



VISTA de la MONTAÑA UMC

Echoes

April

Connect & Grow 2022

Pastor's Pen

Easter falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the Spring Equinox. The Spring Equinox which is the first day of Spring was Sunday March 20th. The first full moon after that date falls on April 16th, which means the next day April 17th is Easter the day we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus the Christ from the dead.

This Spring and Lenten Season has truly been a season of growth and renewal. We have been following our theme of the year of "Connect and Grow". Since the beginning of January our in-person attendance at worship has been growing. Our Sunday school classes, Bible studies and other groups and classes have also been growing. It is slow but things are coming back. Our society, church, along with the natural world that surrounds us has been coming back. Thank you to all of you who have been and are a part of Vista's life and health.

I know quite a few are still at home. But I encourage you now to really consider gathering with us in-person if you can. Your very presence is a witness to your faith and belief in Jesus Christ. When present for the activities of the church you fulfill two of your membership vows at once, "Presence and Witness."

Holy week is also upon us. Palm Sunday worship is an excellent time to invite FRAN (friends, relatives, acquaintances and neighbors) as well as to our Good Friday service at 3pm and our Easter services: 7am Sunrise, and 10am our regular Easter service. Our youth will be providing pancakes between the services for those who stay after the Easter Sunrise and before the regular 10am time.

I hope this series on the Lord's Prayer has been increasing your understanding and deepening your spiritual life. I pray you are praying it every day this Lenten season and praying it becomes a lifelong habit. If you missed any of the messages on the 6 phrases of the Lord's Prayer, you can find them on our website vistaumc.org. The series ends on Easter Sunday with the message, "Delivered from Evil."

Jesus' death on the Cross, as payment for our sin, shows us the enormous debt the sin of the world has caused. Indeed, the chaos and evil of this time reinforces our need for a Savior and for our prayer, "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Jesus' resurrection from the dead shows that the power of God and the power of Love can never be conquered. As Jesus said, *"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."* John 16:33

Yes, we are more than conquerors through Him who loves us.

See you in worship!!

Pastor Fred

P. S. Starting right after Easter I am taking an eight-week study/renewal leave. I plan on starting a book during this time and contemplating my response to our denominational division. I also intend to renew my spirit in the Great Outdoors that I grew up in and spending time with my kids and grandkids. I have lined up some very inspiring preachers in my physical absence (but you are always in my prayers).

***The mission of the church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.***

*Let our prayers be
heard*

Compassion Connection

In Need of Continued Prayers for Healing

Gerry Alberts, Mary Berg, Frank Buck, Delores Brindle,
Dr. Chuck Crown, Slim Crowson, Suzanne Ewing,
Steven Extract, Jeanne Farnum, Shane Gallo,
Kay Gragg, Bill Gureck, Fran & Paul Hampton,
Stephen McCotter, Paul Oelrich, Margaret Overman,
Barbara & Allen Phillips, Diane Podlasek,
Dr Bill Pohnert, Joan Robinson,
Barry Shuman, Meagan Spencer,
Marilyn Waldo, Cheryl Watts



Home Bound

John & Joan Davies
Bob & Eileen Herd

Prayers for Ukraine

*Peace I leave with you; my peace I
give you. I do not give to you as the
world gives. Do not let your hearts be
troubled and do not be afraid.*

John 14:27



. . . “We stand with the United Meth-
odists in Ukraine in prayer for protec-
tion, reconciliation and peace. We
pray for pastors, leaders and congrega-
tions in the United Methodist Church
in Ukraine; may God grant that their
witness of reconciliation and peace
will bring strength and hope to the
Ukrainian peoples.

