

Dayspring

United Methodist Church

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10:00am

WELCOME

We are committed to transforming the church and the world into a full expression of Christ's inclusive love.

Dayspring UMC is a Reconciling Congregation. All people, regardless of age, sex, race, color, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic status or ability are welcome into the full life of our congregation. Dayspring affirms the value and worth of all persons, recognizing that everyone is a child of God. We call all to live by and attest to gender equality and to observe Jesus' principles of love and non-violence in all our relationships.

Together we are on a mission to make God's world more peaceful, just, compassionate, and inclusive.

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THE CHURCH GATHERS TO CELEBRATE

Please check in at www.dayspringumc.org/bulletin

MUSIC FOR GATHERING AND CENTERING

Robert Mills, piano

WELCOME

Pastors Michael Long &
Jeff Procter-Murphy

CHORAL INTROIT

"This Little Light of Mine"

African-American spiritual, arr. Joel Raney

Pastor Michael Long, soloist

Dayspring Celebration Chorale

CALL TO CELEBRATION

Paxson Vigness

We are here because we have heard the call of Jesus in our lives.

We are here to challenge and support one another to rise up and follow.

We are here because we want to be God's people.

We want to learn more about what it means to be the people of God.

We come, seeking to be moved, changed, and made whole by the Spirit of the living God.

Let us open our hearts to the moving of the Spirit, and prepare to leave this experience as followers of Jesus. Amen.

OPENING HYMN
"The Summons"

FWS #2130
vss. 1-4

OPENING PRAYER

**Loving God,
send the gift of your Spirit to fill us,
this place and the world.
Touch us with truth that burns like fire,
with beauty that moves us like the wind.
Set us free, Spirit of Life: free to try new ways of living;
free to forgive ourselves and each other;
free to love and laugh and sing together;
free to lay aside our burden of security
and join the battle for justice and peace;
free to see and listen and wonder again
at the gracious mystery of things and persons;
free to be, to give, to receive,
to rejoice as Spirited children.
O Holy Spirit, teach us how to dance,
to turn around and come down
in each other's arms and hearts, and in yours;
that we may praise and enjoy you forever. Amen.**

HYMN RESPONSE

vs. 5

**Lord, your summons echoes true
When you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
And never be the same.
In your company I'll go
Where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
In you and you in me.**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

(Please turn and greet one another as disciples of Jesus Christ!)

A TIME FOR OUR CHILDREN

Pastor Michael Long

SONG

Hymnal #143

On Eagle's Wings
**And God will raise you up on eagle's wings,
bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun,
and hold you in the palm of God's hand.**

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Elizabeth Joy Farley (12/26/10)

Response: **Almighty God, you make light to shine out of
darkness. You make new life spring out of old. You make
all people into one new race. We are glad and grateful for
the gift of this child, who delights us and reminds us that
you have not given up on your human family. We welcome
her into this congregation and pray that we may love her,
and grow with her in strength, to love each other and you,
that our joy may be full; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

HYMN RESPONSE

Hymnal #611

**Child of blessing, child of promise,
baptized with the Spirit's sign;
with this water God has sealed you
unto love and grace divine.**

RECEPTION OF THE CONFIRMATION CLASS

ANTHEM

“Lord, Our Creator” from *Elijah*
(Isaiah 58:8; Psalm 8:1)
Felix Mendelssohn (1809 – 1847)
Dayspring Celebration Chorale

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

submit prayers online at dayspringumc.org/prayer

MOMENTS FOR SILENT PRAYER

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

“Lead Me, God”

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Shirley Wells

THE LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN OF PREPARATION

Hymnal #703

“Swing Low, Sweet Chariot”

vss. 1 & 2

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Kings 2:1-12

RESPONSE

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

Thanks be to God!

PREPARATION

Let the words of my mouth,

and the meditation of my heart,

be acceptable in Thy sight,

O Lord, my Strength and my Redeemer.

