

¡Saludos en el nombre de Jesucristo!

My friends, today I want to talk to you about what a big week coming up at LPPC and take a moment to recognize a special member of our church.

This coming week, we will be having a wedding in our church. Mara McGough-Madueña and Cody Muchow will be getting married in our sanctuary on Saturday, July 8, and we want to have our property looking as beautiful as possible. For this reason, I hope you help to clean up our grounds *this* Saturday, beginning at 8 in the morning. Snacks, coffee, and cold beverages will be provided. We have some tools on hand, but we could also use some rakes, shovels, weed-eaters, pruners, and clippers.

Also, please don't forget our July 4th event this week. I would once again like to urge you to sign up for this event. During the parade that morning, we will be asking for donations from the crowd as we give out popcorn, brownies, cookies, ice pops, and cold bottles of water. We will also be setting up a couple of bouncy houses for children to jump around in. All donations will benefit our building fund. We will have a meeting about this event for all volunteers after church this Sunday.

Finally, I know that all of you join me in congratulating Diane Herrera Shepard for being rewarded a \$400 prize from the "Pay It Forward" program at KOB local news. Diane was recognized for her work in offering free English as a Second Language Classes at the Martha Liebert Public Library in Bernalillo. Way to go, Diane!

For our worship this Sunday, our scripture readings will be Jeremiah 28: 5-9 and Matthew 10: 40-42. My sermon is titled "Hospitality and Change." I look forward to being with you at 9:30am either in the sanctuary or over Zoom.

Blessings,

Pastor Rich