

A SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY OCTOBER 17, 2021

CALL TO WORSHIP FPC ENSEMBLE

WELCOME & GREETINGS

SONGS OF PRAISE PRAISE TEAM

“CORNERSTONE”
“GOD WITH US”
“IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Responsive*)

Almighty and merciful Father, You have called us to be Your people and have made us one body. Yet we have not lived like we are one body.

God of Love, We confess we are sometimes impatient, and often unkind, We are quick to envy, and find subtle ways to boast. There are times we are rude, and lift ourselves up as we put others down.

Loving God teach us to love.

God of Love, We confess that we are quickly angered. We are quick to record how often we've been wronged. There are times we celebrate the misfortune of others.

Loving God teach us to love.

God of Love, We confess that we put ourselves first. We're reluctant to give, we are slow to sacrifice. There are times we hesitate to protect.

Loving God teach us to love.

When we are tempted to judge, to assume the worst...

May love remind us to trust. When we are tempted to despair, to assume all is lost...

May love remind us to hope.

When we are tempted to give up, to assume it will never happen...

May love remind us to persevere.

Loving God teach us to love,

Amen

Assurance of Pardon (*Responsive*)

If your faith is in Jesus Christ, and you have confessed from your heart, then I can assure you, based on the sure promise of the Word, that your sins are forgiven, and you are freed to love and serve!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia! Amen!

JOYS & CONCERNS

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Scripture Reading: (NIV) Jeremiah 31: 31-33 Pg. 561
1 Corinthians 13 Pg. 813 & 814

Message: "HEAVEN: A WORLD OF LOVE"

Closing Song: "Heaven Came Down" Pg. 510

PRAISE TEAM: Fred Chilese, Vocals, Guitar, Praise Team Leader;
Ed & Judy Taylor, Guitar/Vocals; Jack North, Beatbox;
Dawn Andrus, Vocals; Doug Quine, Vocals.

TECH TEAM: Dennis Gatke, Deb Berner, Guy DeChellis,
Dawn & Rob Andrus

GREETER: Sharon Reinhardt

USHER: Marsha North

This Week: A NEW DAY CELEBRATION!!

Liturgist: Dawn Andrus

Refreshments: POTLUCK IN THE COURTYARD!

Next Week: October 24, 2021

Liturgist: Gail Graham

Refreshments: Refreshments & Coffee ~ Pat Mathers



REFORMATION
Sunday

REFORMATION SUNDAY!

Those of us with Scottish ancestry celebrate Reformation Day, the Sunday nearest October 31st, by wearing our family tartans. We encourage others to do the same by wearing the clothing of their own Protestant ancestors this year on **Sunday, October 31.**

If you need help finding your tartan, Cheryl and Glen Longshore are glad to help. Even if you're not Scottish there are tartans for citizens of the U.S. and all the branches of the armed forces.

Please see the article in the Witness for more information!

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes are available
NOW, in the Narthex and Fellowship Hall!!

Collection day is Sunday, November 14!

If you have any questions, please call the office,
see Judy Taylor, Deb Berner, or Arleen Younkman.

Those empty boxes will be available for you to take home and fill with your
gifts of love for a precious boy or girl.

Please see the Witness for more details.



ACTIVITIES AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, October 17: NEW DAY CELEBRATION POTLUCK!!

9:30 am In-Person Worship Service & Virtual Church

11:30 am Potluck in the Courtyard

*And, after the potluck, why not mosey on down to the
Community Center for a Friends of Music Concert at 2:00!*

Monday, October 18: Jesus Girls "Hagar" Study tonight!

3:00 pm Deacons Mtg.

4:30 pm The Jesus Girls Study at the Andrus House

Tuesday, October 19:

8:00 am Men of Faith Breakfast at Denny's

10:00 am Nifty Needlers

4:30 pm Christian Growth Mtg.

Wednesday, October 20: THE AMERICAN HERITAGE SERIES BEGINS

9:00 am Admin Mtg.

6:00 pm American Heritage Series Study in the Gathering Room!!

