



## 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.

As followers of Jesus, we are striving to make God's world more sustainable, peaceful, just, compassionate, and inclusive.

The presence of children is a gift to our church and they are a reminder that Dayspring is growing. All children are welcome during our services, or Children's Church is happening at the same time in Room 206.

Note: Our services are streamed online. If you prefer not to potentially be on camera, please sit toward the back of the section to your left (farthest from the choir). Dayspring UMC reserves the right to use any live stream, video recording, or photography from any event we host or sponsor without the expressed written consent of those included within the live stream, video recording, or photography. We strive to use these images in safe and positive ways.

## THE CHURCH GATHERS TO CELEBRATE

Please check in at [www.dayspringumc.org/bulletin](http://www.dayspringumc.org/bulletin)

### BAPTISM OF OUR LORD SUNDAY & SECOND SUNDAY

#### MUSIC FOR GATHERING AND CENTERING

Robert Mills, piano

#### WELCOME

Rev. Michael Long and  
Rev. Jeff Procter-Murphy

#### CALL TO CELEBRATION

Jeff Miller

*Come all you who are thirsty.*

**Come to the source of living water.**

*Come, rest beside the still waters and feel the ease of the cool stream.*

**Come, taste the eternal springs of living water. Drink deep and long.**

*Come, be plunged deep into the healing waters and fresh rivers of God's love.*

**We hear the living water and remember our baptism.**

Who is my servant? Where is she?  
My light to the nations, where is he  
In prison and palace my gospel who told,  
And living, my gospel became?  
This is my servant whom I shall uphold:  
His name is Christ is her name.

Who answers to slander with silence  
And vengeance returns not for violence?  
Who shouts to the darkness in people grown cold  
a word that shall set them aflame?  
This is my servant whom I shall uphold:  
His name is Christ is her name

Who sing of my love in their living?  
Whose days are a prayer of thanksgiving?  
Who seek not the glamor of glory and gold,  
For I am their fortune and fame?  
This is my servant whom I shall uphold:  
His name is Christ is her name.

Who stand in the storm like a beacon  
with hope for the ravaged and weakened?  
Whose presence is healing for young and for old,  
to friend and to stranger the same?  
This is my servant whom I shall uphold.  
His name is Christ is her name.

#### OPENING PRAYER

**Loving God, renew in us the vow of our baptism:  
to live a life of love and forgiveness,  
to grow in the service of others,  
and to proclaim the good news and live  
according to the example of Christ.  
May we live to hasten the day  
when all will know peace and justice.  
May we make a world of compassion  
where all are loved and included. Amen.**

#### HYMN RESPONSE

vs. 5

**Who choosing the way I will show them,  
will trust that I care for my chosen?  
Where is the spouse who is faithful to one,  
And thus to the children proclaims:  
"This, my beloved, is my daughter, my son,  
His name is Christ is her name!"**

#### PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

#### ANTHEM

"Down to the River to Pray"  
Traditional, arr. Sheldon Curry  
Dayspring Celebration Chorale

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

submit prayers online at [dayspringumc.org/prayer](https://dayspringumc.org/prayer)

#### PRAYER

Rev. Shirley Wells

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

RENEWAL OF BAPTISM / HYMN  
“Wash, O God, Your Sons and Daughters”

Hymnal #198

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 1:9-11

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

Rev. Jeff Procter-Murphy

*You Are Mine*

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

give securely online at: [dayspringumc.org/give](https://dayspringumc.org/give)

OFFERTORY

“Lord Be Glorified”  
Bob Kilpatrick  
arr. Michael Helman  
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

CLOSING HYMN

“You Are Mine”

