

Sedona United Methodist Church



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Worship: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
Please visit our Website for reservations.
Office Hours: Tues. – Thurs. 9:00 to 4:00pm
Friday 9:00 to Noon

January 3, 2021

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 Robert Hoshibata

District Superintendent
Rev. Nancy Cushman

Ministers
All Members of the
Congregation

Pastor
Rev. Fred Mast

Retired Pastor
Rev. Arland Averill

Lay Leader
Wayne B. Light

Facilities
Bruce Bramblett

Administrative Assistant
Bookkeeper
Jenny Mast

Caring Lay Ministry
Janie McDaniel

Choir Directors
Jan Van Kooten
Laurie Rathbun

Bell Director
Bob Martin

Organist
Mary Luttrell

Pianist
Laurie Rathbun



“If Only We’d Look Up”

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.

Epiphany Sunday

Gathering

Prelude

Mary Luttrell

Welcoming & Announcements

Centering Prayer & Peace of Christ

Rev. Fred Mast

Call to Worship

Rev. Fred Mast

Arise, shine, for your light has come. The glory of the Lord shines like the sun. Behold, the nations have come to witness God's light. Kings have come to behold Christ's brightness. Lift up your eyes and look around. The glory of the Lord has come.

Song of Invitation

"Good Christian Friends Rejoice"

#224

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: Beverly Robbins, Jason Holder, Jim Pryke, Flora Mathis, Jeff Dunn, for a quick relief and destruction of the COVID19 virus, for all those inflicted with the virus, and for peace and unity throughout our nation.

Word & Response

Scripture

Matthew 2: 1-12

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

"If Only We'd Look Up"

Rev. Fred Mast

Song of Response

"We Three Kings"

#254

Thanksgiving

Invitation to the Offering for the Kingdom of God

Overwhelmed with joy, the sages of old offered their gifts to Christ. May we share our gifts and offerings with the same joy and humility as those wise sages did long ago.

***Doxology**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

#95

Sent to Serve

***Song of Sending Forth**

"The First Noel"

#245

***Dismissal with Blessing**

Rev. Fred Mast

***Postlude**

Mary Luttrell