Thursday, October 21:

Friday, October 22:

Saturday, October 23:

Sunday, October 24: Member Appreciation!!

9:30 am In Person Worship Service & Virtual Church

11:00 am Refreshments & Coffee in Fellowship Hall

11:15 am Revelation Study

Sunday, October 10, 2021

In Person Attendance: 41 Virtual Church Attendance: 25

Tithes & Offerings: Gen Fund: \$3562 Deacons: \$0

Upcoming Events In the life of our Church:

GREEN BAGS: Your contributions of 23 bags totaled a whopping 296 pounds!! Great job again!! Our next drop will be December 11th so please have your Green Bags to the stage no later than December 10th. Thank you and God Bless!

THE AMERICAN HERITAGE SERIES:

Starting October 20, at 6:00 p.m., the American Heritage Series study begins and is being held in the Gathering Room. Sign up with Deb Berner if you'd like to participate! Come All!

Please see the Witness for more detailed information.



We're updating the Directory!

If you have anything you want to add or remove, please email Sharon Reinhardt with the information! genbug59@gmail.com

The new directories will be printed in December and available Sunday, January 2, 2022!

PLEASE PRAY FOR, VISIT, AND/OR PHONE

Military:

Captain Josh Bergman, USAF
Staff Sgt. Ryan Breen, United States Air Force
Minot ND. A.F.B (Grandson-in-law Betty Ek)
Luke Crissman, Army
Joshua Geisler, Navy Medic (Barb Russell's nephew)
Lt. Commander Nicole Gonzalez, U.S. Navy, Washington, D.C.
(Glori Beattie's g-dtr)
SA Jack H. Lutch, U.S. Navy
Master Chief Petty Officer Chris Moore, Navy, San Diego
Lt. Col. Bruce Palmer MD, Anchorage, AK (Sallee's son-in-law)
Captain Gillen Papenfuse, National Guard
(g-son of Kimmins)
Staff Sgt. Mark Sobol (Sobol's g-son)
Jonathan Thomas, US Army, Reserves



Law Enforcement:

Luke Adams, AZ DPS, Patrol Officer
David Callahan, Yuma County SGT.
Michelle Callahan, Yuma/Detective
Jay Freeman, Maricopa Sheriff's Detention Officer ~ Maricopa County Hospital.
Michelle Grubbs, Riverside County Sheriff's Dept. Beaumont, CA ~ Gloria & Ron Jepsen's daughter.
Melissa Lutch, PHX P.D./Detective
Jeffery Thomas, Tucson Police Dept./SGT.
Mike DeChellis, Douglas County, NE/Detective
Matthew Moulson, Orange County Deputy Sheriff
~ Sharon Horn's nephew.



Fire Fighters:

Keith Christofferson, Sedona
Tony Christofferson, Wickenburg
Todd Reinhardt, Tonopah
Samantha Reinhardt, Tonopah



Nurses & EMT's:

Sharon Forrest, Cardiovascular Sonographer, Saint Agnus Medical Center, Fresno CA. ~ Deb Berner's Aunt



IN OUR
Thoughts and Prayers

First Presbyterian Church

Serving God in Wickenburg

For over 100 years

180 North Adams Street
Wickenburg, Arizona 85390

Our Mission:



**Grace Centered. Prayer Saturated
Mission Focused. Joyful Worship.**

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Class of 2021:

Class of 2022: Dawn Andrus, Verne Crissman, Gail Graham, Sharon Horn
Class of 2023: Carol Arnett, Glen Longshore, Arleen Younkman

Prayer Card – Please share your prayer concern by filling out a yellow card from the pew rack and give it to the pastor before the Pastoral Prayer.

Friendship Pad - Please sign the Friendship Pad in your pew and pass it to your neighbor. At the end of the row, pass the pad back to the inside aisle.

If this is your first time, please give your local address.

If you attend regularly, your name will be fine.

Hearing aid devices are located at the sound booth.

Ask an usher for assistance.

Note: Back support cushions are provided for your use in the pews by the Nifty Needlers.



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Wickenburg, Arizona

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9:30 a.m.