

The Bridge

Connecting ABC Barn & SVLC Community



The ABC Barn's new and improved playground structure, made possible thanks to your generosity

Funding the Fun for Years to Come

Late last year Mr. Ron came to the church council with hard news. The plexiglass on the main slide on our nearly 30 year old playground had given out again, and, despite the best efforts of our volunteers to repair it, it was in rough shape.

The congregation is no stranger to maintenance and building repairs. Over the past five years the church has replaced an entire roof, installed new carpet, put in forty-plus solar panels, expanded the playground, built new retention walls,

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REFER A FRIEND

Refer a friend for new enrollment at the ABC Barn in Fall 2026 and you will receive one free week of tuition for one child!

Referral info gathered upon

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

Thanks to everyone who came to another wonderful Halloween Carnival this year!



Christmas Eve at SVLC

The congregation gathers for a single service on Christmas Eve each year at 5:30PM. Children are welcome.

SVLC worships each Sunday at 9:30AM – catch us streaming live on Facebook and YouTube. All are welcome!

Beer and Carols

Mark your calendar! One of SVLC's most cherished holiday events is back. We'll be at the San Diego Brewing Company on Dec. 15, 7-9pm for a night of raucous carol-singing with a live

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and refreshed the outdoor turf. We've done so happily, committed to our ministries to children, families, youth, and church members for the long haul.

Thanks to the generosity of church members and the quality of our preschool program, nearly all these projects have come and gone without the need to seek outside financing or raise additional funds.

Church leaders, however, saw in this project an opportunity to do something special. Taking Mr. Ron's persistent mission to draw the worshipping members and ABC Barn families together as our cue, the congregation elected to fundraise for the playground. Over the years we've had so many alumni, parents of students (incoming and outgoing), church members, and families say things like, "We love this place. If there's ever a fundraiser, let me know!" The impact of this ministry has been nearly 50 years in the making!

On October 2nd the SVLC and ABC Barn communities came together to raise funds for a new playground structure. Thanks to over \$10,000 in donations from local business partners and goods used for raffles and auction items, event ticket sales, and independent contributions



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ranging from \$100-\$5,000 apiece, church leaders are astounded to say that we've completed the project in full!

To everyone who pitched in to volunteer for the event, who donated an item, who put in your valuable time and effort, or who make a monetary donation to make this possible: thank you. ***We can do great things together.***

OPEN DOOR POLICY

When Mr. Ron walks a prospective new ABC Barn family through the property, he always makes a point to show them the pastor's office. "Our pastor is here for you," he says. And it's true.

Pastor Marcus is here to support you or your family in whatever way he can, whether that means seeking counseling, pastoral care, counseling support, or just looking for a safe place to ask big questions.

[Click here to make an appointment with him.](#)

