



**Join the FIRST Family on Sundays at**  
**9AM Worship Service — 11AM Servicio de Adoración**

## IN-PERSON & ONLINE WORSHIP



**8/3 8th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.**  
***Sermon: Live On Guard***

***- Luke 12:13-21***



**8/10 9th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.**  
***Sermon: Live Fearless and Give***

***- Luke 12:32-40***



**8/17 10th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.**  
***Sermon: Live Ignited***

***- Luke 12:49-56***



**8/24 11th Sunday after Pentecost @9am Bilingual**  
***Sermon: Live Freely***

***- Luke 13:10-17***



**8/31 12th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.**  
***Sermon: Live Inviting***

***- Luke 14:1, 7-14***



## God's Work Our hands

**SAVE THE DATE - September 7th**

**Our annual dedicated Day of Service**

**Meet in church for a short bilingual blessing.**

**Then be sent out to do God's Work in our community.**

**Please sign up to help!**

**Blessing starts @ 9:00am—Project Work @ 9:30am**

**Potluck Lunch @ 11:30am**

**Prayer Requests** *FIRST Family:* Diane Bryson, Rosa

Gonzalez, Bob and Helen Shoup, Darlene Walker, Kaysan, Ramona Cordova, Robert Kaley, Cynthia Corelis, Jan and Lee Larsen, Lori Grasz and Louise Grasz, Hanson family, Cody Metcalf.

**FIRST Friends** ~ Josefina Saucedo, Angelica and Manuel Mendoza, Nana-Cecilia, Jenny, Chuck Foth, Gabe Winns, Renate Moser, Jason De Jesus and Aunt, John Kosel, Brigitte, Liz Carter.

**At Home** ~ Pat Dickson, Linda Jacobson, Sandy Cottrell, Ron Reidberger  
**In Military Service** ~ Nelson Reyes USN, Joseph D. Roberts USN, Karla Flores USN



**AUGUST**

- 5 Susan White
- 5 Frank Sanchez
- 5 Stella Ortiz
- 6 Jerry Nafel
- 8 Peg Hughes
- 9 Arianna Lopez
- 9 Jose Mata
- 12 Cristina Torres
- 12 Jose Antonio Perez

- 13 David Arias
- 14 Beth McCormick
- 14 Rogelio Ortiz
- 14 Carl Pira
- 15 Margarita Briseno
- 20 Christian Monsivais
- 24 Alan Orlando Salas
- 26 Ileana Lozano
- 27 Sylvia Mendoza
- 29 Oliver Avila
- 30 Brandon Garcia

**Church  
Council  
Meeting**

on 8/19 @7:30PM

ZOOM Meet

Look for minutes, financial reports, agenda and zoom invitation over email.

**Adoración/Worship**  
**John 4:23-24 (MSG)**  
**Celebrating Our Diversity**  
**Celebrando Nuestra**  
**Diversidad**  
**1 Corinthians 12:4-6 (NRSV)**  
**Together We Make**  
**a Difference**  
**Acts 2:42-47 (CEV)**

**FROM YOUR TREASURER**

End of June 2025    50% of Year Past

| Income        |            |             |                      |
|---------------|------------|-------------|----------------------|
| Annual Budget | Actual YTD | % of Budget |                      |
| \$138,500     | \$71,817   | 51.85%      | OFFERINGS ONLY       |
| \$201,000     | \$101,952  | 50.72%      | RENTAL CONTRACTS     |
| \$84,000      | \$10,735   | 12.78%      | QUINCEANERAS & OTHER |
| \$15,500      | \$6,838    | 44.12%      | THRIVENT & OTHER     |
| \$439,000     | \$191,342  | 43.59%      |                      |

**Expenses**

| Annual Budget | Actual YTD | % of Budget |
|---------------|------------|-------------|
| \$439,000     | \$209,953  | 47.83%      |

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# WAIT!



## LOOK WHAT'S COMING IN THE NEXT COUPLE MONTHS!

- School Starts!
- Youth Overnighter
- Backpack Sunday
- Youth Outing
- End of summer Movie Night?
- God's Work Our Hands
- And, of course, Pastor's Birthday (MONTH)!



**Backpack Sunday**  
**REMEMBER TO BRING A FRIEND!!**  
**August 24th — One Worship @9:00am**  
 Bring your kids and their backpacks for a special blessing to start the school year.  
 Place the backpacks around the altar as you come into church.

**Nursery**  
 Available



Safe & Fun for Everyone

**We provide Nursery Care Every Sunday During Services.**

**Look for the Yellow Bee Room (yellow door).**

**Drop off your child there right before service and pick up right after.**

**Nursery ages are new born to 4 years old. Mrs. Gaby will care for your little ones there. She is one of our Noah's Ark pre school staff.**



**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**Each Sunday morning during our worship all children ages 5 years old and up to 5th grade will go out to chapel time right after welcoming each other. They will come back into worship right after the sermon to share what they have learned in chapel.**

**They will be going into the Orange Giraffe room.**

## Gathering for



Join us IN FELLOWSHIP ROOM or from  
the comfort of your home to  
Crochet, Knit, Loom, Quilt or the craft of  
preference on Tuesdays

at 10:00AM—All are welcome!

