



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

IN-PERSON & ONLINE WORSHIP



9/6 Bilingual Blessing @900am.
Sermon: God's Work. Our Hands.
- Matthew 25:35-40



9/13 16th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.
Sermon: From Fear to Faith
- Matthew 18:21-35



9/20 17th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.
Sermon: Grace Without Limits
-Matthew 20:1-16



9/27 18th Sunday after Pentecost @9&11am.
Sermon: God Among Us All
- Matthew 21:23-32



Prayer Requests **FIRST Family:** Cecilia and her kids,

Diane Bryson, Rosa Gonzalez, Bob and Helen Shoup, Darlene Walker, Kaysan, Robert Kaley, Cynthia Corelis, Jan and Lee Larsen, Lori Grasz and Louise Grasz, Tom Corelis, Luis Orozco, Brigitte Garcia, Santiago Family.

FIRST Friends ~ Josefina Saucedo, Liz Carter, Angelica Garcia, Jenny, Debi and Gabe Winns, Renate Moser, Carrie, Don and Tina, Afsaneh, Saba and Mahmoud, Michael and Dee

At Home ~ Pat Dickson, Marti Hause, Linda Jacobson, Bob Shoup

In Military Service ~ James Gallegos USMC, Gabriela Nolasco USAF, Nelson Reyes USN, Joseph D. Roberts USN, Karla Flores USN.



SEPTEMBER

4 Liliana Perez
Mario Guillen
7 Krystal Zarate
9 Denise Wheeler
11 Tamarin Hanson
12 Amado Garcia
Adiel Nava
13 Karla Bosquez
Miguel Felix

16 Sammy Pena
18 Jose Mata Jr. (Gordo)
Marie Wilson
Jeneveive Sanchez
19 Diego De La Cruz
22 Alejandra Ortiz
Ramon Zarate
25 Mercedes Hernandez
26 Ayleen Ortiz

27 Lorena Montes
Rosalie Ramirez
Arianna Barajas
Lee Wakefield
Geoffrey Schneekluth
28 Noemi Orozco
Angela Diaz Ledesma

Church Council Meeting

on 9/15 @6:30PM

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)

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FROM YOUR TREASURER

End of JULY 2026 58.33% of Year Past

FLC			
Income			
Annual Budget	Actual YTD	% of Budget	
\$149,000	\$79,899	53.62%	OFFERINGS ONLY
\$210,800	\$122,402	58.07%	RENTAL CONTRACTS
\$67,000	\$25,681	38.33%	QUINCEANERAS & OTHER
\$15,700	\$9,892	63.00%	THRIVENT & OTHER
\$442,500	\$237,874	53.76%	
Expenses			
Annual Budget	Actual YTD	% of Budget	
\$442,500	\$240,332	54.31%	



Evangelical
Lutheran
Church in America

God's Work Our hands

SAVE THE DATE - September 6th

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



CONFIRMATION CLASS STARTS AGAIN ON SEPTEMBER 27th.

**Meet in the Fellowship
Room at 1:30pm**

We are continuing our confirmation

classes. This month we will only meet on the 27th

Bring your bible and snacks to share.

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. Elizabeth 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.

Bible Study

Bible Studies will restart 1st week in September.
Wed. evenings (English), at 6:30
and Thurs (Spanish), at 6:30
JOIN US!



Learn and Be Inspired
Engage and Be Transformed

FIRST Luncheon and Fellowship

Invite your significant other.
Group Gathering At

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

Mon. Sept 14th @12:00_{pm}

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.



Meets every Monday
At 6:30PM

We meet in the Sanctuary.
We have two openings
available email or call if
interested in joining the group.

Email: info@firstlutheranvista.org

Call: 760.724.5440



Join us and make
Music for Jesus



OUR YOUTH ARE READY TO WORK FOR YOU!

Our youth are working hard to reach their fundraising goal for the National Youth Gathering, and they are ready to work FOR YOU!

Hire one of our youth and make a donation to the Youth Fund!

100% of your donation will go directly to the Youth Fund to help support our youth as they prepare for the National Gathering.

Each youth family will take a month so that every youth has an opportunity to participate and be hired. **Parents will be present with their youth while the work is being done at your home.**

Do you need help with:

- Pulling weeds - Cleaning rain gutters - Washing windows- Removing spider webs - Detailing your car -Taking trash cans in or out- Moving items
- If you have a project that needs some extra hands, **our youth are ready to help!** Please talk to **Pastor Ramon** or our **Youth Leader, Alex Hurtado**, if you have questions. **Thank you for supporting our youth!**



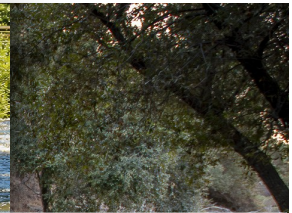
COMMUNITY RUMMAGE SALE

September 12, 2026

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. This time FIRST is selling food and taking donations for spaces.



LA JOLLA INDIAN CAMPCROUNDS

October 16th and 17th

Come enjoy camping, tubing, swimming, hiking, prayer and worship. Bring your food, camping gear and your bibles.

We will be checking in on the 16th and checking out by 12pm



Victory Outreach

is having their annual

Low Rider Car Show

Sept 19th.

Come join in on the fun!!

It opens at 10:00am. - Ends at 5:00pm

There will be lots of cars, food and fun!

V.O. reserves the entire parking lot for this event.



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 12 a las 7:00AM

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

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

Miércoles 7:30PM

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

DIA DE CAMPAMENTO EN LA JOLLA

RECERBACION INDIA.

Aparte la fecha, Oct. V16 al 17th

Todas las familias están
invitadas a pasar una noche
en familia en las montañas.

Adorando, compartiendo,
conviviendo y nadando en el ríos.
Anótese en la lista para reservar
su espacio. Entramos a las 3 del
viernes y saldremos a las 12 de
la tarde del sábado.

CLASE DE CONFIRMACION

Domingo 27th, @1:30pm

En este mes de Septiembre solo
nos reuniremos una sola vez.

Traiga su Biblia y snacks.

LONCHE LUTERANO

Convivio y Comunidad

Lunes 14th 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.

GRACIAS A TODOS POR LAS MOCHILAS

Gracias por el apoyo dan para que cientos
de niños reciban mochilas este ano.

Noah's Ark News

Healthy Start

September 1st and 2nd

Join us for coffee, donuts and morning conversation!



God's Work, Our Hands

Join FLC & Noah's Ark for a day of service to our community!
Sunday, Sept. 6th



School Closed

Monday, Sept. 7th
Labor Day



BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

Thursday Sept. 10th
5:30-7:00pm Bring your dinner, a blanket and join us for a picnic-style evening on the preschool playground! Dessert will be provided by Noah's Ark. After dinner come and check out our classrooms!

Apple Cooking Days

Thursday, September 24th and Friday, September 25th
Bring ONE apple to share!

We will be making warm applesauce for snack.

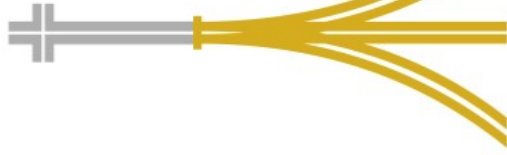


Themes: Pets, Emotions, God Gave me 5 Senses,
God Made Red Apples and Weather

Color: Red Letters: A & S

Number: 1-5 Shape: Triangle





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