

MOUNTAIN SHADOWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Caring Health Ministry

Gathering Christian Community

Membership

Worship & Music

Giving Stewardship

Legacy

Learning Childcare/Adult Faith Formation/Library

Tending Clerk of Session

Finance

Facilities/Grounds

Personnel

Venturing Mission & Outreach

Jayne Raffety, Moderator

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Carlton Wiens, Moderator

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Mountain Shadows' Board of Deacons, Caring for the Congregation

Linda Linegar, Co-Moderator

Mary Anderson

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Carlton Wiens

Alida Wilkes

Kathy Moyer, Co-Moderator

George Gregg

Connie Wortman

Ann Wright


Our Mission Statement

Mountain Shadows Presbyterian Church, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), is a Christ-centered fellowship, called to live as disciples of Jesus Christ as we care for our community and our world.

We strive to share the good news of the Gospel with each other and the surrounding communities, and to interact with love and grace with all of God's creation.

**Mountain Shadows
Presbyterian Church**

Centered in Christ, Caring for Community

Monday May 29	Tuesday May 30	Wednesday May 31	Thursday Jun 1	Friday Jun 2	Saturday Jun 3	Sunday Jun 4
Office Closed Memorial Day 			No Christian Meditation No Choir	OFFICE CLOSED		10:00 - Worship 11:00 - Fellowship



JUST COFFEE sales are on the 1st & 3rd Sundays

SOCKS/HAND-ME-DOWN SUNDAY is on the 4th Sunday of every month

FOOD BANK donations are on the 1st Sunday of every month

DEADLINE for a weekly worship bulletin announcement is Tuesday morning

DEADLINE for The ORACLE Newsletter is the 15th of each month

Thank you for your punctual submissions to: msoapoffice@gmail.com



SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2017

ATTENDANCE: 82

WELCOME!
**Tucson Borderlands
Young Adult
Volunteers**

Erik Sandstrom

Mary Baldwin

Mirra Matheson

Graham Duncan

Rachel Lovins

PRAYERS FOR...

- Those suffering from dementia and their caregivers;
- Those mourning the loss of a loved one;
- Those who are recovering from a car accident;
- The First Responders who attend to our emergencies;
- Healing mercies for those starting cancer treatments;
- Those who are dealing with end of life and their caregivers;
- Those killed or injured in the bombing in London and their families;
- Those who survived the bombing in London.

THANKS FOR...

- Mary and Hib who are back with us again;
- For Janet and Ralph Dawson's 50 years of marriage.

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Welcome to all visitors, members and children who are worshipping with us today. We trust that worship will give you a sense of fellowship with Christ and with the community of God's people. Following the service, please gather on the Ramada for conversation and refreshments. **LARGE PRINT BIBLES AND HYMNALS HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE CHAIRS IN THE SANCTUARY. IF YOU CANNOT FIND ONE NEAR YOU, PLEASE NOTIFY ONE OF OUR USHERS.**

USHERS: Marsha Kwolek, Penny Gibbs, Martha Macrander

GREETERS: Jane Stump, Volunteer

HOSPITALITY: Linda Linegar and Helen Wiens



TABLE OF FRIENDS FOR SUMMER 2017

Please sign up during May for the Table of Friends for summer. We all know that good things happen when we gather together - around a table, around a fire pit, sitting around in a circle at any location. It doesn't make any difference the time of day or the type of activity or the type of meal that we share. The important thing is the fellowship that comes when we get together. We invite you to gather monthly from June- September for a meal or an activity such as a night at the movies, a game night or whatever your group chooses to do. The ORANGE sign-up sheet is on the table under the Ramada. Groups will be notified the first week in June.

If you have any questions, please contact Rita Smith @ 520-818-9239, Karen Kuehlwein @ 520-297-9258 or Alida Wilkes @ 520-818-2969.



PREVENT SKIN DAMAGE AND SKIN CANCER

By

DONNING a hat, **APPLYING** sunscreen, and **WEARING** protective clothing.

And remember to **REAPPLY!**

Most sunscreens only last 90 minutes!

THE SUN IS STRONG - SO KEEP UP YOUR SUN PROTECTION



Welcome to the Ministry of Flowers

Thanks again to Sherry Gregg for her many years of helping to make the church sanctuary beautiful with her lovely garden flowers. Sherry has retired from this summertime service to the church. We're enlisting summer floral arrangers to serve while our main florist-in-residence, Lynn Parker, is away. This summer, Julie Wiens and Linda Linegar will be arranging occasional fresh flower arrangements when there are donations and dedications. You may sign up to make a monetary donation and dedicate flowers for a particular Sunday. On Sundays when no fresh flowers have been dedicated, lifelike silk floral arrangements will be displayed.

Fundraiser for Middle Eastern Presbyterian Fellowship (MEPF): June 3 at 6 p.m.

Come join the fun and help support the Middle Eastern Presbyterian Fellowship, one of Mountain Shadows' Mission Partners. Med Club (a social organization for Middle Easterners in Tucson) is sponsoring the fundraiser for the benefit of the MEPF. It will include a night of Bingo, food and music. The event will be held at 6 p.m. on June 3 at Northminster Presbyterian Church, 2450 E. Fort Lowell Rd. Zaatar Restaurant will provide food per menu price. SAVE 5 DOLLARS when you reply by June 1st. RSVP Sonia Hariri TEXT [520-877-7938](tel:520-877-7938) or email Hariri21@gmail.com See sign up sheets under the Mountain Shadows ramada for car pooling. Contact Mountain Shadows Mission Connector Dennis Nelson with questions: dennis.nelsie@gmail.com.



Summer Recess: Christian Meditation Group



The Christian Meditation Group's final meeting of the season took place on Thursday, May 25 at 2:00 in the church sanctuary. **The group will take a summer recess in the months of June through September.** The group will resume meeting on Thursday, October 5 at 2:00 p.m. Until then, those interested in Christian meditation may find resources online at <https://www.contemplative-life.org/>



PLEASE NOTE!

For the week of May 29th the office hours are:

Tuesday – Thursday
8:15 am – 2:00 pm

Monday & Friday – Closed

For the week of June 5th the office hours are:

Monday & Tuesday - Closed

Wednesday - Friday
8:15 am – 2:00 pm

Normal Summer Office Hours will resume Monday, June 12th.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY – THURSDAY
8:15 AM – 2:00 PM



**FRIDAY
CLOSED**