

MESA CHURCH

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Order of Worship

Worship Leader: *Michael Horton*

Song: "Unto Thee, O Lord"

Welcome & Prayer: *Jeff Deaver*

Song: "Thank You, Lord, for Loving Me"

Song: "Worthy Is the Lamb"

Song: "These Are the Days of Elijah"

Song: "On Bended Knee"

Song: "Peace, Perfect Peace"

Song: "Come Share the Lord"

Communion & Offering: *Jeff Green*

Announcements: *Jeff Deaver*

Song: "Take Time to Be Holy"

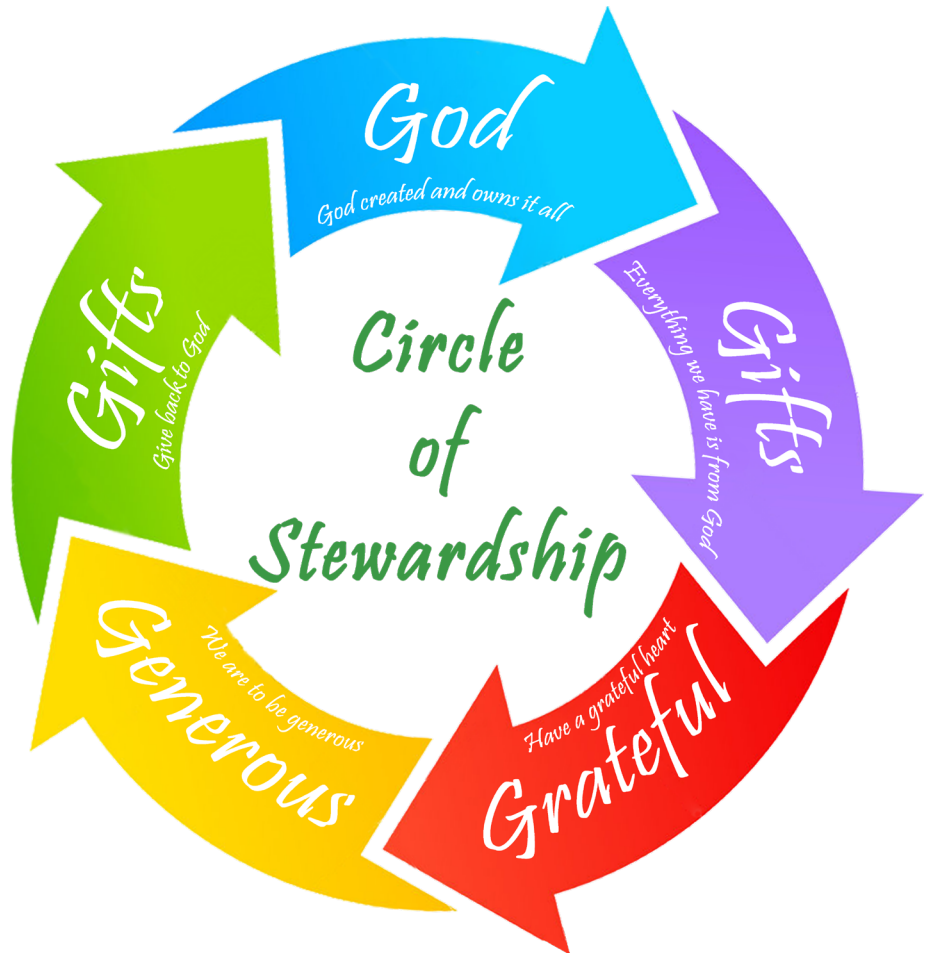
Sermon: "Making the Most of Your Time"

(Eph. 5:14-16) *Jeremy Gills*

Song: "Live for Jesus"

Shepherds Prayer: *Jack Farr*

Soundroom: *Rich Rowland and Charles Elgin*



Membership Updates

Phone: Clifford Mathe (); Sarah Mathe ().

Welcome to the Family: Ken & Kristi Conway and son, Sawyer,



Mesa Deacons & Ministry Leaders (*Denotes Deacon)

Building Security (Jorge Ramirez*)
Children's Education (Kwame Konnor*)
Building & Grounds (Open)
Fellowship (Jon Bouley* & Boni Flores*)
Youth & Child Protection (Courtney Arevalo)
Missions (Kim Clark* & Harry Mo*)
Spanish Technology (Ilmer Ortiz*)
Video Security (Tom Jacobson* & Jim Bolton*)
Worship (Mike Corder & Scott VanWormer)

Adult Education (Dallas Kingsbury)
Children's Bible Hour (Benjamin Koomson)
Connect Groups (Jeff Green*)
Involvement (Kevin Maiorano*)
Mesa Church Programs (Jeff Deaver*)
Technology (Mike Corder)
Homeless Ministry (Ilmer Ortiz*)
Widows (Phil Kerr*)
Youth Group (Joel Soumar)

Benevolence (Tracy Skipper)
L.T.C (Joshua Warren & Quest Wolfe*)
Evangelism (Pedro Mauco, Sr.*)
Ladies Ministry (Elders' Wives)
Pantry (Boni Flores*)
Bible Bowl (Brad Kerley)
4Sixteen (Open)
Finance (Michael Horton)
Men's Ministry (Pedro Mauco, Jr.)

Thank You!: A big THANK YOU to everyone who assisted in one way or another for our annual Bible Bowl! Your servant hearts are always appreciated VERY MUCH! - Brad & Barbara

Sympathy: Our Christian love and sympathy are extended to the family of Virginia Hielen who passed away on Friday, February 16th. The memorial service will be here in the Mesa auditorium this coming Wednesday, March 6th, at 11:30 a.m.

