

Peralta Memorial United Methodist Church

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Going Beyond Our Walls to Build God's Kingdom

As I write this article, I am watching the children and youth in our learning pod doing their work. I don't think distance learning is the best option for our children or their parents. However, it has provided us with an opportunity to reach out and make a difference in the lives of those children and their parents. In fact, one of the girls told us that the learning pod is like a family. At the same time, it allows the parents some time to get work, or other necessary tasks done.

One thing we need is more volunteers. We meet Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 8am until 2:30pm. You can work all day or for just an hour or two. You can volunteer one day a week or several days a week. It is up to you. The main task is making sure the kids are in class and doing their work.

If you are able and willing to help please contact Danene at Dana_Eager@live.com.

Thank you for your help,

Pastor Daniel



**BLOOD DRIVE – SATURDAY
OCTOBER 24TH, 9 AM – 12 NOON
FELLOWSHIP HALL**

**SIGN UP FOR AN APPOINTMENT
ONLINE AT:
WWW.VITALANT.ORG**



**LOOK FOR DETAILS COMING SOON
IN SUNDAY BULLETINS AND THROUGH E-MAIL**

Free Tai Chi - through Zoom

If you want to be healthier, stronger or simply want to learn Tai Chi for relaxation – this is the opportunity for you!!! Cindy Russell is teaching Tai Chi virtually through Zoom – & the sessions repeat every 4 weeks. In this way, you may progress at your own pace. Classes can be done on a desktop computer, laptop, I-pad or smartphone. It is open to ANYONE and is FREE. (See flyer with schedule – provided later in this newsletter). For more information, you may call Cindy.

GRIEF SHARE®

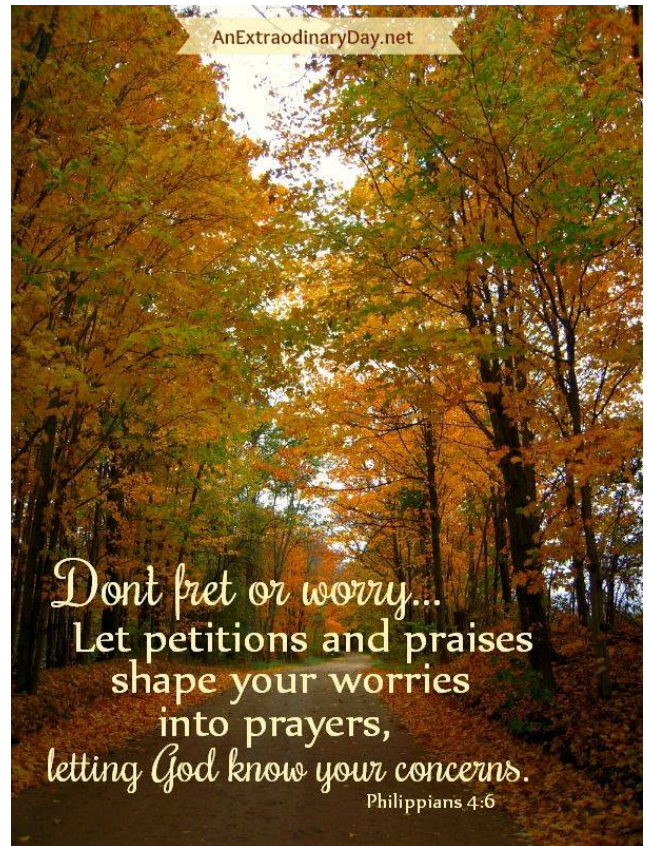
Our grief recovery support group will be meeting October 1st, 15 and 29th. We meet in the Conference Room at 1:00 pm.

If you have any questions, please call and ask Mary Valigura or Phyllis Graham. Everyone and anyone is welcome to join in at any time.



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.

