

COMMUNION SUNDAY
OCTOBER 2, 2022

OPENING SONG

PRAISE TEAM

WELCOME & GREETINGS

SONGS OF PRAISE

PRAISE TEAM

“BLESSED BE YOUR NAME”
“MIGHTY TO SAVE”
“GLORIOUS DAY”

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.

Dear God, As we gather today as your people, may we be reminded of Your unconditional grace, love, and provision gifted to us through the death and resurrection of Your son, Jesus Christ. Today, we are reminded that You alone unite the body of Christ, together, as one church under the Lordship of Christ. Forgive us, God, when we stray away from truth. Forgive us, God, for actions that may lead to division rather than unity. Help us, God, to live a purpose-driven life that aligns with Your heart for all people and guided by Your Word of truth. Thank you for welcoming us to commune with You, on our bad days and our good days, not because of anything we have done to deserve it, but because of Jesus’ sacrifice that gives us life. In Jesus name we pray. 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.

Reception of New Covenant Partners

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Scripture Reading: Mark 6:1-13

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Message: “WHY IS JESUS OFFENSIVE?” Part 2

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

(Gluten-free elements are available)

Closing Song: “Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus”

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

TECH TEAM: Dennis Gatke, Deb Berner, Guy DeChellis, Gordon Graham

GREETER: Ginny Randall

USHER: Harriet Haggett

This Week: October 2 ~ Reception of New Covenant Partners

Liturgist: Gail Evans

Communion Svrs: Deb Berner, Gail Graham, Deborah Pinnell, Arleen Younkman

Home Communion: Doug Quine

Refreshments: Session ~ Welcome New Covenant Partners Cake

Next Week: October 9

Usher: Kathy DeChellis

Liturgist: Doug Quine

Refreshments: Deacons

ACTIVITIES AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, October 2: Reception of New Covenant Partners

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

11:00 am Fellowship & Refreshments in Fellowship Hall

Monday, October 3:

Tuesday, October 4:

8:00 am Men of Faith Breakfast currently at Hassayampa BBQ
Join Us! It’s better when you’re there!!

10:00 am Nifty Needlers

Wednesday, October 5:

Thursday, October 6: Bell Choir practice resumes TODAY!!

8:30 am Women’s Breakfast at Lydia’s Café today!

3:00 pm “Joyful Noise” Bell Choir practice

Friday, October 7: GREEN BAGS TO STAGE TODAY!

Saturday, October 8:

Green Bags to CAP Office this morning

Sunday, October 9:

9:30 am In Person Worship Service & Virtual Church

11:00 am New Covenant Partner Cake in Fellowship Hall

Sunday, September 25, 2022

In Person Attendance: 42 Virtual Church Attendance: 28

Tithes & Offerings: Gen Fund \$1227 Deacons: \$0

Ranch Hands Life Group

Starting October 5

Here is your opportunity to be part of a new Life Group, beginning Wednesday, October 5th at Jake^{WEP}’s Spoon, in Henry^{WEP}’s Room, Wickenburg Ranch, 4:00 – 5:30PM.

Subsequent meetings will be 6:00 – 7:30PM for five weeks.

The Ranch Hands will be studying ^{WEP}John 3:16, The Numbers Of Hope^{WEP} led by Max Lucado, in person and via streaming video.

The heart of the human problem is the heart of the human. The discussion will be led by Doug and Wendy Quine, 760-9553-4287

Invite someone to go with you.

JUST A HEADS UP

Please bring your Green Bags to the Fellowship Hall Stage by

Friday the 7th.

They will be picked up on Saturday morning the 8th!



PLEASE PRAY FOR, VISIT, AND/OR PHONE

Military:

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



Fire Fighters:

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



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.



Nurses & EMTs:

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



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Class of 2022: Verne Crissman, Gail Graham, Sharon Horn, Wendy Quine
Class of 2023: Carol Arnett, Cheryl 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.