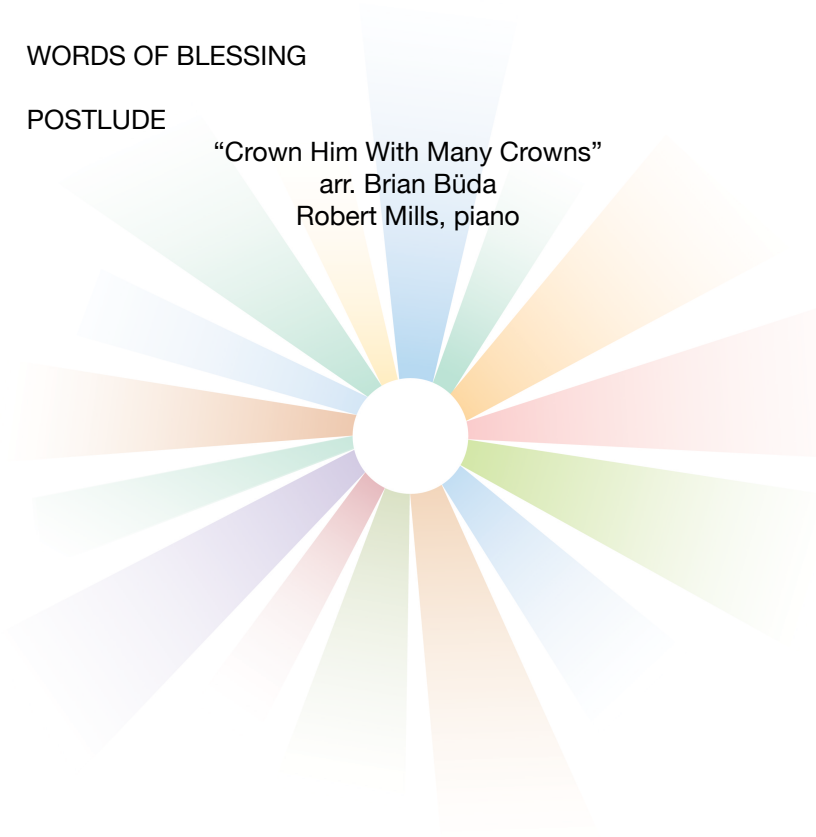
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WORDS OF BLESSING

POSTLUDE

“Crown Him With Many Crowns”  
arr. Brian Buda  
Robert Mills, piano



# PRAYERS

**The family and friends of Lu Sanford**, following her death on January 6; **The family and friends of Mike Colbert**, cousin of the Olivarez family, following his death on January 3; **Jan Babinec**, friend of Susan Staley, following the death of Jan's mother, Jean Carlson, who died on Jan 1 at the age of 100; **Yadira**, daughter of Eric Cadman's friend Maria Madrid, battling Stage 3 uterine cancer; **Simon and Andrea**, friends of Cathy Janssen, as their baby Winnie, born prematurely, continues to grow in the hospital; for all the people of the world who face pain and uncertainty, and lift up all who are feeling overwhelmed or burdened by witnessing these events; **The family and friends of Ron Blake**, husband of Marcia Blake, following his death on January 2; **The family and friends of Maria Bayardi**, who was killed in an automobile accident on December 28; **Marilyn Miller**, recovering following hip replacement surgery; for all those who are languishing in detention; 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

Lynn Potts, Kitty Moran, Gail Valenti, Stacey and Megan O'Rourke, Joan Wheeler, Star Lyn Mathias, Brian Weinberger, and Beth Miller.

Do you have a prayer concern you would like to submit? Please go to [www.dayspringumc.org/prayer](http://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

## COMING UP ON SECOND SUNDAY:

10:45-11:00 Communion/Prayer Corners - Fellowship Hall  
10:45-12:00 Breakfast & Coffee - Fellowship Hall  
10:45-12:00 Childcare - Nursery  
11:15-12:00 Affirming LGBTQIA+ Ministry - Music Room  
11:15-12:00 Beginning Crochet - Fellowship Hall  
11:15-12:00 Drum Circle - Sanctuary  
11:15-12:00 Know Your Bystander Rights - Music Room  
11:15-12:00 Love Lessons Workshop - Palo Verde Room  
11:30-12:15 Deep Restoration Session, Room 112

## ORGANIZED SOLIDARITY: KNOW YOUR BYSTANDER RIGHTS

is an informative session on immigration legal rights and how to respond when an immigration incident happens in front of you. Learn practical, compassionate ways to support people involved in an immigration stop, including what to do in the moment and how to be safe and proactive before situations arise. Join us today at 11:15 a.m. in the Choir Room.

THE CHURCH OFFICE will open late tomorrow, as the staff will be cheering on Pastor Michael, who is the keynote speaker at the Tempe MLK Diversity Awards Breakfast. The office should open at approximately 11 a.m.

EXPLORING CONTEMPORARY ISSUES began a four-week study of *The Common Good* by Robert Reich. This national bestseller challenges us to reflect on shared values, mutual respect, and cooperation as essential responses to today's political and economic realities. Even if you missed this week, feel free to join the conversation next Sunday.

