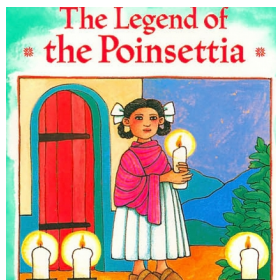




December 18th at 11:00 AM: Join us for a very special 4th of Advent communion service: we will be experiencing three Christmas stories from around the world in their own language (but with translation into English). Each of these stories will be followed by the singing of a native carol.

Three Stories and Carols that will warm your heart this Sunday (Narrated by Leah and Chely, John, Frank and Pascal; Ethan will lead us in a Venezuelan Christmas song among others) :



What's New?

Did you know that one of our students (Le Tang) produced a short documentary about Pastor Frank and U.Me.IV as part of her class project? It's called "When Love Defies Faith" - definitely A+ work. Check it out, [click here](#)

A Word of Appreciation *by Pastor Frank and family*

So many great things have been happening at U.Me.IV this past year; we have truly connected with the student community as well as our larger community and have seen an incredible growth in numbers, relationships, and spirituality. Thank you all for giving of your time, resources, energy and witness to be in ministry in Isla Vista—a place where ministry is needed like nowhere else in Santa Barbara county.

I can't tell you how proud I am of all of you who are bringing so much to our ministry. Study hall has never been more successful with students from the community telling us how much they appreciate our church. I am proud of our bbqs, holiday parties, PRIDE stand, community events, such as the screenings, as well as our continued work with the house-less residents in the Warming Center. All of these ministries are touching people's lives and are sending a message of love, acceptance, and inspiration. I can't wait what 2017 holds for us. Thank you, thank you, thank you all! Merry Christmas, everybody, and happy new year...

Upcoming Events...

Sat, Dec 24th 6:00 pm –Christmas Eve Candlelight Service @U.Me.IV with Carol Sing
Sun, Dec 25-31 –Pastor will be on vacation to celebrate Christmas with his family (in Texas)
Sun, Jan 1st 11:00 pm –New Year's Worship Service followed by refreshments and fellowship

Please note that we will not have a service on Sunday, December 25th

