

**JULY 11, 2021**  
**9:00 AM**



**Sierra Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
101 North Lenzner Ave., Sierra Vista, AZ 85635  
(520) 459-0444 - [www.selcaz.org](http://www.selcaz.org)

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](http://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.

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**PRAYER REQUESTS for the month of JULY can be submitted online**  
**at [www.selcaz.org](http://www.selcaz.org) or to Deb Koltveit at [dkoltveit@aol.com](mailto:dkoltveit@aol.com)**  
**Prayers Can Be Found in The Back of The Bulletin**

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**Oil for The Eternal Light provided by**  
**Donna Bryan in memory of loved ones.**

**Flowers Provided for the glory of God.**

**Scripture Readings for Next Sunday**

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Psalm 23

Ephesians 2:11-22

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

**Just a reminder: the pews in the side sections of the sanctuary are reserved for those who wish to be distanced and masked.**

**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**  
**ELW Holy Communion Setting Three**  
*(\* = Please stand as you are able)*

**GATHERING**

**Prelude** "Unshakable" *(M.W. Smith, Bill & Gloria Gaither)*

**Welcome**

**\*Confession and Forgiveness**

**\*Gathering Song** "Morning Has Broken" **ELW #556**

**\*Greeting**

**\*Prayer of the Day**

**WORD**

**First Reading: Amos 7:7-15** Pew Bible p. 748

**Second Reading: Ephesians 1:3-14** Pew Bible p. 949

**\*Gospel Acclamation** "Thy Word" *(refrain only)*

**\*Gospel: Mark 6:14-29** Pew Bible pp. 817-818

**Sermon** **Pastor Mark Perry**

***Moment of Silent Reflection***

**Special Music** "Hallelujah" *(Leonard Cohen, lyrics Sunny Fichtl)*

**\* Apostles' Creed**

**\*Prayers of the People**

**\*Sharing of the Peace**

## **MEAL**

### **Offering**

**Offering Moment** - *As this gift of special music is offered, we also invite you to prayerfully consider how you may be called today or this week to respond to God's grace through the sharing of your service, your caring and your monetary resources. Perhaps say a prayer or write a note of commitment about how this might be done. We thank all those who have faithfully given to God's work through SELC. See [www.selcaz.org](http://www.selcaz.org) and click on the 'Giving' tab for info how to give online.*

**\*Offering Prayer**

ELW p.144

**\*Great Thanksgiving**

**\*Dialogue**

ELW p.144

**\*Preface**

**\*Holy, Holy, Holy**

ELW p.144

**\*Words of Institution**

**\*Lord's Prayer (*Sung version*)**

**Invitation to Communion**

*(If you have bread and wine or grape juice at home, you're welcome to lift it up as does the pastor and partake of it together or alone in your home.)*

**Communion**

**Prayer after Communion**

## SENDING

**Sending of Communion**

**Announcements**

**\*Blessing**

**\*Sending Hymn**

**“Let Streams of Living Justice”**

**ELW #710**

**Dismissal**

**Postlude**

**“Voluntary on Sending Hymn”**

*(Billie Hayes)*

## Serving Today

### Altar Guild

Wilma Bell, Donna Bryan

Lector - Jim Thompson

### Organist & Pianist

Billie Hayes, Deb Koltveit

### AV Technicians

CJ Abraham, Larry Rewis

### Ushers for Today

## Coffee Chat And Fellowship Time Sunday - Sunday, July 11 at 10:45 a.m.

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

Topic: ZOOM Coffee Fellowship

Time: 10:45 AM Arizona

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://zoom.us/j/99981474662?pwd=aGVkandRWXdKNDIzR2Fzb05tenlkZz09>

Meeting ID: 999 8147 4662

Passcode: 125191

Dial by your location: +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)

## Goodbye And God Bless For Intern Pastor Annela Rova - Sunday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

We will have special Farewell and Godspeed at our 9:00 am worship service for Intern Pastor Annela as she completes her Internship with us. A farewell reception on the patio will follow the service. Please make sure to join us and send her off in a strong prayerful way!

## Gift Card Collections For Our 2021-22 Intern Pastor

Our new Intern Pastor, Diana Washington, will soon be here and settling into our community. As in past years, we are looking to collect a variety of gift cards from local stores as a housewarming and welcome gift to help make the transition a bit easier. **A container is located in the narthex to deposit these gifts. Please have cards etc. to the church office by July 30<sup>th</sup>.** Let's give her a big Sierra Vista welcome!

