

April 26th, 2026

THE MOUNTAINSIDE MESSENGER

Welcome! We are so glad you are with us this morning!

If you are visiting with us today, please fill out a Communication Card and leave it in the pew at the end of the service. Please let us get to know you!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Join the WhatsApp MSY News and Events group for details and to stay informed!

MSY LADIES SELF DEFENSE COURSE

April 26th from 1-5PM

SERVE TO CAMP CAMPAIGN

The goal of this campaign is to encourage our youth to serve others, alleviate costs for their summer youth camps, and help build scholarship funds to help other youth get to camp. You can help by pledging any amount to give your youth group member for every hour of service they work. Information for payment options and due dates can be found by scanning the QR code or by clicking on the link in your email.



BIBLE CLASSES: WINTER/SPRING 2026

SUNDAY MORNING

AUDITORIUM CLASS - Hebrews

CAFÉ CLASS(GYM) - Luke

ADULT CLASS (LADIES CLASSROOM) - "What is This Thing Called Church?"

YOUNG ADULT CLASS (RM. 205/207) - Philipians

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

AUDITORIUM CLASS - Joshua

LARRY LAWRENCE (RM. 205/207) - TOPICAL STUDY: Work of the Holy Spirit

ADULTS (206/208) - "Great Men of the Old Testament"

LADIES CLASS - BOOK STUDY "Immeasurably More"

Prayers

CONDOLENCES AND SYMPATHIES

Our deepest sympathies go out to **Tracey Baca** for the sudden loss of **Bobby**, who passed away early Saturday morning in Arizona. We will share service details once finalized.

Additionally, our hearts go out to **Raquel Anderson and the Bibbey family**. Raquel's mom, **Paula Bibbey**, passed away on Tuesday morning. Please keep this family in your prayers during this tough time.

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

Doug Brown received an encouraging report from his Dallas neurosurgeon. His back injury has healed well, with only mild occasional pain. Surgery isn't needed. We thank God for this good report.

Susan Brown received a good report recently regarding her broken femur. It appears to be healing well, and her mobility is significantly improved. Unfortunately, she still deals with some pain. Please pray that that will go away in time.

PRAYERS

Diane Alcott, friend of *Velia Estrada*, has a serious oral infection. Diana has visited Mountainside a few times and covets our prayers for healing.

Carol Fitzgerald is home and improving. Calls, visits and prayers are appreciated. There is a meal train set up for her. If you can help with that please call the office.

Bryan Armstrong will have surgery later this month. Continue to pray for him.

Michelle Diaz, daughter in law of *Lita and Richard Diaz*, will have two heart stents placed later this month. Please pray that Michelle will have peace, pray for the doctors attending to her and that the surgery goes well.

PRAYERS FOR CONTINUED HEALTH & SAFETY CONCERNS: **Wally & Kay Sedden; Ricky Black**, Lita Diaz's nephew; **Susan Brown; Tom Shoemaker; Chris Stringham; Jon Beaty; Dennis Dresbach; Desiree Montoya; Lane Roberts; Travis Clayton, Bryce & Rylee Weatherford**, brother and sister in law of Tawney Weatherford; **Barb Sutherland**, mother of Seth Sutherland; **Delia Silva**, mother of Rosemary Stokes; **Stan Samuels**, Steven Samuels father, **Terry Padilla; Lynda Wadsworth; Jeff Davenport; Glennys Elliott; Paula Coch; Curley Hall; Mary Sue House**, sister of Tom House; **Joletha Sturdy**, Johanna Halamicek's mother; **Brenda Herrera; Aleasha Decker; Lin and Jackie Decker**.

PRAYERS FOR OUR SENIOR SAINTS: Roberta Yeoman; Ed Grey; Mary and Bob Lafler; Lynda Wadsworth; Peacock; Tommye Hanna; Claude and Janet Schleyer; Ruth Fosler; Maria Rogers; Howard and Sue McCall; Jim Peacock; Dennis & Mylli Zdunek; Doyce King; Carol Fitzgerald; Roberta Yeoman; Dwayne & Dorothy Maxwell, Gary & Joan Colwell; Bill & Alberta Morris; Tom & Glenda Davis; Margaret Kirkes; Shannon & Carole Roberts; Alan Herrell; Joyce Frashier; Denise Keefe; Richard & Lita Diaz; Larry Lawrence; Paul Page; Tommie Bedford; Gene Decker.

ELDERS

Bryan Armstrong

Doug Brown

Lance Darnell

Wes Herron

Brett Rimer

Alan Taylor

MINISTERS

Brett Rimer

Garrett Schmille

****Gluten-free communion bread is located on top of the desk at the back of the auditorium by the computer/sound system. Please pick up a packet of that before being seated.*

News & Announcements

CONGRATULATIONS

Kandyce Ramirez welcomed her baby boy, David, into the world on Wednesday, April 22nd, weighing in at 6lbs and 3oz. Mom and baby are doing well.

FIFTH WEDNESDAY DEVOTIONAL

Wednesday, April 29th is our 5th Wednesday of the month. **We will have a devotional in the auditorium after dinner. There will be NO CLASSES.** Please plan on joining us for this fellowship.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

The National Day of Prayer is on **Thursday, May 7th**. We will be meeting at Mountainside from **6:30-8PM** that evening. The first hour will be dedicated to corporate prayer and worship, and the last thirty minutes we will divide into small groups for prayer. We have just completed 40 days of prayer based upon the book *"Draw the Circle"*, and this gives us an opportunity to exercise the lessons we've learned regarding the importance of prayer. Please join us if you can.

SENIOR SAINTS TEA

Several of the young ladies are learning and practicing their hosting and hospitality skills. They would like to warmly invite our beloved senior women to join them at afternoon tea on **Saturday, May 9th from 2-4PM in the Ladies Classroom**. Tea and light treats will be served; a fancy hat is requested along with proper tea attire (Extra hats are available if you do not have one). Due to the nature of the event, spots are limited to no more than thirty women. If you would like to accept this invitation, please talk to Natalie Dalton or call the church office to RSVP.

PONDEROSA CHRISTIAN CAMP

Get ready for an unforgettable summer at Ponderosa Christian Camp! With sessions for all age groups, your kids will have a blast. Go to the Ponderosa website for more information and to secure their spot. The dates of each session are:

- High School Session - May 31st-June 6th
- Elementary (3rd-5th) - June 9th - 13th
- Middle School (5th-7th) - July 12th-18th
- Jr. High (7th-9th) - July 19th-25th

Want to help out? Volunteers are needed! Remember, if you are wanting to help in the kitchen be sure to get your NM Food Handlers card online when you register. Don't miss out!

CAMP WORK DAYS

With summer right around the corner, help is needed to clean and spruce up the camp property for our sessions! If you have time and skills you can share, you need to call Larry Best or Jim Poland first to let them know how and when you can help.

EEM

Don't miss this chance! Darryl Willis told us that any gift to Eastern European Ministries before June 14th will be matched. That means if you gift enough for one Bible, two Bibles get disbursed. That is a great gift to those wanting and needing to learn about our awesome God! Just write "EEM" on your check memo, and we will do the rest. Be mindful, this will be our **ONLY** EEM fundraising effort this year, so act now!!!

THE LORD'S SUPPER AND CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR

The Lord's Supper is the center of our worship time every week. Parents, we ask for your help in protecting the focus of this time by waiting to release or escort your children to Bible Hour until they are dismissed by the song leader following the Lord's Supper. This allows our entire church family the chance to remember Our Lord's sacrificial death in a focused, unhurried way. This also helps teach our children the importance of this time in our worship and how to reflect with reverence on what Jesus has done for all of us.

THE FOOD PANTRY

Our pantry is **well stocked** because of your generosity! If you or your neighbors are facing financial difficulties with rising prices and need food, please see the church secretaries. We are anxious to bless others!

DIRECTORY CORRECTION

Alan Taylor would like everyone to know that he has a new E-mail address. Please make a note of this, it is: alan10813@proton.me

RESIGNATION

Matt Darnell has resigned from his role as a deacon. We want to thank Matt for his faithful service.



When: Saturday, May 3rd Time: 10:00am

Where: Albuquerque Nature Center

2901 Candelaria Blvd NW, ABO, NM 87107

Contact: Ray Rivera (505) 755-7038

Email: 1776milor@gmail.com



Scan this QR code for more info:

BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER CALENDAR

Join us this school year in praying for our children, preschool through college-aged. You can find a calendar in the foyer labeled "Rooted in Christ," which breaks the year into weekly prayer focuses and scriptures. The theme for the month of April is "Hope & New Life - Focus: Healing from emotional wounds, joy and hope for the future."

April 27th-May 1st: Psalm 51:12 - Pray that they will discover joy and passion in Christ.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL MENU

- 4/29 - **5th Graders & Parents** - Frito Pie
- 5/6 - **Stones** - TBD
- 5/13 - **Foust** - Macaroni & Cheese w/Chicken
- 5/20 - **Yates** - TBD



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Spring Lectureship "Remembering Our Spiritual Roots"

May 8 - 10, 2026

Guest Speakers:

- Rick Brumback
- Logan Summer
- Evan Todachine

WEEKLY BIRTHDAYS

- 4/27 Abigail Landers
Avery Cogburn
Haven Cogburn
Kelli Credle
Ripley Forbes
- 4/28 Michael Harlan
- 4/30 Lynda Wadsworth
- 5/1 Beth Darnell
Devon Dalton
Jackson Ferry
- 5/2 Ian Sandoval
Katie Darnell
Natalie Dalton
Trudy Best