Meal for Memorial Service: Elaine Heath is organizing a meal for the family of Virginia Hielen for March 6th following the memorial service. Please see her to sign up to help.

Lock-Up Covered for March: Our pool of volunteers for locking up the building following Sunday worship needs some reinforcements! The ideal situation would have enough volunteers to make this a one-month-a-year commitment. Right now it is about 5 men short of that number. Pedro & Berenice Mauco are going to cover for the month of March and Peter Yee has offered to cover April.

ATTN: Silver Sisters: The next Silver Sisters luncheon is scheduled for Saturday, March 16th, in Room 105. Lunch is served at noon with games to follow for those who wish to participate! Great food and fellowship! See Sheryl Wilson or Barb Kerley with questions.

LADIES DINNER

ATTN: Ladies: Come enjoy a time of fellowship for ladies of all ages at Chili's this Thursday, March 7th, at 6 p.m. The location is on Stapley just North of Baseline in the Walmart shopping area. Each lady will pay for her own meal.

Open Pantry: This coming Saturday, March 9th, will be open pantry for the month of March. Anyone who would like to help is always welcome!



Praise & Harmony TV Discount: Next Sunday March 10 is the deadline for renewing your 2024 P&H TV discounted subscription of \$59.88 for 1 year (\$4.99/mo). Please submit a payment to the Mesa Church by 3/10. If you do nothing your credit card will be charged \$12.99/mo beginning in April. Your other option is to simply cancel your subscription. Contact Mike Corder for more information at 480.823.8499 or mike@mikecorder.com.

Adult Day-Care: Chelsea Kleve, Director of Glory Days Senior Day Program, is prepared to take new clients in her Wednesday session offered here in our Fellowship Hall from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. She has received great reviews from Mesa members who have participated in her program for sometime at a different location. If you know of someone who might benefit from this, contact Chelsea at 715-404-5007.

Ladies Day @ Coolidge: There will be a ladies' day at Coolidge Church of Christ on Saturday, April 6th. The theme is "Let Us Pray." Text or call Linda McWilliams at 602-799-1882 to register by March 30th.

Ladies Day @ Sun Valley: There will be a ladies' day at Sun Valley on Saturday, March 23rd, from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. with the theme of "Joy." Guest speaker is Becky Blackmon and a scan RSVP is on the bulletin board in the foyer. Please register by March 17th.

Area-wide Singing: Saturday, March 9th, is the next area-wide singing and will be at Southwest Church of Christ at 6:30 p.m. Food and fellowship will follow the hour of singing!



LTC News

Bible Bowl: Continue to study and stay sharp for LTC at the end of the month!

Large & Small Choruses & Song Leading: Next rehearsals will be next Sunday, March 10th, in the annex after worship. Song leading will follow chorus rehearsals.

Signing: Next meetings will be after services TODAY in Rooms 104 and 105. Practice videos can be found at www.ltcsw.org/wp/links/

Puppets: Meet in the Annex on Wednesday, March 6th, at 6:00 p.m. (Note the new time!)



Praise and Prayers

new and critical

Stephanie Hasper.....Carotid artery tests
Chris Juhl.....Health
Ian Buchanan.....Surgery recovery
David Woodrow.....Health
Bahar Sharif.....Health
Bruce Erno.....Surgery recovery
Juriko Smith.....Awaiting test results
Josh Warren.....Surgery recovery

on-going health problems

Martha Carroll, Lori Howerton's mom, Opal East, JoAnne Bridgman, Kevin Olson, Jo Birdwell, John Hulett, Carl Goodman, Clifford Mathe, Jaime Oster, Linda Rosen, Luana Guthrie, Lisa Fenwick, Cindy Posey, Ann Nichols, Gloria Hadley, Jacobson Family and Christi Foreshee

Attendance & Offering

Sunday Class: 231
Sunday Worship: 399
Wednesday: 144
Budget: \$14,521
Giving: \$10,269
YTD Average: \$13,776

Shepherds

Jack Farr C.R. Gaines
Jackie Hinkle Kevin Hubby
Vince McNeil Chuck Watts

Staff

Pulpit Minister: Jeremy Gills (off on Thurs.)
Spanish Minister: Edison Quevedo (off on Fri.)
Youth Minister: Joel Soumar (off on Tues.)
Children's Ministry Coordinator: Courtney Arevalo (off on Thurs.)
Bookkeeper: JoAnne Balsimo (In only on Mon. & Thurs.)
Admin. Assistant: Renda Clark (off on Thurs.)

Office is Open 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Mon. - Fri.

Connect Groups

***Group: "San Tan"** Description: Bible study and fellowship South and East of Mesa toward San Tan and Queen Creek Sundays @ 5 p.m. Contact: Craig or Karen Rae

***Group: "West Mesa"** Description: Bible study and fellowship close to the building. Meets Sundays at 5 p.m. Contact: Jackie Hinkle

***Group: "Laveen and South Phoenix"** Description: Bible study and fellowship in the Laveen and South Phoenix areas. Meets Thursday nights. Contact: Daniel & Lisa Fenwick

***Group: "South Gilbert"** Description: Bible Study and fellowship in South Gilbert Contact: Josh Warren

***Group: "Far East Valley"** Description: Bible Study & Fellowship Sundays @ 6 p.m. Contact: Jimmy Fox or Andrew Sterling

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