NURSERY CARE: We're excited to share that our nursery is available for longer hours each Sunday! Childcare is available starting at 8:30 for Sacred Space. We're grateful to offer this support for families each week!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY: Join us for our first build day of 2026 on Saturday, January 17, as we jump into framing—one of the most exciting stages of a build! No experience needed—just bring your energy and willingness to help. Email Mark at [ruthandmarkboyle@gmail.com](mailto:ruthandmarkboyle@gmail.com) to register and be part of building hope, one wall at a time.

TAKING CARE, our support group for caregivers of those with memory loss, meets Monday, January 19, at 10:30 a.m. on Zoom. If you are aware of someone who may not know about our meetings, please encourage them to contact Pastor Shirley at [shirley@dayspring-umc.org](mailto:shirley@dayspring-umc.org) so they can be included. Helping those around us makes all of us stronger.

GRIEF SUPPORT: If you or someone you know needs support in grieving a significant loss in your life, please come and experience a safe place to process in community. The next meeting is January 19 at 6:30 p.m. on Zoom. Please email Sharon at [zygowicz@gatewaycc.edu](mailto:zygowicz@gatewaycc.edu) for more information.

STEPHEN MINISTERS are trained members of our congregation who listen, care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support to people who are going through tough times. The Christ-centered care you'll receive is confidential, free, and very helpful. Email [stephenministers@dayspringumc.org](mailto:stephenministers@dayspringumc.org) for info.

SUNDAY LUNCH BUNCH welcomes Dayspringers to join us each Sunday at local restaurants at 11:30, following the church service. Locations are listed at the Welcome table in the Narthex. **We send a weekly email to members so we can make reservations. Email [lunch@dayspringumc.org](mailto:lunch@dayspringumc.org) for info.**

# THIS WEEK AT DAYSPRING TEMPE

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 11

### SECOND SUNDAY

- 8:30am - Breakfast and Coffee, Fellowship Hall
  - Nursery Care, Room 117
- 8:45am - Sacred Space, Sanctuary
- 8:50am - Celebrating the Divine Feminine, Palo Verde Room
- 9:00am - Adult Sunday School, Room 112
  - Prayer Shawl Ministry, Fellowship Hall
- 10:00am - Worship, Sanctuary
  - Nursery Care, Room 117
  - Kids' Church, Room 206
- 11:15am - Affirming LGBTQIA+ Ministry, Room 110
  - Drum Circle, Sanctuary
  - Know Your Bystander Rights, Music Room
  - Learn to Crochet, Fellowship Hall
  - Love Lessons, Palo Verde Room
- 11:30am - Deep Restoration, Room 112
  - Sunday Lunch Bunch, Bisbee Breakfast Club (Chandler)

## MONDAY, JANUARY 12

- 9:00am - Morning Meditation, Zoom
- 2:00pm - Stephen Ministry, Palo Verde Room
- 6:15pm - Cub Scout Pack 275, Rooms 201-207
- 7:00pm - Mary Martha Circle, Room 112
  - Scout Troop 172, Fellowship Hall
  - Trustees Meeting, Palo Verde Room

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 13

- 9:00am - Morning Meditation, Zoom
- 4:30pm - Girl Scouts, Room 201
- 6:00pm - Dayspringers Rehearsal, Music Room
- 6:30pm - SPRC Meeting, Palo Verde Room
- 7:00pm - Boy Scouts, Room 206/207

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14

- 9:00am - Morning Meditation, Zoom
- 5:30pm - Sacred Story, Zoom
- 6:00pm - Children's Choir, Room 206
- 6:45pm - BeTween, Room 203
  - Youth Choir, Room 206
- 7:00pm - Celebration Chorale Rehearsal, Music Room

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 15

- 9:00am - Morning Meditation, Zoom
- 10:30am - Chair Yoga, Palo Verde Room
- 6:15pm - Cantilena Rehearsal, Music Room
- 6:30pm - NA (Men), Room 111
- 7:00pm - Centering Prayer, Dayspring Library
  - Finance Committee, Palo Verde Room

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

- 9:00am - Morning Meditation, Zoom
- 10:30am - Opening to God, Zoom

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 17

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

- 8:30am - Nursery Care, Room 117
- 8:45am - Sacred Space, Sanctuary
- 9:00am - Exploring Contemporary Issues, Palo Verde Room
  - Prayer Shawl Ministry, Fellowship Hall
- 10:00am - Worship, Sanctuary
- 11:30am - Sunday Lunch Bunch, Chili's (Chandler Blvd.)

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

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9:30 - 12:30 Mondays & Thursdays  
and by appointment  
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10am - 2pm Tuesdays and Wednesdays

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