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Mary and Bob Schaal; Missionaries around the World,  
Leonard Troxel; Betty Hammann; Makyla Ruttle; Lynn Bell;  
Cindy Michels; Kylie Rivera; The Unrest in our Country; Police  
and Law enforcers; Total Recovery Ministry; leaders of our  
country; the unsaved; our military and their families;  
all those affected by COVID-19; Border Patrol;



## December BIRTHDAYS

DECEMBER	SCOUTS DECEMBER
4 Joshua Roberts	11 Patience Bowen
8 Linda Neal	14 Charlie Nance
14 Carol Troxel	22 Jayden Noel
19 Donna Goodner	22 Matthew Haworth
19 Rebecca Carlisle	25 Aubree Bravo
30 Sarah Sullivan	27 Cael Williamson
30 Glen Moss	31 Jackie Shull
30 Jack Carlisle	



## January BIRTHDAYS

JANUARY	SCOUTS JANUARY
16 Brian Claar	1 Mariah Escalantu
22 Mary Schaal	1 Eric Fnu
26 Jadon Jones	2 Nicholas Goodwill
27 Sally Washum	3 Sophia Guillen
29 Tom Rushin	4 Levi Plante
	14 Gavin Glass
	15 Isabella Borck
	17 Alyse Arroyo
	31 Trinity Rodman

## December ANNIVERSARIES

21	Paul & Sandy Schlehr
27	Vince & Judy Apple

## January ANNIVERSARIES

11	Rusty & Sally Washum
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## == CARING MINISTRIES == NEWS

A big THANK YOU to Glen and Barb Moss and all that supported

### *Dean Holland's Memorial Service*

We've had several members of our church family that have changed their address to Heaven this year and it is wonderful to see how the SVPC family cares for each other.

## == MISSION COMMITTEE == NEWS

# BIG THANK YOU

- To everyone who brought food for the **Thanksgiving Dinners** for the 4 families at AZ Baptist Children's Services!

They appreciated it!

- To Sandy and Paul Schlehr for delivering the food.

# ANNOUNCEMENT

look for the Sign ups for providing Christmas dinner and presents for the 12 children for the same 4 families.

Thank you for helping these hurting children and their families.

# THANK YOU

# TREASURER'S REPORT

Glen Moss

The financial information below includes all 2022 income and expenses through September 30, 2022. The income figures include all giving, whether toward a pledge to the Annual Stewardship Campaign or donation to a Mission Partnership, a Special Offering, or any other type giving. The expenses include all expenses incurred including the distribution of monies donated toward special projects or Mission Partnerships.

## YEAR TO DATE FINANCIALS

	SEPTEMBER	YTD
INCOME	\$23,831.51	\$209,508.18
EXPENSES	\$24,968.95	\$244,342.84

\* Income includes gifts for special events and offerings and the Expenses also include where those special items have been "passed along" to the intended organization.



As you can see, our year to date expenses exceed our year to date income. We are fortunate that we have an Investment Account that began as the proceeds from an estate that was donated to the church. The downside is that any expenses not covered by donations and rent income from the Preschool and other users of the facilities will be charged against the Investment Account. If you need a tax deduction when you file 2022 taxes, please keep Sierra Vista in mind. We are a non-profit organization and donations to Sierra Vista are deductible for those who file itemized returns.

If you have not returned your response to our annual Stewardship campaign, it's not too late. Pledges can be sent in any time, however, it helps when we can get an idea of what to expect for the coming year. Our pledges are volunteer submittals and although we track progress, we do not send out dun notices. If you have misplaced your pledge card, please contact Sarahi at the church office and we will get another one sent out.

Also, this year, as you will notice, the Stewardship mailings contained letters and/or notes from some of your Session members who communicated their reasons for tithing. Darren has also requested that if there are members of the congregation who wish to share why they tithe and support Sierra Vista and its containing all comments received.

God is Good and we have been blessed. In all things God is faithful to us, let us be faithful to Him.  
These are the gifts of God from the people of God for the work of God.  
Let us be good stewards of His gifts.

# SIERRA VISTA SCOUTING NEWS

## OVERALL PROGRAM

SCHEDULE FOR THE COMING WEEKS IS:

- December 7 : Regular schedule for all levels
- December 10: Dorothy Young Electric Light Parade downtown Yuma.
- December 11: Annual Christmas Caroling Hayride and party.  
Doors will open at 5 pm for lite refreshments before the caroling starts.  
The trailer will leave Sierra Vista at 5:30 and go throughout the neighborhood. The trailer will return to Sierra Vista around 6:30 and heavier refreshments and hot cocoa will be awaiting the carolers.
- December 15: Club Scouts will be holding their Pack Meeting to distribute awards and recognitions. Immediately after the Pack Meeting, the Bear Den will host a "Bear Carnival" in the grassy area. Regular meetings for Girl Scouts and the Boy Scout Troop will be held as normal.

All Scouts at Sierra Vista will be on Christmas break starting December 16 and will return on January 12, 2023

## COMING EVENTS FOR 2023:

- February 7 : Blue and Gold banquet for all Cub Scouts.
- February 12: Scout Sunday observed at Sierra Vista Presbyterian Church.  
All scouts attending will receive a commemorative patch.
- February 25: SATURDAY Morning – Annual Sierra Vista Pinewood Derby in Fellowship Hall.  
DERBY Kits will be available December 15.

## GIRL SCOUT TROOP

It will soon be Cookie Sales Time. Watch for Troop 8054 booths in the community and contact one of our 8054 girls to purchase lots of delicious goodies.

Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year  
and be safe so that we will see you in 2023.

# DECEMBER 2022

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Communion

2nd Sunday of  
Advent

Food Sunday

6:00 pm -Adult  
Bible Study

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7am -3pm COM

Scouts 6pm

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Dorothy Young  
Electric Parade

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Christmas  
Caroling @5pm  
SVPC

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Bible Study

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Scouts 6pm

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4th Sunday of  
Advent

Sierra Vista Presbyterian Church Parking  
will be temporarily closed from 19th - 21st



6:00 pm -Adult  
Bible Study



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