



**FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH
REEDLEY, CALIFORNIA**

**April 25, 2010
10:30 a.m.
Walking Together
Friendship**

Gathering for Worship

Words of Welcome
Songs of Praise

Jose Mireles

Listening Together

New Testament Reading
John 1:35-46
Music with the Children
Come and Go With Me
Jesus Be the Center
Breathe Out Breathe In and Be Filled

Jessica Ambriz & Daisy Cintora

Ro Linscheid and Barbara Ewy

Children's Memory Verses: John 13:34-35

New Testament Reading
John 15:9-17

Jessica Ambriz & Daisy Cintora

Sharing Our Stories

Friendship with Family
Bringing our Offerings to God
Flute Duet
Friendship at Work
Worship Music
What a Friend We Have in Jesus (WH 573)
O Love That Will Not Let Me Go (WH 577)

Sharon Reimer

Annette & Jeannette Ewy

Ruth Buxman

Bringing a Friend to Jesus

Porfirio Rios

Praying Together

Morning Prayer
Announcements and Instructions for Meal
Benediction and Thanks for Meal

Stephen Penner

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF
April 25, 2010**

Sunday, April 25

10:30 a.m. All Church Picnic at Riverview School

Tuesday, April 27

6:15 a.m. Anabaptist Prayer Gathering
7:00 p.m. PIM Prayer Meeting in the Basement

Wednesday, April 28

9:30 a.m. Young Women's Group
5:00 p.m. "First Look" Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Kids Club
7:00 p.m. MYF
7:00 p.m. Alabanza y Oración
7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Friday, April 30

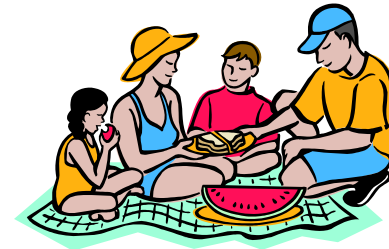
6:30 p.m. Peace Center

Sunday, May 2

8:45 a.m. Prayer Time in the Fireside Room
9:30 a.m. Christian Education Classes for all ages
10:45 a.m. English Worship Service in the Sanctuary
10:45 a.m. Spanish Language Service in the Fellowship Hall

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 22 MYF Spring Banquet
June 13 Annual Church Business Meeting



May 2, 2010 On this Sunday morning in our Spanish language service we will participate in congregational singing and we will hear a message from Pastor Juan Montes. In our English language service Stephen Penner will bring the morning message.

May 9, 2010 On Mother's Day, in our English language service, Stephen Penner will be preaching out of the book of Acts. Juan Montes will be speaking in our Spanish language service.

FMC Soccer Trip If you are interested in participating in an FMC trip to a Major League Soccer game, talk to either Pastor Steve or Pastor Juan. The game is on Saturday, May 8th at 7:00 p.m. in San Jose and matches the Earthquakes against the New York Red Bulls.

Joys and Concerns We congratulate Doris Reimer on becoming a great grandma. Her granddaughter Leah (Vaughn) & husband, Havier, became parents to Karina Jane on April 3. Leah's parents are Carolyn (Reimer) and Larry Vaughn.

This week our rainfall totals surpassed "normal" rainfall for the entire year. After several years in a row where our rainfall has not reached "normal" this year feels mighty wet. We are grateful for the blessing of the storms this year which have improved the snowpack in the Sierras and the water table in the Valley. The rain also reminds us of our responsibility to be good stewards of the water in our Valley.

Peace Center Friday, April 30 – 6:30-8:30 Speaker: Mark McAfee, owner of Organic Pastures, a valley producer of raw milk. Topic: Share the Secret: How the immune system benefits from the use of raw milk and a whole nutritious diet.

A New Book of Poetry Steve Penner has just self-published a small book of poetry. The book of poems is called *A Simple Meal*. If you would like a copy please talk to Steve.

Typewriter Needed The Church Library is looking for a used typewriter. If you have one to loan or donate for library use, please contact Annie or Aleta.

Roy Klassen's Last Performance Two concerts, honoring the work of Roy Klassen, who is retiring after 35 years of service at FPU, will be performed this afternoon. *Elijah* will be performed at 4:00 p.m. and *Requiem* will be performed at 7:15 p.m. These concerts will take place in Paul Shaghoian Concert Hall, 2770 E. International in Fresno (corner of Willow & International). The cost is \$10 per person, for both concerts, payable at the door. These concerts feature FPU Concert Choir, San Joaquin Chorale, FPU Orchestra and Kevin Memley, accompanist.

