

Cuestra 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.

Dirige: Sebastián Andrade
 Video Musical: Tu Amor Es Real

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.

" Aunque la vida te de mil motivos para renunciar... Dios te da mil y un motivos más para seguir adelante. / Although you may have a thousand reasons to give up on life... God gives you a thousand and one reasons to continue ."
 JV Montes

"La Vida Es Una Sola Vívela Bien.
 You only have one life to live. Live it well."
 Salmos 65:4-13

Tiempo De Preparación / Preparation Time

Oración de Apertura / Opening Prayer	Sebastián Andrade
Bienvenida / Welcome	Sebastián Andrade
Saludos	Hyun Hur

Alabemos y Adoremos Juntos / Praise and Adoration Together

Líder de Alabanza Para Hoy	Rubén Montes
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	Sebastián Andrade

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

Predica / Sermon Pastor JV Montes
La Vida Es Una Bendición / Life Is A Blessing
 Video Musical: Tu Amor Es Real

Hoy:

6:00 p.m. Futbol hoy / Soccer today en el Sports Park

Reserve estas fechas de Enero / January 2017.

Enero 16, 6:00 p.m. Practica Alabanza Para Los Miércoles
 Enero 18, 7:00 p.m. 1- Oración. 2- Alabanza - 3- Estudio Bíblico / También / Kid's Club. (traigan sus hijos a esta reunión.)
 Enero 19, 6:00 p.m. Práctica Worship Team para los Domingos
 Enero 19, 7:00 p.m. Reunión Concilio FMC
 Enero 20, 8:00 p.m. Vigilia. Salón 5
 Enero 29, 6:00 p.m. Salón Social

YA VIENE:

II CONVENCION DE LA FAMILIA.
 BURRIS PARK.
 CAMP KEOLA.
 CAMPANA EVNGELISTICA AL AIRE LIBRE

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, January / Enero 15

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. Hyun Hur and Nathanael Hur Speaking

Monday, January / Enero 16

7:00 p.m. Practica Alabanza Para Los Miercoles

Tuesday, January / Enero 17

9:30 a.m. Needles & Notions in Room 2

Wednesday, January / Enero 18

7:00 p.m. Oración y Estudio Bíblico para Adultos
 7:00 p.m. "Bethel" PIM Young Adults
 7:00 p.m. Kids Club
 7:00 p.m. MYF
 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, January / Enero 19

