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The Newsletter of the Sierra Vista United Methodist Church

January 23, 2026



Services for Sunday
January 25, 2026

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

"Reach for the Light"
Rev. Amanda Corella

Scripture Readings
Matthew 3:1-12
2 Corinthians 5:16-17

January 28, 2026
Vespers at 6:00 PM

The church office is open
Monday-Friday, 9:30 AM to 12:00 and 12:30 to 2:30 PM
3225 St Andrews Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650
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SVUMC
Website
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A recording of the Sunday Worship Service can be viewed at:

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

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

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Calendar: Fri Jan 23 - Fri Jan 30, 2026

Fri Jan 23

8:30 a.m. - Strength Classes - Fellowship Hall
 9:00 a.m. - Move Around Ladies - Activity Center
 9:35 a.m. - Back & Abs Class - Fellowship Hall
 11:00 a.m. - Dust Bunnies - Worship Center
 1:00 p.m. - Hand & Foot Game - Fellowship Hall
 1:00 p.m. - Worship Design - Worship Center

Sat Jan 24

7:30 a.m. - Fishermen Breakfast - Fellowship Hall

Sun Jan 25

7:30 a.m. - Informal Service - Worship Center
 9:00 a.m. - Crossroads Bible Study - Rm 1, Fellowship Hall
 9:00 a.m. - Contemporary Service - Worship Center
 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. - Youth Sunday School - Fellowship Hall
 10:30 a.m. - Traditional Service - Worship Center
 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. - Children Sunday School - Fellowship Hall
 5:00 p.m. - Bell Choir Rehearsal - Worship Center

Mon Jan 26

8:30 a.m. - Strength Classes - Fellowship Hall
 9:00 a.m. - Move Around Ladies - Activity Center
 9:35 a.m. - Back & Abs Class - Fellowship Hall
 6:00 p.m. - Sierra Vista Sings Rehearsal - Worship Center

Tue Jan 27

9:30 a.m. - KnitWits - Room 1, Fellowship Hall
 11:30 a.m. - Emmaus Reunion Group - Rm 1/2, Fellowship Hall
 1:00 p.m. - UWF Bible Study - Room 5, Fellowship Hall
 4:00 p.m. - Sierra Vista Sings Rehearsal - Worship Center
 6:00 p.m. - SV Sings Symphony Rehearsal - Worship Center
 6:00 p.m. - Ruth Circle - Ae Sun's Home

Wed Jan 28

8:00 a.m. - Spit & Shine - Church Campus
 8:00 a.m. - Sonrisers - Room 5, Fellowship Hall
 9:00 a.m. - Move Around Ladies - Activity Center
 1:00 p.m. - Party Bridge Lessons - Fellowship Hall
 1:30 p.m. - GriefShare - Serenity Room
 6:00 p.m. - Vespers - Worship Center
 7:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal - Worship Center

Thu Jan 29

7:00 a.m. - Emmaus Breakfast - Restaurant
 8:30 a.m. - Emmaus Group - Room 5, Fellowship Hall
 9:00 a.m. - Blood Drive - Activity Center
 9:30 a.m. - Mary Martha Circle - Room 3/4, Fellowship Hall
 10:00 a.m. - Mah Jongg - Fellowship Hall
 2:45 p.m. - Helping Hands Tutoring - Fellowship Hall

