

Mountain Shadows Presbyterian Church

Monday Aug 27	Tuesday Aug 28	Wednesday Aug 29	Thursday Aug 30	Friday Aug 31	Saturday Sept 1	Sunday Sept 2
			2:00 Christian Meditation	Office Closed		10:00 – Worship 11:00 - Fellowship

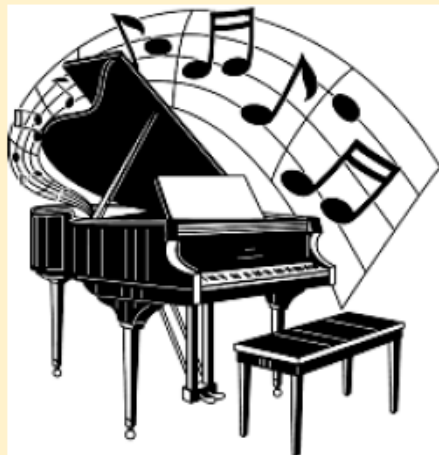


JUST COFFEE sales are on the 1st & 3rd Sundays
 SOCKS/HAND-ME-DOWN SUNDAY is on the 4th Sunday of every month
 FOOD BANK donations are on the 1st Sunday of every month
 DEADLINE for a weekly worship bulletin announcement is Tuesday morning
 DEADLINE for The ORACLE Newsletter is the 15th of each month
 Thank you for your punctual submissions to: mspcoffice@gmail.com



SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2018
ATTENDANCE: 72

**WELCOME
CHRIS TACKETT!**



PRAYERS FOR...

- Firefighters and those who have lost their homes
- Christians being persecuted
- Earthquake victims in Indonesia
- Flooding in Southern India
- Those effected by the bridge collapse in Genoa, Italy
- Punta's healing and safe travels for Madeline and Boyd
- Successful heart surgery for brother-in-law, Bill
- Clean air in our environment

THANKS FOR...

- The YAV program
- Wedding Anniversaries
- This congregation's support & prayers for Joy Lewis's health
- Bob Soerens's birthday
- Lives of Dick Lozier, Rev. Dr. Katie Geneva Cannon, Aretha Franklin and Kofi Annan
- Table of friends
- Allison's 17th Birthday & the start of her senior year

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: Bob & Kathy Soerens, Dan & Diane Rhoades

HOSPITALITY: Karen Kuehlwein, Volunteers

GREETERS: Julie Balogh & Gay Russell

FACILITIES: Karl Kuehlwein

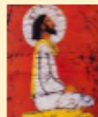


Pima Council on Aging (PCOA) is offering two great classes near us this Fall.

The Aging with Mastery Program will meet at Resurrection Lutheran Church, 11575 N. First Ave, Oro Valley, on Wednesdays Sept 12- Nov 14th from 1:30PM -3PM. \$99 for all 10 weeks. Learn more at the MSPC Health Ministry Table.

It's A Matter of Balance will take place in the Rancho Vistoso Urgent Care Community Room, 13101 N. Oracle Rd, on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2-4PM for 4wks from Oct 9th to Nov 1st. \$20 per individual or \$30 per couple. Many members of MSPC have taken this class and can attest to its value!

For more information and to REGISTER call PCOA at 520-305-3409



The Christian Meditation Group meets every Thursday at 2:00 pm in the Chapel to share an hour of contemplative prayer and supportive friendship. All are welcome!



Save the Date!

Thursday, Sept. 6th, 3:45 pm - Choir rehearsals begin in the sanctuary. The choir will sing the following Sunday, Sept. 9. Come try us out!

Monday, Sept. 10th - Mountain Shadows' five day office hours begin.

Tuesday, Sept. 25th, 10:00 am - Balance Class begins. See Elder Laura Carey for information.

Wednesday, Sept 26th, 1:00 pm - CPR/AED class. See Jayne Raffety for information.

Monday, Oct. 8th - "Receiving the Stranger" class begins. See sign-up sheet on the Ramada.

**EFFECTIVE
SEPTEMBER 10, 2018**

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS ARE:

**MONDAY - FRIDAY
8:15 AM - 1:15 PM**



Cross Streets Community A Ministry of Southside Presbyterian Church

For many years, Cross Streets Community, a Ministry of Southside Presbyterian Church, has been a loving and reliable resource for any poor/homeless person in the south part of Tucson. Cross Streets provides showers, cooked food, clothing and referrals for additional services. Over the years the facility housing these services has become aged and too worn-out to adequately serve this population in need.

Last May, Cross Streets temporarily terminated their services. Cross Streets plans to tear down the old facility to rebuild a wonderful new facility. The new facility will have a well-planned kitchen (which includes the stove that Mountain Shadows donated from the Mountain Shadows' kitchen), multi-purpose room, laundry room and outdoor accommodations.

Your donations of sock and used clothing, brought to Mountain Shadows on the fourth Sunday of each month, are currently being donated to Golden Goose's "Loving Threads". For more information and updates see Jeff States, Helen Wiens or Alida Wilkes. Thank you for your donations and interest in helping this population in need.



African Children's Choir Coming to Tucson on September 9th

This famous children's choir will be presenting three performances in Tucson on Sunday, September 9th. If you are interested in attending, you can find more information at <https://africanchildrenschoir.com/>. Two performances will be held at First Southern Baptist Church at 445 E. Speedway at 8:30 and 11:00 AM. A third performance will be held at Catalina Foothills Church at 2150 E. Orange Grove (corner of Orange Grove and Skyline) at 6:30 PM. Additional information can be found on the website.



Thank You from Jane and Joseph!

Jane and Joseph want to thank the impressive and delightful participants who joined us in discussing the meaning of the film "Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri".

In addition, a very big thank you to the facilitators Cassi and Dennis, who led the groups; to Dan, Tony, and Karl who set things up so competently; to Rod and Denise who brought drinks; to Karen who gave us ice cream; to Rachel who brought huge bags of popcorn and set up the film; to Joseph who brought lots of water.

There were some who wanted to see the film again. Please let Joseph or Jane know and we will set that up very soon!

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Session Elders, Guiding and Governing the Congregation, & Ministry Team Moderators

Caring	Health Ministry	Jayne Raffety, Moderator
Gathering	Christian Community	Shawne Cryderman, Moderator
	Membership	Deborah Derting, Moderator
	Worship & Music	Mary Ann Butler, Elder
Giving	Stewardship	Dave Smith, Moderator
	Legacy	David Raffety, Moderator
Learning	Childcare/Adult Faith Formation/Library	Rod Hutton, Elder
		Cassi Fraley, Elder,
		Vice Clerk of Session
Tending	Clerk of Session	Skip Brauns
	Finance	Jeff States, Elder
	Facilities/Grounds	Dan Linegar, Elder
	Personnel	Pamela Schultz, Elder
Venturing	Mission & Outreach	Laura Carey, Elder
	Communications	Tony Zoellner, Moderator

Mountain Shadows' Board of Deacons, Caring for the Congregation

Linda Linegar, Co-Moderator	Alida Wilkes, Co-Moderator
Mary Anderson	Rex Knorr
Freja Cranston	Kathy Moyer
Judy Hans	Carlton Wiens

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.