7:00 p.m. Práctica Worship Team para los Domingos
 7:00 p.m. Council Meeting

Friday, January / Enero 20

5:00 p.m. Peace Center at Pioneer Park
 7:00 p.m. AA Meeting in the Library

Sunday, January / Enero 22

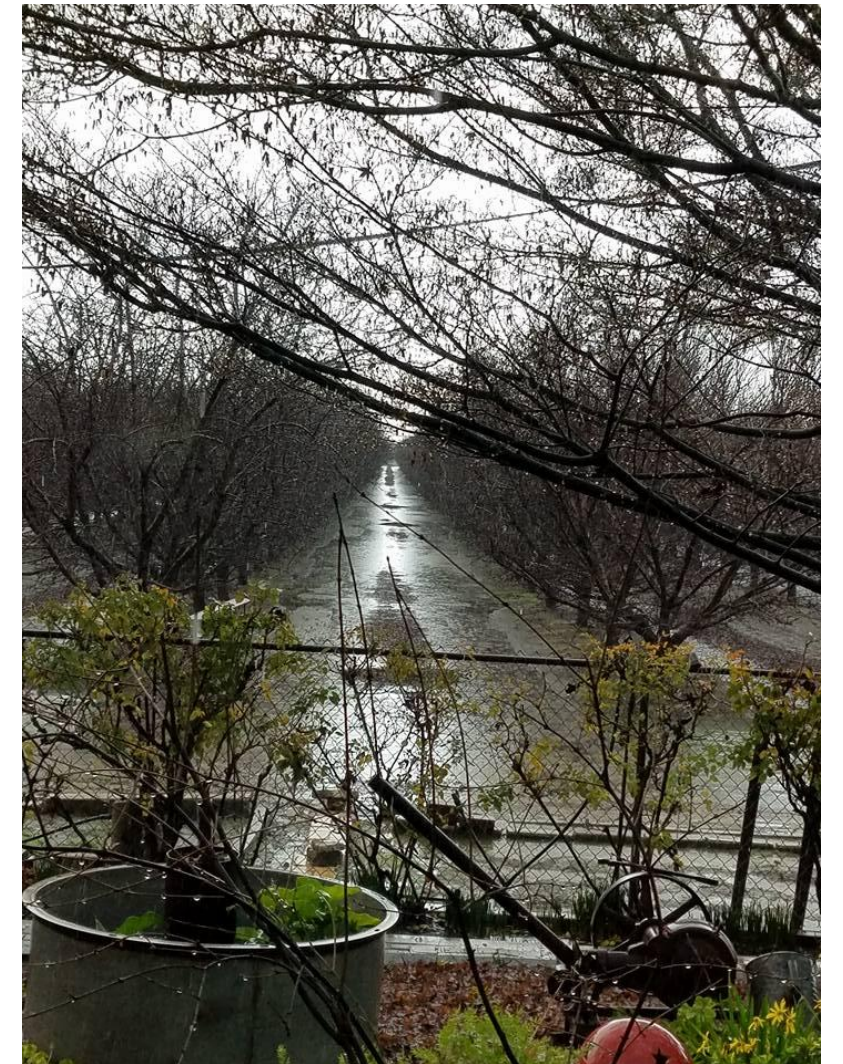
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January / Enero 15, 2017

Emphasizing Christ-centered community and the Jesus way of service and peacemaking.

9:30 a.m.
Love is a Verb
Come and See

Gathering in the House of God

Music for Gathering	David Boldt
<i>Variations on Sine Nomine</i> (Bedard)	
Gathering Hymn of Praise	
<i>O Prince of Peace</i>	WH 15
Welcome and Prayer	Christine Moyer
Anabaptist Voices	
<i>Regina Shands Stoltzfus</i>	
Songs of Praise	
<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	WH 37
<i>At the Name of Jesus</i>	WH 342

Sharing in the House of God

Sharing with our Children	
Sharing with Each Other	
Morning Prayer	Stephen Penner
Prayer Song	
<i>O God in Heaven</i>	SJ 53
Sharing our Tithes and Offerings	

Listening in the House of God

Worship Music	Ragamuffins
Reading from the New Testament	
<i>Matthew 16:13-16</i>	
Proclamation	Hyun Hur
<i>In the Midst of the Emperor's City</i>	

Sending from the House of God

Responding in Melody	
<i>Morning has Broken</i>	WH 648
Benediction	
Postlude	
<i>Prelude in Classic Style</i> (Young)	

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 A staffed, early childhood nursery is in Room 3 of the Education wing. An unstaffed infant nursery is in the back of the sanctuary.

Pastoral Absence Steve Penner will be leaving town tomorrow for an MCC reunion with colleagues from times past. He will return on Thursday.

Welcome, Hyun and Nathanael Hur We welcome Hyun and Nathanael Hur to our worship service today. Hyun and his wife Sue Park-Hur are the pastors of Mountain View Mennonite Church in Upland. Hyun and Sue are also the directors of ReconciliAsian. Hyun will be bringing the morning proclamation today. Nathanael is Hyun's son, and together with his dad, they will be sharing about their recent visit to North Korea and the reconciliation work they have been involved with in the Korean context. This will take place tonight at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Special Speakers in the Coming Weeks Hyun Hur is visiting our congregation today and in the coming months we will welcome other special guest speakers. On February 19 Weldon Nisly will be preaching in the morning service and speaking on that same Sunday evening. He will also speak at the Reedley Peace Centre on that adjacent Friday evening. On February 26 Bonnie Klassen from Colombia will be speaking about the Colombian Peace Process on that Sunday evening. Felipe Hinojosa from Texas A&M will be speaking over the weekend of March 17-19. He will speak on "white privilege" at the Friday evening Peace Center and on Saturday evening he will share at Mennonite Community Church on his book "Latino Mennonites: Civil Rights, Faith and Evangelical Culture." Then on Sunday morning he will preach at a united service in our sanctuary.

