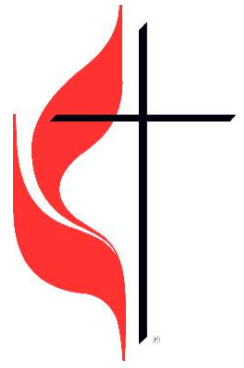


December



Peralta Memorial United Methodist Church

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Going Beyond Our Walls to Build God's Kingdom



Rejoice! The King has come

The PMUMC Choir
will present their Cantata
at the **ONE** worship service, 11:00 am,
on Sunday December 19th.
Come and be blessed by this beautiful
musical story of the Christmas season.



Two worship services
on December 24th

4:00 pm

6:00 pm

Candlelight, Music,
Christmas Message
& celebration of
Holy Communion



We'll be meeting just once in December, on the 2nd at 1:00 pm in the Conference Room. Please join us!!!

AFTERSHOCK YOUTH NEWS

'Turning the hearts of youth and families to God and each other'

The end of the year is upon us. Thanks to Nick Gipson for filling in by leading the Youth Sunday School class and also assisting with Youth Group on Sunday evenings. Additionally we are grateful for the other sponsors who assist with Youth --- they are: Pete & Susi Broekstra, Cylia Villa, Anna Gipson and Heather Rindels. It truly does take a village!

We are looking forward to the following events:

- Christmas time at Jim Kubisak's home on December 12th
- Caroling and Christmas Party on December 19th.
- Hopeful planning will continue to host IGNITE next February 2022 – a youth-led conference with the theme "I AM".

Many thanks and appreciation to this wonderful congregation for all the support, love, and prayers extended to the youth of our church. You all are amazing!!!



The Salvation Army bell ringing has been a part of our church for many years. The 2021 campaign has begun. This great ministry will support the people of Valencia County. We plan to ring at the Walmart and Smith's stores in Los Lunas.

This year, as was done last year, safety protocols will be in place. Last year we had help with ringers from the Bosque Farms Baptist Church, and this year we plan to invite other churches to be involved as well. But we need **Your** help, too!! Ringers are needed, along with help to drop off and pick up the kettles.

Please plan to give your support in any way the Spirit may lead you to help. You may contact someone from the food pantry, or Wayne & Lanna Sharp for more information. Thank You.



The shoebox collection was a success again this year. 67 boxes were collected and will start their journey into the hands of a child this Christmas. This congregation once again showed how the spirit of giving and servanthood is embedded in our hearts. We would like to thank everyone for their contributions to this ministry. Wayne M Sharp



PRAYER WARRIORS

Heavenly Father,

May our Christmas season be
A time of reconciliation and
peace

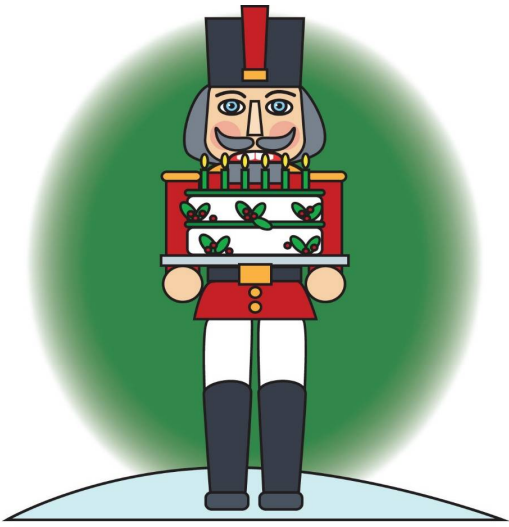
May the love of Christ be with us
May His Peace surround us.

May our Christmas be a time
Of healing, giving and sharing
May Your spirit be with us
As we share and care in Jesus'
blessed birth,
Amen!

Read the full prayer @ christianstt.com

Please be in prayer for each of these in our continuing prayer list. If you know of anyone else who needs to be added, please call Ruth or the church office, 865-9334. If you would like to be a part of Prayer Warriors, please let us know.

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| Our Freedom | Abundant Grace Free Store | Pastor Daniel & Family | Ruth Romero | Lynn Plante |
| Lynn Schultz | Erma Ward Mike Heppler | Cheryl Huber Dan McCarty | Terry Knox | |
| Bill Lynch | Karel & Martha Pekarek | Don Gleichman | Lois Meadors | Dorothy Marta |
| Daniel Gurule | Conrad Joseph Hughes | Cure for Cancer | Donna Duke | J'Amy Creel |
| Jim Kubisak | Janette Baughman Diego | Joleen Baughman | Karen Fastnacht | Nate Meyer |
| USA Leaders | Larry & Melodie Huff | Michael Garrison | Richard & Linda Darnell | |
| Lori Buvinghausen | All Caregivers | Anne Cassidy-Vigil | All military & their families | |
| Beth Miller | Jay & Marilyn Smith | Don & Pauline Taylor | Ted & Madeleine George | |
| Cindy Walters | John Dutil & daughter Lora (caregiver) | Veronica Garcia | | |



