

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

We hope you had a great Valentines Day!

Operation Christmas Child shoe box,  
January-February we are asking for  
Personal, grooming, and hygiene items

## CHURCH SERVICES

### Sunday

Prayer at 9:00am  
Sunday School at 9:30 - 10:15am  
\*Snack & Drink Intermission  
Worship at 10:30am  
Children's Church at 11:15am  
Sermon at 11:15am - 12:00pm  
Prayer Meeting at 5:00 - 6:00pm  
Youth Group at 5:00 - 6:00pm

### Wednesday

Prayer at 6:30pm  
Bible study at 7:00 - 8:00pm

### Friday

Lady's Meeting at 9:30 - 11:30am

### Weekly Prayer

\*Prayer meeting held every Monday,  
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday  
evening 4:30 - 5:30pm\*

**RIDDLE:**  
What connects two people  
but touches only one?

Answer on the back

### Mark your Calendars!

March 27 - 29 : Men's Retreat  
April 3 - 5 : Women's Retreat  
April 12 : Easter Picnic  
June 16 - 20 : Church Camp  
July 7 - 11 : Vacation Bible School

February 16, 2025

Welcome to  
**GRACE**  
**TABERNACLE**  
Church in Safford AZ.

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Answer: A wedding ring

## OUR PLANS & GOD'S PLANS

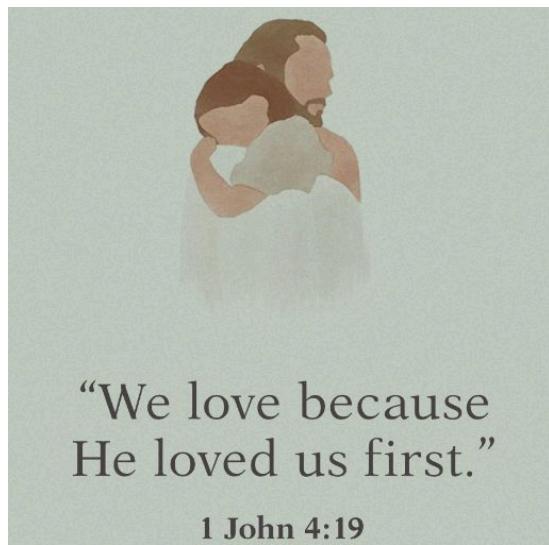
**“Neither are your ways my ways,” declares the Lord.  
Isaiah 55:8**

Many years ago, my husband decided to take a trip to Africa with a group of people from his church. At the last minute, the group was prevented from going on its journey. Everyone was disappointed, but the money they'd collected for airfare, lodging, and food was donated to the people they'd tried to visit. The people used it to construct a building that would shelter victims of abuse.

Recently, at a prayer breakfast, my husband met someone who lived in the village he'd almost traveled to so many years ago. This person was a teacher who said he walked by the building every day. He confirmed that God had used it to provide for the most vulnerable people in the area.

Our plans and desires don't always match what God has in mind. For His "thoughts are not [our] thoughts, neither are [our] ways [His] ways" ([Isaiah 55:8](#)). God's ways aren't just different from ours; His ways are "higher" and better because what He does is consistent with who He is (v. 9). This truth gives us hope when our efforts to serve Him don't turn out the way we'd planned.

It might be years before we're able to look back and trace God's influence through certain situations. For now, though, as we continue to reach out to the world in His name, we can remember that God is always powerfully at work (v. 11).



## WE BELIEVE

In one God eternally existing in three persons;  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**(John 14:10,16,18,26)**

Jesus Christ is the only begotten Son of the Father, conceived of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary.  
**(John 3:16, Matt. 1:20)**

Jesus was crucified, buried and raised from the dead: He ascended into heaven, lives today at the right hand of the Father as our intercessor, and is coming again to receive unto Himself those who are looking for him. (Acts 4:10, Heb. 1:3; 7:25; 9:28)

All men are sinners by nature and practice.  
(Romans 3:23, 5:19)

All who believe Jesus died on the cross for their sins and was resurrected from the dead, when they repent and confess with their mouth Jesus as Savior, are born into God's family as sons of God.  
(Rom. 10:9, Rom. 10:10, 1 Cor. 15:10)

In being filled with the Holy Spirit, with the evidence of speaking in tongues.  
(Acts 2:4; 10:45-46)

In the exercise of the gifts of the spirit that all may be edified.  
**(1 Corinthians 12:7-11; 14:12)**

In observing the ordinances of water baptism by immersion, the Lord's supper, and men having their heads uncovered and women having their heads covered when praying or prophesying.  
(Acts 16:33; Matthew 8:16;  
1 Corinthians 11:1-26)

In the bodily resurrection; eternal life for the believer, and eternal punishment for the unbeliever.  
**(John 5:28)**