



**FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH
REEDLEY, CALIFORNIA**

**October 18, 2009
10:45 a.m.**

**Breathe and Be Filled
Wisdom 6**

Gathering

Music for Gathering David Boldt
The Suspended Garden (Alain)
 Gathering Words and Prayer Ruth Buxman
 Lighting the Christ Candle and the Peace Lamp
*Leader: We light this candle to remind us of Jesus, the light of the world.
 We light this lamp to remind us of the way of Jesus, the way of peace.*
All: Come, Lord Jesus, into our lives and into our world.
 Hymns and Songs of Praise
Father, We Praise Thee WH 650
For the Fruit of all Creation WH 90

Wisdom for the Journey

A Word to the Wise Lillian Dueck
 Morning Prayer
 Singing our Prayer
Lord, Teach Us How to Pray Aright WH 350

Listening

Children's Time
 Worship Music Women's Ensemble
Offertory (Beck)
 Old Testament Wisdom Reading
Job 14:1-9
 Proclamation Stephen Penner
There Was Once a Man Named Job

Responding

Sharing our Gifts
 Sharing with Each Other
 Congregational Song
If You But Trust in God WH 576

Sending

Benediction
 Postlude
If You But Trust in God (Bach)

**PRIMERA IGLESIA MENONITA
REEDLEY, CALIFORNIA**

**Octubre 18, 2009
10:45 am**

**Servicio de Alabanza y Adoración
Visión PIM: "Hacer Mas Y Mejores Discipulos"
Vehículo de movilización "PESCA"**

"El Que Tiene Sed Que Venga Y Beba"

J. Montes

Coordinador Juan Montes

TIEMPO DE PREPARACIÓN

Oración e Intersección en el alta / Bienvenida / Oración de Inicio Coordinador

ALABEMOS Y ADOREMOS JUNTOS

Canto de Alabanza Grupo de Alabanza
 Cantos de Celebración Grupo de Alabanza
 Diezmos y Ofrendas / Oración Coordinador
 Cantos de Adoración Grupo de Alabanza
 Jr. Church (Salón11) 10/18 al 11/29, 2009 Alexis Sandoval

OIGAMOS LA PALABRA DE DIOS

Lectura Bíblica I / Oración Coordinador
 Invitado Especial Pastor Ruben Mercado
 Testimonios / Peticiones / Anuncios Coordinador

**"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 (Diacono) 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.

Assistance for the hearing impaired is available from the audio operator.

October 25, 2009 On this Sunday morning, in our Spanish language service, spirited music will liven up our service and a timely message will be presented. In our English language service Stephen Penner's message will be rooted in the book of Job. The church choir will be singing on this Sunday. In the evening, at 5 p.m., the Fresno Pacific Concert Choir will be singing in our sanctuary.

November 1, 2009 On this Sunday morning Laura Neufeld will bring the morning proclamation out of the book of Ecclesiastes and Melva Ewy will share special music. Our Spanish language service will include a message by Juan Montes and spirited congregational singing.

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.

October 18 – Graciela Sandoval, Kate Milton

October 25 – Christine Moyer, Guillermina Ibarra

November 1 – Beth Peña, Sharon Reimer

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

Fellowship Time Everyone is invited to come to the kitchen end of the Fellowship Hall at 10:30 a.m. after the Sunday School 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:

October 18 – Judy & Vern Warkentin (coffee); Annie & Jim Compton-Schmidt (food)

October 25 – Marty & Wayne Zimmerman (coffee); Francisca Valdovinos (food)

November 1 – Fran Loewen (coffee); Melinda & Dave Hasegawa (food)

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

Joys and Concerns We are thankful that Florence Siebert underwent a successful heart bypass surgery this past Tuesday. We pray for Florence as she recovers. We want to hold the Edythe Eymann family in our prayers. The memorial service for Edythe will be held this coming Saturday, October 24, at 10:30 a.m. in our sanctuary.

Church in the Basement Celebrates Ten Years Today In late October 1999, Church in the Basement was launched in the old kitchen space of our church basement. Our church gave significant support to this effort as the Church in the Basement phenomena took root and began to flourish. Now Church in the Basement has become its own independent, free-standing, church. It has a weekly worship service plus many other activities. The worship service is still held in our church basement space. Church in the Basement will be celebrating ten years of God's goodness today.

