

A stylized illustration of two palm trees with long, thin trunks and large, feathery fronds. Above the trees, three small birds are shown in flight. The background is white, and the trees are rendered in a light gray color.

# Mesa + Palms

*Seventh-day Adventist Church*

*Planting eternity in the hearts of all who come.*



January 27, 2024

# Church Life

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## CALENDAR

Today:

Sunset 5:54 p.m.

Tuesday: Bulletin deadline

7:00 p.m.

Friday:

Sunset 6:00 p.m.

Sabbath, Feb. 3

Speaker: Pastor Vince

Offering: Church Budget

Elder on Duty: Charles Nyakondo

Fellowship Meal • Pathfinders/Adventurers

After church

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**A warm welcome** to all of our visitors here today. We are blessed by your presence and hope that you are blessed, too.

**Please remember** to pick up your tithe receipt in the foyer today if you haven't yet done so.

**The CAAFA focus for January, February, & March:** household & basic needs—twin, full, and queen sheet sets, towels, face cloths, pots, pans, dishes, small appliances, utensils.

**The theme** for next Sabbath's potluck is—Good Food!! In other words, there's no specific theme. Just bring something delicious and enjoy fellowshiping with your church family.

**Be aware** of the route of the Mesa Marathon on Feb. 10 and plan your route to church accordingly. <https://gis.mesaaz.gov/mesamarathon/>

**Listening Enhancers** are available at the AV window for the hearing challenged. Pick up yours before the service. Your keys are required in exchange.

*Holiness is not rapture: it is an entire surrender of the will to God; it is living by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God; it is doing the will of our heavenly Father; it is trusting God in trial, in darkness as well as in the light; it is walking by faith and not by sight; it is relying on God with unquestioning confidence, and resting in His love.*  
*Acts of the Apostles, p. 51*

# Welcome to Worship

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## SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

Cradle Roll/Kindergarten		Nancy Baker
Primary		Carmen Mitchum
Junior		Elizabeth Nyakondo
Youth		<i>This ministry needs to be filled!</i>
Adult 1	<i>Sanctuary</i>	Pastor Buursma
Adult 2	<i>Fellowship Hall</i>	Don & Randy
Adult 3	<i>Last classroom in NE hall</i>	Allen Morehouse

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## CHURCH SERVICE

### GOD GATHERS

Prelude		Linda Puscus
Invocation, Welcome, & Announcements		Sharon Judd
Meet and Greet		Congregation
Children's Story		Carmen Mitchum

### PEOPLE SURRENDER

Worship in Giving	<i>Thunderbird Academy</i>	Sharon Judd
Worship in Singing		René & Friends
Garden of Prayer		Ron Gorton

### GOD SPEAKS

Special Music		Linda Puscus
Scripture Reading	<i>Romans 7:24-25</i>	Phil Shukshin
Sermon	<i>Great Rescue</i>	Charles & Elizabeth Nyakondo

### PEOPLE RESPOND

Closing Song	<i>The Wonder of It All</i>	René & Friends
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### GOD SENDS

Benediction		Elizabeth Nyakondo
Postlude		Linda Puscus

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Worship the Lord with joy!

And the Lord has  
declared this day that you  
are his people, his  
*treasured possession*  
as he promised, and that  
you are to keep all his  
commands.

~Moses~

With love from your Women's  
Ministries