We pray for Bishop Eduard Khegay,
bishop of both Russia and Ukraine,
may God give him the wisdom and
grace that he needs in his ministry and
leadership under these challenging cir-
cumstances.” . . . **

*** excerpts taken from a letter written by
Bishop Christian Alsted , Nordic and Baltic
Episcopal Area The United Methodist Church,
published 02.24.2022*

***Let our prayers for peace be
heard as we unite in prayer.***

Prayers for Our Churches

Each month churches in the South District pray with and for
each other. Please pray for the pastors,
congregation, and community of the following:

April 2022

Christ Church UM, Tucson
Community UMC, Bowie
Campus Ministry, UofA, Tucson
And

Our sister church, Fuente de Vida in Agua Prieta, Mexico

Join Together In Prayer With Vista Church

***As we intentionally seek connection by praying for our Congregation,
Church Leaders, Community and our Country!***

*May our prayers as a community be heard and our church grow in the Love of
God and impact our community in miraculous ways.*

Mission Outreach Ministry April 2022

Dear Vista Family:

Happy Spring time to one & all. Once again, we get to celebrate Easter and all the joy and blessing that come with this time of the year. Jesus is alive and living in our hearts, thru God's Holy Spirit. We are all truly Blessed. Your Mission program carries on bringing joy, help and God's face of love and care to those in need in our community and beyond.

Our Mission team voted to present to Council the opportunity to sponsor a Ukrainian family when one became available, and the council voted in favor of making it a church wide project. We will now see where God leads us with this project. Please pray that God will lead us to just the right family that needs our love and care. Stay tuned!! We want to thank our generous Vista Family for your offering of \$2365.00 for UMCOR Ukrainian relief.

A good portion of our Easter offering will go to help with the Snak Pak project at Coronado K thru 8 school across the road from Vista. We continue thru the Snak Pak program to feed 60 children on the weekends as they pick up their bag of food every Friday. We look forward to your generous offering to help these underprivileged kids. In our community. If you would like to help pack the food bags, please let us know.

This is the time of year when we sign up the sponsors for the school supplies and backpacks for our students in Agua Prieta Mexico. You will be getting a letter form the AP school team if you have been a participating sponsor. We got some great pictures of our student and we have a good list of new ones too. We do hope you will continue to sponsor your child for a full school year for only \$30,00. More Information to follow in the next weeks.

The coffee shop and coffee roasting business in Agua Prieta is opening up again. We still need some of the equipment to get the shop open and running. We received \$1000.00 of the funds we need to get it open but we still need \$2890.00 to finish the project. If you feel led to help with this Mission project, please mark on your check memo line AP Coffee Shop. All Checks are made out to Vista UMC. Thank you so much for helping with the needs of our Sister Church, Fuente de Vida.

The next 3 Sundays we will be selling Easter Cards as well as ALL Occasion cards too, in the Narthex. Thank you to all those who give us your old cards so we can recycle them into new cards and support the Women's Co op who make these lovely Cards. You may deposit all your cards in the Mission baskets in the narthex.

I have GREAT news. "SAVE the DATE" We plan to go to Agua Prieta, Mexico on the last Saturday of Oct. the 29th.for the Celebration of Learning Festival. We have not been able to go for the last 2 years due to Covid. But now the border is open a we will be returning. It will be a great opportunity to visit our Sister Church and meet your sponsored child. We will begin sign ups for the bus in September.

A reminder that we are emphasizing our food collection for the Food Bank at Impact. There is great need and we want to help serve those in our community. Watch for a special set up sign in the narthex over the 1st Sunday of April.

Lots of good things are happening thru your Mission program at Vista and we welcome your participation at our next meeting Wed, April13th at 1:30 PM in the St. Matthews room. Please pray for our team as we go about serving the Lord thru our work and care for those in need.

Yours in Mission service: Dee Berman ...Chairman

Children, Youth & Young Adult

THE DIGGING INTO LIFE OF JESUS

ELEMENTARY SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays 10:00 AM St John Room

Join us as we DIG IN Sunday school with deeper Bible experiences for kids. Designed to help kids understand Biblical concepts that guide them every day. These Sunday school lessons allow children to create experiences where they make discoveries, helping them to take ownership of their faith. And, DIG IN offers Bible lessons for kids that present the Bible as real and relevant, packed with rich meaning that applies to their lives today. We are ready to LEARN together, Are *YOU* ready to DIG IN?

