

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.

Coordinan: María Aguilar, Katrina Mireles, David 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.

"La Biblia no es difícil de entender, simplemente es difícil de aceptar. / "The Bible is not difficult to understand, is simply difficult to accept." Steve Lawson

**Mira con cuidado los planes que Dios tiñe para ti /
Look carefully the plans that God has planned for you**

Juan 1:1-5, 14-18; 4:1-30

Tiempo De Preparación / Preparation Time

Oración de Apertura / Opening Prayer

Bienvenida / Welcome

Coordinador / Leader

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Alabemos y Adoremos Juntos / Praise and Adoration Together

Líder de Alabanza Para Hoy María Aguilar, Katrina Mireles, David Aguilar

Cantos de Alabanzas - Celebración

Singing of Praise - Celebration

Cantos de Adoración

Songs of Adoration

Diezmos & Ofrendas / Tithes & Offerings

Grupo de Alabanza

Worship Team

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WorshipTeam

Coordinador / Leader

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

Predica / Sermon

La Lectura de la Biblia / Reading the Bible

Dr. Stan Friesen

Tiempo de Ministración - Peticiones / Time of Ministering & Praying

Ujieres: Fernando Contreras, Guille Ibarra, Maxi Ambriz, Jesús Duran,

Gerardo Aguilar.

Hoy:

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

Reserve Estas Fechas:

Mayo 16. 7:00 p.m. Practica de Alabanza para Miércoles.

Mayo 18 6:00 p.m. Worship Team Oración. / 7:00pm. Servicio Alabanza -

Estudio y Oración. / Tambien Kid's Club. (traigan sus hijos a esta reunión.)

Mayo 17. 7:00 p.m. Reunión del Concilio FMC/PIM.

Junio 12. 6:00 p.m. Reunión de Negocios del Segundo Semestre

Junio 19. "Día De Los Padres."

Junio 23-26. DOOR Hollywood Mission Trip. (programa para jóvenes.)

Junio 27- Julio 1. Escuela de Vacaciones de Verano (VBS)

Agosto 16-18. Retiro para pastores PSMC. Camp Keola.

Agosto 30, 2016. 7:00pm Nuevos Comienzos. (Sótano)

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, May / Mayo 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. Soccer at the Sports Park

Monday, May / Mayo 16

6:00 p.m. Practica Alabanza Salón Social

7:00 p.m. Worship Committee Meeting

Tuesday, May / Mayo 17

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

7:00 p.m. Council Meeting

Wednesday, May / Mayo 18

7:00 p.m. Oración y Estudio Bíblico para Adultos

7:00 p.m. Kids Club

7:00 p.m. MYF

7:00 p.m. "Bethel" PIM Young Adults

Thursday, May / Mayo 19

7:00 p.m. Practica Grupo de Alabanza / Worship Team Training

Friday, May / Mayo 20

6:30 p.m. Peace Center

Sunday, May / Mayo 22

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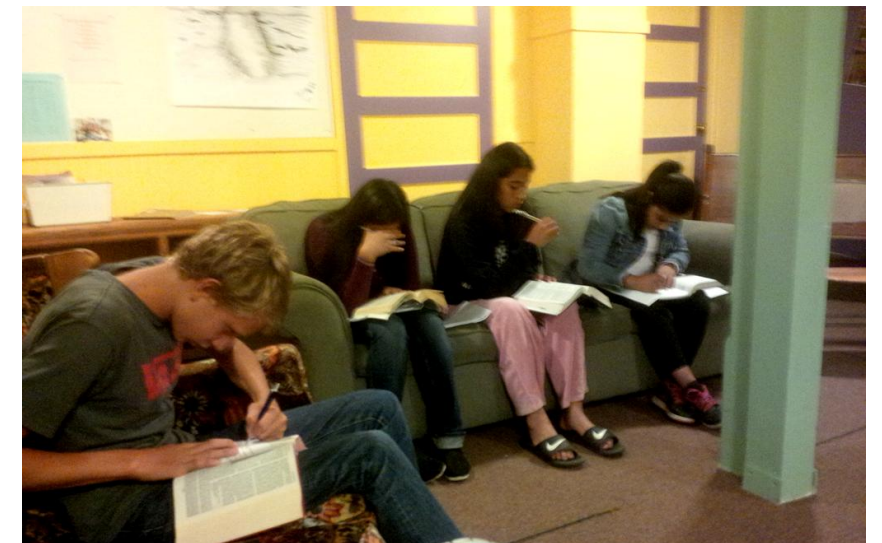
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Primera Iglesia Menonita

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May / Mayo 15, 2016

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

9:30 a.m.