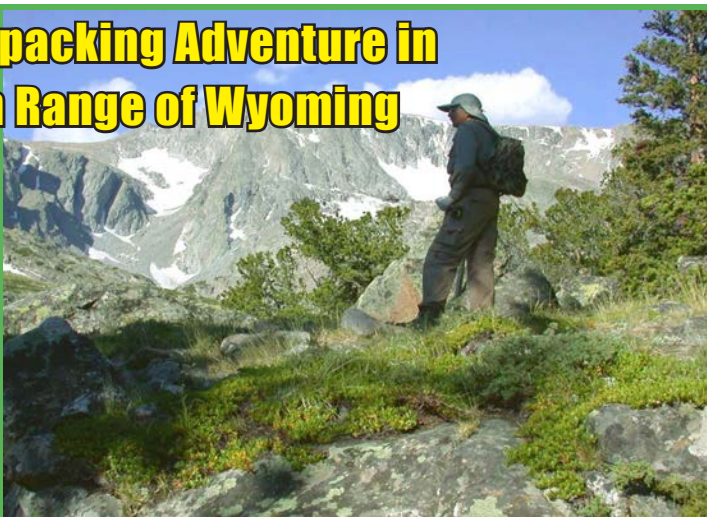
Fri Jan 30

8:30 a.m. - Strength Classes - Fellowship Hall
 9:00 a.m. - Move Around Ladies - Activity Center
 9:35 a.m. - Back & Abs Class - Fellowship Hall
 11:00 a.m. - Dust Bunnies - Worship Center
 1:00 p.m. - Hand & Foot Game - Fellowship Hall
 1:00 p.m. - Worship Design - Worship Center

John's Big, Beautiful, Backpacking Adventure in the Wind River Mountain Range of Wyoming

At the January 24 UMM Fishermen's Gathering in Fellowship Hall, John Marvin, trekker extraordinaire, will make an informative, well-crafted presentation on his trip to the mountains of Wyoming. Join us for coffee, breakfast, fellowship, and John's adventure. Coffee is on by 7:30 AM, breakfast at 8:00 AM, then... *here's Johnny!*

All guys and dolls are invited!



Sunday School And Bible Studies

Sunday 9:00 - 10:00 AM
Crossroads Adult Bible Study
Fellowship Hall, Rm 1
Studying: Philippians
Leader: Harry Magargee

Sunday 10:30 - 11:15 AM
Children's Sunday School
Preschool - 4th grade
Starts in the Sanctuary
Room 3/4 Fellowship Hall
Contact: Rev. Kayla

Sunday 9:30 - 10:15 AM
Youth Sunday School
5th grade-12th grade
1st Sunday in the Narthex
Otherwise Room 3/4 Fellowship
Contact: Rev. Kayla

Monday 1:00 - 3:00 PM
Zoom Bible Study
Contact the office for logon
Studying: Gospel of Mark
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

BLOOD DRIVE

ACTIVITY CENTER
Thursday, January 29, 2026
9:00 a. m. - 2:30 p. m.
To register, call 1-800-733-2767
or visit
RedCrossBlood.org/Give



An important message from the American Red Cross:

We have slipped into a full-blown blood shortage with just 35% of our shelves filled. The need from hospitals have outpaced donations, and with the impact of the worst flu season in 20 years and the brutal winter storms raging across the Midwest and east coast which is causing hundreds of drives to be cancelled, and thousands of pints to go uncollected, we need all hearts in and all sleeves up to save lives! A special thanks to donors that give their gift of life, please know it is deeply appreciated!

Crossroads Bible Study



Crossroads expects to complete the study of Philippians on January 25, and study the book of **Ephesians** starting February 1 and probably finishing March 8.

Fellowship Hall, Room 1,
Sundays, 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM
Leader: Harry Magargee

Sierra Vista United Methodist Church Roster

Senior Pastor: Rev. Amanda Corella, pastor.svumc@gmail.com
Associate Pastor: Rev. Kayla Johnson, revkaylaj@gmail.com
Office Manager: Kayla Empey, svumc3225@gmail.com
Lay Leader: Open
Church Council Chair: James Harper
Christian Education Director: Rev. Kayla Johnson
Organist: Sue Trukken
Pianist: Dorothy Scheafer
Director of Music: Samuel Vaughn
Choir Director: Aenea Ferguson
Finance Chair: Donna Horton
Treasurer: Donna Horton
Financial Secretary: Paul Horka
Bookkeeper: Kayla Empey
Trustee Co-Chairs: Michael Lawrence / Bruce Houston
SPRC Chair: Sheila King
Que Pasa Newsletter Editor: George Graves
Webmaster: George Graves
Stephen Ministry Leaders: Sheila King
Desert Southwest Annual Conference: www.dscumc.org

Individuals on this list can be contacted through the church office



One Dream, One Community

The service was held on January 18, 2026 - 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM - at the Sierra Vista UMC



Dynamic Singing - Dynamic Dancing - Dynamic Words - A true celebration of One Dream, One Community

Words of Insight on Martin Luther King's Contributions



Catholic
Father Gregg Adolf



Korean Chaplain
Hwa "Sam" Chung



Muslim Representative
CPT Mikael Heikkinen



LDS Elder
Mr. Nathan Williams



Lay Representative
Sister Ramona McCaa



Protestant
Rev. Randy Youngblood



Mr. Timothy Ash, President
NAACP Huachuca Area



Rev. Shelby Goodman



The main speaker for the worship service was Dr. Warren H. Stewart Sr., Senior Pastor Emeritus, First Institutional Baptist Church.