BE BOLD

FEARLESS PRETEEN CURRICULUM

JR HIGH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays 10:00 AM St Luke Room

BE BOLD Sunday school curriculum gives your preteens exactly what they need—validation of their faith questions, and a place to connect as they explore those questions together. And we'll guide you every step of the way as you become their conversation guide...and fellow explorer. Bible lessons that are relevant, packed with rich meaning that applies to their lives today. We are ready to LEARN together and **BE BOLD** for Christ!

SR HIGH SUNDAY SCHOOL



Sundays 10:00 AM

St Mark Room

We will be working the Group's LIVE curriculum, engaging teens where they are in the world today. And today's teenagers are starving for "more of Jesus"—not just more information, but a deeper, richer, truer encounter of him. *LIVE Jesus-Centered Life* unlocks the door to deeper conversations and explorations that satisfy this hunger.

Dates to Remember

SALSA/NACHO BAR FUNDRAISER

Saturday April 30th Prep Day

EVENT on Sunday May 1st, After Church

GRADES 6-12 DISTRICT LOCK IN

May 13—RSVP Required

MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSIONS TRIP

May 31—June 3

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Save
the
Dates
June 12-17
& Sunday
June 19th



Please save your Southwest decorations for us

CONFIRMATION Coming Fall 2022

Contact Valerie or Peggy Jo for more
information or to Sign Up

YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP TIME

Our next meeting **Sunday April 3rd** after church at Basha's Food Court at 11:40 – Contact Valerie Hammons or Peggy Jo Harwick for more information. We would love to see you and share where we have seen the hand of God in our lives.



April Opportunities, Updates . . .

CONNECT & GROW WITH THE SHEPHERDING COMMITTEE!

If you're new to Vista and wanting to ease into activities on your own terms, this committee is for you! For those Snowbirds leaving town, you can still stay connected to Vista over the summer. We welcome anyone who would like to make a few calls to an assigned small group of Vista folks several times a year. God Bless our awesome committee and are grateful for your participation. Questions: call Robin Conner



DISCIPLESHIP CONNECT AND GROW 2022

The Mission of the Church is to make Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World

Spending increased amounts of time in the church **enhances our ability to do our duty — God's work**. We have all been called on by the Lord to serve and spread the Word of Christ, so volunteering represents the crux of Christian devotion.

The following Committees welcome volunteers:

Evangelism
Welcome Booth/Greeters
Discipleship
Shepherds
Missions
Choice of 17 Outreach projects
Family Ministry (formally CYF)
Stephen Ministers
United Methodist Men
United Methodist Women

Walk to Bethlehem-/Dec 2022

Hospitality* Snacks, Coffee

Worship Committee**

Acolytes
Liturgists
Ushers
Altar Flowers
Communion Servers and Stewards
Choir
Audio Visual

To express interest, please contact: Robin Conner or Valerie Hammons

*Hospitality: Anne Hilton **Worship Committee groups: Gail Parson

April 2022 Finance Committee Report

February Income was \$2,612 under budget. Year-to-date we are \$582 under budget and \$16,633 less than last year. Expenses plus mortgage payment were -\$4,394 under budget for February and \$2,808 under budget year-to-date. General Fund Net Income after our mortgage payment was \$6,788, which was \$1,782 over budget. YTD we are \$2,226 over our General Fund Net Income budget.

We now owe \$317,000 on our mortgage!!!! The Lenten Challenge gifts through March 28 are \$29,527 or 66% of our \$45,000 goal!!

Through March 14 the gifts to UMCOR Ukrainian relief are \$2,365. Weekly checks are being sent to the General Conference UMCOR Ukrainian relief fund.

Attendance was 630 in person and a total of 1,444 with Live Streaming and Facebook views. This is an average of 361 weekly.

