

*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**

12:00 p.m.  
 Dirige: Carmen Montes

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.

"¿Puedo perder mi salvación si no la tomo con cuidado, dedicación, responsabilidad y respeto? Can I lose my salvation if I do not take it with care, dedication, responsibility and respect?"  
 JV Montes

**Bienvenida y Oración / Welcome and Prayer**

Que te Pasa Iglesia Amada	Marcos Vidal
Oración de Apertura / Open Prayer	Coordinadora
Lectura Biblia / Biblical Reading	Coordinadora
<i>Gálatas 5:22-23; 1 Corintios 10:32-34</i>	
Bienvenida / Welcome	Coordinadora
Necesidades De Oración / Prayer Needs	Coordinadora
Cumpleaños / Birthdays	W/T / Coordinadora

**Alabemos y Adoremos Juntos / Worship Together**

Grupo De Alabanza / Worship Team	Worship Team
Jr. Church	Barbara Ewy
Diezmos & Ofrendas / Tithes & Offerings	Ujieres / Ushers
Grupo de Alabanza / Worship Team	Worship Team

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

Sermón / Sermon	Pastor JV Montes
<i>Hacer Pasos Efectivos en Cristo / Make Effective Steps in Christ</i>	
Anuncios & Promoción Operación Andrés	Pastor

**Reserve Estas Fechas Para Noviembre / November**

Noviembre 27. 7:00 p.m. Reunión Lideres en Acción  
 Noviembre 28. 7:00 p.m. Oración - Alabanza - Estudio Bíblico  
 Noviembre 29. 6:30 p.m. Worship Team Practice

**ANUNCIO ESPECIAL:** Nuestra Iglesia tiene sus servicios oficiales los:  
 Domingos de 11-12. Estudios Bíblicos Para Todas Las Edades. y de 12-1:30pm. Serbio de Alabanza y Adoración, Miércoles de 7-8:30pm. Oración-Alabanzas - Estudio Bíblico y Kid's Club. (Les animo que se hagan parte asistiendo a estos programas de la iglesia y ayuden a motivar a otros a asistir.)

**EVENTS OF THE WEEK**

**Sunday / Domingo, November / Noviembre 25**

5:00 a.m.	Tiempo de Oración en el Salón Social
8:45 a.m.	Prayer Time in the Infant Nursery
9:30 a.m.	English Worship Service
10:00 a.m.	Curso Cuidado Pastoral
11:00 a.m.	Tiempo de Compañerismo Cristiano
11:00 a.m.	Christian Education Hour
11:00 a.m.	Reenfoque Espiritual - Sucesos De La Vida (AFC)
11:55 a.m.	Servicio Alabanza y Adoración / Worship Services

**Tuesday / Martes, November / Noviembre 27**

9:30 a.m.	Needles & Notions in Room 2
7:00 p.m.	Reunión Lideres en Acción

**Wednesday / Miércoles, November / Noviembre 28**

7:00 p.m.	Oración y Estudio Bíblico para Adultos
7:00 p.m.	MYF
7:00 p.m.	Kids Club
7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice

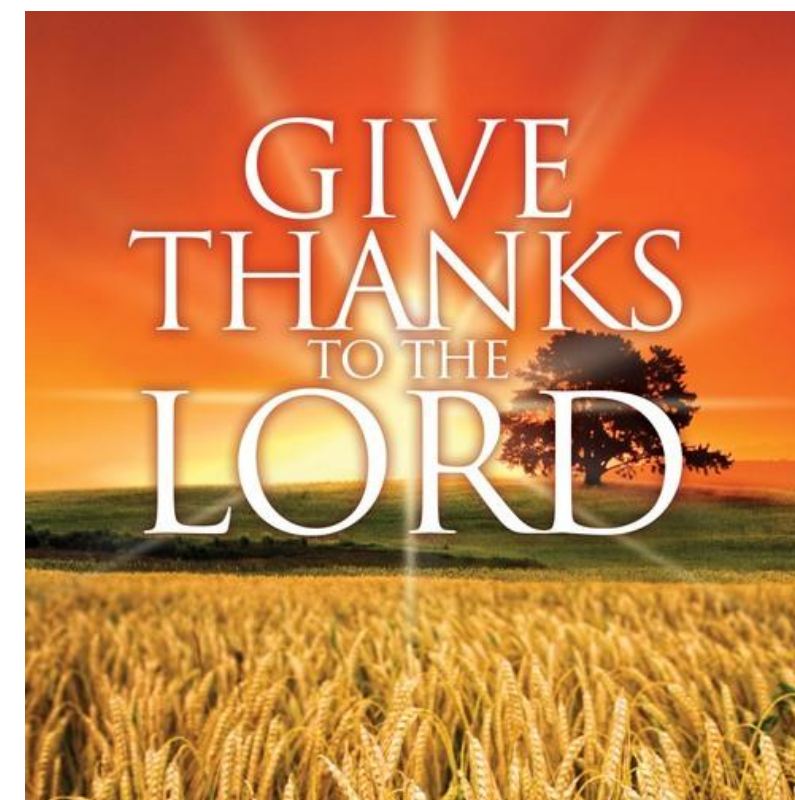
**Thursday / Jueves, November / Noviembre 29**

