

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

Antiphon V
Marcel Dupré (1886-1971)
Zachary Golden, organ

WELCOME

Pastors Michael Long
& Jeff Procter-Murphy

CHORAL INTROIT

"God, Who Built This Wondrous Planet"
Jaroslav Vajda and Craig Courtney
Dayspring Celebration Chorale

CALL TO CELEBRATION

Gary Lovejoy

Beneath the mists of time, before the world began, beyond our understanding, in the beginning...God.

Fathering history, Mothering creation,

Parenting earth's people from the beginning...God.

Expecting the right moment, Preparing the right way, Revealing the right person for each new beginning...God.

**Maker and mover of heaven and earth...God,
one God, our God.**

OPENING HYMN

"All Creatures of the Earth and Sky"

TUNE: Hymnal #62

vss. 1-4

All creatures of the earth and sky,
come, kindred, lift your voices high,
Alleluia, Alleluia!

Bright burning sun with golden beam,
soft shining moon with silver gleam:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Swift rushing wind so wild and strong,
white clouds that sail in heav'n along,
Alleluia, Alleluia!

Fair rising morn in praise rejoice,
high stars of evening find a voice:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Cool flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for all life to hear,
Alleluia, Alleluia!

Dance, flame of fire, so strong and bright,
and bless us with your warmth and light:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Embracing earth, you, day by day,
bring forth your blessings on our way,
Alleluia, Alleluia!

All herbs and fruits that richly grow,
let them the glory also show:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

OPENING PRAYER

**Out of the void,
the spirit of Creativity fashioned a universe.**

**As each star and planet had its beginning,
light and life were brought forth.**

**Through the eons,
the creativity of life and spirit
have brought us today to this place,
inheritors of an amazing process,
tiny specks in the limitless reaches
of time and space.**

**We long to be open to that same creative spirit,
here in this place, always present and available.**

**As at our baptism,
the Spirit is still acting to make all things new
within us and among us.**

**May that same Spirit awaken us
and empower us for faithful, humble,
generous living.**

This is our prayer.

HYMN RESPONSE

vs. 5

**All you of understanding heart,
forgiving others, take your part,
Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Let all things now the Holy bless,
and worship God in humbleness:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

SPECIAL MUSIC

"10,000 Reasons"
arr. Lloyd Larson
Dayspring Youth Choir

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

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"
John Rutter (b. 1945)
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 #112

"God of the Sparrow"

SCRIPTURE READING

Job 38:1-7

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

The Antidote to Fear

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

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OFFERTORY

"Draw Me Nearer"
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

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

For the Beauty of the Earth,
for the Beauty of the skies,
For the love which from our birth
Over and around us lies, over and around us lies:
Source of all, to thee we raise
This our joyful hymn of praise.

For the beauty of each hour
of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale and tree and flower,
Sun and moon and stars of light:
Sun and moon and stars of light:
Source of all, to thee we raise
This our joyful hymn of praise.

For the joy of human love,
Brother, sister, parent, child,
Friends on Earth, and friends above,
For all gentle thoughts and mild,
For all gentle thoughts and mild:
Source of all, to thee we raise
This our joyful hymn of praise.

For each perfect gift of thine
to our race so freely given,
graces human and divine,
flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n,
flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n,
Source of all, to thee we raise
this our joyful hymn of praise.

WORDS OF BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Ending of Chorale III in A minor
César Franck (1822-1890)
Zachary Golden, organ



PRAYERS

The family and friends of Jack Reid, father of Jon Reid, following his death on October 23 after a long battle with cancer; **Gayle Prichard**, sister of Sharon Ireland, who broke her patella in a fall during a family vacation in Hawaii; **Sharon Zygowicz**, recovering following gallbladder surgery; **Rebekah Wilfong**, finally home from the hospital after experiencing challenges following her heart ablation; **Jennifer Arnold** suffering from depression and seeking medication that will help; **Jim Baker**, still experiencing extreme pain following his back surgery; **Jaime**, brother of Ivet Rivera, for mental health; for all those whose lives have been impacted by hurricanes this season; continued prayers for peace in Haiti, Sudan, Yemen, the Middle East, and 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

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

WELCOME RECEPTION: Join us following the 10:00 service on the patio for a reception to welcome our new organist, Zachary Golden, and the new director of our Cherub Choir, Grace Templeton. We're thrilled they're part of our music department!