Invitation
Mayor Pastor Clea McCaa
Sierra Vista 1st Church of God in Christ.

Note: Music and Praise dance was provided by the New Jerusalem Community Church and the Victory Christian Church.
Not everyone who participated in the service is displayed or mentioned on this page.

JANUARY WORSHIP SERIES: PERCEIVING NEW THINGS

WEEK 1: BEGIN WITH A SEED

Isaiah 43:16-19

Mark 4:1-9

Every plant's life starts small, holding the promise of something new.

WEEK 2: SPROUT NEW ROOTS

Ezra 3:10-13

Romans 12:1-8

Seeds crack open as roots anchor into the soil.

WEEK 3: REACH FOR LIGHT

Matthew 3:11-12

2 Corinthians 5:16-17

Young shoots grow upward, seeking the sun's energy.



AMY-JILL
LEVINE

ENTERING THE PASSION of JESUS

A BEGINNER'S GUIDE to HOLY WEEK

FELLOWSHIP HALL, ROOM 5
Wednesdays— 12:00 PM, Begins, February 18
Sundays— 12:00 PM, Begins, February 22
Contact the church office to sign up!



Ruth Circle will meet at 6:00 PM on Tuesday, January 27th. It will be hosted by AeSun Robles at her home - 2924 Saint Andrews Drive.

All ladies of the church are welcome for fellowship, a program, and prayer time.

End of Year
GIVING
Statements

**2025 Annual Giving Statements
AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST
Contact the office or Paul Horka**



Rev. Kayla and Brent Johnson's new born son, Holden.

Happiness is a sleeping baby!

Committee Meetings

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

Prayer Requests



Contact the office for additions and deletions

Family of David Johnston
Garrett Garrison
Joy Thompson
Family of Steve Thompson
Noah
Aleria Marsh
James W.
Lori
Jeana
Joann
Buster & Mary Jane
Joyce & Don
Gene
Carmen
Brian B. & Bob B.
Leon
Victoria & Family
Rev. Kayla & Baby Holden
Sharron Arcand
Jack
Ric Essman
Al
Roberta
Samuel
Aunt Pat
Grace
Scott
Miranda M.
Lauren & Baby
Cassie
Nolan
Jeanne Festa
Jeanine
Patrick
Paul
Sylvie
Kyle
Uncle Frankie DeWald
Terry Johns
Diana Strand
Tracy & Her Family

Tom Rogers
David Magargee
Christine
Grant
Katherine Schneider
Dianna
Donna Horton
Deanna
Ashton E.
Nolan & His Family
Anne & Stacy Carter
Dillon
Shyam
Ralph & Sabina
Janet High
Eliza
Curt Tipton
Sidney
Scottie Dion
Linda Mullard
Lucy Ellen Brown
Lanny & Mary Ellen Kope
Antonia Hernandez Gonzales
Krash
John & Caroline N.
DJ
Attila Honti
Marge Petrello
Patti Baltunis
Jana
Betty Williams
Jaidon Braswell
Cheryl
Jolene & Family
Lois Banyai
Kathy Hobel's Family Friend
Mike Hartman
John & His Family
Marilyn
Nancy Buttke
The Merito Family
Jason (Sheila's Son)
Don & April Tucker
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
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
Shawntel Tedford
Trina
Michael Rooney
Elizabeth
Louie
Sophie
Jim Buttke
Susie Arcand
Joe Glowacki
Joe Delapast
Bev Mahlmann
Laurie
Brian Cole
Marty Glowacki
Art & Judy Marvin
Larry Horton
Ryan
Kim
Jackie Zandrews
Jesse
Susan Holcombe
David Higbee & Family
Ryder & his mother
Odessa Stewart
Jasmine
Tricia Weller
Sid & Carol Downey
Ric Becker
Lynn Stewart
Victoria Nelson