



QUE PASA

The Newsletter of the Sierra Vista United Methodist Church

September 12, 2025



Services for Sunday
September 14, 2025

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM

A ... for the Sinners - Rev. Amanda Corella

Scripture Readings
Psalm 14
1 Timothy 1:12-17

Wednesday, September 17, 2025

Vespers Service - 6:00 PM, Sanctuary

The church office is open
Monday-Friday, 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM
3225 St Andrews Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650
Phone: 520-378-3352

SVUMC
Website
QR Code



A recording of the Sunday Worship Service can be viewed at:

SVUMC Website: <https://sierravistamethodist.org/worship>

FaceBook: <https://www.facebook.com/SierraVistaUnitedMethodistChurch>

Que Pasa Newsletter Calendar

Friday, Sep 12 – Friday, Sep 19, 2025

Friday, Sep 12 8:30 a.m. – Strength Classes (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 9:00 a.m. – Move Around Ladies (<i>Activity Center</i>) 9:35 a.m. – Back & Abs Class (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 11:00 a.m. – Dust Bunnies (<i>Worship Center</i>) 12:00 p.m. – Emmaus Reunion Group (<i>Rm 1/2 Fellowship Hall</i>) 1:00 p.m. – Worship Design (<i>Worship Center</i>)	Saturday, Sep 13
Sunday, Sep 14 7:30 a.m. – Informal Service (<i>Worship Center</i>) 9:00 a.m. – Crossroads Bible Study (<i>Rm 1, Fellowship Hall</i>) 9:00 a.m. – Contemporary Service (<i>Worship Center</i>) 10:30 a.m. – Traditional Service (<i>Worship Center</i>) 4:00 p.m. – Bell Choir Rehearsal (<i>Worship Center</i>)	Monday, Sep 15 8:30 a.m. – Strength Classes (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 9:00 a.m. – Move Around Ladies (<i>Activity Center</i>) 9:35 a.m. – Back & Abs Class (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 1:00 p.m. – Zoom Bible Study (<i>Online</i>) 5:00 p.m. – Praise Band Rehearsal (<i>Worship Center</i>) 6:00 p.m. – Sierra Sings Rehearsal (<i>Worship Center</i>)
Tuesday, Sep 16 9:30 a.m. – KnitWits (<i>Room 1, Fellowship Hall</i>) 11:30 a.m. – Emmaus Reunion Group (<i>Rm 1/2 Fellowship Hall</i>) 1:00 p.m. – UWF Bible Study (<i>Room 5, Fellowship Hall</i>) 1:15 p.m. – Parkinsons Support Group (<i>Serenity Room</i>) 4:00 p.m. – Sierra Sings Rehearsal (<i>Worship Center</i>)	Wednesday, Sep 17 7:00 a.m. – Spit & Shine (<i>Church Campus</i>) 8:00 a.m. – Sonrisers (<i>Room 5, Fellowship Hall</i>) 9:00 a.m. – Move Around Ladies (<i>Activity Center</i>) 1:00 p.m. – Party Bridge Lessons (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 1:30 p.m. – GriefShare (<i>Serenity Room</i>) 6:00 p.m. – Vespers (<i>Worship Center</i>) 7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal (<i>Worship Center</i>)
Thursday, Sep 18 7:00 a.m. – Emmaus Breakfast (<i>Restaurant</i>) 8:30 a.m. – Emmaus Group (<i>Room 5, Fellowship Hall</i>) 9:30 a.m. – Mary Martha Circle (<i>Room 3/4, Fellowship Hall</i>) 10:00 a.m. – Mah Jongg (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 2:45 p.m. – Helping Hands Tutoring (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 4:00 p.m. – SPRC Meeting (<i>Serenity Room</i>)	Friday, Sep 19 8:30 a.m. – Strength Classes (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 9:00 a.m. – Move Around Ladies (<i>Activity Center</i>) 9:35 a.m. – Back & Abs Class (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) 11:00 a.m. – Dust Bunnies (<i>Worship Center</i>) 12:00 p.m. – Emmaus Reunion Group (<i>Rm 1/2 Fellowship Hall</i>) 1:00 p.m. – Worship Design (<i>Worship Center</i>)

- SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BIBLE STUDIES -

Sunday 9:00 AM Crossroads Adult Bible Study Fellowship Hall, Rm 1 Studying: I Samuel Leader: Harry Magargee	Monday 1:00 - 3:00 PM Zoom Bible Study Contact the office for logon Studying: Acts Leader: Rev. Stewart Lewis	Tuesday 1:00 to 2:30 PM UWF Bible Study Fellowship Hall, Rm 5 Studying: People of the Bible Leader: Sara Evans	Wednesday 8:00 - 9:15 AM Sonrisers Bible Study Fellowship Hall, Rm 5 Studying: Sunday's Scriptures Leader: Jim Evans
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Information on Youth Sunday School Coming Soon!

FOOD PANTRY



With recent cuts to SNAP and WIC and other assistance programs, food insecurity is a growing problem. The Food Pantry hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, from 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM. If anyone has questions, call Sheila King at 775-691-0023.

Note: The Food Pantry is separate of the Community Food Bank. SVUMC supports both efforts to help combat food insecurity.

Exercise Classes

Strength Training classes are offered by Nancy Buttke in the Fellowship Hall on Mondays and Fridays. At 8:30 AM, Strength Class: Lifting weights using dumbbells and ankle weights (about 1 hour). At 9:40 AM, Back/Abs Class for people with back problems who need to strengthen their core (back and abdominal muscles, 30 minutes).

There is no fee. Donations are accepted. For more info, contact Nancy at 520-678-0172.



Relay for Life will be held on Saturday, October 25, 2:00 - 10:00 PM, in Veterans' Memorial Park.

For More information and to register: visit www.relyforlife.org/sierravistaaz

Please contact Donna Horton for more information:
djhlch@yahoo.com

Please ask about luminaries (memorial bags!)



Looking for Party bridge players. We are playing on Wednesdays in the Fellowship Hall from 1 to 4 PM. We need 4 for each table.

For more information, please call KJ Wigton
520-234-1018



Please Wear Your Name Tags



Building Freedom One Ramp at a Time

For more information on this vital ministry or to volunteer, go to sawssouthwest.org.



QUE PASA SUBMISSIONS

While our editor, George Graves, is off bravely enduring the hardships of a five-star resort in Cancún, Mexico, the Que Pasa will be in the capable hands of our creative and talented office manager, Kayla Empey. She will publish the issues for September 19 and September 26.

Please send your submissions to svum3225@gmail.com.



**Meets Tuesday mornings
Classroom 1-2
Fellowship Hall
9:30am - 11:00am**

MONTHLY FOOD DISTRIBUTION



COMMUNITY
FOOD BANK
OF SOUTHERN ARIZONA

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH
9 AM - 11 AM
VOLUNTEERS ARRIVE AT 8 AM

ACTIVITY CENTER AT
SIERRA VISTA UMC
3225 ST. ANDREWS DRIVE
SIERRA VISTA, AZ 85650



Serenity Room, 1:30 - 3:30 PM, Wednesday
Contact Sheila King skinglayleader@gmail.com or
Frances Ranacelli rantaztik1@gmail.com

CHOIR REHEARSALS HAVE BEGUN...

Wednesdays, 7:00p.m.
in the Worship Center

Contact Aenea Ferguson aeneaf@gmail.com

SVUMC Produce Outreach Ministry



3rd Saturday of each month
8:00 - 10:00 AM - September 20
\$10 for up to 60 lbs
Distribution in the SVUMC parking lot

Calling volunteers for the Helping Hands Tutoring Program!



Huachuca Mountain Elementary School partners with SVUMC in a volunteer tutoring program. The Helping Hands program offers one-on-one help for students in grades 1-3, focusing especially on reading skills. The after-school tutoring may be especially critical for students who could benefit from individual attention. Tutoring begins Thurs., 9/18, 2:45-4:30 p.m. If you are able to **tutor, sub, or serve as a 10-minute "guest" tutor** on a subject of your choice, please call Hazel (234-6531) or Dixie Lee (236-8903).