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS: Dayspring will hold its ninth annual Blessing of the Animals TODAY 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.

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY: Next Sunday, November 3, is All Saints' Sunday. Please email Kris at kris@dayspring-umc.org or call the church office by noon TOMORROW if you would like to light a candle in memory of a loved one who died in the past year.

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION: We invite you to attend a one-hour session with Pastor Jeff to learn more about the United Methodist church and Dayspring specifically, next Sunday, November 3, at 11:15am in Room 112.

EUPHONY CONCERT: Euphony presents Song and Dance, a lively program of music inspired by dance! The program is next Sunday, November 3, at 4:00pm in the Sanctuary. Learn more at: euphony-ensemble.org/purchase-tickets.

CHURCH CONFERENCE: Our annual Church Conference is November 4 at 7:00pm in the Palo Verde Room. All Dayspring members are invited to join Dayspring leadership and Rev. Melissa Rynders, Superintendent of the East District of the Desert Southwest Conference for this yearly business meeting, where officers are elected for the coming year, salaries are approved, the annual reports and the overall mission and ministry of the church are reviewed.

COME AND SEE TOUR: For nearly 55 years, Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest has been helping vulnerable Arizonans — the widow, orphan, stranger and our neighbor — to survive and thrive. Want to learn more about what they're doing in our community now? Join us for a program from 6-7pm on Wednesday, November 6, in the Palo Verde Room. This "Come and See Tour" is a chance to learn how LSS-SW is making a difference and how you can be involved.

PANEL DISCUSSION: Join ASU's Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict on Wednesday, November 13, at 4:30pm for a panel discussion of prominent Arizona voices as we explore the results of the 2024 election, with a particular eye on religion's influence on American political life.

DAYSPRING PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN'S 39th annual Holiday Boutique is Friday, November 22 ,from 10:00-8:00 and Saturday, November 23, from 9:00-3:00.

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, OCTOBER 27

FOURTH SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE

- 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 - Welcome Reception, patio
- 11:15am - BeTween Car Wash, Parking Lot
- 11:30am - Lunch Bunch, Garcia's, (Warner/McClintock)
- 12:00pm - Blessing of the Animals, Patio
- 4:00pm - Taizé Service, Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28

- 9:00am - Early Voting, Fellowship Hall
- 7:00pm - Euphony Rehearsal, Kelley Music Room
- Scout Troop 172, Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29

- 9:00am - Early Voting, Fellowship Hall
- 4:30pm - GS Troop 07431, Room 110
- 6:00pm - Dayspringers Rehearsal, Kelley Music Room
- 7:00pm - Euphony Rehearsal, Kelley Music Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30

- 9:00am - Early Voting, Fellowship Hall
- 6:00pm - Children's Choir, Room 206
- 6:45pm - BeTween, Room 110
- Youth Choir, Room 206
- 7:00pm - Celebration Chorale, Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

- 9:00am - Early Voting, Fellowship Hall
- 6:30pm - Cantilena Rehearsal, Kelley Music Room
- NA, Room 111 and 110

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1

- 9:00am - Early Voting, Fellowship Hall
- 10:30am - Opening to God, Zoom
- 7:00pm - Euphony Rehearsal, Sanctuary

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- 9:00am - Early Voting, Fellowship Hall
- 7:00pm - Euphony Rehearsal, Sanctuary

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

- 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
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- 11:30am - Lunch Bunch, Garcia's, (Warner/McClintock)
- Retired Clergy Luncheon, Palo Verde Room
- 12:00pm - Blessing of the Animals, Patio

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

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