

This Week, February 23 - March 1

Mon 2/23 10:15 am Prayer Force
10:30 am Caregiver support (offsite)
1:00 pm Book Buddies
6:00 pm Boy Scouts

Tues 2/24 **Pastor Misty out through 2/26**
10:00 am Church Council

Wed 2/25 9:00 am Women's Bible Study OR
10:30 am Women's Bible Study
1:00 pm Grief Group at Fellowship Square
6:00 pm Choir
7:30 pm Praise Team

Fri 2/27 8:00 am Men's Breakfast & Bible Study at Fellowship Square
10:00 am Pew Buddies

Sat 2/28 3:00 pm Farmer's Market

Sun 3/1 9:00 am Adult Sunday School
10:00 am Coffee/Fellowship
10:30 am Worship with youth, elementary & Pre-K Sunday School
11:45 am Handbell Rehearsal
12:30 pm Worship Meeting
2:00 pm It's Their Mission (offsite)

Worship Attendance Last Week: 140

Sunday School Attendance

Adult: 11 Youth: 1 Elementary: 3 Nursery: 1

Scripture for Next Sunday

Luke 18:18-30

Noisy Offering for 2/15: \$40.00

First-Time Guests!

Welcome to New Song!

We are delighted you joined us for worship. It is our prayer that you will find friendly people and experience the presence of God.

To learn more about New Song, pick up a Visitor's Booklet at the Information Center.



Parents, your children are welcome here!

Children and youth are dismissed to Sunday School after the Children's Message except for Communion Sundays when they stay in Worship. Nursery/Preschool is available every Sunday. There are Busy Bags in the back of the Sanctuary and Children's Bulletins at the Information Center. Please ask an Usher if you need help.



Need a Stephen Minister?
Look for people wearing the blue Stephen Minister name badge before or after the service.

Ministries to Pray for in February

Dove of the Desert UMC, Glendale
Faith UMC, Phoenix
First UMC, Glendale

Be sure to follow us on our Facebook page:

New Song UMC Surprise AZ

New Song Surprise ([youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com))



GREAT IDEAS DISCUSSION GROUP

Are you interested in getting together with a small discussion group to contemplate different intellectual ideas and concepts?

Examples of ideas we may discuss include:

- ◊ Euclidean space, Byzantine space and Giotto's space: What are they and what does Giotto infusing Euclidean space into art say about Christian religion and the secular society?
- ◊ Is there a soul/life-force? If so, how is it manifested? What does that say about the concept of a next life?
- ◊ What are the "four acts" someone needs to do, to guarantee they will not be poor in the United States? What are the reasons someone does not do them?

Contact Allen Reamer (reamer@mindspring.com) for more information.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT

Caregiver support meets the second and fourth Mondays of the month at 10:30 am at the Starbucks on Reems and Grand Ave. for about an hour. Contact Pam McNeal Laue for more information

LENTEN FOOD BOX CHALLENGE

Looking for a way to observe lent? Want to help with the Easter food boxes?

Pick up a Lenten Food Box Challenge calendar from the back of the church.

LET'S GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER!

There are questions on the white double doors and the prayer board where you can respond and read what others have written.

Please wear your nametag so we can get to know each other's names.

FARMER'S MARKET IS BACK - SATURDAY AT 3 PM

Come check out the vendors! For information on having your own booth, email info@e4a.fun.

Let them know you are a member of the church.

DID YOU KNOW...

Prayer Force meets every Monday to lift the concerns of the church in prayer. Anyone with a desire to pray is welcome and is asked to sign a Prayer Covenant. Not sure that you want to commit to coming in? Consider becoming a part of the Prayer Chain and receive regular prayer updates.