

### This Week, September 7th - 13th

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| Mon 9/7   | <b>OFFICE CLOSED - LABOR DAY</b>                               |
|           | 9:00 am UWF Leadership                                         |
|           | 10:15 am Prayer Force                                          |
| Tues 9/8  | 1:00 pm Staff Meeting                                          |
|           | 5:30 pm Animals 4 God Mtg                                      |
|           | 6:00 pm Animals 4 God Reading                                  |
| Wed 9/9   | 9:30 am Women's Bible Study                                    |
| Thur 9/10 | 10:00 am Children's Ministry                                   |
|           | 11:45 am Forever Friends                                       |
|           | 6:00 pm Spiritual Visioning                                    |
| Fri 9/11  | 8:00 am Men's Breakfast & Bible Study at Fellowship Square     |
|           | 11:00 am Adult Education                                       |
|           | 1:00 pm SPRC Meeting                                           |
| Sat 9/12  | 10:00 am UWF Meeting                                           |
| Sun 9/13  | 8:45 am Praise Team                                            |
|           | 9:00 am Adult Sunday School                                    |
|           | 10:00 am Fellowship Time                                       |
|           | 10:30 am Worship with PreK, Elementary and Youth Sunday School |
|           | 11:45 am Youth Meeting                                         |

**Worship Attenance Last Week: 131**

#### Sunday School Attendance:

Adult: na Youth: 5 Elementary: 5 Nursery: 3

**Scriptures for Next Sunday**  
**1 Corinthians 12:1-30**

**Noisy Offering for 8/30: \$5.00**



### 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 by the sound booth.

### Parents, your children are welcome here!

Children and youth are dismissed to Sunday School after the Children's message. There are Busy Bags available for your kids sitting in worship. Please ask an Usher if you need help.



### Ministries to Pray for in September

Mission Bell UMC, Glendale  
New Song UMC, Surprise  
Peace in the Desert Church: An ELCA and UMC Congregation, Scottsdale

### Need a Stephen Minister?

Look for people wearing the blue Stephen Minister badge before or after the service.



*Need something included in the Sunday bulletin insert or Thursday blast?*

*Email information by Tuesday to:*  
**newsong.surpriseaz@gmail.com**

### DINNERS FOR 8

If you enjoy breaking bread, good conversations and getting to know others better, you might consider joining a Dinners for 8 group.

Groups typically meet once a month, rotating the host location while other members of the group bring a dish to share. And don't let the name throw you - brunches work too. You do you!

Individuals and couples are welcomed. If you prefer a smaller group, let me know and we'll put together a group of 6. If you would like to participate but would prefer not to host, mention this at your first gathering and I am sure someone would step in for you.

A sign-up sheet will be in the back of the church, or you can email me. Deadline for sign-up is September 13 and groups will be notified immediately afterwards so you can schedule your first gathering.

Contact Vivian Glore with questions or to register at [vmglore@gmail.com](mailto:vmglore@gmail.com)



**In honor of Labor Day,  
the New Song office  
will be closed  
Monday, September 7**

### NEW SONG NEEDLERS

Needlers will meet **September 19 at 10 am** at Diane McQuery's home. We have the center block for our annual Veterans quilt. If you would like to join us in adding to the center, please come. We need people who can sew. Sheryl Messenger will quilt it. For more information, contact Sheryl at [lkessenger@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lkessenger@sbcglobal.net) or Diane at [diane.mcquery11@gmail.com](mailto:diane.mcquery11@gmail.com)

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Beginning this week, there is Sunday School for preschool, elementary and youth on Communion Sundays. They will leave after the Children's Time.

### A FRIENDLY REMINDER

If you notice someone new in your row, please put your address and phone number in the red sign-in books and encourage them do the same.

Thank you!

*Be sure to follow us!*

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**New Song UMC Surprise AZ**



*Our Instagram is*  
**newsong.umc**



*Our services are streamed and published on YouTube.com as*  
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