

Worth  
it!

2025 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

# Worth it! TO SERVE

We believe serving God by caring for our neighbors is always worth it. We are God's hands and feet in the world, especially when it comes to hunger and homelessness. We know it is worth it when we help folks through Family Promise by providing a bed and meals for families in need, or dinner and fellowship for individuals sleeping at church through I-HELP. Or in a few hours of time making sack lunches for the East Valley Men's Center or filling grocery carts with food at St. Mary's Food Bank. Our service IS worth it because it connects our community with those we serve through God's holy presence.

## IT IS WORTH IT TO:

- Deliver Meals on Wheels.
- Serve a meal for Family Promise.
- Provide a meal to those in need through our Soul Food Ministry.
- Donate food on our First Fruits Sundays for the food bank.

## IN 2025 IT WAS WORTH IT TO:





*In an effort to end homelessness, we will provide affordable housing to individuals and families in the surrounding community of Mission del Sol.*

In July of 2023, Casa del Sol Affordable Housing received 501c3 status. Since then, the housing situation has only gotten worse. The Board has been networking, applying for grants, and accepting donations. After lots of prayer and discernment, it was decided that our first project will be purchasing a home near Mission del Sol for a family or group of individuals who qualify for housing vouchers.

We need your help in three ways:

1. Spread the word about this important mission to provide housing.
2. Give financially to support our first housing project.
3. Give to Casa del Sol by signing up for Frys community rewards by searching for Casa del Sol OR LE341 under Community Rewards on your Fry's app.

We can't wait to see how many lives will be touched by the call of this community. Contact Susan Hernandez, Mike Herrmann or Pastor Kelsy to find out how you can get involved.







# Worth it! IT IS WORTH IT TO:

Making connections at church is worth it because they remind us that we are not alone in this world. In a culture of isolation, individualism, and busyness, we live differently. Our community is shaped by Christ's love and each person belongs. These connections are not perfect, but they are worth it- because through them we find belonging, purpose, and glimpses of God's kingdom on earth. As you join together at small groups, Saturday hikes, hospitality after worship and monthly happy hour gatherings, connections grow as we share life together. These connections matter and they are worth it!

## IT IS WORTH IT TO:

- Help with Sunday Morning Hospitality.
- Invite a friend to the Block Party.
- Attend our monthly hikes.
- Bring your pet to the Blessing of the Animals.

## IN 2025 IT WAS WORTH IT TO:



327 PEOPLE  
GATHERED  
FOR MONTHLY  
HAPPY HOURS

181

PRAYER  
REQUESTS



6 NEW  
MEMBERS



# Worth it! TO GIVE

HOMEBOUND COMMUNION • CHURCH WORK DAYS • LITURGIST  
SUNDAY SCHOOL • HOMEBOUNDED COMMUNION • FACILITIES  
VISION CAMPAIGN

Sharing our time, talents, and financial resources at Mission del Sol is worth it because every time we share, we participate in God's transforming work in the world. Every act of giving, both large and small, becomes part of something greater than ourselves, shaping lives, strengthening faith, and extending Christ's love beyond our walls. Your financial gifts help to give our staff raises, maintain our facilities and grow our Family Ministries program. The Vision Campaign will lower our mortgage from \$1.2 million to about \$300,000 at the end of 2025. It has all been worth it!

## IT IS WORTH IT TO:

- Serve homebound communion.
- Join a church work day.
- Help with Casa del Sol Affordable Housing.
- Say YES to the Nominating Committee.

## IN 2025 IT WAS WORTH IT TO:

 **420**  
HOURS WORKING ON  
CHURCH PROPERTY

 **911**  
ONLINE GIFTS

PEOPLE ON CAMPUS EACH WEEK  
**641**





We live out our faith by bringing our offerings in a variety of ways:






**CHECK/CASH** - may be mailed or delivered to the church office or placed in the Offering Plate each Sunday.

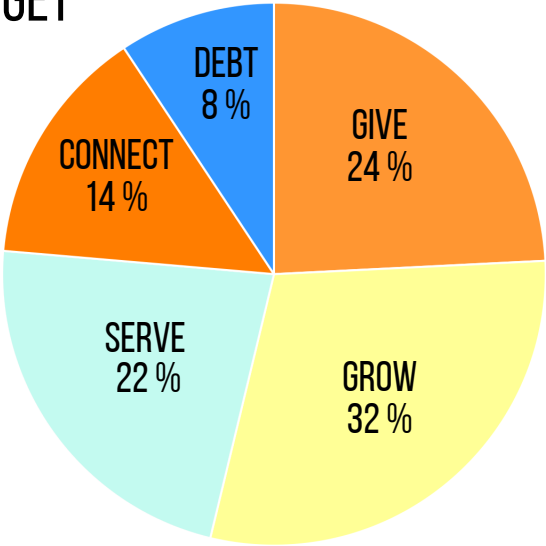
**DEBIT OR CREDIT CARD** - any financial gift can be made via debit or credit card online through <https://giving.ncsservices.org/app/giving/missiondelSol>

**ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER** - an easy and thoughtful way to give regularly. Give through your online banking system by authorizing transfer of your monthly gift to Mission del Sol following your bank's procedures.

**STOCK TRANSFER OR IRA DISTRIBUTION** - may have valuable tax advantages to donate stock or funds from an IRA to fulfill your annual pledge. Please consult with your financial advisor to determine if this method is appropriate for you.

## 2026 PROJECTED BUDGET

-  GIVE • \$137,000
-  GROW • \$184,000
-  SERVE • \$128,000
-  CONNECT • \$82,000
-  DEBT REDUCTION • \$44,000





## A NOTE FROM THE STEWARDSHIP COMMISSION

The heart of our stewardship campaign is not simply about sustaining the budget. We have to ask ourselves the question, "What things are really worth sharing our time, talents and financial resources?" We only have so much to give and we want it to be worth it.

We already know sharing what we have at Mission del Sol IS worth it because of the difference we made this past year. All the time, talents and financial resources shared in 2025 made it possible for us to serve our neighbors, grow through education, worship and music, connect with those inside the congregation and those beyond its walls, and give what we have. It was ALL worth it!

As faithful disciples of Jesus, we believe it is worth it to support the work and ministries that God has called us to do together as the Mission del Sol community. More importantly, we at Mission del Sol believe **you** are worth it. Together we will see what God can do with our time, talents and financial resources as a community. Join us on Commitment Sunday and at the Time and Talent Fair to see what God says is worth it for us in 2026!

Faithfully, The Stewardship Commission



## SAVE THE DATES

### COMMITMENT SUNDAY | OCTOBER 5

Bring your pledge card to worship or scan the QR code found on the pledge card to pledge online.

### TIME AND TALENT FAIR | OCTOBER 26

Come to learn how you can share your time and talents as part of your pledge this year.



*Mission del Sol*  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH