

Sermon Notes:

Financial Giving from September 27, 2020

Agape Fund (spec. for SCCN folks in need)	100
Alabaster	299.46
Bible Class Offering	32
Faith Promise	355
JESUS Film	50
Nancy Butler (missionary)	50
Rocky Point, Mexico (pastor support)	50
Tithes & Offerings	7,519
Valley View Community Food Bank	150
Women's Fall PCF Books	30
Total	8,635.46

Ways for You to Connect With Sun City Naz:

Email: Receive all-church emails that include video greetings from our staff as well as Sunday service videos. If you're not receiving them, please email your contact info to Dawn at destep@suncitynaz.org

Church Online Directory: Private and secure. Only those who have contact info in the directory will have access to it. Send an email to Carol at carolfree44@gmail.com and include your contact info and a photo to add to the directory.

Church Website: suncitynaz.org

Sun City Naz Facebook Page (private...send request on Facebook)

Want to Receive All-Church Prayer Requests?

Call... Bonnie Bokelman (623.933.1123)
 Flo Knight (623.308.4963)
 Mike & Yolanda Spears (214.771.2374)

Need to Contact a Pastor?

Dr. Brad Estep
 Lead Pastor
bestep@suncitynaz.org; 816.916.9609

Dr. Dirk Ellis
 Associate Pastor, Care & Discipleship
dellis@suncitynaz.org; 603.315.2029

Rev. Gregg Counce,
 Associate Pastor, Worship & Welcome
gounce@suncitynaz.org; 816.359.8000

Want to Set-Up Direct Deposit for Giving?

Contact Edie Vetter, Church Treasurer;
edie.vetter@gmail.com; 623.293.8033



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

—John 4:24

Worship Gathering
October 4, 2020; 8:30 & 9:45 AM

Musical Prelude	Sue Gray
<i>10,000 Reasons</i>	Celebration Choir directed by Rev. Gregg Counce
Call to Worship	Dr. Dirk Ellis
<i>I'll Fly Away</i>	Celebration Choir
Presentation	Jerry Woods
We Sing Together	Rev. Counce
<i>Love Lifted Me</i> <i>Blessed by the Lord God Almighty</i> <i>As the Deer</i>	
Pastoral Prayer	Dr. Brad Estep
Scripture Reading	Dr. Ellis
Our Tithes and Offerings	Sue Gray
Special Song	Lowell & Deanne Bassett
Sermon	Dr. Estep
<i>Matthew 21:33-46</i> <i>"Meditating on the Mission"</i>	
Closing Song	Rev. Counce
Benediction	Dr. Estep

**Join us this evening at 5 PM in the
sanctuary or via livestream for a time of
singing, prayer, scripture, and God's word
proclaimed by Pastor Estep.**

Coming This Month...

Today! SCCN Library "Grand Reopening": 2 to 4:30 PM. 6 people may come at a time (3 to look for books and 3 to learn the new checkout system). After that day, Flo Knight will be there the following week from 9 to 11 AM, Mon, Wed, & Thurs.

Oct. 6: Gathering Place Resumes...three days a week (Tues., Wed., & Thurs.—9:30 to 11:30 AM.)

Oct. 30: Singles' Pizza & Games at 4 PM...pizza will be served to you by one person. No finger foods. Masks required. Sign up in lobby.

Oct. 31: ROMEO's Breakfast...8 AM at Royal Café.

Weekly Events That Have Resumed...

Wednesdays at 11 AM:	Prayer Time
Wednesdays at 6 PM:	Choir Rehearsal Prayer Meeting
Thursdays at 10 AM:	Book of Daniel Study
Fridays at 10 AM:	Prayer Time

Fall Frybread Fundraiser...for Southwest Indian Ministries at 14202 N. 73rd Ave., Peoria, AZ. Sat., Oct. 10 from 11 AM to 6 PM. Frybread w/taco fixings. To go orders encouraged. Mask & physical distancing required. Cost: Donation.

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! Feel free to drop a note/card in the marked basket in the lobby for any of the following this month: Dr. Estep (Senior Pastor), Dr. Ellis (Assoc. Pastor/Care & Discipleship), Rev. Counce (Assoc. Pastor/Worship & Welcome). You may also want to do the same for any of the following staff: Sue Gray (Parish Life & Musician), Dawn Estep (Admin. Assistant), Bokelman Sisters (Prayer Chain), and Joe & Jane Barnett (Custodial Team)

The Sun City Naz family is physically vulnerable. In caring for each other, please wear your mask, use hand sanitizer, keep a distance of 6 feet when possible, and greet each other without physical contact.

Notes from the Sun City Naz Family

Thank You...Our Women's Ministry Director, Thirl Johnson, received this note from Kenton Lee (Founder of Because International & inventor of "The Shoe That Grows")...*Thank you, Sun City Church, for all of your generosity over the years. Truly, this gift (\$7,662.77) has come at the perfect time. Every time I receive a gift from y'all, I am blown away...and this time is no different. Truly humbled by all your support for our mission...God bless you, your family, and Sun City Church.*" (To date, Sun City Church, primarily our Women's Ministries, is grateful to have contributed \$32, 230.77 to "The Shoe That Grows," providing footwear that adjusts up to five sizes for communities in need around the world. Simply wearing shoes reduces the risk of many diseases.)



Dear Pastor Estep & Friends...*I thank you for the prayers. This summer has been difficult with the virus and then all of the fires here in Oregon. Goodness, it seemed that our beautiful state was going to be reduced to ashes. Many friends and family were evacuated and homes were lost as well as some lives. We all prayed for rain and, this Thursday, God answered our prayers. God is good all the time! Many blessings to all.*



—Love, Flo Keefe

Thank You...*The funds you graciously sent me came at a crucial time, when they were needed most. This church is in need of roof repair, new plaster and painting, and the gas had been cut off. Thank you so much for your great help and may God continue to bless you. May the peace of Christ be with you.*

—Rev. Doris Gonzalez, El Paso First Church (Texas)

Thank You!*I was so honored and shocked to receive the Distinguished Service Award. All glory and praise belong to my God.*

—Virginia Faul

