



FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH  
REEDLEY, CALIFORNIA

May 30, 2010  
10:45 a.m.  
Pentecost

**Walking Together**  
Learning from the Early Church

**Gathering**

Music for Gathering	Barbara Ewy
Gathering for Worship	Ruth Buxman
Reading from the Psalms	
<i>Psalm 8</i>	
Words of Welcome, Introductions, and Prayer	Ruth Buxman
Gathering Song	
<i>Here, O Lord, Your Servants Gather</i>	WH 7

**Praising**

Testimonial	
Hymns and Songs of Praise	
<i>Amazing Grace</i>	WH 143
<i>For the Beauty of the Earth</i>	WH 89
Congregational Sharing	
Bringing our Tithes and Offerings	

**Hearing**

Time with our Children	
Worship Music	Suzi Ewy
<i>Lord, I Want to be a Christian</i> (arr. Beatrice A. Miller)	
Reading from the New Testament	
<i>Acts 17:16-34</i>	
Proclamation	Stephen Penner
<i>Paul Debates in Downtown Athens</i>	

**Responding**

Responding in Song	
<i>I'm Pressing on the Upward Way</i>	SJ 96
Morning Prayer	

**Sending**

Sending Song	
<i>There is More Love Somewhere</i>	SJ 109
Benediction	
Postlude	

PRIMERA IGLESIA MENONITA  
REEDLEY, CALIFORNIA

Mayo 30, 2010  
10:45 am

**Memorice**

**Nuestra Visión es: "Hacer Más Y Mejores Discípulos"**  
**Vehículo de movilización" "PESCA"**

**"Somos barro en manos del alfarero, te aseguro que el Eterno está haciendo una obra ejemplar de tu vida, acepta las situaciones como vengan, con la esperanza de continuar siendo formado como vaso de gloria y honra."**  
J. Montes

Coordina	Carmen Montes
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**TIEMPO DE PREPARACIÓN**

Oración de Inicio. (Invitar de tres hermanos (a) a orar)	Coordinadora
Bienvenida	Coordinadora
Lectura Bíblica / Oración	Romana Fraga
<i>Romanos 9:20-24</i>	
Testimonios / Peticiones	Coordinadora

**ALABEMOS Y ADOREMOS JUNTOS**

Cantos de Celebración	Grupo de Alabanza
Cantos de Adoración	Grupo de Alabanza
Diezmos / Ofrendas / Oración	Ujieres
Jr. Church. (Salón 11)	Alexis Sandoval

**OIGAMOS LA PALABRA DE DIOS:**

Lectura Bíblica / Oración por las escrituras, y por el predicador	Coordinadora
<i>Jeremías 18:1-7</i>	
Titulo Del Sermón	Pastor J. Montes
"Barro en sus manos"	
Anuncios	Voluntarios
	Voluntarios

**"Todos están convidados a gozarse con Dios en este ambiente familiar. En esta congregación basada y segura en Jesucristo y la guía del Espíritu Santo."**

**PARA ABRIR LA IGLESIA O ALGUNA EMERGENCIA CONTACTE A:**

Sebastián Andrade (Diáconos) 356-7640 (H) 356-7640 (c)  
Juan Gómez (Sindico) 743-7005 - Maxi Ambriz 637-9067

**Thank you** for choosing to worship with us this morning. If you are visiting with us today, we ask that you sign the guest book at the back of the church and that you please accept a small gift prepared just for you. The gift can be found in a basket on the back table.

**The Oil Lamp** at the front of our meeting place symbolizes our prayers for peace between our country and neighbors around the world.

**June 6, 2010** On this Sunday in our English language service we begin our series of summer services. Normally the lectionary texts will be used. Trent Voth, youth pastor at College Community Church (MB) in Clovis, will be our guest speaker. Our Spanish language service will include a message by Pastor Juan Montes.

**June 13, 2010** On this Sunday our Spanish language service will include a timely message and inspirational singing. Our English service will contain a message by Stephen Penner and beautiful congregational singing.