6:30 p.m.	Práctica Worship Team para los Domingos
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**Sunday / Domingo, December Diciembre 2**

5:00 a.m.	Prayer Time in the Fellowship Hall
8:45 a.m.	Prayer Time in the Infant Nursery
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*Emphasizing Christ-centered community and the Jesus way of service and peacemaking.*

*Your Will Be Done*  
**These Changing Times – 11**

**Gathering**

Music for Gathering Lance and Christy Zimmerman  
Reading from the Psalms  
*Psalm 54*  
Welcome and Prayer Christine Moyer  
Sharing the Peace of Christ  
Songs of Praise  
*Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing* WH 12  
*As the Hart with Eager Yearning* WH 500

**Sharing**

Twenty Singing Mennonites  
*An Article by Rabbi Mychal Copeland*  
Sharing our Tithes and Offerings  
Sharing with Each Other  
Morning Prayer Stephen Penner  
Praying in Song  
*Great Is Thy Faithfulness* WH 327

**Listening for God's Word**

Time with the Children  
Worship Music Lance and Christy Zimmerman  
Scripture Reading  
*1 Peter 3:8-18a*  
Proclamation Barbara Ewy  
*Replay with a Blessing*

**Sending**

Responding in Song  
*Longing for Light* SJ 54  
Benediction  
Postlude

**Welcome** We are glad you are here. We want you to know that no matter who you are, or what your experiences in life have been, you are welcome here at our church. We welcome your participation and your questions. We desire to walk with you on this earthly journey. If you have particular matters for prayer, or would appreciate a visit, please contact one of our pastors or deacons. Their contact information is on the back of this bulletin.

**Nursery** The staffed, early childhood nursery is in Room 3 of the Education Wing. The unstaffed infant nursery is in the back of the sanctuary. Volunteers in the nursery are: Today - Gail Harder; December 2 - Christy Zimmerman; December 9 - Fran Loewen.

**Next Sunday** Next Sunday morning we begin the Advent season. During our 9:30 a.m. worship service we will light the first Advent candle, we will hear the strains of the Advent season, and our church choir will sing. Stephen Penner will offer the morning message.

**Deacon Discernment** Our discernment process to name new deacons begins today and continues through next Sunday. Our three retiring deacons are Maxi Ambriz, Barbara Boldt, and Sharon Reimer. Those continuing to serve as deacons are Jim Krause, Jerry Linscheid, Sergio Alvarado, Melinda Hasegawa, and Ligia Duran. Outgoing deacons, Maxi Ambriz and Barbara Boldt, have indicated their desire not to serve another term. Let us be mindful and prayerful as we walk through this process over the coming weeks.

**Christmas Caroling** Join others in singing Christmas carols at Sierra View Homes on Sunday, December 9. We meet at 5:00 p.m. in the lobby just outside the Founders Room to carol to residents at Sierra View.

**Bethlehem Village** Our annual Bethlehem Village event will be Sunday evening, December 16 at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall with activities for all ages. Please bring a plate of cookies or treats to share.

**Upcoming Advent Activities**

December 2: First Sunday of Advent  
December 9: Second Sunday of Advent  
December 9: Christmas caroling at Sierra View Homes begins at 5:00 p.m.  
December 11: Musica Viva performs at 7:00 p.m.  
December 16: Third Sunday of Advent  
December 16: Bethlehem Village Children and Adults interactive Christmas delight in the Fellowship Hall. It begins at 5:00 p.m.  
December 19: MYF Christmas Party and Lock-in  
December 19: Kids Club Christmas Party  
December 23: Fourth Sunday of Advent  
December 25: Annual Christmas Day Worship at 10:30 a.m.

**Saying Goodbye** Lillian Dueck will be moving to Kansas to live with her daughter. You are invited to attend a "come & go" farewell party for Lillian at the Terraces Lounge at Sierra View Homes on Sunday, December 2, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. Lillian would love to say goodbye to her friends before she leaves.

**Relief Kits for MCC** It's time to put together relief kits for MCC. Completed kits, placed in a box or garbage bag, can be either brought to the church office or taken to West Coast MCC at 1012 G Street. Last year MCC sent over 24,000 kits to various countries, including North Korea and Syria. The ingredients of the relief kit are:

**Contents (NEW items only)**

- 4 large bars bath soap** (leave in wrapper)
- Shampoo** (1 or 2 bottles, totaling more than 20 oz; place in resealable plastic bag)
- 4 large bars laundry soap** (such as Fels Naptha®, Sunlight® or Zote® brands)
- 4 adult-sized toothbrushes** (in manufacturer's packaging)
- 4 new bath towels** (medium weight, dark or bright colors; approx. 29 in x 60 in)
- 2 wide-toothed combs** (6–8 in)
- 1 nail clipper** (good quality)
- 1 box adhesive bandages** (minimum 40, assorted)
- Sanitary pads (THIN; 1 or 2 packages, minimum 28 pads total)**

**Instructions:** Place contents in a box or bag. The kit will be re-packed at MCC in a new 5-gallon pail with lid.