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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 | Chris & Terry Knox |
| Bill Lynch | Karel & Martha Pekarek | Don |
| Gleichman | Sharon Ramirez | Dorothy Marta |
| Daniel Gurule | Conrad Joseph Hughes-Faganello | Cure for Cancer |
| Jim Kubisak | Janette Baughman | Diego |
| USA Leaders | Larry & Melodie Huff | Michael Garrison |
| Lori Buvinghausen | All Caregivers | Anne Cassidy-Vigil |
| Beth & Dennie Miller | Jay & Marilyn Smith | Pauline Taylor |
| | | Ted & Madeleine George |
| | | Donna Duke |
| | | J'Amy Creel |
| | | Nate Meyer |
| | | Richard & Linda Darnell |
| | | All military & their families |



We will be doing Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes this year. We will be setting up in mid October and collecting them in mid November. If you are unable to get to the church, we will also be collecting money and fill boxes as the funds are provided. We would like to thank everyone for their support in the past, and look forward to providing shoe boxes to children around the world again this year. Wayne M Sharp

October 1 – Beverley Nilles
October 2 – Cheryl Folkes
October 3 – Ryan Galey
October 4 – Katie Harris
October 6 – Jack Nilles
October 6 – Larry Hardy
October 11 – Francis Bonanno
October 12 – Richard Stockton
October 13 – Don Inman
October 14 – Dorothy Marta
October 15 – Dan Rose
October 15 – Beth Gantzer
October 15 – Danielle Ortiz
October 15 – Tessa Culver
October 15 – Cooper Maynes
October 17 – Anthony Smith
October 18 – Stormie Van Curen
October 18 – Amber Armstrong
October 18 – Iris Jones
October 18 – Elliott Green
October 20 – Warren Janke
October 20 – Charlotte Honeyfield
October 20 – Antonio Altobello
October 20 – Ashlyn Eubank
October 21 – Curtis Heppler
October 21 – Luke Zupko
October 23 – Jordan Valigura
October 24 – Heather Rindels
October 26 – Jack Stayton
October 26 – Carole Row
October 26 – Melodie Huff
October 27 – Billie Cobb





October 5th - Nick & Makayla Christopher
October 7th – Steve & Cheryl Folkes
October 14th – Neil & Linda Smith
October 22nd – Warren & Regina Janke
October 29 – Mike & Jan Buvinghausen

AFTERSHOCK

“Turning the hearts of youth and families to God and each other”



TIME CAPSULE for 2020 will be planted in October, if anyone would like to add something to be put in this capsule please let Marlow know, or bring it and leave in the workroom next to the office. The plan is for the capsule to be opened in ten years. It will be pretty cool to see what has transpired in the next ten years compared to this historical trouble ridden time of 2020. Perhaps a prediction or a prayer for the future of our country, our church, or our children and youth?

THE WEAPON THAT DEFIES TIME, SPACE, AND DISTANCE:

In youth group, we asked the question, “how many of you believe that you will ever get married?” It was pretty much unanimous that every youth raised their hand. Now we certainly aren’t encouraging them to be in any kind of a hurry, so don’t worry, there is plenty of time in their young lives to actually get serious about looking for a spouse.

Do you also believe that God will supply the perfect mate for each of His children? And if so, then would it be safe to say that God already knows exactly who He has chosen as a mate for each of His beloved? That certainly does not mean that we may not wait for God’s choice in a spouse for us, and go off and choose someone that may or may not even work out in relation to us. But if God already knows, then that future spouse is already ours. Why then, are we and our parents not already praying for that future spouse? Prayers of protection, peace, wisdom, knowledge and relationship to God? Prayer is the one weapon God allows us that will defy time, space, and distance. If we become diligent in our prayer for our future spouse, will it not be more likely that when we finally meet, we will already hold a spiritual bond and recognize them more easily as God’s choice for us? Will it not help to dissuade us from jumping ahead of God and choosing the wrong one? Let us encourage our youth to pray, and let us pray without ceasing for our youth. If we have such a weapon, why not use it?