## Wednesday Morning Bible Study ON ZOOM ONLY

Join us for a wonderful time of study and discussion led by Intern Pastor Annela, focusing on next Sunday's lectionary readings. **\*Note that there's no in person option on 7/14.**

## Volunteers Needed!

- ♥ **Welcome Center** - Help crew the Welcome Center on a Sunday. Skills needed: a friendly smile and a Hi! For information or to volunteer contact Helen Perdiue 520-249-8191
- ♥ **Church Pews Ministry** - The church pew ministry consists of a team of volunteers to weekly straighten the pews and restock the SELC Connect Cards and other supplies. Once a month to twice a year.... whatever you can do. The more people that join in the rotations help spread the job. For more information or if you are willing to help, please contact Cindy Allen at the church office 459-0444 or admin@selcaz.org.

## Worship Survey

As pandemic restrictions lighten up and we've returned to in-person worship, your SELC Worship and Music Committee would like your input on our worship practices, specifically around holding one or two worship services. Please see this link to fill out an online survey on "Survey Monkey":

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/V9T2KNQ> or, if you receive the newsletter in the mail, please fill out and return the enclosed survey with the same questions. The deadline for turning this in is July 16, 2021. Thank you for your help in making our worship one that glorifies God and edifies His people in as excellent a way as possible!

# FAITH Every Night In Every Home!

Our FAITH5 verse of the week is Ephesians 3:8b-10

**“With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.”**

*(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.

### CALENDAR 7/11/21 - 7/18/21

SUN 7/11	9:00 AM	Worship Services -In-Person / On-line
	11:30 AM	Zoom Coffee Fellowship
MON 7/12	6:00 PM	Square Dancing - Fellowship Hall
TUE 7/13	9:00 AM	Shepherd's Fold Chapel - Sanctuary
	7:00 PM	Fellowship Hall Reserved
WED 7/14	9:00 AM	Bible Study -Zoom Only
	11:00 AM	Bell Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
THUR 7/15	12:30 PM	Grace Group - Fellowship Hall
	6:00 PM	Square Dancing - Fellowship Hall
FRI 7/16		
SAT 7/17		
SUN 7/18	9:00 AM	Worship Services -In-Person / On-line
		Farewell Reception on Patio

**Please Pray for:** Jan Huthoefer; the family of Dee Brenner, Tracy and her Mother Judy (Dotti Wellman's friends); Bob Strain, Aaron Skaggs, Priscilla Hart (godmother of Mary Alexander's caretaker) is suffering from bone cancer; and Sue Mount, with two cataract surgeries scheduled this month.

**Please Continue to Pray for** Catherine Collins (Margaret Reilly's sister); Jon and Bobbie Hanson; the Ruth and Alfonso Altimirano Family (former SELC attendees); Dave Dechant; and Linda Perry.

**Long-Term Prayers:** Addie (Krazy Goat Sanctuary); Carol (Cindy Allen's Mom); Mary Alexander; John and Mary Alexander (Mary Alexander's son and wife); Cindy Bartlein (CJ Abraham's friend); Dolly Bessler; Gail Brady (Hamp's neighbor); Amber Brenner, Chris Brenner, Duke Burford; Marti Derickson (friend of the Perry's); Gracie (friend of Marilyn Hewitt); Hanna Hooper; Samantha Howard (Carol Jordahl's great niece); Don Huthoefer, Jake (son of a friend of the Perrys); Kyle King (son of Palomaa's neighbor); Makayla Margulies (Virginia Napolitano's grandniece); Michael (Lisa Mitchell's nephew); Holly and Brandon Montgomery; Anne Nowak, Doris Rasmussen (Helen Perdiue's mother); Jerry Regan, George Renbeck (Kim Renbeck's father); Rachel, Jamie, Owen, Marcia (Barb Wirsching's niece and family); the Rewis family, Dee Rowley, Bob and Jane Strain; Faye Toto, Verona Webb, Jill Winkels (Cindy Wiste's friend); Wyman (Julie March's cousin); The Navajo Evangelical Lutheran Mission at Rock Point; all people who are in lockdown in facilities and affected by the virus; all youth experiencing mental health issues; peace for our nation; military personnel everywhere.