Canyon community Bank has agreed to waive our annual requirement for a CPA Compiled Audit since we have paid so much on our mortgage principal. The loan agreement is being modified. This is a savings of \$5,000.

Sharon Scanlan, Finance Chair

... Events, Opportunities ...

Lenten Mortgage Challenge Update!

Ash Wednesday March 2nd, we began our 2nd Annual mortgage challenge. Our donor is putting up \$45,000.00 this year as a challenge for matching gifts. Praise God for her faithfulness and love of our Church. Her hope is that we soon pay off this mortgage so we can redirect money to the ministry and mission of Vista Church. (updated 03.28.22)

\$29,527

\$45,000

CATALINAS COMMUNITY CHORUS PRESENTS...

Now in their 15th season, the Catalinas Community Chorus presents **"Spring Choral Showcase"** on Sunday, April 3, 2022, 3:00 pm, at Resurrection Lutheran Church, 11575 N. First Ave., Oro Valley, Arizona. After a two year hiatus, the chorus is once again offering their annual spring concert to the listening public. As in previous years, they present the fun side of music, offering an eclectic program of such diverse musical styles as John Rutter's, **"Down by the Riverside,"** The Hollie's, **"He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother,"** Jay Unger's, **"Ashokan Farewell,"** The Beach Boys', **"Kokomo,"** and Three Dog Night's, **"Joy to the World."** **Bill Bellah** is CCC's artistic director and **Mary Bellah** is accompanist.

It is amazing what such a relaxing, fun, and diverse program can do to brighten your life. So, if you are caught up on your classical music and want a change of pace, make sure you attend this program, as it will surely lift your spirits and put a smile on your face that lasts all day. Don't miss it.

Doors open at 2:15 and **tickets** are available from chorus members, at (520) 303-6474, PayPal, or online at catalinascommunitychorus.org. Advance ticket price is \$10 or \$15 at the door. Online ticket price is \$10 per ticket, plus a transaction fee of \$2.00 per online order. Ages 18 and under are free. If you purchased tickets for the canceled 2020 Spring program, they will be honored.

Masks are optional.

How Can You Be A DISCIPLE?



YOU DON'T HAVE TO KNOCK ON DOORS ANYMORE, NOW YOU CAN JUST CLICK!

Get a little help from your friends! Did you know when you share something from the Vista Facebook page, that's a hint to Facebook that this is the good stuff.

So PLEASE **share** Vista Facebook posts with your own Facebook Page! It doesn't just get Vista in front of our followers: it helps boost Vista in the newsfeed for everyone out there.

If you see something you like, please don't be afraid to react. That means hit the Buttons on the bottom. The more 'reactions' we get the more we show up in others feeds.

That is called sharing the good news! See you on Facebook. VistaUMC!

Vista UMC's Remembrance Garden

Please consider ordering a personalized brick honoring a spouse, child, parent, family, and/or pets. The engraved bricks are \$125, with most all of the money applied to the Vista Building Fund. Complete one of the forms located either in the Narthex or the Church Office, and then deliver it to the church office with your check.

Dinner For Six Members

The Dinner for Six end of season party will be on Sunday, 4/24, 4-6PM at the Schwartz's. Please bring an appetizer or dessert. Beverages will be provided. Please call Sandy if you will attend.

Online Calendar

Please check our website for an up to date calendar and for more details on meetings and events. www.vistaumc.org/calendar/

... Classes, Activities ...

Adult Classes

PROTESTANT PRAYER BEADS CLASS

Fri. Apr. 22nd 1:00-4:00PM Elizabeth Room N Yob

When the Israelites felt lost and afraid, God gave them a prayer tool of knotted fringe. The fringe helped them stay focused on God. Have you ever felt lost or does your mind wander during prayer? Prayer Beads can help. Join leader, Nancy Yob, to explore the history of the beads, and create your own unique set. We will look at ways to use the beads to enrich our prayer time and strengthen our connection with God.