NOTE: SVUMC follows a Safe Sanctuary policy requiring a background check.

Monthly Committee Meetings

1st Thursday:
Trustees
2nd Thursday:
Finance
3rd Thursday:
SPRC / Nominations
4th Thursday:
Church Council





**UNITED METHODIST
WOMEN'S RUMMAGE
SALE**

**FRIDAY, OCT. 10, 2025
7 AM - 2 PM
SATURDAY, OCT. 11, 2025
7 AM - 12 PM**

**SIERRA VISTA UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH
3225 ST. ANDREWS DR.
SIERRA VISTA**

**FURNITURE, HOUSEHOLD
GOODS, BOOKS, TOYS,
ELECTRONICS, SPORTING
GOODS, JEWELRY, HOLIDAY
DECOR, LINENS, SEWING AND
HOBBIES, LUGGAGE, AND
MUCH MORE! (NO CLOTHING)**

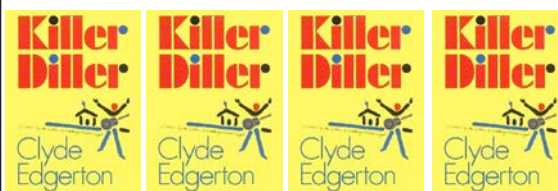
***ALL PROCEEDS GO TO CHARITY**



The monthly lunch for Retired Old Men Eating Out (ROMEO) will be on the usual third Wednesday (Sept 17) at 11:30AM. This month we'll be eating at *My Place* restaurant on Fry Boulevard.



On 9/11, 24 years ago, 2,977 people lost their lives in an attack on American soil. On this National Day of Service and Remembrance, we honor their memory and thank all those who courageously answered the call to serve — on that dark day and in the years that followed.



Book Buddies

UWF Monthly Book Club will meet on Monday, September 29, from 1:00 to 3:00 PM in Room 5 of Fellowship Hall.

We shall discuss the book *Killer Diller*, by Clyde Edgerton.

For more information, contact
Leslie Sansone
520-732-1339



Patti Baltunis
Julie
Family of Benjamin Jones
Jana
Betty Williams
Jaidon Braswell
Cheryl
Martha Sosa
Jolene & Family
Lois Banyai
Family of Lawrence Coss
Kathy Hobel's Family Friend
Mike Hartman
John & His Family
Marilyn
Nancy Buttke
Curtis Tipton
The Merito Family
Jason (Sheila's Son)
Don & April Tucker
Family of Kathy Marvin's Sister
Karen
Christian
Anita
JoAnne McLeod
Bryan C
Jim B
Finn
Mary Beth & Don Martin
Gloria
Sue Banyai
Jeanne M.
The Thomas Family
Audrey Richardson
Sandra
Nuala
Jason
Eugene McCray
Dani
Arnie Davis
Ron
Brenda Langenberg
Walter Partridge
Bernie
Susan
Samantha White
Tristan, Hannah & Baby
Doug & Jo Ann
Larry Kirk
Cindy
Richard Cole
Ervin Wegscheid
Larry & Doncella Leach

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Michael Rooney
Elizabeth
Louie
Sophie
Jim Buttke
Susie Arcand
Joe Glowacki
Joe Delapast
Bev Mahlmann
Laurie
Brian Cole
Marty Glowacki
Art & Judy Marvin
Rev. Michelle
Donna & Larry Horton
Jennifer
Nancy DiEgidio
Bill Glowacki
Kris
Destiny
Alex & Rick
Ryan
Kim
Jackie Zandrews

Terri
Brandon, Cindy & Paul
Jesse
Noah, Brooklyn, & Cindy
Susan Holcombe
Cheryl Bruno
Arthur Feldman
Donna T.
David Higbee & Family
Bettye Carson
Dan Nucci
Jason
Ryder & his mother
Aspen & her mother
Cheri Beck
Dr. Nancy
Odessa Stewart
Lucy Ellen Brown
Christina
Marc Johnson
Jasmine
Tricia Weller
Sid & Carol Downey
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Individuals on this list can be contacted through the church office

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- CCL Streaming License #: 20447149 -