m. Oración y Estudio Bíblico para Adultos
7:00 p.m. Kids Club
7:00 p.m. Prayer, Bible Study Young Adults "Bethel" PIM
8:00 p.m. Worship Young Adult "Bethel" PIM

Thursday, August / Agosto 13

6:00 p.m. Practica Grupo de Alabanza / Worship Team Training

Friday-Sunday, August / Agosto 14-16

PIM Campamento Familiar / Family Camp at Camp Keola

Sunday, August / Agosto 16

5:00 a.m. Prayer Time in the Sanctuary
8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in the Infant Nursery
9:30 a.m. English Worship Service
11:00 a.m. Christian Education Hour
6:00 p.m. Laura Penner, MVS Report

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8/9/15- 93/22

9:30 a.m.
On The Way
The Summer of 2015 -- 10

Gathering for Worship

Music for Gathering Paul & Ruth Buxman
Words of Welcome and Prayer Barbara Ewy

A Litany to Begin our Time of Worship

Leader: On this summer day, we gather for worship.

People: We gather as we are...weary from the week, brimming with anticipation, fearful, hopeful.

Leader: We are a grand mix, all here together, and so we pray

People: for light to brighten the dark places in our lives, for hope to replace our despair.

Leader: Take us by the hand, O God, and lead us on.

Joyful Songs of Praise

You've Got a Place

SJ 4

Holy Spirit, Come with Power

WH 26

Practicing Community

Bringing our Tithes and Offerings

Care for our Beautiful World

Glena Penner

I Lift My Eyes

A Joyful Song

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

WH 37

Our Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer

Stephen Penner

Considering the Bible, the World, our Lives

Special Moments with our Children

Worship Music

Paul & Ruth Buxman

Scripture Reading

I Kings 19:4-8 and Ephesians 4:25-5:2

Proclamation

Stephen Penner

Give Grace

Leaving Until We Meet Again

Responding in Song

Help Us to Help Each Other

WH 362

A Sending Litany of Blessing

Leader: We have gathered for worship

People: and now as we prepare to go, each to our separate homes,

Leader: We pray

People for enough light so that we might find our way.

Leader: We ask

People: for compassion to fill our hearts.

Leader: We desire

People: that our hands be willing, our spirits bold, our feet ready to go.

Leader: May the peace, love, and joy of our Lord Jesus Christ fill us all 'til we meet again.

All: Amen.

Postlude

Welcome to Our Service of Worship We are so glad you have joined us today to participate in this service of worship. Please know that regardless of where you have come from, or what you have experienced in the past, we welcome you. If you have a particular prayer concern, or would appreciate a visit, please contact one of the deacons or pastors. If you are visiting today, we are glad you are here.

Nursery Workers The staffed, early childhood nursery is in Room 3 of the Education Wing. An un-staffed infant nursery is in the back of the sanctuary. The following people are scheduled to work during the early service: August 9 - Maritsa Ambriz; August 16 - Gail Harder; August 23 - Barbara Boldt.

United Bible Study The united Bible study continues today during the 11 a.m. Sunday School hour. The class meets in the church library. The class will be reading through the book of Romans during the summer Sundays.

Immigration Evening This evening at 6:00 p.m. Crystal Fernandez-Benindes and Gloria James will be sharing on current immigration issues. Crystal is the Staff Associate for Immigration at West Coast MCC and Gloria is the Legal Services Advisor for West Coast MCC. This will take place in the sanctuary.

Laura Penner on MVS Next Sunday evening, August 16, Laura Penner will share about her recent Mennonite Voluntary Service experience in Colorado. This will take place at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Prayer Walk As part of the groundwork for the Mennonite Hispanic church planting endeavor in Fresno, a prayer walk is being planned for tomorrow evening, August 10, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. We will meet at Mennonite Community Church at the corner of Willow and Olive in Fresno.

Primera Iglesia Menonita Weekend at Camp Keola Our late service will not be held next Sunday, August 16, in lieu of the annual PIM Camp Keola Family Camp. A strong contingent of folks from our church will head up the mountain to our church camp on Friday, August 14, for a weekend of worship, fellowship, teaching, and good times. We pray for all a blessed time at Camp Keola.

Prayer Vine Laura Schlabach of Mennonite Mission Network is speaking in churches throughout the United States this month and in September. Pray that she will be able to share the good news about what God is doing in Mongolia with passion and in an invitational way.

Choice Books of West Coast is pleased to announce that Steve and Annie Chapman, of Nashville Tennessee, will be the featured speakers at our Fall Fundraising dinner. The dinner will be held on September 17 at Wedgewood Banquet Center in Fresno starting at 6:15 P.M. The Chapmans have been speaking and singing about family issues across America for nearly four decades. To reserve your complementary tickets call Choice Books office 638-1745 or email info@wc.choicebooks.org Deadline is September 8.

Border Learning Tour Join others from our church in traveling to southern Arizona as part of a Border Learning Tour. We will learn about border realities including the forces that push people to risk a lot to cross the border. Our visit will be coordinated by Mennonite Central Committee staff and friends. The plan is to drive to Tucson on February 9, take part in the Border Learning Tour February 10-12, and return to Reedley on February 13. If you are interested in participating please contact Pastor Steve.

MDS Volunteers Needed MDS is looking for volunteers for October 13 - 22 in Hilo, Hawaii to paint the outside of the church that housed the volunteers in May. Volunteers must be willing to work on scaffolding and ladders. Transportation will be paid by MDS plus room and meals. You will have the option to extend your stay in Hawaii at your own expense. If you are interested, call Eddie Neufeld at 743-7177 or Lee Thomas at 661-805-6739.

Soccer Outing Anyone interested in participating in a FMC soccer outing on Saturday, September 5, should contact Pastor Steve Penner. We plan to attend the MLS match that night between the San Jose Earthquakes and the Philadelphia Union.

Thank You A BIG "thank you " to all the farmers who have generously donated fruit this summer. It has been greatly appreciated.

Birthdays and Anniversaries Being Celebrated This Week Joshua Quintanilla (8/9), Marty Zimmerman (8/10), Grace Montes (8/12), Katie Salyers (8/12), Xavier Bonilla (8/13), Ellen Ewy (8/13), Josiah Harder (8/14), Roberto Valdovinos (8/15); Eric & Annarie Wergelund (8/9).