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 1 pm – GriefShare, Conf Room 4:30 Fitness #203	2 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 4:30 Fitness, #203	3
4 8:30 – Worship 9:45 – Sunday School Scouts' Popcorn Sale 11:00 Worship 6 pm – AfterShock Youth	5 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 10 – 12:30 – Food Pantry open 4:30 – Fitness, #203 6 pm Emmaus, CR 6 pm – Pack 116, Ed Bldg 7 pm – Scouts Ed Bldg.	6 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning Crafty Ladies, Fell Hall 9 am – 1 pm 4:30 Fitness, #203 Trustees' meeting 6:30 pm, #201	7 BIG DROP – FOOD distribution Crafty Ladies, 9 am 4:30 Fitness, #203 6 pm- Bible, Conf Rm 6 pm – Praise Team 6 pm – Girl Scouts, Ed Bldg 6 pm, BSA #104	8 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 4:30 – Fitness, #203 6 pm – Young Adult, #104 6 pm Worship committee mtg, Conf Room	9 No virtual learning pods today 4:30 Fitness, #203	10 Threads of Love?? Fell Hall
11 8:30 – Worship 9:45 – Sunday School 11 am – Worship 6 pm - AfterShock Youth	12 No virtual learning pods today 9:30 – Soulkeepers, Conf Room 10 – 12:30 – Food Pantry open 4:30 – Fitness, #203 6 pm – Emmaus, CR 6 pm – Pack 116, Ed Bldg 7 pm – Scouts, Ed Bldg	13 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 4:30 Fitness, #203 6:30, BSA, Arrow, Fell Hall	14 4:30 Fitness, #203 6 pm – Praise Team 6 pm- Bible, Conf Rm 6 pm – Girl Scouts, Ed Bldg	15 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 1 pm – GriefShare, Conf Room 4:30 Fitness, #203	16 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 4:30 Fitness, #203	17 Auditorium reserved – Girl Scouts 1:30-5:30 pm
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25 8:30 – Worship 9:45 – Sunday School 11 am – Worship 6 pm - AfterShock Youth	26 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 9:30 am – Soulkeepers, Conf Rm 10 – 12:30 – Food Pantry 4:30 – Fitness, #203 6 pm – Emmaus, CR 6 pm – Pack 116, Ed Bldg 7 pm – Scouts, Ed Bldg	27 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 4:30 – Fitness, #203 6 pm Tea Meeting, Fell Hall	28 4:30 Fitness, #203 6 pm – Praise Team 6 pm- Bible, Conf Rm 6 pm – Girl Scouts, Ed Bldg	29 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 1 pm – GriefShare, Conf Room 4:30 Fitness, #203	30 7:30 am-2:30 pm – Auditorium virtual learning 4:30 Fitness, #203	31 Halloween  TURN CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR at bedtime.

Due to COVID-19, Crafty Ladies
will not hold
their traditional Christmas Bazaar.

HOWEVER, THERE'S GOOD NEWS!!!

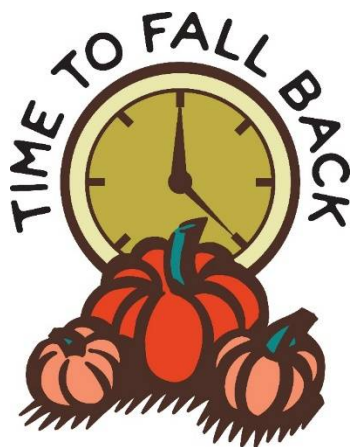
Crafty Ladies **WILL** be offering some baked goods and stocking
stuffers by pre-order.

We'll be taking orders and payment until October 19th.

The schedule for times to pick up your order will be:

Sunday November 15th or November 22nd
between 9:30 am and 11:00 am, at the church.

Some items are limited (since we don't have our numerous elves busy in the kitchens, as usual).
So, PLEASE order soon. (order form can be found in this newsletter – or in the Sunday
bulletin each week). Orders will be filled on a first come, first to be filled basis. We will date and
time stamp each order form as it is received. Please include your phone number, in case we need to
reach out to you.



On Saturday, October 31st

**before you go to bed, be sure to set your clocks
BACK one hour --- or you'll arrive too early for
church service on Sunday morning!!!**



The Salvation Army bell ringing has been a part of our church for many
years. The 2020 campaign will soon be upon us. We plan to continue this
great ministry and support the people of Valencia County. We are
continuing to get information from the home office, and will pass this
information on as we get it. We want to thank this Body of Christ for the
support you have given this program through the years.