There is a \$5.00 class fee to cover supplies. *(limited space)*

UP FROM THE ASHES BIBLE STUDY

Thursday 1:30 PM St John Room

Led by Jim Bleess CLM, this Bible Study has been meeting since 2021 and follows this pattern. Class members take turns reading aloud the Bible passages for the week, then have time for questions and a brief discussion period. They are beginning the Book of Acts. At the completion of these two books of the Bible, the class votes on the next book to read. The class has an open enrollment policy and welcomes new members. The class meets on Thursdays at 1:00 PM in the St Johns Room. If you would like to join, contact Donna Boring. If you have questions, contact Jim Bleess.

LENTEN STUDY

Wednesdays 10:00 AM 3/9—4/13 Elizabeth Room

This year's Lenten study is based on the Adam Hamilton book on the Lord's Prayer "The Meaning and Power of the Prayer Jesus Taught". It will be taught by Gail Parson, Worship Chair. Pastor Fred will be doing accompanying sermons on the Lord's Prayer as well.



April 26th! 6:00 PM

We are looking forward to sharing this time with you and your family. Join us for this fun monthly event. Games will be provided, or you can bring your favorite one to share. At this time there will be no food sharing, so make sure to bring a snack and beverage for yourself.

BEFORE CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday 9:00—9:40 AM St Matthew Room

Mel and Dottie McIntyre are offering this new before church Sunday morning class, using the Wired Word curriculum which applies Biblical principles to current events. Mid-week you will be emailed the lesson including - In the News, *Confronting the News With Scripture and Hope with Discussion Questions*. Check out the wiredword.com for more information and a sample lesson.

AFTER CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday 11:15 AM—12:45 PM St Matthew Room

The After Church Sunday School Class led by Linda Whittington has a long history of successful discussion and fellowship together in a combination in person and on zoom membership. Their class includes prayer, a video study with discussion following and fellowship. The current video study is on forgiveness. They provide a welcoming atmosphere for everyone and especially enjoy including new members. To join, please contact Donna Boring. For questions, please contact Linda Whittington.

... And More Connection Opportunities

Help Wanted Landscaping Crew



Thursday mornings at 8am Join us as we unite to keep up the landscaping and the beauty of our desert campus.

No experience necessary, dress ready to work and bring water to stay hydrated.

Eyeglasses+ Collection

Thank you for all your donations of old and unwanted hearing aides, eyeglasses, cases & cell phones. As you

Spring clean in '22 remember

that there are a couple donation

boxes on the church campus—in the Nar-

thex and the Main



HOW DO I
DONATE MY
SPECS?

Sunday Morning Coffee

We are very happy to have our Sunday morning coffee back at Vista!

Thanks to Delores Brindle, Alice Ann Lenzini and Nancy Caber for making and serving coffee in February and March.

If you are able to volunteer to make and serve coffee, please contact Anne Hilton. We have lots of open slots; please sign up for doing it once or more often.

Walk To Bethlehem '22

Plans for Vista's Walk to Bethlehem are beginning. We've decided

on a route involving our new building and will soon begin involving

YOU! Our first, "overview" meeting will be in early May and we'll

begin the volunteer process. For our newer members who haven't

witnessed this event, hang on to your hats and enjoy the ride!

Questions? Feel free to contact either Robin Conner or Nancy Yob,

This is Christmas

*Our
Walk To Bethlehem
2022*

Save the Dates December 7, 8, 9



Thank You Shoppers

Thank you to all the Vista Shoppers.

If you haven't yet, please go to the Fry's website and link your card to Vista de la Montaña.

AND you can also link your

Amazon Smile Account to the church.



Thank you for your continued support!

Did You Know?

YOU CAN GET THE ECHOES BY EMAIL? CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE AT VISTAUMC.ORG@GMAIL.COM TO SIGN UP.