MESSAGE

Pastor Jeff Procter-Murphy

Elijah

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

give securely online at: dayspringumc.org/give

OFFERTORY

“Rondo Giocoso”

Derek K. Hakes

DayspRingers

DOXOLOGY

Hymnal #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

*Jeremiah Adams • Jen Arnold • Arabella Berkebile
Patrick Berkebile • Christopher Carlson • Mariella Cardona
Tiffany Cartwright • Elizabeth Farley • Eliana Giannetta
Caden LaFave • Gary Lovejoy • Nate Rapp • Leah Slater
Paxson Vigness • Kaia Wrigley Zygowicz
Kellen Wrigley Zygowicz*

Response: **We rejoice to recognize you as members of Christ's holy church, and bid you welcome to Dayspring United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to love God with our whole heart, love our neighbor as generously as we love ourselves, seek to follow Jesus and live according to his teachings, and live our lives with generosity and hope. With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that, surrounded by steadfast love, you may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.**

CLOSING HYMN

Hymnal #539

"O Spirit of the Living God"

WORDS OF BLESSING

POSTLUDE

"A Gaelic Blessing"
John Rutter, arr. Mary Kay Parrish
Dayspringers

The flowers on the table are given by Calvin and Nathan Goin in loving memory of Calvin's grandfather - Calvin Woods, Jr.

The rose on the table celebrates the birth of William James Goin, son of Calvin and Nathan Goin, on March 29, 2024.



PRAYERS

The family and friends of Harold Holman, stepfather of Keith Lawson and husband of Juanel, following his death on May 14; **The family and friends of Dayspring Preschool parent, Mike Santoro**, especially his wife, Annie and their four young children, following his death on May 6; **The family and friends of Evelyn Roseberry**, a treasured friend of Steve and Christie Aldinger, following her death on Wednesday, May 1; **Elena Tharp**, aunt of Paola Marco, starting chemotherapy and radiation for sinus cancer; continued prayers for peace in Haiti, Sudan, Yemen, Palestine and Israel, and in Ukraine; for refugees worldwide; for all the indigent people in our society who suffer through all the seasons of the year; for all who actively serve the public common good, including teachers, police, firefighters, healthcare workers, and our men and women in the military.

Ongoing Health Concerns

Kitty Moran, Gail Valenti, Stacey and Megan O'Rourke, Betty Brown, April Osborn, Ted Jung, Joan Wheeler, and Jane Baker.

Do you have a prayer concern you would like to submit? Please go to www.dayspringumc.org/prayer to share it with us. You may choose whether they can be shared publicly through email and during services or should be kept private within our prayer team and pastors.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MENDELSSOHN'S ELIJAH: Today's 3:00pm performance of Elijah brings together members of the Dayspring Celebration Chorale with singers from members of choirs from all around the valley for a true community experience. Baritone Nathan De'Shon Myers appears in the title role and the orchestra includes current and former ASU students and the Burn City String Quartet. Admission is by voluntary donation at the door.

GIVING GARDEN CLASS: All gardens have bugs — even successful gardens. That may seem contradictory but there are plenty of bugs that are very beneficial to your vegetable garden. Learn how to identify these good guys as well as which practices can increase their populations and review pest management mindset and practices that are the least harmful to the environment. Join the giving garden team for this free class on Tuesday, May 21, at 6:30pm in the Palo Verde Room. Email garden@dayspring-umc.org with questions.

FOURTH SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE: We will collect non-perishable items for our neighbors through Tempe Community Action Agency next Sunday, May 26. Donations may be left on the benches at the front gate to be collected and delivered to TCAA following Sunday's services. If you're unable to bring food to donate, but would still like to contribute, please go to dayspring-umc.org/give.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL will not meet next Sunday, due to the holiday weekend. Child care will be available for kids up to age eight in Room 116. Children's Worship folders, with coloring pages and puzzle sheets, are available in the Narthex.