**Fellowship Time** Everyone is invited to come to the kitchen end of the Fellowship Hall at 10:30 a.m. after the Christian Education hour for a time of food and fellowship. The following people are scheduled to help with coffee prep and bring food on the following Sundays:

May 30 – Fran & Ted Loewen (coffee); David & Dorothy Boldt (food)

June 6 – Christine Moyer (coffee); Margie & Jose Mireles (food)

June 13 – Glenna Penner (coffee); Karen Peterson (food)

*If you are unable to take your turn on the scheduled day, please trade with someone.*

**Nursery Workers** are greatly appreciated. The staffed, early childhood nursery is in Room 3 of the Education Wing. The un-staffed infant nursery is in the back of the sanctuary. The following people are scheduled to work:

May 30 – Laura Penner, Graciela Sandoval

June 6 – Edith Montaña, Romana Fraga

June 13 – Kate Milton, Sandra Islas

*If you are unable to take your turn on the scheduled day, please trade with someone.*

**Pastoral Absence** Steve Penner will be out of the office Friday – Tuesday, June 4-8. He will be attending Mennonite Mission Network board meetings in Newton, KS.

**Joys and Concerns** This Memorial Day weekend reminds us of those who have passed on before us. We remember loved ones who have taught us so much, whose presence we enjoyed, but who are now gone. We give thanks to God for the rich memories.

**Peace Center** Friday, June 4 – 6:30-8:30 Speaker: Doug Page. Topic: Private Banking and Money Creation: A human institution that siphons away our wealth and voting power.

**Ballot Information Forum** You are invited to attend an information forum on the propositions to be decided in the Statewide Direct Primary election on June 8. Date: June 2. Place: College Community Church Mennonite Brethren, 2529 Willow Avenue, Clovis. Time: 7:00 p.m. Bring your sample ballots and a friend.

**VBS Needs** Recyclables are needed for Vacation Bible School. We will need approximately 2 dozen glass baby food jars with lids, empty coffee cans or buckets to use as drums and 2 or 3 tin cups. We can also use 4 old sleeping bags for a relay race (they need to zip but should not be in good condition). We also need a source for cobblestones, sand, gravel and pine needles. **Barbara also needs to borrow 2-3 small green artificial Christmas trees to put in the worship center.** If you can help with any of these, please call Barbara Ewy at 646-3472.

**Visioning Task Force** The church council has been discussing the possibility of forming visioning task force to think and dream together about what our congregation might look like a decade from now. How do current trends inform us? What would we like to see happen? How can we constructively shape the future? What is God saying to us in our time? If participating in such a task force sounds appealing and energizing to you, and you'd like to be part of it, please talk to council members Wendell Rempel or Jerry Linscheid.

**In Your Box** The next issue of the church news is now available. If you wish to change the way you receive your *Vox Simonis* please let Dee know. Also the 2010 Mid-Year Report is in your church mailbox. Please review this report before the Mid-Year Congregational Meeting which will be on **Sunday, June 13 at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.**

**Food Pantry** As a result of your generous support the church food pantry is once again well stocked. If you have further items to donate please contact the church office or Mission & Service Committee members before bringing them in. Thanks!

**Go "Green"** Recycle your empty printer ink cartridges and toners. Bring them to the church office. We can save money on office supplies by recycling empty HP, Dell, Lexmark, Brother, Canon, Epson, Kodak, Sharp and Samsung cartridges.

**"Shaping Families" Radio Program on KRDU-AM (1130)** Jim Wallis, editor of *Sojourners* magazine and author of many Christian books is the guest on *Shaping Families* the last week in May. The topic is housing and how important adequate housing is in raising a family. You'll enjoy his stories in the program titled "A Safe Place to Live" which will air today at 12:15 p.m. and again at 7:45 p.m. or visit [www.ShapingFamilies.com](http://www.ShapingFamilies.com) to download a podcast or the transcript.

**Fern Goering Turns 90** The family of Fern Goering would be delighted if people from the various congregations that Roland and Fern Goering served would share some memories or a note of greeting to celebrate her 90th birthday on June 14. Her address is 2323 N Berry, North Newton, KS 67117.

**MCC Says Thanks** Thank you for your support of MCC's efforts in Haiti by donating blankets, sheets, and relief kit supplies. All donations from the West Coast were shipped to Haiti on Wednesday, May 5. West Coast MCC shipped out over 750 Relief Kits and 220 comforters. We continue to collect Relief Kit supplies but lack certain items in order to complete these kits. To complete almost 200 more Relief Kits, West Coast MCC is asking specifically for Adult Bath Towels, Sanitary Pads, Laundry Soap, Band-aids and Shampoo (the greatest need being bath towels). To donate these items, or for more information, please contact Thomas Adlard at 559-638-6911 or [tadlard@us.mcc.org](mailto:tadlard@us.mcc.org). Thank you again for your continued support.

**Congratulations to our Graduates** We are entering into the graduation season so we recognize the following graduates:

*8<sup>th</sup> Grade*

Maritsa Ambriz                      General Grant

*High School*

Manuel Baretta                      Kingsburg High School  
Daisy Cintora                      Reedley High School  
Annette Ewy                      Reedley High School  
Myra Ibarra                      Reedley High School  
Yesenia Lozano                      Kingsburg High School  
Beth Pena                      Adult School  
Laura Penner                      Reedley High School  
Brian Ritschel                      Reedley High School

*College*

Marvin Ambriz                      Reedley College, AA degree  
Dietrich Reimer                      Cal Poly SLO, BS, Electrical Engineering

*If you know of other graduates, please inform the church office so we can list them in next week's bulletin.*

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF  
May 30, 2010**

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

**Tuesday, June 1**

8:00 a.m.                      Quilting  
6:15 a.m.                      Anabaptist Prayer Gathering  
7:00 p.m.                      PIM Prayer Meeting in the Basement  
7:00 p.m.                      Deacon's Meeting

**Wednesday, June 3**

8:00 a.m.                      Quilting  
9:30 a.m.                      Young Women's Group  
5:00 p.m.                      Mission & Service Committee  
7:00 p.m.                      Kids Club  
7:00 p.m.                      MYF  
7:00 p.m.                      Alabanza y Oración  
7:30 p.m.                      Choir Practice  
8:00 p.m.                      Choir "End-of-Year" Party

**Friday, June 4**

6:30 p.m.                      Peace Center

**Sunday, June 6**

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**

June 13      Annual Church Business Meeting  
June 18-19   PSMC Assembly in Arizona  
July 11-17   Jr. High Camp at Camp Keola  
July 18-24   High School Camp at Camp Keola  
Aug 20-22   PIM Family Camp at Camp Keola  
Sept 3-6      Family Camp at Camp Keola

## **PIM Anuncios**

Hoy: Domingo 30 de Mayo, 2010. Tarde Familiar: (Venga dispuesto a pasar un tiempo agradable, jugaremos Volley y otras dinámicas, además traiga sodas, jugos, cualquier clase de frutas y ensaladas)

**Domingo 6 de Junio, 2010. 3:00 PM. Dedicación casa hermana Francisca Valdovinos.**

**Domingo 13 de Junio, 2010. 5:00 PM Reunión de Negocios.**

### **Servicios de Intercepción / Liberación y Sanidad.**

**Martes 7:00 PM.** Oración e Intercepción en las "Catatumbas, el sótano de la iglesia". Coordinan Rubén Montes y José Míreles. En esta reunión de oración estaremos enfocados especialmente, en la ministración por sanidad del cuerpo, el alma, recibir el Espíritu Santo y liberación.

### **Grupos De Crecimiento (CAFÉ)**

**Martes 7:00 PM. Grupo de crecimiento. En el hogar de la hermana Ana..**

#### **Miércoles. Oración Y Estudio Bíblico.**

Horario: 7:00 – 7:30PM. Oración. 7:30 --8:00 PM. Alabanza. \* 8:00 – 8:45 PM- 8:50-9:30 PM. Discipulado Nivel #1. (todos están cordialmente invitados).

**Jueves 5:00 PM.** Grupo de Crecimiento en las acacias. Rubén Montes

**Jueves 7:00 PM Grupo de crecimiento. Dinuba, Casa Dayanira.**

**También en la casa de la Hermana Guille Ibarra Otero.**

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

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

#### **Futuros Conciertos En El 2010 Con:**

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

### **Fechas Importantes Para este año:**

#### **Junio**

**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 para más información comuníquese con la hermana Ligia Franco)

#### **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.