Article Deadlines

Echoes—the 20th of each month for the following Month's publication

Bulletin—Wednesdays at Noon for the following Week's publication

Connect and Support



AGUA PRIETA SCHOOLS PROJECT



The Agua Prieta 2022 Schools Project is beginning once more at Vista!

Last summer Vista church members provided school supplies and backpacks for over 150 children including University students at our sister church Fuente de Vida (Fountain of Life). The School Supplies Mission Project is part of our Mission Committee's Economic Development Program in Agua Prieta (AP), Mexico.

A donation of \$30 per student buys the long list of school supplies and backpacks required for students to attend the public schools.

Letters are being sent in May to past student sponsors giving them an opportunity to keep their same student (if the student is still in Agua Prieta) for the 2022-2023 school year. Newly interested sponsors will be given a chance to sign up June 12.

Mark your calendars:

May 2: Letters mailed to current sponsors

June 5: Sponsor Appreciation Day and deadline to submit sponsor fee (\$30 pp)

June 12 & 19: New sponsor signup begins

July 12: Fundraising ends; shopping for supplies begins

October 22: Celebration of Learning (Agua Prieta bus trip). Depending on Covid

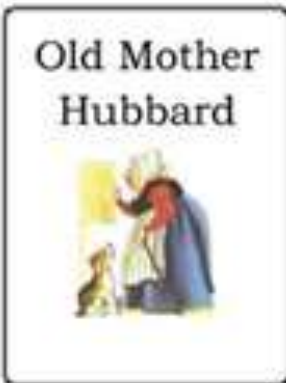
Thank you for your generous support of these needy students and families from our sister church!

Blessings, Jan Hopke-Almer, Robin Conner, Peggy Smith

AP School Supplies Mission Project Coordinators

Let's Fill Old Mother Hubbard's Cupboard

Vista's Mission Team is sponsoring a "Fill the Cupboard" drive. Let's help replenish IMPACT's food bank. Please look for the Cupboard Display on the patio Sunday April 3rd, where you will have an opportunity to make a **MONETARY DONATION** to enable IMPACT to get the most "value for the dollar" out of food purchases. Thank you.



Watching Out for You

Scammers target church newsletters and bulletins posted online searching for personal phone numbers and emails of members. This has occurred at least twice in the past year which is why for events, sign ups etc. we list the church phone number and not members personal information. We are working to keep all our members safe.

Pastor Fred



April Celebrations

Birthdays

Ilene Nevins	04/02	Janet Bukes	04/03	Leo Smith	04/06
Joanne Besch	04/07	Linda Olson	04/07	Nancy Phillipi	04/07
Clif Extract	04/08	Linda Ward	04/09	Jim Simon	04/11
Linda Zello	04/12	Lois Cooke	04/14	Jane Rytter	04/17
Belar Watts	04/17	Cliff Terry	04/18	Kim Luckman	04/19
Jim Jackson	04/22	Donna Langwig	04/22	Linda Miller	04/23
Michael Moyer	04/24	Iain Noonan	04/24	Edgar Jensen	04/26
Fern Salava	04/27	Denny Iceman	04/29	Richard Reynolds	04/26

Anniversaries

Marvin & Jean Rupe	04/03	Charles & Sandra Crown	04/06
Ken & Sharon Hunt	04/09	Delores & Kermit Brindle	04/13
Harry & Sharon Poole	04/13	Mike & Pam Kravitz	04/15
Lou & Nancy Phillipi	04/20	Joe & June Young	04/21
Don & Betty Little	04/29		

VISTA 90 YEARS PLUS CLUB

Are you turning 90 years old in 2022? If so, you are eligible to join the "Vista 90 Years Plus Club"!! If you are already 90 or older, feel free to join the fun!

We will need a recent picture of you. If you have a picture in the church directory, let us know if you want to use it. If not, arrangements can be made to take a picture after a Sunday church service. If you have a good picture, you want used, please email it to Delores.

Mark your calendar for Sunday, September 18, 2022, for celebrating this special occasion! Your picture will be shown on a poster and slide show during the service.

