

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

"I'll Sing the Praise of Jesus"
words by Fanny Crosby
music by Craig Courtney
Dayspring Celebration Chorale

CALL TO CELEBRATION

Jesus invites us to a way of celebration, meeting and feasting with the humble and poor.

Let us walk his way with joy.

Jesus beckons us to a way of risk, letting go of our security.

Let us walk his way with joy.

Jesus challenges us to listen to the voices of those who have nothing to lose.

Let us walk his way with joy.

Jesus points us to a way of self-giving, where power and status are overturned.

Let us walk his way with joy.

Jesus calls us to follow the way of the cross, where despair is transformed by the promise of new life.

Let us walk his way with joy.

OPENING HYMN

FWS #2130

“The Summons”

vss. 1-4

OPENING PRAYER

**As we gather, let us affirm the connection we have:
with each other,**

and with that creative mystery we call God.

May we remain open to the unfolding of

all that can be celebrated,

all that can be learned,

all that can be done,

all that can be,

without diminishing the life of others.

May it be so.

HYMN RESPONSE

vs. 5

**Lord, your summons echoes true
when I but call your 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.

ANTHEM

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

arr. Gilbert M. Martin

Dayspring Celebration Chorale

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

submit prayers online at dayspringumc.org/prayer

MOMENTS FOR SILENT PRAYER

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Shirley Wells

THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN OF PREPARATION

Hymnal #288

"Were You There"

SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 2:5-8

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

Tell Me the Stories of Jesus

8. The Cross

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

give securely online at: dayspringumc.org/give

OFFERTORY

"Lead Me to Calvary"

arr. Brian Buda

Robert Mills, piano

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

CLOSING HYMN

Hymnal #261

"Lord of the Dance"

WORDS OF BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Prelude in G minor

Gabriel Pierné (1863-1937)

Zachary Golden, organ

The flowers on the table are given in celebration of Pastor Shirley's birthday, with love from her Dayspring family.

PRAYERS

The family and friends of Kurt Hegland, following his death on September 21; **The family and friends of Barbara Logsdon**, mother of Rick Logsdon, following her death on September 24 from complications of Alzheimer's Disease in Florida; **Star Lyn Mathias**, friend of Becky Kessing, following the death of her fiancée, Bill, on September 9, she also just had a brain tumor removed and is still waiting on results; **The friends and family of 16-year-old Jackson Bickler**, who passed away on September 11 from cancer; **John Shelton**, facing more surgeries and having continued bleeding issues; **Rick Ellis**, healing at home following knee replacement surgery on September 16; **Linda Hurlbert**, healing at home following successful shoulder surgery on September 9; **Della Williams**, healing at home following hospitalization; 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

AZIPL CANDIDATE FORUM: This afternoon from 2:00 – 3:30pm, you are invited to join other faith communities to learn about the work of the Arizona Corporation Commission, hear from candidates and give voice to our values. The Corporation Commission makes decisions that impact all Arizonans, including how corporations are regulated and how utilities operate. Hosted by Arizona Interfaith Power & Light and Arizona Faith Network at Tempe Community Christian Church (1701 S. College Ave, Tempe, AZ 85281).

TEMPLE EMANUEL HIGH HOLY DAYS: We are honored to host Temple Emanuel during their High Holy Days again this year. They will hold Rosh Hashanah services on the evening of Wednesday, October 2 and during the day of October 3. Thank you in advance for being gracious hosts and for your patience with any additional parking challenges this may cause.

UNITED METHODIST MEN return in October with a breakfast meeting on October 5 at 8:00am in the Palo Verde Room. All are welcome, men and women. You need not be a member of the Dayspring UMM to attend. The program will be *The Inner Workings of Medical Insurance*, led by Rick Standridge, M.D., an insurance expert with valuable insights and tips for dealing with insurance providers. Please email umm@dayspring-umc.org with questions or for more information.

