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Worship: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

Fellowship: 10:30 a.m.

Office Hours: Tues. – Thurs. 9:00 to 4:00pm

Friday 9:00 to Noon

In Loving Memory
Founding Pastor
Rev. Dr. David Ellsworth
Retired Pastors
Rev. Phyllis Averill
Rev. Tom Bush
Retired Missionaries
Drewer Johns
Maude Johns

Presiding Bishop
Bishop Carlo A. Rapanut

District Superintendent
Rev. Javier Olivares

Ministers
All Members of the
Congregation

Senior Pastor
Rev. Fred Mast

Retired Pastors
Rev. Arland Averill
Rev. John Fairchild
Rev. Valerie Fairchild

Lay Leader
Wayne B. Light

Facilities
Christian Peterson

Administrative Assistant
Bookkeeper
Jenny Mast

Caring Lay Ministry
Janie McDaniel

Choir Directors
Jan Van Kooten
Echo Reinhard

Bell Director
Bob Martin

Organist
Mary Luttrell

Pianist
Echo Reinhard

June 11, 2023



“A Love-Sick Father”

Mission Statement

*Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ by **Welcoming** all people, **Worshiping** God joyfully, **Caring** for each person, **Discovering** Christ's transforming love, and **Serving** God's world.*

Vision Statement

To share the happiness that is Christianity for all people.

Second Sunday After Pentecost

*Hearing Assistance Units are available from the ushers for your convenience.
Please silence your phone during worship.*

Gathering

Prelude

Echo Reinhard

Welcoming & Announcements

Children's Sunday School is available in the Nursery/Classroom or activity bags are available in the Narthex.

Centering Prayer

*Introit

"O How He Loves You and Me"

TFWS #2108

The procession of light invokes the presence of the Holy Spirit into our midst.

*Passing the Peace

May the Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you...

And also with you!

Please stand as you are comfortable and share the Peace of Christ with one another & remain standing for our Call to Worship

*Call to Worship

Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling love of God.

For once we were lost and felt so far away; now we have been found and welcomed home.

Know that God's love is lavished upon you forever.

We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and hope!

Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of love.

AMEN!

*Song of Invitation

"Christ for the World We Sing"

#568

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer ~ 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory forever. Amen.



Please continue in prayer this week for: Beverly Robbins, Janie McDaniel, Bonnie Fletcher, Gale Grove's son in law John, Doug Peet, Nancy Bateman, Margo Braman's mom Madreen, Carol Welsh, and Charlie Black.

*Please rise in body or in spirit as you are comfortable

***Song of Preparation**

"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

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Word & Response

Scripture

Luke 15: 11-24

For the Word of God in Scripture, for the Word of God among us,
For the Word of God within us, thanks be to God!

Message

"A Love-Sick Father"

Rev. Fred Mast

***Song of Response**

"Softly, Tenderly Jesus is Calling"

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Thanksgiving

Invitation to the Offering for the Kingdom of God

Heavenly Father, we know You relentlessly pursue us. You are a God who seeks and saves the lost. We come now to offer our gifts to You asking for Your blessing upon them, that they bring comfort and healing to Your children around the globe. May we be ambassadors for Your Son, Jesus Christ, going in forgiveness to be instruments of Your love.

Offertory

Mary Luttrell

***Doxology**

"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

#95

***Offering Prayer**

Sent to Serve

***Song of Sending Forth**

"Freely. Freely"

#389

***Dismissal with Blessing**

Rev. Fred Mast

Postlude

Mary Luttrell

Two-Week Calendar

Sun	6/11	9:30 a.m.	Sunday Worship	Sanctuary
		9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School	Nursery Classroom
		10:30 a.m.	Fellowship Time	Fellowship Hall
Tues	6/13	8:00 a.m.	Trustee Meeting	Sedona Golf Resort
		1:30 p.m.	Bible Study W. Sedona	The Gathering Place
		5:30 p.m.	ESOL	Fellowship Hall
Thurs	6/15	7:30 a.m.	Men's Christian Group	FH Classroom
		9am-5pm	Annual Conference	Mesa / Zoom
Fri	6/16	9am-5pm	Annual Conference	Mesa / Zoom
Sat	6/17	9-11:30am	Annual Conference	Mesa / Zoom
Sun	6/18	9:30 a.m.	Sunday Worship— Father's Day	Sanctuary
		9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School	Nursery Classroom
		10:30 a.m.	Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
Tues	6/20	10:00 a.m.	Finance Meeting	Zoom
		1:30 p.m.	Bible Study W. Sedona	The Gathering Place
		2:00 p.m.	Grief Support Group	Conference Room
		5:30 p.m.	ESOL	Fellowship Hall
Wed	6/21	1:30 p.m.	Caring Lay Ministry Meeting	Conference Room
Thurs	6/22	7:30 a.m.	Men's Christian Group	FH Classroom
		2:00 p.m.	Admin Council Meeting	Conference Room
Sun	6/25	9:30 a.m.	Sunday Worship	Sanctuary
		9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School	Nursery Classroom
		10:30 a.m.	Fellowship Time	Fellowship Hall

Don't forget our Food Banks this Summer. Please remember that



we have a shopping cart on the 2nd floor to which you can bring donations to on Sunday or during normal business hours!

Donations are also needed to support our SAGAP program of personal hygiene products, paper products, and cleaning products since these items are not included under state assistance programs. Items like toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo, toilet paper, paper towels, laundry detergent, dish soap, Lysol wipes, etc.

All are distributed by our partner, the Sedona Food Bank

Desert Southwest Annual Conference

June 15-17, 2023 Mesa, AZ

Please pray for our Methodist Leaders during this Annual Conference that Godly decisions be made in the name of Jesus Christ.

Pray for Pastor Fred and Wayne Light who will be attending via Zoom.

The live stream for observers will be available at <https://dscumc.org/ac>

GRIEF SUPPORT



Have you or a friend lost a loved one?
Having trouble coping?
Grief can also be the loss of other relationships like pets, a job, etc.

Grief Support meets every 1st & 3rd Tuesday of every month at 2pm
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JOIN the Caring Lay Ministry Team!
Prayer changes lives.



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