



October 13, 2024
Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost
9:00 AM

SIERRA EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Our Mission Statement: "With faith in God's grace, we share Christ's love with all, so that lives are transformed by the Holy Spirit."

SELC SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE - 9:00 AM

Watch and Worship with Us In Person and Live-Streamed Online

To worship with us online or to catch-up on a missed sermon/worship, go to our website, www.selcaz.org, click on the "Watch Services" 'button,' then click on the worship service that you want to watch within the last 90 days.

NURSERY AVAILABLE

Nursery Services are available, for those who wish, for children birth to Pre-Kindergarten in the Nursery Room on the North side of the patio.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests can be submitted ONLINE at www.selcaz.org or for the month of OCTOBER to Barb Wirsching at bcswasey@gmail.com

SELC GIVING & CONTRIBUTIONS

SELC is an "app"-ening place! Use the scanner app to provide Gifts / Contributions to SELC ministries.



SELC OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Friday – Closed

TODAY'S SERVICE

GATHERING

(* = Please stand as you are able.)

Prelude

"A Priory Prayer"

(Phil Lehenbauer)

Paul Gregory

Welcome

***Invocation and Land Acknowledgment**

***Confession and Forgiveness**

Gathering Hymn

"Gather Us In"

ELW #532

***Greeting**

***Kyrie**

Now the Feast

Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray. Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

WORD

First Reading: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

Pew Bible p. 746

L: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm: Psalm 90:12-17 (read responsively, starting on lectern side)

¹²So teach us to number our days
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.

¹³**Return, O Lord; how long will you tarry?
Be gracious to your servants.**

¹⁴Satisfy us by your steadfast love in the morning;
so shall we rejoice and be glad all our days.

¹⁵**Make us glad as many days as you afflicted us
and as many years as we suffered adversity.**

¹⁶Show your servants your works,
and your splendor to their children.

¹⁷**May the graciousness of the Lord our God be upon us;
prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork.**

Second Reading: Hebrews 4:12-16

Pew Bible p. 972

L: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Verse

Gospel: Mark 10:17-31

Pew Bible p. 822

P: The holy gospel according to St. Mark.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

(the gospel is read)

P: The gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.

Children's Message

Gloryland Anthem

"Yes, I Know"

(Tom Fettke)

Sermon

Pastor Kurt Fangmeier

Moment for Silent Reflection

Hymn of the Day

"Take My Life, That I May Be"

ELW #583

***Apostles' Creed**

Prayers of Intercession

To the conclusion of each petition, "God of grace,"
please respond with "hear our prayer."

***Sharing of the Peace**

MEAL

Offering / Generosity Moment

David Dechant

***Presentation of the Gifts**

"As the Grains of Wheat" *refrain, vs. 2, refrain*

(sung by the congregation as the offering and the elements are brought forward)

***Offering Prayer**

***Great Thanksgiving**

***Dialogue**

***Preface**

***Holy, Holy, Holy**

***Thanksgiving at the Table**

***Lord's Prayer**

***Invitation to Communion**

(We will gather/kneel around the rail to receive Holy Communion. Have your hand open to receive the bread. Once you have received the wine, wait for the Pastor to dismiss you as a group. If you would like to remain kneeling for a few minutes before returning to your seat, please fold your hands so the servers will know you have already received the bread and wine. Once everyone has returned to their seats, the pastor will bless everyone before the Post Communion Prayer).

Holy Communion

***Lamb of God**

ELW p. 191

Communion Hymns

**“We Come to the Hungry Feast”
“Eat This Bread: Jesus Christ, Bread of Life”**

ELW #479

ELW #472

***Blessing after Communion**

Thanks Be to You

***Prayer after Communion**

SENDING

For Announcements,

Please Read the Weekly Messenger and Your Sunday Bulletin.

***Blessing**

Sending Song

“Lead Me, Guide Me”

ELW #768

Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Share the good news.

All: Thanks be to God. And we will.

Postlude

Billie Hayes

CONFIRMATION CLASS (GRADES 6 – 8)

Meets every Tuesday from 6:30 to 8:00 pm

MID-WEEK ADULT STUDIES

- ✝ **Wednesday Bible Study** - Join us at 10:00 am as we will continue our study of Exodus & Numbers.
- ✝ **Thursday Enneagram Study** - “Enneagram, A Personality Typology”
This Thursday! Join us as we start back up on Oct. 17.

Both Studies Meet in the Music Room. Everyone is welcome to attend!

WIDOWS OF SELC LUNCHEON -THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17 - 12 NOON

Reservation deadline is Tuesday, October 15.

Lunch will be at Olive Garden. Payment for lunch will be “Dutch.” Join us for this fun get together. For more information or would like to attend, contact Carol Jordahl at 520-227-2796 (if no answer, please leave a message).

