

Sombra Del Monte Christian Church

December 16, 2018

Opportunities for the Week:

Sunday, December 16

~Third Sunday of Advent~

9:15am Adult Sunday School

10:00am Choir Practice

10:30am Worship Service

After Worship: Coffee/Fellowship Time

Board Meeting

Thursday, December 20

7:00pm Choir Practice

Sunday, December 23

~Fourth Sunday of Advent~

9:15am Adult Sunday School

10:00am Choir Practice

10:30am Worship Service

After Worship: Christmas Brunch

Elders' Meeting

SERVING SCHEDULE FOR DECEMBER 23, 2018

Worship Leader: Melissa Leeps

(Scriptures: Luke 1:39-55)

Elders: Bob & Bobbie Bailey

Servants of the Table: J. Leeps & M. Leeps

Communion Preparation: B. Bailey & V. Weatherill

Audio & Projectionist Tech: Vicki Harris

Fellowship Host: Christmas Brunch

The Shadow newsletter & calendar is published the last weekend of each month.



This Sunday's Sanctuary flowers are provided by Jeff Thomsen in memory of Elizabeth.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ENCHANTMENT



Albuquerque Handbell Ensemble

Enchantment Albuquerque Handbell Ensemble "The Child in All of Us"

Sunday, December 16, at 3:00pm
Sandia Preparatory School (532 Osuna Rd NE)

Tickets are \$10
Children under 5 free
www.enchantmenthandbells.org

Christmas Brunch
Sunday, December 23
after worship
Please plan to join us!



Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion Service

Monday, December 24
5:00pm

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IMPORTANT: Due to the holidays and Ilona's vacation, there will be some changes to the church office hours. Please make note of them.

Monday, December 17
12 noon to 5:00pm

Tuesday, December 25 - Closed

Wednesday, December 26
10:00am to Noon

OFFICE
HOURS

2018 Christmas Offering

The Christmas Offering supports many ministries in our Southwest Region. Your generous gifts make a difference. Regional ministry knits the church together by equipping leaders, encouraging congregations, and building relationships.



Copies of the **approved** 2019 Budget and slate of officers are located on the Information Desk.

It's that time of year when members and friends of Sombra Del Monte remember the church staff with a "love gift". You may place your check in the offering plate - just mark the memo line "staff gift".

Last chance to order a poinsettia!

Plants are \$8.00 each. Please fill out the order form completely and legibly. Payment and forms can be put in the offering plate or Ilona's inbox in the church office. Forms are on the Information Desk. **Payment is due no later than December 17.**

WELCOME!

We were delighted to have the Gutierrez family join our church last Sunday by their baptism. Let us keep Nathan & Mercedes in our prayers for their continued spiritual growth and development.

WE ARE PRAYING FOR...

Chuck Rosenbach, Susan Sawyer & Bill Slough (Charlie Hays' friends), and Fred Shoemaker

Our shut-ins are: **Joanne Colvin, Abigail McVeety, and Mary Miller**