Peace Center Friday, October 23, 6:30-8:30 Artists: Chris Janzen (sounds and graphics) and Jesse Nathan (words) present DINNER (or A Deranged Event Staged in a Theoretical Mansion in Which Time and History Have Been Grossly Dismembered and What We Know as the Laws of Physics Wildly Subverted, Conducted as an Inquiry into the Genius of Madness and the Art of the Faux Pas, and Having as a First Course to be Served to a Cast of Sixteen Eccentrics A Dish of Carrot Cabbage Salad Meant to Tickle Every Palate).

Volunteers needed for academic projects, role-plays, and interviews. For more information contact Lance Zimmerman at 393-7465 or lzimmerman@alliant.edu.

Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) Needs You! MDS is looking for volunteers from California to work at the Dulzura fire site southeast of San Diego. Volunteers are needed later this fall, in October and November. If you would like to spend up to a week helping out please call Sarah Yoder of MDS at 717-859-2210.

The Koinonia SS Class invites you to join them in a study of the book "Flickering Pixels: How Technology Shapes Your Faith." This book seeks to raise awareness about being in touch with our faith in a world of high-tech media. In the words of one reviewer, Flickering Pixels seeks to, ". . . educate as to why we should be . . . careful to uncritically embrace the latest offerings from the gods of technology." The Koinonia Class meets at the kitchen end of the Fellowship Hall.

Pastoral Evaluation The board of deacons are conducting a three-year review of Pastor Juan Montes. Juan's current memorandum of understanding with our congregation concludes in January 2010. Written evaluation forms in Spanish and English are available in both the sanctuary and the Fellowship Hall. We invite you to fill these out and return them into the marked boxes. Those who would like to respond orally should speak to one of the deacons. Our deacons are Sebastian Andrade, Maxi Ambriz, Ruth Buxman, Wendell Rempel, Joleen Siebert, and Roger Zimmerman.

**“Give Thanks Unto the Lord”
Fresno Pacific University
Concert Choir**

Roy L. Klassen, Conductor

Sunday, October 25, 2009 at 5PM

**Here at First Mennonite Church
Invite your friends to join us!**

There will be a light meal in the Fellowship Hall following the performance, and you are invited to join the guest performers. If you plan to attend, please RSVP by calling Judy Warkentin (638-2770) or the church office (638-2917) by October 20. We also need volunteers to bring a salad dish for the dinner. A sign-up sheet is provided at the back of the sanctuary for those who would be willing to contribute a salad. All other food and drinks will be provided.

PIM Anuncios

Hoy a las 6:00 PM. Servicio Especial “Bienvenido Espíritu Santo”.

Servicio de Alabanza, Oración y Entrenamiento Cristiano.

Octubre 18, 2009. Pastor Mercado de Bolivia, pastoreando en México estará predicando en la mañana, traiga invitados. El tiene un testimonio poderoso.

Octubre 18, 2009. 6: 00 PM Programa Especial de Jóvenes. (En Ingles, tendremos interpretación simultánea).

Octubre 30, 2009. 8:00 PM. Vigilia, Presentaremos el video de cómo Hollywood prepara sus películas y como daña nuestra gente

Octubre Sábado 31, 2009. “Encuentro De Un Día” “EL Poder De La Sangre De Jesucristo” 3:00- 10:00 PM

Próximos Eventos:

Noviembre 8, 2009 4:00 PP. Programa para la comunidad, tendremos, brinca brinca, hot dogs, sodas, chips, invite para este día, también presentaremos a **Belkis Deyanira en Concierto, “Ministrando a la comunidad” traiga invitados.**

Diciembre 5, 2009 Giovanni Ríos. En Concierto de “Celebración Y Júbilo”. Por primera vez en Reedley

Enero 2, 2009. Por Primera vez en Reedley y en Concierto Erick Porta.

Nota: Todos los Miércoles de 12:00-12:45 PM. Enseño un estudio bíblico en el River Packing. 7:00-8:30 PM Oración Estudio Bíblico.

Viernes y sábados. 7:00 PM, Actividades variadas para jóvenes.

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.

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF
October 18, 2009**

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. PIM Worship Service in the Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m. Church in the Basement

Tuesday, October 20

6:15 a.m. Anabaptist Prayer Gathering
8:00 a.m. Quilting

Wednesday, October 21

8:00 a.m. Quilting
9:30 a.m. Young Women's Group
7:00 p.m. Kids Club
7:00 p.m. MYF
7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Friday, October 23

6:30 p.m. Peace Center

Sunday, October 25

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. PIM Worship Service in the Fellowship Hall
5:00 P.M. FPU Concert & Dinner
6:00 p.m. Church in the Basement

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov. 22 Church Loyalty Day