# THE MESSENGER – JUNE 16, 2025 SIERRA EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH



#### SURPRISE BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION!

## Frankie Appelin's 100th Birthday is this coming Sunday, June 22.

Join us in Fellowship Hall following the worship service for birthday cake & ice cream.

A Basket will be available for cards.

Don't forget, It's a SURPRISE!



#### MID-WEEK ADULT STUDY

Bible study will NOT meet this week, Wednesday 6/18 or Thursday 6/19 Our regular schedule resumes, Wednesday Morning, 6/25 - 10:00 am and Thursday Night, 6/26 - 6:30 pm. Both sessions meet in the Music Room.

### WIDOWS OF SELC LUNCHEON -THURSDAY, JUNE 26 - 12 NOON

Lunch will be at Orient Express Chinese Restaurant. Payment for lunch will be "Dutch." Join us for this fun get together. Please RSVP 6/18 - 25. For more information or would like to attend, contact Carol Jordahl at 520-227-2796 (please leave a message).

### YOU ARE NEEDED!

The following committees and service areas need more help with service to our Congregation: Acolyte once a month: contact Cindy Wiste; Visitation: contact Deanna Sanner; Altar guild: contact Lynn Light; Ushers: contact Anna Bratlien; Lector: contact Joanna Michelich; Fellowship Team and/or Funeral committee: contact Sandy Hall.

### THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

Dear Sierra Lutheran Family. I thank you with all my heart for your love, prayers, cards and gifts at the time of loss of my partner David Nobach. When Kristi Bummer told us in Montana that we should go to Sierra Vista, that there was a wonderful church in town called Sierra Lutheran, we had no idea how wonderful it would be. Love you all. -Paul Gregory

# **HELP/INQUIRY**

Does anyone have an RV pad on your property that you might rent to a church member? Please contact the church office if you are able or have information.

THE NEXT QUARTER OF CHRIST IN OUR HOME DEVOTIONAL ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP AT THE WELCOME CENTER OR THE CHURCH OFFICE.



## **SELC FAMILY PORTRAITS**



Many have expressed a desire to get to know people better. In hopes to start connections, conversations and relationships with each other, we will feature SELC family with a brief bio each week in the Messenger.



# **Penny Crane**

- Where were you born or raised?
   I grew up on or near Marine Corps bases: Quantico, VA; Camp
   Lajune, NC; Beaufort, SC; Guam; Escondido, CA; and San Diego CA.
- 2. Where did you go to school? Coker College, Hartsville, SC
- What is/was your job or career?
   Public School Teacher, I taught second grade and kindergarten for almost 30 years.
- 4. When arrived at SELC / what brought you here Arrived 2001, a friend invited me.
- 5. What activities have you been involved with here? Shepherd's Fold Board, Meals for Good Neighbor Alliance, tutoring, and Ladrillo Project.
- 6. What are your hobbies or interests?
  I volunteer at the Little Library Book Store. I love books! And belong to two book groups. I'm interested in opera, Spanish and working in the yard.
- 7. What is something you'd like to see the church do?

  Let our community know we are here for them. Have visits on the patio. "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds."

### JUNE -17-22, 2025

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TUE 6/17	9:00 AM	Shepherd's Fold Chapel
	11:00 AM	Worship & Music Team – Music Room
	5:00 PM	Good Neighbor Alliance Meal Prep at location
WED 6/18	4:30 PM	Grace Group – Meeting Room
THURS 6/19	5:00 PM	Council Meeting – Music Room
	6:30 PM	Plus Square Dancing – Fellowship Hall
FRI 6/20		Church office closed on Friday's
	6:30 PM	Plus Square Dancing – Fellowship Hall
SAT 6/21		
SUN 6/22	9:00 AM	Sunday Worship Service – Father's Day
	10:30 AM	Faith Formation - Sanctuary