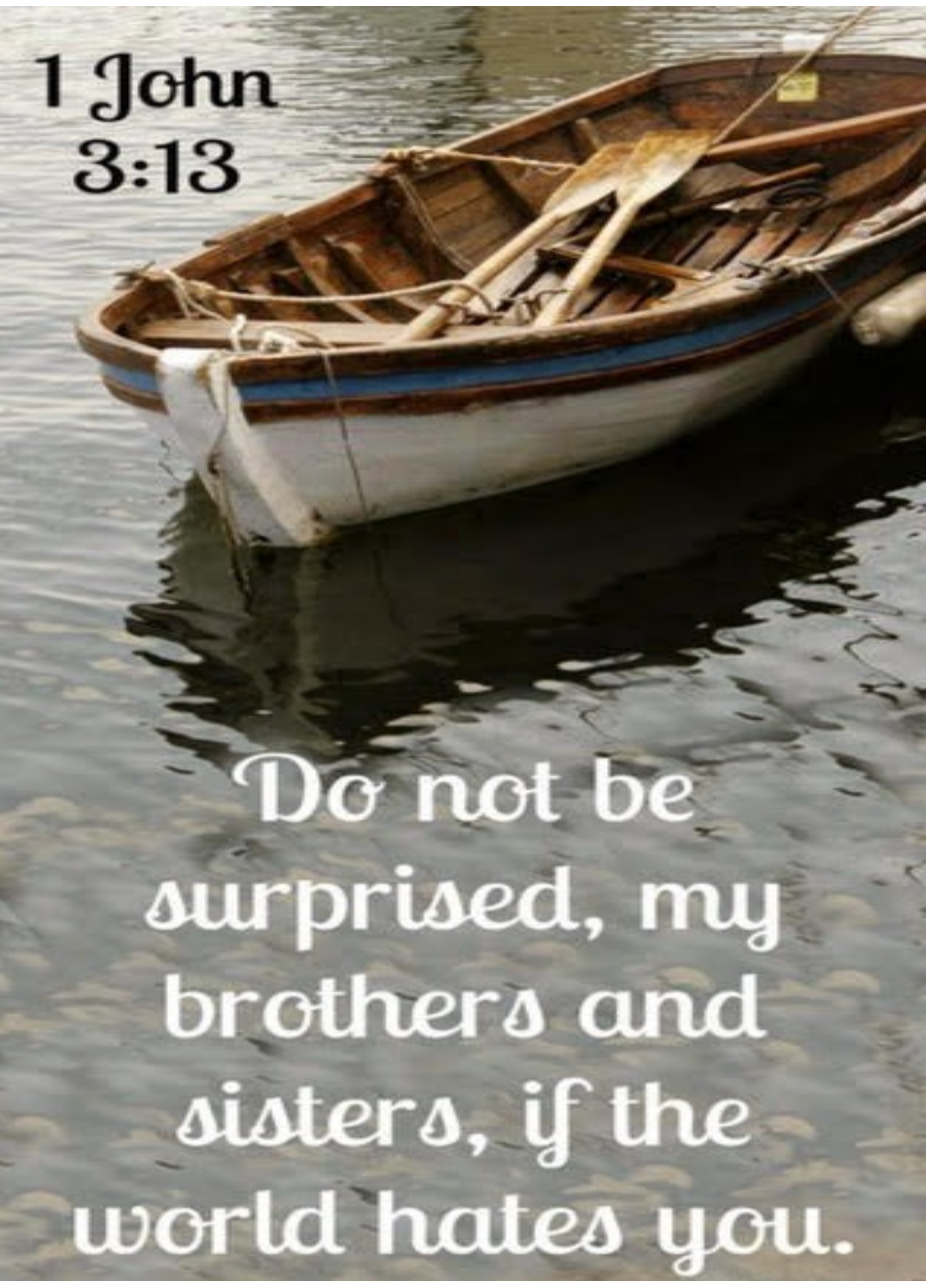
Friendship Pad - Please sign the Friendship Pad in your pew and pass it to
your neighbor. At the end of the row, pass the pad back to the inside aisle.

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

October 2, 2022

9:30 a.m.

Communion Sunday

