

¡Saludos en el nombre de Jesucristo!

My friends, today I wanted to let you know about a couple of things happening soon in the life of our congregation. First, I am proud that on Saturday, October 14 at 3:30 pm, LPPC will be hosting another meeting to talk about the status of the Sandia Conference Grounds. The covid pandemic and recent drought conditions have been devastating to these campgrounds. But we continue to be hopeful that through enough energy, planning and organization, we can return these grounds to their glory days when it was a vibrant retreat center for churches and youth groups from all over the Presbytery. If you share a passion for the care of these grounds, you are invited to be a part of this meeting.

I also want to ask all of you to mark your calendars for a special event that's coming up in the life of our congregation. On November 18-19, our church will be a food site for the Placitas Holiday Market. We are planning to sell tamales, cookies, hot chocolate, cider, brownies, hotdogs, Frito pies and so forth, but we need your help to make this event a success. There will be a sign-up sheet outside the sanctuary for some of these items starting this Sunday.

This Sunday, the scripture readings will be Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20, and Philippians 3: 4b-14. My sermon is titled "Do We Really Need Commandments?" I look forward to being with you at 8:30am in the Upper Room or at 10:30am either in the sanctuary or over Zoom.

Blessings,

Pastor Rich