



APRIL 25, 2021
9:00 AM

SIERRA EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
101 North Lenzner Ave., Sierra Vista, AZ 85635
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Our Mission Statement: “With faith in God’s grace, we share Christ’s love with all, so that lives are transformed by the Holy Spirit.”

Mark Perry, Pastor
Annela Rova, Intern Pastor
Linda Perry, Director of Faith Formation
Jim Cleven, SELC Council President
Cindy Allen, Administrative Assistant
Ministers: The People of SELC

**SELC SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE - 9:00 AM
WATCH AND WORSHIP WITH US LIVE-STREAMED ONLINE**

Celebrated each week, including a sermon and communion with those present and at home. Your Pastor, Intern Pastor, musicians, and AV tech will gather to celebrate worship online with you from the sanctuary.

Go to our website, www.selcaz.org, scroll down to the bottom of the page, look for the “Watch Services” ‘button,’ click on it, then click on the worship service to the right that you want to watch. These will remain available to watch for 90 days. If you can’t watch it online, call the office to request a DVD, if desired. All our worship services are also available for viewing on YouTube. Search for, “SELC of Sierra Vista AZ” (and be sure to capitalize AZ.)

PRAYER REQUESTS for the month of **APRIL** can be submitted online at www.selcaz.org or to Leslie McCourt at mccourtleslie@gmail.com

Prayers Can Be Found in The Back Of The Bulletin

**Oil for The Eternal Light provided by
Becky Randall in honor of her mother and family.**

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Acts 4:5-12

Psalm 23

1 John 3:16-24

John 10:11-18

SENDING

Announcements

*Blessing

*Sending Hymn (*Sung by soloist*)

“Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us”

ELW #789; vss. 1-2, 4

Postlude

(Please remain seated until Ushers dismiss
Worshippers after Dismissal, starting from the back row.)

*Dismissal

“Voluntary on Sending Hymn”

(arr. B. Hayes)

Sunday Worship Service 9:00 a.m. - In-Person or Livestreamed online at our website, on YouTube and Facebook. Those wishing to attend services will need to make reservations for every Sunday service, by the previous Thursday at 4:00 pm, on a “first come, first served” basis, by calling the church office, 459-0444, or emailing, admin@selcaz.org.

All previously established safety protocols will be observed.

Please Pray for Charles Appelin (Frankie Appelin's son).

Please Continue to Pray for family and friends of Norm Grahn; Penny (the Dechant's former daughter-in-law); Cherie Fleming (Dave Dechant's cousin); Lilas Mae Grabow, Michael; Alfreda Blakeway, Cindy Bartlein, Marc Eichelmann, Amy Pike, Amber Brenner, Chris Brenner, Rich Mount, Buke Burford; Corrie Rohr (uncle of Shepherd's Fold child); CJ Abraham co-worker's son who committed suicide; Bob and Jane Strain; Hanna Hooper; the family of Helen Daum; Sandy Urlie; Nancy (friend of Lisa Mitchell); the family of Sharon Keene (Community Choir Director); Beth Dechant, Dolly Bessler; the Robert Robles Family (family has 3 children in Shepherd's Fold); Holly and Brandon Montgomery (Perry's niece and husband); Mich and Abraham families; Rachel and family Jamie, Owen and Marcia (Rachel is Barb Wirsching's niece).

Long Term Prayers: Joseph and Laruen Acker (Diana Galecke's nephew and wife); Addie (Krazy Goat Sanctuary); Mary Alexander; John & Mary Alexander (Mary Alexander's son and wife); Gail Brady (neighbor of the Hamps); Dee Brenner, Deb Brown, Clayton (Helen Perdiue's son); Gracie (friend of Marilyn Hewitt); Samantha Howard (Carol Jordahl's great niece); Don Huthoefer, Jake (son of a friend of the Perrys); Kyle King (neighbor of the Palomaas); Makayla Margulies (Virginia Napolitano's grandniece); Anne Nowak, Linda Perry; Dee Rowley, Doris Rasmussen, Jerry Regan, George Renbeck (Kim Renbeck's dad); the Rewis family; Faye Toto, Verona Webb, John Williams, Jill Winkels (Cindy Wiste's friend), Wyman (Julie March's cousin); The Navajo Evangelical Lutheran Mission at Rock Point; all who are affected by the COVID-19 virus; all youth experiencing mental health issues; peace for our nation; military personnel everywhere.

Zoom Coffee Chat This Sunday, April 25 at 10:45 a.m.

Join us for informal conversation, catching up and connecting on Zoom.

Topic: Post-Worship Coffee Chat

Time: Apr 25, 2021 10:45 AM Arizona

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/91421970700?pwd=V05Sc0J1UGQ1a1V4c1I3ZWl3OTdMQT09>

Meeting ID: 914 2197 0700

Passcode: 540921

One tap mobile: +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)

The Columbarium Team Needs You! - The Columbarium Committee is currently seeking additional volunteers. We need a few able-bodied people who would be willing to help current team members water the plants in the columbarium (volunteers rotate). The columbarium has been a part of the church for over 20 years, and we hope there are some new faces who might be willing to help out. If interested, please contact Lisa Mitchell at 520-417-0266 / lisa12340@msn.com or Rebecca Dennis at 520-335-8697 / rubyboo@hotmail.com.

CareNet Support Opportunity - Celebrate Life with CareNet's 1st Ever Drive 4 Life - It will be May 8, 2021 starting at 10:00 a.m. at Calvary Chapel at 1155 E Wilcox Drive. The drive goes down Fry Blvd and ends at Village Meadows Baptist Church at 1407 El Camino Real. Registration is at 9:30 a.m. or the week before at Care Net, 1197 E Fry Blvd. Forms are in the church office or at Care Net.

This event raises funds to provide a safe place for unborn children and provide their mothers and fathers with the tools and resources they need to succeed in life and as parents. Please consider making a donation. 100% of the proceeds raised from our Drive for Life will go toward helping and supporting these vulnerable men, women, and babies in our community.

Care Net provides free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds and education on pregnancy and child raising. The parents earn "Mommy dollars" and "Daddy dollars" by attending the educational classes. These "dollars" can be spent to buy diapers, formula, baby food, baby clothes and some baby furniture.

Join us for a fun parade. Decorate your car. Judging will take place at end of the drive at the Baptist Church. Donations can be made by putting money in an envelope and writing Care Net on it and putting it in the black box next to the church office or giving it to Marilyn Hewitt. If you have questions, give Marilyn a call. 459-4746.

Interested In An Evening Bible Study? -Pastor Perry is still welcoming any potential interest in an evening bible study for those who may be interested. Please let him know if you are. Our Wednesday morning study continues at 9 am. Both in-person and Zoom. Please call the church office if you are planning to attend in-person.

FAITH Every Night In Every Home!

Our FAITH5 verse of the week is John 10:11

“Jesus said: “I am the good shepherd.

The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”

(Post or keep this weekly scripture in a handy place and every morning or evening share the following as a couple, or with family members in the home or even with a dear friend over the phone.)



Share your highs and lows of the day with one another.



Read the verse of the week and if time permits, the Bible story that pertains to the Scripture of the week.



Talk about how the Bible reading might relate to your highs and lows of the day or how it's speaking to you.



Pray for one another's highs and lows and other prayer requests.



Bless one another. Make the sign of the cross on each other's forehead or the palm of your hands and say something simple such as: “God bless you and keep you in His love and care!” Or feel free to make up your own blessing that incorporates a part of the FAITH5 verse of the week.

Be creative! Stay open to the Holy Spirit!