



Sun Lakes United Methodist Church

Sun Lakes, Arizona

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Friends,

Tomorrow is **Ash Wednesday** as Lent begins. I encourage you to come and reflect in preparation for anointing with ashes which is a sign of our humanity and dependence on God's grace and mercy. Come to the Chapel between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm for this special time.



Marvin

UNISON PRAYER



Mighty and glorious God, even as we tremble in your presence, we rejoice in your willingness to live among and within us. Forgive us when we act as if we can separate ourselves from your powerful presence. Forgive us when we try to hide from you, forgetting that in you, nothing is hidden. Lift our eyes to see your glory. Lift our hearts to receive your grace. Let our lives reflect the mountain of your love that we might shine for all to see. Grace us with your presence. Overwhelm us with

your love. Guide us with your wisdom and fill us with your Holy Spirit as we worship and praise you this day. Amen.

MEMBERSHIP

If you are interested in joining Sun Lakes United Methodist Church, please stop and visit Pastor Marvin or call the Church Office at (480) 895-8766.



Welcome to our newest members:

- Ginny Klassen who is transferring her membership from Sun Lakes Community Church.
- Barb Kovalsky who is transferring her membership from Hinsdale United Methodist Church in Hinsdale Illinois.
- Doug & Raleene Munsen who are transferring their membership from Chandler United Methodist Church.

We are happy you're here!

MEDICARE 2024 FRAUD PREVENTION



Join us tomorrow, Wednesday, February 14 at 9:30 am in Lindsay Hall as Medicare Specialist Bill Blaney explains Medicare 2024. He will also inform you of Medicare Fraud that is most common and how to prevent it from happening.

We continue to hear about couples being scammed of their financial resources through a phone call that played on their fears and vulnerability. Please join us to learn more about this fraud and scams that are commonly used during this time of open enrollment. Invite your friends to join as well!

RSVP in the Church Office or call **(480) 895-8766**

FEBRUARY IS PEANUT BUTTER MONTH!

This month, the Missions Committee encourages all members and friends to bring in jars of peanut butter to the Church. You can place it in the gray Mission Team totes throughout the campus or in the red wagon in the Church Office.

This is a nutritional food that is perfect for restoring a vital

food source to needy families in the area. All jars will be donated! Please contact the Church Office if you have any questions. **(480) 895-8766**



ARTICLE WRITERS FOR CHURCH GROWTH



We are looking for experienced writers who can put together a quick paragraph monthly for our local papers. The articles must include activities and other events that will help draw in new members!

Please send a few examples to:
Office@sunlakesumc.org or contact the Church Office for more information
(480) 895-8766

MATTHEW 25 PRISON MINISTRY

Thank you for the generous donation of \$1,000.00 from Sun Lakes UMC to the Matthew 25 Prison Ministry, Inc. on January 30, 2024.

We appreciate your continued support of the ministry!

With gratitude and hope,
Steve Heppe, Treasurer

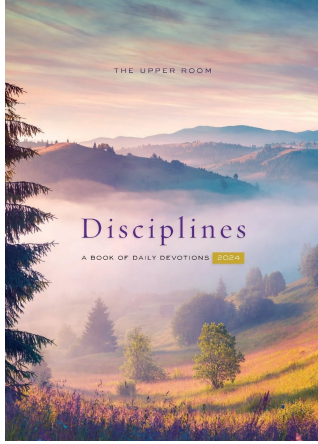


*Offering support through
Pen Pals, Education Scholarships
and Re-Entry Assistance*

UPPER ROOM DISCIPLINES 2024

Challenge yourself to develop a deeper relationship with Christ each day with The Upper Room Disciplines.

Readings in this year-long devotional will awaken and strengthen your awareness of God's presence in your daily life. Each week a different Christian thought leader offers daily meditations and prayers that will



help you engage in God's Word.

Pick up your Disciplines (\$20) in the Church Office.

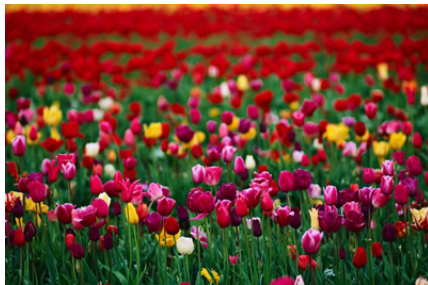
ALTAR FLOWERS DONATED ON FEBRUARY 11

-Suzanne Campbell in Honor of Her Parents, Billie & Jim Hood, for their Birthday Month.

-Janice Fleming in Honor of Brenda's Birthday.



LOVE AND SYMPATHY



...to the family and friends of Lee Widener who passed away Monday, February 5. Memorial service will be Saturday, February 17 at 10:30am. Reception to follow in Lindsay Hall.

...to the family and friends of Gloria Snyder, who passed away Sunday, February 4. Memorial service will be held Thursday, February 22 at

2:00pm in the Chapel. Reception to follow in Lindsay Hall.

...to the family and friends of George Marsh who passed away Friday, January 26. Memorial service will be held at a later date.

...to the family and friends of Jerry Poe, who passed away Tuesday, December 26. Memorial service will be Saturday, April 27 at 10:30am in the Chapel. Reception to follow in Lindsay Hall.

...to the family and friends Vivian Isenhower, who passed away Sunday, February 4. Memorial service will be held in Illinois.

...to the family and friends of Ivan Kraker, who passed away Friday, February 9. Memorial service will be held in Michigan.

...to the family and friends of Richard Fitzgerald, who passed away Friday, February 9. Memorial service will be Friday, February 23 at 11:00am, in the Chapel. Reception to follow in Lindsay Hall.

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