

VENICE FREE METHODIST CHURCH WEEKLY

May 17, 2024

FRIDAY, May 17

AWANA 7-8:30p

SATURDAY, May 18

PCJC Annual Conference @ APU

Youth PULSE Make Your Own Pizza 6-9p

SUNDAY, May 19

ACTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT w/PASTOR CLIFF

8:45-9:45a – MPR - Our Lord Jesus announced the kingdom of God during his life on earth. His resurrection opened the kingdom to all who believe. Explore how the Holy Spirit has extended the kingdom around the world.

Today: Holy Spirit sends Paul to Rome; Acts 25-28. This is the last class of this series. After a 2 week break, a **NEW SERIES starts June 9!**

PARKING FOR SERVICE: The Church Lot is for Seniors and those with Handicap placards. For those able, please go to the VJCC Lot at 12448 Braddock Dr. and park along the wall on the Left. Each service has a dedicated parking area. Please pull forward in the tandem spots to make room for everyone. If parking behind someone, please leave a name/number card in case you need to be called. Thank you!

INFANT/TODDLER CHILDCARE:

Little's 2 yrs and younger can be dropped off starting at 10:15am. (Across the church lot).

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Kingdom Kids' classes available for 2nd service at 10:30am.

Preschool in The Ark (Across the alleyway)

Kinder & 1st in Room 7/10

2nd & 3rd in Room 8/9

4th & 5th in Room 11/12

For questions contact kids@venicechurch.org

WORSHIP SERVICE: 9a & 10:30am

Free Methodist Bishop Kenny Martin will be speaking today! 2nd Service is livestreamed: youtube.com/c/venicefreemethodistchurch

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEET & GREET SUPERINTENDENT MIKE

Sun, May 26 after 2nd service – Sanctuary

Get to know our new PCJC Superintendent! Make sure to sign up if you will be attending: <https://bit.ly/3ULZWox>

ADOPT A MISSIONARY (AaM) LUNCH:

Sun, Jun 2 after 2nd service – Hear about what our AaM groups are doing! **RSVP by May 20** to Gary at gtaka@aol.com.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CONNECT GROUP

thru Jun 5 – 6-7:25p – Sanctuary - A fun way to discuss the "Been There" sermon series.

Childcare available for PreK-5th. This Wed is a Potluck! Signup: <https://bit.ly/3PGCB6B>

ALPHA w/PASTOR JIMMY – Wednesdays

thru Jun 19 - 6-8p – MPR - A non-judgmental space where all questions are welcome. Invite those in your life you've been trying to reach!

Dinner provided. People can email PastorJimmy@venicechurch.org to RSVP.

YOUTH PULSE VENICE MANIA GAME DAY

Sun, Jun 2 – 12-5p – Sanctuary

Lunch provided!

CREATE TO BLESS (C2B) CROCHET

2nd Sats & 3rd Thurs thru June – Well House

Crochet small blessings for hospitals and nonprofit orgs! Bethany will be available to teach any newbies! Email questions to themounts5@gmail.com.

YOUTH PULSE END OF YEAR PARTY

Sat, Jun 8 – 5-8p

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COUPLES WORKSHOP – Fri, Jun 28 - 7-9p

“Establishing a Healthy Financial Foundation,” led by Brian Lee. For couples seriously dating or married. Email Amber to sign up: arosehollyfield@yahoo.com

VBS KICKOFF – Sun, Jul 7 – 12-2:30p

All hands on deck as we prepare to impact kids for Christ! Lunch provided. You don't have to volunteer for the week to help setup!

VBS – Mon, Jul 8 thru Fri, Jul 12 – 6:30-8:30p

For kids ages 3 (and potty-trained) thru 6th grade. Volunteers needed! **Register here!** <https://vbspro.events/p/events/venice2024>

YOUTH SUMMER RETREAT

Mon, Jul 22 thru Fri, Jul 26 – Oak Glen Camp

Registration now open: bit.ly/pcjccamp2024.

Incoming 6th Graders invited to attend!

FAMILY CAMP – Fri, Nov 8 to Mon, Nov 11

Forest Home Forest Center – Forest Falls, CA

Registration info coming soon... Email office@venicechurch.org if you have questions.

CHURCH WIDE BULLETINS

SEEKING PRAYER AT VFMC IN 2024?

There are many opportunities to receive prayer!

IN PERSON: Every Wed from 7:30- 8:30pm, in the sanctuary. The 2nd, 4th, and 5th Saturday of each month, 9:00-10:30am, in the sanctuary.

After 2nd service on the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Sunday of each month in Rm 1. **OVER EMAIL:** Request prayer through our prayer chain of volunteers!

Email the Prayer Ministry Director at regariyasu@gmail.com. If you'd like to join the Prayer Team, email regariyasu@gmail.com.

SEEKING WOMEN'S MINISTRY LEADERS

This one's for the ladies! Wouldn't it be nice to gather together with your sisters in Christ for fun and fellowship at a few meaningful events throughout the year? You're in luck! We're reigniting our Women's Ministry and Fellowship for 2024 and we're looking for a few wonderful ladies to help lead and plan! If you'd like to help or have questions, contact Dawn Dohrmann at dkagihara@aol.com

SUNDAY VISUALS TEAM OPENINGS

Calling all those comfortable with a computer & looking to serve on Sundays! The Visuals Team needs your help! Contact Matt

(matthewtrit@venicechurch.org) or J.J. Uyeda (julianna.uyeda@gmail.com) for info!