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- December 2 – Bill Killough
- December 3 – Terry Knox
- December 4 – Judy Ice
- December 4 – Tinka Platt
- December 4 – Samantha Inman
- December 5 – Keira Vaughn
- December 6 – John Drayer
- December 8 – Kelley Green
- December 8 – Luke Rindels
- December 9 – C J Huff
- December 11 – Caitlyn Blaine
- December 18 – Nick Gipson
- December 18 – Troy Meyer
- December 19 – Chris Broekstra
- December 21 – Jeanette Smith
- December 25 – Jose Garcia
- December 26 – Cheryl Huber
- December 26 – Carol Smith
- December 27 – Mike Buvinghausen
- December 27 – Isaac Cruz-Guinn
- December 29 – Patti Harris
- December 30 – Lily Genson
- December 31 – Angie Davis
- December 31 – Johnathon O'Brien

- December 3 – Trevor & Carissa Green
- December 5 – Jack & Gayle Stayton
- December 7 – Butch & Stella West
- December 13 – Jarrod & Laura Smith





**Thank You So Much for the men's clothing you have donated
for the NM Men's Recovery Academy!**

We are asking for ongoing donations of clothing for the NM Men's Recovery Academy. Winter jackets, closed-toe shoes, and belts are especially needed. Please bring items to Peralta Methodist with a note that they are for the NM Men's Recovery Academy. Thank You Very Much!!

We are looking forward to resuming our PMUMC volunteering at the academies in December!!! And we appreciate your prayers.



THANK YOU....to everyone who helped in any way at the Bazaar this year. We are grateful for the volunteers with Crafty Ladies, but also those who came to help us set up, clean up, cashier, assist shoppers, bakers, candy/jelly/pickle makers, all who shopped with us and also United Methodist Men and finally the clean-up crew. It took ALL of us to have the successful event we had. So YOU ARE APPRECIATED!!!

Thanks again, from Crafty Ladies



United Methodist Women

UMW will meet on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Join us for inspirational devotion, prayer, and a festive program:



'Christmas Traditions'

We will have light refreshments.



All women of the church are cordially invited!!!



December

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 1 pm Tai Chi, Narthex 6 - Cub leader mtg, #104 6 - Bible Study, CRoom 6 - Girl Scouts, Ed Bldg. 6 - EMMAUS #201 6- Praise Team 7 - Choir	2 1 pm GriefShare, Conf Room 2 pm - Strength & Balance, Fell Hall Memorial Service, Chris Knox at 4 pm Reception following Girl Scout Svc Unit leaders, Fell Hall 7:30 pm	3 BSA overnight and training workshops, Auditorium, Kitchen, Conf Room & classrooms 6 pm until Sunday at 8 am	4 BSA training workshops etc all day & overnight stay
5 -2nd Sunday Advent BSA depart by 8 am 8:30 - Worship 9:45 - Sunday School BSA Popcorn sale - outside Flag dedication & Raising 11 am - Worship 3:45 - Bell Choir rehearsal 6pm- AfterShock Youth	6 9:30 am - Soulkeepers, Conf Rm 10 am - Food Pantry 5:30 pm Emmaus #101 5:45 - Cub Scouts, Ed Bldg 6 pm. BSF - Conf Rm 7 pm - BSA Scouts Ed Bldg & #204	7 4:30- Fitness, #203 6:30 - Trustees' meeting, #201	8 1 pm-Tai Chi, Fell Hall 6 pm Bible study-CR 6 pm -EMMAUS #201 6 - Girl Scouts, Ed Bldg 6 - Praise Team 7- Choir rehearsal	9 2 pm - Strength & Balance, Fell Hall 4:30 Fitness, #203	10	11 10:30 am - Threads of Love, Fell Hall Auditorium reserved for Girl Scouts from 1 to 5 pm
12 - 3rd Sunday Advent 7 am - UMM Breakfast, Fell Hall & Kitchen 8:30 - Worship 9:45 - Sunday School 11 am - Worship 3:45 - Bell Choir Rehearsal AfterShock Youth at Kubisak home	13 10 - Food Pantry 5:30 pm Emmaus #101 5:30 - Cubs holiday party, Auditorium 6:00 - BSF - Conf Rm 7 pm - BSA, Ed Bldg & #204	14 UMW - Fellowship Hall 9:30 am 4:30- Fitness, #203	15 1 pm -Tai Chi, Fell Hall 6 pm Bible study, Conf Room 6 pm EMMAUS #201 6 pm Praise Team 7 pm Choir rehearsal	16 2 pm- Strength & Balance, Fell Hall 4:30 - Fitness, #203	17 4H Awards in Auditorium - evening	18
19- 4th Sunday Advent ONE SERVICE AT 11:00 AM Featuring the Choir's Christmas Cantata 3:45 - Bell Choir rehearsal Youth Caroling and Party in Auditorium	20 9:30 Soulkeepers, Conf Rm 10 am Food Pantry 5:30 pm Emmaus #101 6:30 BSF,, Conf Rm ?? 7 - BSA Scouts - Ed Bldg & #204	21 4:30 - Fitness #203	21 6 pm EMMAUS #201 6 pm Bible study, CR, Conf Room 6 pm - Praise Team 7 pm - Choir rehearsal	23	24  4:00 pm & 6:00 pm services	
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