



## **NEWSLETTER**

**OF THE**

**Estancia United Methodist Church**

**600 Williams, Estancia, New Mexico**

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**HAPPY  
FATHER'S  
DAY!**



**JUNE, 2017**

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## FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

Greetings, here it is the end of May 2017. June is upon us. As you by now have already heard, I have accepted a new appointment in my home conference of Arkansas. My final Sunday with you great folks will be June 25<sup>th</sup>. Rev. Keith Smith has been appointed to follow me here, at both Estancia and Mountainair churches. I know he will do a great job and you folks will love and support him in ministry. Thank you.

As I indicated to those of you in church on April 23<sup>rd</sup> my acceptance of a new appointment in Arkansas had nothing to do with you. You have been supportive, loving and caring of both me and Kathy. Thank you from both of us for your friendship. My leaving had much to do with events outside of the local charge. This decision on my part has been several years in the making. When I was appointed here this past year, I came with the commitment to do the best job I could as your part-time Pastor. I pray and hope I have been successful.

It is never easy to move, make friends, minister with you and to you and then leave. Especially after only one year. But at times it is what is necessary in following God and in being true to ones commitment to God first, self second, the local community of faith third, and fourth to personal situational and professional ethics.

Kathy and I have enjoyed your love, support, fellowship and friendship. We do not want to say good-bye because you each will always be a part of our ministry and expanding Christian Family for the remainder of our lives. Each of you have made our lives a little bit better and more blessed than before we had met you, God Bless you.

God opened a door for us and we felt as the Hunt's we needed to remain faithful to God and walk through it. Please always know we love each of

you and plan to fellowship with you some where later in our Christian walk and lives.

So with the time we have during the month of June we want to continue to be all we can be as your Pastoral family. Anything we can do for you we will strive to accomplish. Again Thank you for your love, support and friendship.

I need to leave some room for other articles and ministry opportunities within our Communities of Faith. So may the Peace and Grace of God go with you into the future of 2017. God Bless.

Rev. Robert Hunt (Bro. Bob)

# FAREWELL TO THE HUNTS, BAR B QUE



## Potluck Format

**Widners furnishing the meat**

**Other items needed:**

**Bread / Potatoes**

**Salads**

**Fruits**

**Desserts**

**Drinks**

(Sign-up Sheet to Follow...)



Every Sunday Butch prepares a lesson for Kings Kids. No matter the age or how many of the children there are in church, he will be glad to deliver his message. On Mother's Day, Pastor Hunt and his wife, Kathy, gave each woman in attendance a small tin that contained some wonderful mints...Thank You!...



# JUNE 2017

24calendars.com

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4 Worship 9:00 AM Mtair 11:00 AM	5	6	7 Pastor's Office Day 10 AM - 4 PM	8	9	10
11 Worship 9:00 AM Mtair 11:00 AM	12	13	14 Pastor's Office Day 10 AM - 4 PM	15	16	17 Men's Breakfast 8:00 AM
18 Worship 10:00 AM MtAir & Estancia Farewell BarB Que <b>FATHER'S DAY</b>	19	20	21 Pastor's Office Day 10 AM - 4 PM	22	23	24
25 Worship 9:00 AM Mtair 11:00 AM	26	27	28	29	30	



*Sent with a prayer to:*



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**NMSU Cooperative Extension Service** would like to use **Estancia United Methodist Church's Education Building** to hold classes on the following dates:

**Kitchen Creations Diabetes Cooking School**

Wednesdays, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, and October 4<sup>th</sup>,  
5:30-8:30pm

**Food Preservation Classes**

Saturday, July 8 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30 – 12:30	Jams & Jellies
Saturday, July 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 9:30 – 12:30	Salsa Making
Saturday August 19 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30 – 12:30	Canning Fruits & Tomatoes
Saturday, September 16 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30 – 12:30	Pickling Class
Saturday, September 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 9:30 – 1:30	Pressure Canning
Saturday, September 30 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30 – 12:30	Freezing & Drying

**Please let Julie Griffo or Bill Simms know as soon as possible if you will need the building on any of these dates.**

And contact Danielle at 505-544-4335 if you're interested in participating in a class!