Invitations will be mailed out closer to the date; however, we will need your correct birth date and picture for the master listing by August 1st, whether you plan to attend.

Interested folks should contact Delores Brindle (see church directory for info).

Blessings, Delores Brindle

May Celebrations

Birthdays

Mike Kravitz	05.01	Gene Bywater	05.03	Jan Millard	05.03
Eileen Herd	05.05	Joyce Luckman	05.05	Jay O'Donald	05.06
Don Smith	05.06	Linda Gray	05.07	Jo Ann Hubbard	05.08
Jeanne Farnum	05.11	Kiana Hernandez	05.13	Mary Berg	05.14
Susan Mawhinney	05.15	Mary Lou Young	05.16	Jerry Borwning	05.17
Harper Bills	05.21	Robert Miller	05.21	Ami Fujita-Hernandez	05.23
Marilyn Rutkowski	05.23	Katy Campbell	05.24	Jan Atwood	05.26
Kim Bull	05.26	Chuck Crown	05.28	Ruth Nelson	05.28
June Guptill	05.29	Jasmine Aguirre	05.31	Anne Coffman	05.31

Anniversaries

Dennis & Peggy Higgins	05.08	Dave & Lynn Bixby	05.10
Mike & Jenna Rae Moyer	05.10	Darrell & Gail Parson	05.10
Jim & Von Ceil Bleess	05.11	John & Joan Davies	05.23
Fred & Kim Bull	05.25	Don & Alice August	05.27
Norm & Andrea Williams	05.27	Ken & Liz Zebal	05.27
Bill & Becki Daniels	05.28	Bob & Janelle Authur	05.31
Ken & Diane Podlasek	05.31		

Leaving Your Legacy Through A Bequest

A popular way to leave a lasting legacy to your faith is to establish a bequest. A bequest is a gift from your estate—a transfer of cash, securities, or other property. You can make a gift to the Vista Permanent Endowment Fund by including language in your will or living trust dedicating a specific amount or percentage to the Fund. By including the PEF (*Permanent Endowment Fund*) in your will, your investment will help Vista church keep the gospel message alive and growing.

Types of Bequest

Specific bequest: One of the many ways to support the PEF through your will or trust, and the easiest, is a bequest of a fixed dollar amount or specific property. If you would like your charitable gifts to remain in proportion to other bequests, you can designate a specific percentage of your estate, rather than a fixed amount, be given to the PEF.

Residuary bequest: If you do not wish to specify the exact size or nature of your charitable provision (often the size of a future estate is difficult to estimate), you might consider naming the PEF as a residual beneficiary of your estate. You may provide that all or a portion of the remainder of your estate shall pass to the PEF after other commitments have been fulfilled.

Should you decide to include Vista Permanent Endowment Fund in your estate plan, please supply your estate plan information on the form available at the web link below. If clicking on the link does not work, go to our website About Us/Permanent Endowment Fund/Form.

[Request-for-Grant-Form-V.1.pdf \(vistaumc.org\)](#)

<https://www.vistaumc.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/03/Estate-Plan-Form.pdf>

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MONDAY - THURSDAY

9:00 AM TO 5:00 PM *Closed 12-1 for Lunch*

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Holy Week 2022

**Palm
Sunday**

**April 10th
10:00 AM**

*Last Sunday
of Lent*

**Good
Friday**

**April 15th
3:00 PM**

Join us as we
reflect on the
journey of Jesus.

**Easter
Sunrise**

**April 17th
7:00 AM**

Join us as the **Youth**
of Vista sponsor this
time of gratitude and
celebration.

**Pancake
Breakfast**

Youth Led

**April 17th
8:30—9:30 AM**

A fabulous opportunity
to get to know the
Youth of Vista, join us
for breakfast.

**Traditional
Easter
Service**

**April 17th
10:00 AM**

And an Egg Hunt
during the Sunday
School Class Time.

With Vista UMC