Please use the same email link you  
have been using for the rest  
of the month.

## FIRST Luncheon and Fellowship

Invite your significant Other.  
Group Gathering At

Pegah's Family Restaurant  
955 S Santa Fe, in Vista.

Mon. August 11th @12:00<sup>pm</sup>

Meet at the restaurant and have  
lunch and fellowship.

Pastor will be sharing a devotional  
and saying grace before food.

Hope to see you all there.

Any questions contact Bill Hanson  
760-805-4565.

## Bible Study Continuing the GATHERING Magazine Bible studies

Bible Studies will restart 1st week in September.

Wed. evenings (English), at 6:30

and Thur (Spanish), at 6:30

JOIN US!

Learn and Be Inspired  
Engage and Be Transformed

## Youth Outing August 30 @ 12:00p - 5:00p at WAVE

All youth middle - high school.  
Bring \$25 to help cover some of the cost.  
Talk to Pastor Ramon about transportation.





# COMMUNITY RUMMAGE SALE

August 16, 2024

Make a donation for a space or come shop and help raise funds for one of the church ministries.

Together let’s make a difference!

Stone Soup Kitchen, with help from the N.C. Food Bank, gets to share free food with the community during the rummage sale.

Trinity Center is available for:

- Quinceaneras
- Weddings
- Receptions
- Birthdays
- Graduations
- Christmas
- New Years
- And more!

Call (760) 724-5440  
For more information



Where is  
Pastor Ramon  
and family  
going on Vacay  
this year?



# LAS NOTICIAS EN ESPANOL

## SERVICIOS DOMINICALES EN LA IGLESIA Y EN LINEA

**Domingos a las 11:00AM**

Vengamos y adoremos al Señor  
con un corazón alegre.  
Tendremos adoración,  
enseñanza y comunión.

## VENTA DE GARAGE RUMMAGE SALE

**Sábado 16 a las 7:00AM**

Ven y renta un espacio y apoye el  
ministerio de la Iglesia. Los  
fondos son para ayudar el  
ministerio de la Iglesia.

## CONVIVIO DOMINICAL

**Domingos de 10:15AM - 10:50AM**

Para niños, Jóvenes y Adultos.  
Celebremos los cumpleaños del  
mes con nuestros hermanos del  
primer servicio.

## PRAISE TEAM

**Jueves 6:30PM**

Practica y comparte el don de la  
música y canto. Le invitamos a  
que se integre al grupo y aprenda  
canto o algún instrumento.

## LONCHE LUTERANO

**Convivio y comunidad**

**Lunes 11th a las 12:00pm**

Hable con el Pastor para  
ponernos de acuerdo y hacer  
carpool juntos.

Tendremos convivio y devoción  
mientras disfrutamos de  
un lonche junto con otros  
hermanos de otras iglesias.

**Domingo de "El Trabajo de Dios. Nuestras manos"**

**¡RESERVA LA FECHA! – 7 de septiembre**

Nuestro día anual de servicio dedicado. ☐ La bendición comienza a  
las 9:00am ☐ El trabajo en los proyectos comienza a las 9:30am  
☐ Almuerzo compartido a las 11:30am.

## TRAIGAN SU MOCHILAS PARA LA BENDICION

**Domingo 24th, @9:00am**

Estudiantes, traigan su  
mochilas al servicio para  
recibir una bendición espacial  
para un año de mucha  
bendición y protección de  
Dios.

## Paseo para Jóvenes

**en The Wave Waterpark – Vista**

**Viernes 30 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

Todos los jóvenes de middle  
school y high school están  
invitados a un día de diversión  
bajo el sol en The Wave  
Waterpark en Vista!. Trae \$25  
para ayudar a cubrir parte del  
costo. ¿Necesitas transporte?  
Habla con el Pastor Ramón. ¡No  
te lo pierdas — será un día para  
disfrutar y refrescarte!

## Estudio Bíblico

**Continuamos con los  
estudios Biblicos familiares.**

Los estudios bíblicos  
reiniciarán la primera semana  
de **Sept. Miércoles**  
**(ing)@ 6:30 PM**

**y Jueves (esp) a las 6:30 PM**

# Noah's Ark News



## WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

2025-2026 School Year Here We Come!

We are excited for all of the fun this year for our children at the Ark! We will be welcoming new children in all of our classrooms and all the children returning from their long summer vacation.

**First Day of the new school year: Monday, August 11th**

### Minimum Day

Thursday August 7th  
Early Dismissal 3:00PM



**School Closed**  
Friday, August 8th  
Teacher In Service Day!

### Last Day of Summer Splash!

Tuesday August 5th



### Healthy Start

August 19th and 20th  
Join us for coffee, and  
morning conversation.



**Themes:** Goodbye Summer, Getting to know my school,  
Making new friends, All About Me

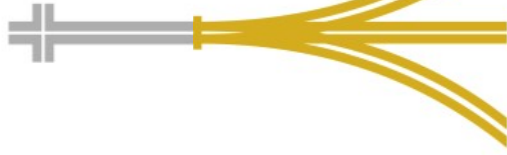
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