

God is spirit, and His worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth.

—John 4:24

Worship Gathering

November 8, 2020; 8:30 & 9:45 AM

(11:00 AM service has different worship folder)

Musical Prelude Sue Gray

Come Into His Presence Celebration Choir
directed by Rev. Gregg Counce

Call to Worship Dr. Dirk Ellis

Highway to Heaven Celebration Choir

We Sing Together Rev. Counce

*Blessed Assurance
In Christ Alone*

Pastoral Prayer Dr. Brad Estep

Scripture Reading Dr. Ellis

Our Tithes and Offerings

Special Song Tony Dean & sister, Peggy Woods

Sermon Dr. Estep

Matthew 25:1-13

“Sadness, Selfishness, and Spiritual Diligence”

Closing Song Rev. Counce

Benediction Dr. Estep

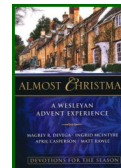
Tonight at 5:00 PM...

Together, we'll sing, pray, read scripture, and God's Word will be proclaimed to us by our lead pastor, Dr. Brad Estep.

Upcoming Events

Advent Book Study on Wednesday Nights...

starting the first week in Dec., Dr. Ellis will lead a book study: “Almost Christmas: A Wesleyan Advent Experience.” You may order paperback or Kindle version at Amazon.com, or you may order a paperback copy when you sign up in the lobby. Cost: \$11.



Women's Event “I'll Be Home for Christmas”...



Fri., Dec. 11 at 10 AM in sanctuary. Guest speaker: Charlie Carney (co-pastor/Glendale Naz and former missionary to South America); special music, drawing, and a gift for all. Tickets (\$5) available later this month.

Nov. 12: Saints Alive Breakfast at Royal Café at 8 AM. Join retired ministers, missionaries, & spouses for good food & fellowship. Sign up in lobby.

Nov. 15: Guest Preacher—Dr. Gustavo Crocker...

one of six elected General Superintendents for our denomination. Born in Guatemala, ordained elder, licensed architect, Fulbright Scholar, author, Ph.D. from Regent University, and speaks several languages. He and his wife, Rachel, have two daughters. He'll be in AZ for district meetings and agreed to preach in our three Sunday AM services.



This Week...

Wednesday	10A—Book of Joel Study (Rm. 1) 11A—Prayer Gathering (Rm. 3) 6P—Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary) Mid-Week Service (Rm. 2)
Thursday	10A—Book of Daniel Study (Rm. 2)
Friday	10A—Prayer for Revival

Gathering Place: Tues. thru Thurs., 9:30 to 11:30 AM.
Church Office: Tues. thru Fri., 9 to Noon.

A Cup of Cold Water in Jesus' Name...

Local

Valley View Food Bank: Our local food bank has found a supplier who will sell them 12 lb. turkeys for \$5 each. The food bank hopes to purchase 5,500 turkeys. We want to help them by collecting funds for 100 turkeys (\$500). Please help by marking a donation “turkey fund” and putting it in one of the offering boxes. Last day is Nov. 22.

Global

Shechem Children's Home (Philippines): This home (also sponsored by Nazarene Compassionate Ministries) serves child survivors of human trafficking in the Philippines. There, the children continually experience the restorative love of Christ, a vital piece of Shechem's assessment and care of those who have survived sexual exploitation. Many of the children, some of whom are toddlers and young children struggle to process it. Along with therapy and meetings with social workers, they are told again and again: You are a beloved child of God. This past year, five children have gone to live with supportive, caring relatives, which is the most favorable outcome. For those of you who knew **Bob Somerville** (husband of Andrea) who recently passed away, for the next three weeks, you may mark a donation in his honor “Shechem (for Bob).”

Sunday Bible Classes

Session One (8:30 to 9:30 AM)

“Bible Survey” Class (J. Brillhart); Rm. 3
“Good News” (M. Davis) and “Living Faith” Classes (M. Thomas) have temporarily combined; Rms. 2 & 3

Session Two (9:45 to 10:45 AM)

“Grace” Class (G. Skagerberg); Rms. 2 & 3
“Lifelines” Class (P. Rollins); Rm. 1