

¡Saludos en el nombre de Jesucristo!

My friends, today I want to thank you for a wonderful Earth Day celebration last week. The second annual Blessing of the Animals service was a great success. We had about ten dogs in attendance with their humans, and we raised \$50 for Watermelon Mountain Ranch. On Sunday, we had an excellent adult forum in which Maria Thomas showed us some beautiful slides of native plants and told us about constructing gardens where bees and other pollinators can thrive. Finally, during our 10:30am service we had a skit titled "The Meeting of the Bee Board" where members of the Earth Care Fellowship dressed up as bees and performed a drama that, while hilarious in its dialogue, was also quite serious in its overall message. I hope you enjoy the pictures we're attaching of the skit.

This Sunday, for our adult forum, we look forward to welcoming Sandra Gragert who is coming to us from the Placitas Community/Senior Center. Ms. Gragert will be telling us about all what's going on these days at the community/senior center, including all the available fitness activities, classes, shopping trips and meals. Please join her in the Upper Room at 9:30am.

For our worship services this Sunday, our scripture readings will be Psalm 23 and John 10: 1-10. My sermon will be titled "Trusting the Shepherd". I look forward to being with you either at 8:30am in the Upper Room or at 10:30am either in the sanctuary or over Zoom.

Blessings,
Pastor Rich