OUR MONTHLY TAIZÉ SERVICE is next Sunday, May 26, at 4:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Join Pastor Shirley for this peaceful time to sit with God.

THE BARBIE MOVIE WATCH PARTY: Join Pastor Shirley and friends at a special "Barbie" showing at Friendship Village in Tempe from 1-4pm on Wednesday, May 29, in the Private Dining Room. Refreshments will be served. The showing is free, but there is very limited space, so RSVP to Andrea in the church office at andrea@dayspring-umc.org.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: VBS is making a splash June 10–13 from 9:00 - noon. This year's Scuba VBS will be full of the games, songs, activities, and snacks that you and your kids love. We'll dive deep into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the ever-flowing, never-ending love of God. Children must be three years old (and **MUST** be potty trained) through entering 6th grade. Register online at dayspring-umc.org/vbs. Email andrea@dayspring-umc.org with questions or to volunteer.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Summer Sundays present a bigger than usual challenge to fill regular volunteer roles, as so many people head out of town. When you know you're going to be at church, please consider signing up as a Shepherd, Offering Volunteer, Worship Assistant, Communion Server, or more! If you have questions or would be interested in helping out in any of the following areas, please email andrea@dayspring-umc.org.

SUNDAY LUNCH BUNCH welcomes Dayspringers to join us every week at local restaurants at 11:30 following the Sunday services. We share fun, fellowship and "family" support. Lunch locations are listed at the Welcome table in the narthex. We send a weekly email to members. Please email Mary at lunch@dayspringumc.org for more information. All are welcome.

THIS WEEK AT DAYSPRING TEMPE

SUNDAY, MAY 19

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

PENTECOST

- 8:50am - Sacred Space, Sanctuary
- Child Care, Room 116
- 9:00am - Adult Sunday School, Palo Verde Room
- First Aid Badge, Room 206
- 9:15am - Cherub Choir, Room 201
- 10:00am - Worship, Sanctuary
- Nursery Care, Room 117
- 2-3 Year Old Sunday School, Room 116
- Pre-K-Kindergarten Sunday School, Room 115
- 1st-3rd Grade Sunday School, Room 202
- 4th-6th Grade Sunday School, Room 201
- Youth Formation, Room 111
- 11:00am - Confirmation Reception, Palo Verde Room
- 11:30am - Lunch Bunch, Old Spaghetti Co. (Chandler Mall)
- 3:00pm - *Elijah* Performance, Sanctuary
- 5:00pm - Youth Group, offsite

MONDAY, MAY 20

- 10:30am - Memory Loss Caregivers' Support, Zoom
- 6:30pm - Grief Support Group, Zoom
- 7:00pm - BS Troop 172, Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, MAY 21

- 3:00pm - Praying Together, Zoom
- 4:30pm - GS Troop 4226, Room 206
- 5:00pm - GS Troop 07431, Room 201
- 6:30pm - Garden Class, Palo Verde Room

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

- 7:00pm - Celebration Chorale Rehearsal, Music Room

THURSDAY, MAY 23

- 10:30am - Chair Yoga, Room 110
- 12:30pm - Kindergarten Graduation, Fellowship Hall
- 6:30pm - NA, Room 111 and 110
- 7:00pm - United Women in Faith, Palo Verde Room

FRIDAY, MAY 24

- 10:30am - Opening to God, Zoom

SATURDAY, MAY 25

SUNDAY, MAY 26

FOURTH SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE

- 8:50am - Sacred Space, Sanctuary
- Child Care, Room 116
- 10:00am - Worship, Sanctuary
- Nursery Care, Room 117
- Child Care (to age 8), Room 116
- 11:30am - Lunch Bunch, Macayo's (Warner and 48th St.)
- 4:00pm - Taizé Service, Fellowship Hall

Has your mailing address, phone, or email changed?
Please let us know!

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