

## Congregation Celebrations and Milestones



We celebrate our graduates:  
AJ Hernandez  
Logan White

## Opportunities to Connect, Serve & Support

**Impact Food Needs for May:** Throughout the month of May, we will be focusing on dry cereal. Any variety, cold or hot! Each of the 60 bags of food packed weekly at Impact contains one box of dry cereal. All shelf stable food items are most welcome!

**Adult Christian Education: Wednesdays in the Elizabeth Room, at 10:00 AM The Rock, the Road, and the Rabbi by Kathie Lee Gifford and Rabbi Jason Sobel** Are you ready to begin your journey to a deeper faith? In this six-week video study we will visit Bethlehem, Nazareth, Capernaum, Galilee, the Mount of Olives, and Jerusalem. Kathie Lee Gifford and Jason Sobel, a Messianic Jewish Rabbi, will lead us on a journey through the spiritual foundations of our faith. On this journey, we'll explore ancient landmarks and historical sites throughout Israel. We'll dig deeper into the Bible by exploring the original languages and deeper meanings of the Holy Scriptures. Tour the Holy Land with us as we experience the world of the Bible and explore the roots of our faith.

Facilitators: Jim and Linda Galka

Week 3 Capernaum: Ministry Headquarters

Week 4 Galilee: Ministry Grounds

Week 5 Mount of Olives: The Triumphal Entry

Week 6 Jerusalem: Crucifixion and Resurrection

**Next Potluck:** JUNE 8th after Worship

It's Pentecost Sunday and we will be honoring our volunteers! Meat and Desserts will be provided.

Last Names beginning with A-N: Please bring a warm side dish

Last Names beginning with O-Z: Please bring a cold side dish

**We're Hiring:** Choir Director, and a Hand Bell Choir Director, and If you or someone you know feels called to one of these part-time jobs, please send an email indicating your interest, along with your resume, to [pastor@vistaumc.org](mailto:pastor@vistaumc.org).

**FLOWER SIGN UP CHART FOR 2025:** Please consider sponsoring one or more flower arrangements in 2025 to enhance the Sunday worship experience at Vista. The donation is \$50 per arrangement, and the money is not required when you sign up.

**Next week is Loose Change Sunday!** Our collection next Sunday, May 25 will benefit Snack Pak at Coronado Elementary School. Monies collected will be used to offset our \$5000 annual commitment to this valuable ministry. Sixty students at Coronado School are considered "nutritionally at risk" every weekend. Take home bags of food are provided for these students insuring that they have food to eat each weekend. We partner with Santa Catalina Catholic Church in this community ministry. Thank you, in advance, for contributing!

**The Psalm of the Day**  
**Psalm 145:8-14**

LORD, you are generous and compassionate,  
slow to anger, and rich in love and loyalty.  
You are good to everyone, LORD,  
and you care deeply about all you have created.  
Everyone and everything will thank you, their creator,  
and all who are loyal to you will sing your praises.  
As your people, we will promote the glory of your reign,  
and broadcast the news of your power for good.  
We will tell everyone about the great things you have do  
and about the magnificent splendor of your reign.  
You will reign forever and ever, LORD,  
your rule is in place for all generations to come.  
Everything you say can be relied on, LORD,  
and everything you do is generous and loving.  
When people fall, you put them back on their feet;  
when people are crushed, you stand them tall again.

## Vista UMC Weekly Calendar

Day	Event
Sunday 5.18.25	10:00 AM - Sunday Service - Sanctuary
	10:15 AM - Child/Youth Sunday School - Ed. Building
	11:15 AM - Adult Bible Sunday - St. Matthew Room
	<b>2:00 PM - SaddleBrooke Winds &amp; Strings Concert</b>
Monday 5.19.25	
Tuesday 5.20.25	10:00 AM - Vista Women of Faith - Elizabeth Room
	Echoes Articles are Due
Wednesday 5.21.25	10:00 AM Adult Christian Education - Elizabeth Room
	1:00 PM Stephen Ministry Meeting - St. Matthew Room
Thursday 5.22.25	8:00 AM - Landscaping Team meet at church
	10:00 AM - Women's lectionary - ZOOM
Friday 5.23.25	
Saturday 5.24.25	

## Upcoming Events

### **5-18-25 SaddleBrooke Winds and Strings Concert 2PM at Vista**

5-26-25 Memorial Day. The Church office will be closed.

5-27-25 Jane Hendrickson's Celebration of Life 2:00 PM

6-8-25 Potluck

6-15-25 Father's Day