

11:55 a.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.

"Su actitud hacia la vida determina la actitud de la vida hacia ud. Your attitude towards life determines the attitude of life towards you."
 J.V Montes

Lectura Biblica
 Lucas 10:38-42

Tiempo De Preparación / Preparation Time

Oración de Apertura / Opening Prayer Coordinador
 Bienvenida / Welcome Coordinador

Alabemos y Adoremos Juntos / Praise and Adoration Together

Líder de Alabanza Para Hoy Worship Team
 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

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

Oración por el Predicador / Prayer for the Preacher Coordinador
 Predica / Sermon Juan Montes
Encuentro con Jesus / Meeting with Jesus

Hoy:

6:00 p.m. Soccer en el Sport Park / Soccer at the Sports Park

Reserve Estas Fechas Para Octubre / October 2017

Octubre 10, 7:00 p.m. Reunión de RELIESER
 Octubre 11, 7:00 p.m. Oración y Estudio Bíblico para Adultos
 Octubre 11, 7:00 p.m. Kids Club
 Octubre 12, 6:00 p.m. Práctica Worship Team para los Domingos
 Octubre 15, 10:00 a.m. Curso Cuidado Pastoral
 10:45 a.m. Tiempo de Compañerismo Cristiano
 11:00 a.m. Reenfoque Espiritual - Sucesos De La Vida (AFC)
 11:55 a.m. Servicio Alabanza y Adoración / Worship Services
 Octubre 17, 7:00 p.m. Reunión Concilio FMC/PIM
 Noviembre 12, "Servicio Con Propósito." Afuera / Outdoor Service
"Construyendo Puentes De Unidad En Medio De La Diversidad." (Tendremos Alabanza- Predicación- Comeremos)

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, October / Octubre 8

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)
 11:55 a.m. Servicio Alabanza y Adoración / Worship Services

Monday, October / Octubre 9

6:00 p.m. Practica Alabanza Para Los Miercoles

Tuesday, October / Octubre 10

9:30 a.m. Needles & Notions in Room 2
 7:00 p.m. Reliser

Wednesday, October / Octubre 11

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. Choir

Thursday, October / Octubre 12

6:00 p.m. Práctica Worship Team para los Domingos

Friday, October / Octubre 13

6:30 p.m. Peace Center
 7:00 p.m. AA Meeting in the Library

Friday - Saturday, October / Octubre 13-14

Reedley Fiesta at Pioneer Park - Frito Boats by MYF

Sunday, October / Octubre 15

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 11:55 a.m. Servicio Alabanza y Adoración / Worship Services



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October / Octubre 8, 2017

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

9:30 a.m.

Love is a Verb

Walking in Our Neighbor's Shoes

Gathering for Worship

Gathering Music	David Boldt
<i>Prelude on a Theme of Alain</i> (Durufle)	
Choral Introit	Church Choir
<i>Grant Us Thy Peace</i> (Mendelssohn)	
Welcome and Prayer	Ruth Buxman
Sharing the Peace of Christ	
Gathering Hymns of Joy and Praise	
<i>Praise with Joy the World's Creator</i>	SJ 16
<i>Jesus Calls Us Here to Meet Him</i>	SJ 3

Sharing Our Gifts, Our Lives

A Different Perspective	
<i>These Boots Were Made for Walking</i>	
Congregational Sharing	
Morning Prayer	Stephen Penner
Praying in Song	
<i>God Whose Purpose is to Kindle</i>	WH 135
Sharing our Tithes and Offerings	

Listening for God's Voice

Time with Our Children	
Scripture Reading	
<i>I Corinthians 9:16-23</i>	
Choral Anthem	Church Choir
<i>My Song Shall Be Always of the Loving Kindness</i> (Sampson)	
Proclamation	Stephen Penner
<i>Everyone Matters</i>	
Responding in Song	
<i>Lead Me, Lord</i>	WH 538

Sending

Benediction	
Postlude	
<i>"Allegro" from Organ Concerto in F</i> (Handel)	

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 The staffed, early childhood nursery is in Room 3 of the Education Wing. The un-staffed infant nursery is in the back of the sanctuary. Volunteers in the nursery are: Today - Edith Montano; October 15 - Gail Harder; October 22 - Renee Harder.

Next Sunday During Our Early Service Next Sunday morning our early worship service will be filled with music. Lance and Christy Zimmerman and Paul and Ruth Buxman will all lend their musical gifts to enrich our service. We will be singing some new songs and a few people will share about songs that have been especially important to them.

On October 22 Caley Ortman will bring the morning message. Steve Penner will bring the proclamation on October 29.

Pastoral Absence Stephen Penner will leave this Friday afternoon for N. Newton, Kansas where he will be attending Mennonite Mission Network Board meetings. Next Sunday Steve will bring the message at the Eden Mennonite Church in Moundridge. He returns to Reedley on Monday evening, October 16.

Thanksgiving Sunday This is a reminder that our annual Thanksgiving Sunday will be on Sunday, November 19. We will hold a united worship service that Sunday morning followed by a delicious fellowship meal afterwards in the Fellowship Hall. This Sunday has also been known as Loyalty Day.

Soccer in the Sports Park Most every Sunday evening at 6:00 p.m. there is an open-to-all, male and female, soccer game held at the Reedley Sports Park. It's a great time for exercise. During the half-time break we take the opportunity to share our faith and enjoy fellowship with each other.

Peace Center Friday, October 13, 6:30 p.m. Presenter: Cat Kroschcell. Program: *Birds of Prey for Environmental Education*.

Thursday Evening Prayer Gatherings Continuing this Thursday evening and into early December all are invited to weekly gatherings centered around prayer. This is an opportunity to think about prayer, reflect on prayer, and pray. The conversation will be led by Malcolm and Tina Mitchinson beginning at 7:00 p.m. Richard Foster's book, *Prayer/Finding the Heart's True Home*, will be used and can be purchased by signing up on the sheet at the back of the sanctuary. The October gatherings will take place at Paul and Sharon Reimer's home.

Silent Meditation Group Beginning today, a silent meditation group will meet during the Sunday morning Christian Education hour. This gathering will take place in the basement prayer room. If you have any questions about this, contact David Krehbiel or Hope Nisly.

MYF Frito Boats! Our church youth group will be selling Frito Boats at the Reedley Fiesta this Friday and Saturday. We hope you can stop by Pioneer Park on G Street, find the FMC MYF Frito Boat booth, and procure a few Frito Boats!

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, is pleased to offer a preventive health event at First Mennonite Church of Reedley on November 7 in the Fellowship Hall. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. There are three ways to register for this event. Please call toll-free 1-888-653-6441, visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle>, or text the word circle to 797979.

Central California Mennonite Residential Services is celebrating their 30th anniversary. You are invited to come to the party on Thursday, October 26 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the CCMRS Huntington House, 3655 E. Huntington Blvd. in Fresno. Please let them know if you plan to attend by calling 227-2940.

Prayer Vine Tomorrow is Indigenous Peoples Day. Mennonite Mission Network confesses the complicity many in our church have had in land theft and oppression. Pray for repentance, restitution, and for the many mission workers who support marginalized people groups to reclaim their land, their language, and their dignity.