

**October 28, 2008**~ Pablito is baptized  
by Deacon Manuel Valencia



*Justice: The judicious search for an agreement on immigration amnesty. This is really a necessary step for the good of the nation but this justice has not yet come to pass.*

**December 23, 2007** Our Christmas  
Pageant with our own Holy family



*This justice has not yet come to pass, but it is blossoming. I see sanctuaries, protests, letters, phone calls, the support of the community; a rising clamor. I see a pro-immigrant American people and I know that justice will soon prevail.*



**May 10: Mexican Mother's Day**

Liliana's friends and family help us  
raise \$3500 for our sanctuary support

*Ah no, no. It doesn't matter if I last just one or thousands more days. This holy sanctuary is less of a sacrifice when I think (and I'm convinced) that our efforts will be rewarded with the infinite peace and humanity that the whole world deserves. Liliana Santuario*



**PROTESTS CONTINUE... AND  
SO DO WE!**

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TOGETHER WITH ALLIED  
MEMBERS FROM VC CLUE  
AND SUPPORTERS LIKE YOU!**

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**United Church  
of Christ  
in Simi Valley**

**A YEAR IN  
LILIANA'S LIFE**



On May 20, 2007, Susy's world  
turned upside down...

Please help us make it right again!

Get involved with the New Sanctuary  
Movement

[www.newsanctuarymovement.org](http://www.newsanctuarymovement.org)

Please Donate to the New Sanctuary  
Movement at UCC Simi

BIBLICAL SANCTUARY THESE WERE THE CITIES APPOINTED FOR ALL THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL AND FOR THE STRANGER WHO DWELT AMONG THEM...JOSHUA 20:9

**In her own words...***The definitions of justice and crime are so equivocal, so fragile. When I saw the tears in my children's eyes because I was leaving, when my husband couldn't release my hand to let me go, I felt the earth slip out from under my feet and I fell all the way down, I felt completely alone... alone with Pablito, who was barely a month old*



AFTER RECEIVING REFUGE BY A CATHOLIC DEACON, LILIANA ENTERS SANCTUARY AT ST. LUKE'S IN LONG BEACH, CA LIVING IN CONVERTED OFFICE SPACE WITH PABLITO.

**JULY 8:** IN RESPONSE TO LILIANA'S PLIGHT OUR CONGREGATION OFFICIALLY BECOMES A SANCTUARY CHURCH



RENOVATING THE PARSONAGE BECOMES A PRIORITY~ DONATIONS AND VOLUNTEERS MAKE IT ALL POSSIBLE

**AUGUST 23, 2007**  
LILIANA ARRIVES IN SIMI VALLEY



*No, I'm not leaving; I'm staying here. I repeat what I've said before: I'm not leaving. (Period)*

**AUGUST 28~**Susy's 5TH BIRTHDAY~ LILIANA IS OFFICIALLY WELCOMED IN A PUBLIC INTERFAITH SERVICE



*Crime: The bureaucratic unfeeling policy that has been imposed on me... but it is so incongruous that it is weakening daily.*



**September 16, 2007~** the protests begin



**September 17** Univision live telecast at 5:00 a.m.