ONE COMMUNITY LUNCHEON VOLUNTEERS: Dayspring has volunteered at One Community's Spotlight on Success Local Heroes Award Luncheon for several years. This year's event is on October 18, from 11:30 – 1:30 at the Sheraton Downtown in Phoenix. If you would like to volunteer, email pride@dayspring-umc.org. More information at: onecommunity.com/events.

FALL FESTIVAL: Save the date! Our 19th annual Dayspring Fall Festival is on October 19 from 5-8pm. This is a church-wide event and is also open to the preschool and surrounding community. Costumes are encouraged! Join our youth as they host this evening full of fun fall themed activities for families, including a bounce house, haunted house, trunk-or-treating, crafts, games, prizes, food, and more. Costumes are encouraged, but not required. Discounted pre-sale tickets will be available on Sunday mornings. All proceeds go toward the youth Sierra Service Project trip.

BeTWEEN CAR WASH: The children in BeTween are raising money by hosting a car wash on Sunday, October 27, from 11:15 to 12:30 in the church parking lot. Your donations will support our Christmas service project for local kids in need.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS: Dayspring will hold its ninth annual Blessing of the Animals on Sunday, October 27, at 12:00pm. All pets are welcome. Please bring dogs on a leash or in a carrier. If you're unable to bring your pet, for any reason, but would still like them blessed, please bring a photo. Children are invited to bring their stuffed animals for a blessing during Children's Time at the 10:00am service.

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, SEPTEMBER 29

- 8:50am - Sacred Space, Sanctuary
- Child Care, Room 116
- 9:00am - Adult Sunday School, Palo Verde Room
- 10:00am - Worship, Sanctuary
- Nursery Care, Room 117
- Pre-K-Kindergarten Sunday School, Rm 116
- 1st - 3rd Grade Sunday School, Room 115
- 4th - 6th Grade Sunday School, Room 112
- Jr. High Youth Formation, Room 110
- Sr. High Youth Formation, Room 111
- 11:30am - Lunch Bunch, Perfect Pear (Ray and Priest)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

- 7:00pm - Scout Troop 172, Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

- 2:00pm - Stephen Ministry Leadership, Library
- 3:00pm - Praying Together, Zoom
- 5:30pm - Church & Society, Palo Verde Room
- 6:00pm - Dayspringers Rehearsal, Kelley Music Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

- 9:00am - Dayspring Stitchers, Palo Verde Room
- 6:00pm - Children's Choir, Palo Verde Room
- 6:30pm - Book Club, Room 112
- 6:45pm - Youth Choir, Palo Verde Room
- 7:00pm - Celebration Chorale, Fellowship Hall
- 7:30pm - Rosh Hashanah (Temple Emanuel), Sanctuary

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

- 9:00am - Rosh Hashanah (Temple Emanuel), Sanctuary
- 10:30am - Chair Yoga, Palo Verde Room
- 6:30pm - Cantilena Rehearsal, Kelley Music Room
- NA, Room 111 and 110
- Stephen Ministry Meeting, Fellowship Hall
- 7:00pm - Centering Prayer, Library
- Time to Wonder, Zoom

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

- 10:30am - Opening to God, Zoom

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

- 8:00am - United Methodist Men, Palo Verde Room

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

- 8:50am - Sacred Space, Sanctuary
- Child Care, Room 116
- 9:00am - Adult Sunday School, Palo Verde Room
- 10:00am - Worship, Sanctuary
- Nursery Care, Room 117
- Pre-K-Kindergarten Sunday School, Rm 116
- 1st - 3rd Grade Sunday School, Room 115
- 4th - 6th Grade Sunday School, Room 112
- Jr. High Youth Formation, Room 110
- Sr. High Youth Formation, Room 111
- 11:00am - Stephen Ministry Meeting, Palo Verde Room
- 11:30am - Lunch Bunch, Rigatony's (Warner/McClintock)

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

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