Prime Timers Next Event Tuesday, April 27, 7:00 p.m. in the RMBC Fellowship Hall - "Ah! Chocolate!" Please bring your favorite chocolate dessert for a chocolate buffet. (A few non-chocolate items will also be available.) We will view a DVD on the life of Milton Hershey, founder of the Hershey Chocolate Company. He actually has connections to the Mennonites. Invite your friends and come and enjoy an evening of chocolate!"

MDS Annual Meeting The California Unit of Mennonite Disaster Service will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, May 8th at 9:00 a.m. It will be held here at First Mennonite Church in the Fellowship Hall. Come hear what God is doing through MDS here in California and how you can help. For more information, call Pat Willems, 595-7960.

"Shaping Families" Radio Program on KRDU-AM (1130) The Dinuba based radio station KRDU is airing a program on Sundays created by Third Way Media (part of Mennonite Mission Network) called "Shaping Families." Our church, along with Mennonite Community Church in Fresno, will be co-sponsoring this program. You can hear it at 12:15 p.m. and again at 7:45 p.m. For the May 2 broadcast, Rosalynn Carter, "First Lady of Mental Health," will be the guest. She addresses the stigma of mental illness and how churches need to be better equipped to respond to those with various kinds of brain disorders.

Need Ink Cartridges Just a reminder – the church office needs your empty printer ink cartridges. The more we receive, the more we can save on office supplies. Save your empty HP, Dell, Lexmark, Brother, Canon, Epson, Kodak, Sharp and Samsung cartridges and bring them to the church office.



PIM Anuncios

Domingo Mayo 8, 2010. Haga Usted Junto Con su familia y Amigos esta actividad. **Tarde Familiar:** (Diviértase con su familia vaya al parque, haga juegos en su casa, vea una buena película cristiana o arregle las diferencias familiares, trabajen en equipo para limpiar la casa)

Grupos De Crecimiento (CAFÉ)

Martes 27 de Abril, 2010. 7:00 PM. Grupo de crecimiento. En el hogar de la hermana Ana.

Jueves 29 de Abril, 2010. 7:00 PM Grupo de crecimiento. Dinuba, Casa Deayanira. También en la casa de la Hermana Belarmina Ibarra Otero.

Viernes 30 de Abril, 2010. Grupos de crecimiento (CAFÉ), En el hogar de la familia Franco/Duran. Sanger. Y la familia Islas en Dinuba. Y el hogar de la hermana Nelly en Reedley.

Todos Son Invitados Y Bienvenidos A Asistir A Uno De Estos Grupos (CAFÉ)

Nota: A partir de Mayo 2010. Habrá un Horacio de prueba por 90 días:

9:00 AM. Discipulado

9:45 AM. Academia De Entrenamiento Ministerial.

10:30. AM Compañerismo Cristiano (cafecita y galletas)

10:45. AM “Servicio De Alabanza Y Adoración”

Banco De Comida: ¿Qué es? Un ministerio que tiene como meta ayudar aquellas personas que tienen necesidad de alimentos y suplírseles. ¿Dónde está la bodega de almacenamiento? ¿A quienes ayuda este ministerio? Primeramente a los miembros de la iglesia, segundo a los vecinos de la comunidad. ¿Cómo puedo participar? Proveyendo alimentos, perdurables, tarjetas de comida de cualquier tienda de comida de la comunidad.. ¿Personas encargadas? Diáconos. **Necesitamos Arroz y Frijoles/**

Futuros Conciertos En El 2010 Con:

Los Hijos Del; Rey - Stanislao Marino. Erick Porta. Nihimita (Puerto Rico)

Fechas Importantes Para este año:

Día de las madres. Mayo 9, 2010. Encuentro de recreación en la playa Junio 2010. Día del amigo. Encuentro Familiar Camp Keola. Agosto 20-21 y 22, 2010. (Empiece a hacer planes)

Nota:

Los miércoles de 12:00-12:45 PM. Enseño un estudio bíblico en el River Packing. **Viernes y sábados. 7:00 PM,** Actividades variadas para niños, jóvenes y Familia **Sábados de 5:00-6:00 PM.** Instalación del sistema de sonido. **6:00-9:00 PM.** Ensayo del Grupo de Alabanza

Loa domingos de 9:30-10:30 AM Escuela De Capacitación Y Entrenamiento Dominical

10:45: 12:30 PM Servicio de Alabanza y Adoración.