Baptism Class An adult Sunday School class focusing on a Mennonite/Anabaptist understanding of Christian faith will begin in Pastor Steve's office on Sunday, January 29. For those interested in becoming members of our church, or considering baptism, or just interested, this is the class to attend.

A New Mennonite Hymnal and the Songs You Love to Sing The Mennonite Worship and Song Committee has begun the long process of developing a new song collection. The goal is to produce a new hymnal to replace Hymnal: a Worship Book (1992), Sing the Journey (2005) and Sing the Story (2007) all while taking into account the breadth of the Mennonite Church and the diverse ways Mennonites sing and worship. It is planned that the end product will be completed by 2020 and will be available in bound and digital formats. The project committee is interested in input from across the Mennonite family of churches. As one small step in this process at our church, the worship committee of our church is interested in what songs and hymns, both inside and outside our hymnals, you feel must belong in the new hymnal. Would you be willing to name the 20 "must have" songs and submit them to the worship committee? Please send your songs to Lance Zimmerman, either by sticking them in his box or by emailing them to lzimmerman67@gmail.com.

Four by Four Gatherings in 2017 A signup sheet is available at the back of the church for everyone interested in participating in "four by four" gatherings in the first half of 2017. This is a purely voluntary opportunity. If you sign up (either as a family unit, a couple, or a single person) you will be assigned to a group with three other "units." We ask that each group meet together four times, preferably in February, March, April, and May. It's a way to get to know people in our church that you may not know so well right now!

FMC Prayer Email Most every week we send out an email with matters for praise and prayer. If you would like to be on the list to receive this email, please contact Pastor Steve.

Annual Church Business Meeting The annual church business meeting will be held on Sunday evening, January 29, at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The reports for the meeting are in your boxes and on the vestibule tables.

Peace Center Friday, January 20, 5:00 p.m. Inauguration Day - *Vigil for Preparedness and Unity* at Pioneer Park on G Street between 8th and 9th Streets. Saturday, January 21 - Reedley Peace Center bus to Million Women's March in Los Angeles (bus leaves from RPC parking lot at 5:00.a.m.—returns at 8:00 p.m.)

Bethel Banquet One of the next items on your social calendar could be the 71st Annual Bethel Banquet on January 28, 2017 at First Mennonite Church in Reedley. We again will gather for a time of fellowship, good food, remembering and looking forward around Bethel College. Fred Goering, Vice President of Institutional Advancement, will be the featured speaker. Our meal is being prepared this year by Sierra View Homes. Music provided by David Boldt on his semi-portable pipe organ. Whether or not you can attend, please send a Bethel College memory to us to share at the banquet. Please RSVP to jerry.ro.linscheid@verizon.net by January 20. We look forward to seeing you there. *Bethel College Banquet Committee: Joleen Siebert, Ro Linscheid, Jerry Linscheid*

Syrian Refugee Potluck-Supper Welcome Event Mennonite Peacemakers is sponsoring a Syrian Refugee Potluck-Supper Welcome Event on Sunday evening, January 22 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the College Community Church (MB) in Clovis. Six Syrian refugee families have recently moved to Fresno. The evening will provide an opportunity to learn a bit of their story and to welcome these folks to our community, now their community as well. Kamal Abu-Shamsieh from the non-profit Muslim Spiritual Care Service in Fresno will introduce and interview the families. Opportunity will be given to contribute to these refugee families through Muslim Spiritual Care Service. We will also learn more about MCC work with Syrian refugees from Nate Yoder, West Coast MCC Director. MCC's efforts have contributed some \$41 million dollars to Syrian relief work since 2012. Each family is asked to bring a main dish, salad or dessert to contribute to the meal. Plates, cutlery, water and coffee will be provided.

Lost and Found If you lost an earring recently, please contact Dee in the church office.

Prayer Vine School groups are celebrating the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday with DOOR Atlanta and DOOR Miami this weekend. Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for participants as they return to their home communities tomorrow and begin to share what they learned about civil rights history and current social injustices, and how their faith calls them to respond.