NEEDED!!! YOU + TRUNK + FUN for TRUNK-OR-TREATING WITH SHEPHERD’S FOLD CHILD CARE CENTER

Thursday, October 31 from 3:00 – 5:00 pm

in the North parking lot and playground areas

Share in the fun with our Shepherd’s Fold families, passing out candy to the kids as they trick or treat from your vehicles “trunk.” (Candy will be provided that day by Shepherd’s Fold.) Have fun by decorating your trunk dressing. It doesn’t need to be extravagant, just fun. There will also be some “mini fair like activities/games,” if you would like to volunteer to do that. **To sign up or for more information contact Shepherd’s Fold 459-0444.**

CANDY DONATIONS for SHEPHERD’S FOLD

We need sugar, lots of sugar... to hand out to the S.F. kids at their Trunk or Treat. Donation baskets are in the Narthex and church office. Please donate by Oct 27th.

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Isaiah 53:4-12

Psalms 91:9-16

Hebrews 5:1-10

Mark 10:35-45

SERVING TODAY

Acolyte: Reilly Howard

Greeters: Monty and Carol Brandes

Lector: Gary Graham

Lay Euch. Minister: Jane Strain

Altar Guild: Lynette Nowlan, Lynn Light

Organist: Billie Hayes

AV Techs: CJ Abraham, Larry Rewis

Ushers: Monty Brandes, Wilma Bell

Candle For the Eternal Ligh

provided by Donna Bryan in remembrance of loved ones

Flowers Provided by

Miki Shaner for Stanley Shaner's birthday celebration;
and by Leslie McCourt in celebration of Carl McCourt's 75th birthday.

Kurt Fangmeier, Pastor
Cindy Wiste, Director of Faith Formation
Cindy Allen, Administrative Assistant

Deb Koltveit, SELC Council President
Sunny Fichtl, Music Director
Ministers: The People of SELC

Please pray for Cindy Wiste and victims of Hurricanes Helene and Milton.

Please continue to pray for: Duane and Cindy Wiste, Ed and Sharon Bramel, Doris McVickor, Eleanor's grandson Louie, Alexandra Briskey, Doris Randolph, Ted Fichtl, Andre and Angla, Tom Markstrom, Aaron Huttzell, Peggy Miller, family and friends of Miki Shaner, and Jan Reiner.

Long term prayers: Momi Accoli, Tim Allen, Mary Alexander, John and Mary Alexander (Mary Alexander's son and wife); Cindy Allen, Kirsten (Lisa Sherry's daughter), Frankie Appelin, Duke Burford; Cathy Collins, James Cox (Dena's brother); Dean, Beth Dechant, Barbara Denniss, Don and Jan Huthoefer; Dan Knauss, Eric Lewis; Mae Markstrom (Terry's mother); Terry Markstrom, Silias Merk, Zane Mitchell, Sue Mount, Kevin Murray, Anne Nowak, George Pohlman, Nathan Raysor and children, George Renbeck (Kim Renbeck's father); Fran Russel, Richard Schellentragger, Bill Spivy, Linda Tossy; Ron Turnbald, Ellie Unruh, Edward VanDetti, Pam Williams, Israel and Palestine, The Navajo Evangelical Lutheran Mission at Rock Point; everyone experiencing mental health issues; military personnel everywhere.

October 13-20, 2024

SUN 10/13	9:00 AM	Worship Service
	10:30 AM	Faith Formation - Fellowship Hall
	11:15 AM	Youth Choir Rehearsal – Music Room
		Via de Cristo - Tucson
MON 10/14	10:00 AM	Optional Choir Rehearsal – Music Room
	10:30 AM	Fellowship Team Meeting – Fellowship Hall
	1:00 PM	Dorcas Circle at Nancy Hagen’s
TUE 10/15	9:00 AM	Shepherd’s Fold Chapel - Sanctuary
	11:00 AM	Worship & Music Team – Music Room
	5:00 PM	Good Neighbor Alliance Meal Prep @ location
	6:00 PM	Fellowship Hall Reserved
	6:30 PM	Shepherd’s Fold Board Meeting – Music Room
	6:30 PM	Confirmation– Youth Room
WED 10/16	10:00 AM	Bible Study – Music Room
	4:30 PM	Grace Group – Meeting Room
	5:30 PM	Square Dancing – Fellowship Hall
	6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
THURS 10/17	9:00 AM	Stitch In Time Quilters – Fellowship Hall
	10:00 AM	Sierra Ringers Rehearsal – Music Room
	5:00 PM	Council Meeting – Music Room
	6:30 PM	Plus Square Dancing – Fellowship Hall
	6:30 PM	Enneagram Study – Music Room
FRI 10/18		Church Office Closed Fridays
	6:30 PM	Square Dancing – Fellowship Hall
SAT 10/19		
SUN 10/20	10:00 AM	Worship Service & Pic Nic in the Park Veterans Memorial Park, Ramada #1