The Mission of God in a World of Complexity

Matters of Faith and Life -- Reading the Bible

Gathering

Music for Gathering	Andrea Friesen and Eleanor Friesen
<i>Adagio from Sonata in D Major (Deviennes)</i>	
Choral Introit	Church Choir
<i>Prayer (Stopford)</i>	
Gathering Litany	WH 668
Welcoming Words and Prayer	Barbara Ewy
Songs of Praise	
<i>Praise God from Whom</i>	
	WH 118

Listening

Listening to Scripture Read	
<i>John 1:1-5, 14-18; 4:1-30</i>	
A Lesson Learned	Melinda Hasegawa
A Hymn of Faith	
<i>God of the Bible</i>	
	SJ 27
Listening with Our Children	Stephen Penner

Proclaiming

Choral Anthem	Church Choir
<i>Hymn to the Holy Spirit (Currie)</i>	
Proclamation	Stan Friesen
<i>Does It Fit?</i>	

Responding

Sharing our Tithes and Offerings	
<i>Largo (Handel)</i>	
Sharing with Each Other	
Morning Prayer	Stephen Penner

Blessing

Sending Song	
<i>The Lord Lift You Up</i>	
	SJ 73
Sending Words and Blessing	
Postlude	
<i>Vivace from Sonata VI (Handel)</i>	

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 unstaffed infant nursery is in the back of the sanctuary.

Welcome to Stan Friesen We are pleased to welcome to our church today, on this Pentecost Sunday, Dr. Stan Friesen. Stan will be preaching in both our early and late services around the theme of how we read and interpret the Bible. Stan's life has taken him to many parts of the world. His early days were in India. Later he served as a missionary together with his wife Delores in West Africa. Over the years Stan has served as a pastor, teacher, confidant, mentor, and dear friend to many.

Next Sunday at First Mennonite Church Next Sunday morning's worship service will be built around the theme of spirituality. Stephen Penner will bring the proclamation and the Ragamuffins will be singing. Our afternoon service will feature special guest Mario Faz. Mario has ministered at our church before both with his singing and the spoken word.

Faith, Spirituality and Mental Health Jorge Romero, MFT, member of our church, will speak next Sunday evening at 6:00 p.m. on the topic "Faith, Spirituality, and Mental Health." Jorge is a clinical manager at Kings View.

Celebrating Ellen Ewy's Life A memorial service celebrating the life of Ellen Ewy will be held this afternoon. The memorial service begins at 4:00 p.m. The service will be preceded by a special organ prelude concert at 3:30 p.m. Accomplished organist Annette Albrecht, a niece of Ellen's, will be playing the organ.

Happy Birthday! Happy Birthday to Katherine Neufeld, who is 101 years old today! Katherine lives at Palm Village.

Congratulations! Congratulations to Ricardo Trejo, who graduates next Saturday from Central Valley Christian High School in Visalia.

Peace Center Friday, May 20, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Paul Buxman will be interviewing member Ethel Harder.

Prayer Vine Laura Schlabach of Mennonite Mission Network has served in Mongolia for more than two decades in the areas of finance, administration, and worker support. Pray for her as she divides her time between the main office in the capital city and her travel to be a spokesperson for the needs of more remote areas.

Camp Keola We encourage children and youth from our church to participate in Mennonite camping at Camp Keola this summer. Junior (grades 3-5) and Junior High (grades 6-8) camps are scheduled for July 17-23. Our high school camp is set for July 24-30. If you are a first time camper you can go for half price! If you invite a friend to go with you, you can get \$75 off your camp fees. Also, our church offers \$50 scholarships to campers who memorize Bible verses. Junior and Junior High campers need to memorize Philippians 2:5-11 and high school campers need to recite I Corinthians 13. The verses can be recited to a member of the Mission and Service Committee: Gail Harder, Steve Penner, Jose Mireles, Juanita Zarco, Graciela Sandoval or Raul Zarco.

Save the Date Saturday, May 21, is the annual meeting of the Mennonite Disaster Service, California Unit. The meeting will be in Fresno, at the North Fresno Church, 5724 N. Fresno St. (near the corner of Bullard Avenue and Fresno St.). The meeting will be in the Educational building Room 309 (3rd floor-note there is an elevator). Registration is at 9:30 a.m. and the meeting starts at 10:00 a.m. and concludes at 2:00 p.m. Lunch will be catered.

Reedley Parkway Work Day A community-wide workday is scheduled for Saturday, May 21, to weed, clean, and maintain the Reedley Parkway (the Rails to Trail). Our church's section of the trail is located just west of 10th Street opposite the water towers. If you would like to contribute, show up at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 21 to take care of any weeds and debris situated on our section of the trail.

Speakers in our Late Service During Pastor Juan's Absence

May / Mayo 22	Mario Faz
May / Mayo 29	Rubén Montes
June / Junio 5	Dr. Mark Baker
June / Junio 12	Sebastián Andrade
June / Junio 19	Erasmus Quintanilla
June / Junio 26	José Mireles
July / Julio 3	Stephen Penner
July / Julio 10	Gerardo Aguilar
July / Julio 17	Noemi Palma
July / Julio 24	Irma Aguilar
July / Julio 31	Juan Montes