United Methodist Women

We met on Sunday, September 27th at 4:00 pm via ZOOM. Item discussed were the Christmas plates given to those who are shut-in, to let them know they are thought of. We'll be ordering these plates, and then delivering them in December.

Our next meeting will be Sunday, October 18 at 4:00 pm via ZOOM. If you'd like to join us, you are MORE THAN welcome! You can contact Pam Eppers to find out how – at 859-5910. We'll be electing officers for next year.

Tai Chi for Arthritis & Fall Prevention - Via ZOOM

Recommended by the Arthritis Foundation, the National Council on Aging, and the Center for Disease Control.



Relax and enjoy the many benefits of Tai Chi. This evidence based fall prevention program improves muscle strength, flexibility, balance and mobility while reducing joint pain and stiffness.

These Classes are part of the NMDOH Falls Prevention Program*

Classes meet Twice a Week for 4 Weeks
September 22nd – October 15th

Basic Tai Chi

Forms 1 – 6
Tuesdays & Thursdays
9:30am – 10:30am

Part 2

Forms 7 – 12 Left
Tuesdays & Thursdays
11:00am – 12:00pm

Part 3

Forms 7 – 12 Right/Principles
Tuesdays & Thursdays
12:30pm – 1:30pm

Learn or advance your knowledge of the gentle movements of Sun Style Tai Chi.

SPACE IS LIMITED. SIGN UP TODAY!

To Register or for more information please email cinru2001@gmail.com

Cindy Russell TCAFP Certified Instructor

**New Mexico Department of Health Community Based Adult Falls Prevention Program

<https://nmhealth.org/about/erd/ibeb/oafp/>

Crafty Ladies Order Form for Breads, Pies, Candies, Cookies, Jams, Jellies, Pickles and Dip Mixes

Orders due by October 19, 2020 with payment;(some items are limited so orders will be filled first come first filled and dated as received). Please turn into Genevieve-church office, Kaye Groves or Kelley Green no later than October 19. 2020. Pick up of order Nov. 15th or 22nd between 9:30 am and 11:00 am.

Name _____

Phone _____

Date Received _____ Time received _____

<u>Breads:</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total Price</u>
Zucchini with nuts Large Loaf \$4.50	_____	\$ _____
Small Loaf \$2.50	_____	\$ _____
Almond Joy Bread Large Loaf \$4.50	_____	\$ _____
Kolache Bread Large Loaf \$4.50	_____	\$ _____

Pies

Lemon (Large) \$12.50	_____	\$ _____
Pecan (Large) \$14.00	_____	\$ _____
Strawberry Rhubarb \$12.50	_____	\$ _____

Cookies

Biscochitos 1 dozen \$5.00	_____	\$ _____
Molasses cookies 1 dozen \$4.00	_____	\$ _____
Monster Cookies 1 dozen \$4.00	_____	\$ _____
Snickerdoodles 1 dozen \$4.00	_____	\$ _____

Candies and Stocking Stuffers Quantity Total Price

Fudge with nuts \$7.75	_____	\$ _____
Toffee \$6.50	_____	\$ _____
Peanut Brittle <u>regular</u> \$6.50	_____	\$ _____
Peanut Brittle <u>Jalapeno</u> \$6.50	_____	\$ _____
Peanut Brittle <u>Red Chili</u> \$ 6.50	_____	\$ _____
Candy Cane Mouse \$1.25	_____	\$ _____
Candy Cane stocking & Legend \$1.50	_____	\$ _____
Christmas Tea Poem and Tea \$1.50	_____	\$ _____

Jams and Jellies

Blueberry Rhubarb \$4.00	_____	\$ _____
Raspberry Rhubarb \$4.00	_____	\$ _____
Pumpkin Apple Butter \$4.00	_____	\$ _____
Pumpkin Peach Butter \$4.00	_____	\$ _____

Pickles/Relish

Lime Pickles \$4.00	_____	\$ _____
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Dip Mixes

Delicious Dill Dip \$3.50	_____	\$ _____
Happy Jalapeno Dip \$3.50	_____	\$ _____
Mighty Mexican Dip \$3.50	_____	\$ _____
Spinach Dip \$3.50	_____	\$ _____

Page 1 & 2 Total Amount Due \$ _____