



Seventh-day Adventist Church

God's Love: Knowing, Growing, Showing



January 3, 2026

Church Life

CALENDAR

Today:

Fellowship Meal / Pathfinders & Adventurers

Tuesday: Bulletin deadline

Sunset 5:31 p.m.

Wednesday: Mid-week Bible Study

7:00 p.m.

Friday:

6:30 p.m.

Sabbath, January 10

Sunset 5:36 p.m.

Offering: Religious Liberty

Elder Van Bledsoe

Presiding Elder: Allen Morehouse

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 be sure that the church directory has your current address. Tithe receipts will be mailed out early next year, and you'll want yours to go to the right address! If you're not in the directory, please email your information to Alice at mesapalmssda@yahoo.com.

Ten Days of Prayer will be January 7–17.

Please pay for your food orders by check, cash, or Adventist Giving.

Please submit prayer requests to Sharon Higginbotham at 707-338-9103 or randshigg@yahoo.com.

If you're not currently receiving the weekly church e-newsletter and would like to, please email Sharon at randshigg@yahoo.com to let her know.

Our church directory needs your current photo! You can either upload a photo to your family entry, email it to the church office, or have someone take a new photo of you/your family and email it to the office. Photos can be one of these file types: JPG, PNG, or TIF.

Open Bylaws Committee Meeting: Sunday, January 18, 10:00 a.m. at the conference office. A zoom link will be available one week prior to the meeting. This meeting is open to ANY Adventist member of the Arizona Conference.

TODAY

Elder of the Week	Allen Morehouse
Worship Team Leader	Dan Simmons
Organist	Alice Ray
Pianist	Cindy Ellis

Welcome to Worship

SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES—9:30 a.m.

Cradle Roll/Kindergarten		Nancy Baker
Primary		René Morehouse
Junior		
Youth		Crystal Stevenson
Adult 1	<i>Sanctuary</i>	Pastor Buursma
Adult 2	<i>Fellowship Hall</i>	Don & Randy
Adult 3	<i>Last classroom in NE hall</i>	Dennis Canther

CHURCH SERVICE—10:50 a.m.

GOD GATHERS

Prelude		Alice Ray
Meet and Greet		Congregation
Invocation, Welcome, & Announcements		Don Jaqua

PEOPLE SURRENDER

Children's Offering & Story		Dan Simmons
Worship in Giving	<i>Church Budget</i>	Don Jaqua
Worship in Singing		Worship Team
Garden of Prayer		Randy Brower
Special Music		Joyful Praise

PEOPLE SURRENDER

Scripture Reading	<i>Ephesians 5:25-27</i>	Annie Smith
Sermon	<i>The Bride of Christ</i>	Pastor Dale

PEOPLE RESPOND

Hymn of Commitment	<i>We Have this Hope</i>	Worship Team
Benediction		Pastor Dale

God Sends

Postlude		Alice Ray
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New life in Christ

Prayer List



"Start the new year off with a sure thing—God's promise to give you a hope and a future (Jeremiah 29:11)." - Billy Graham

Wishing you a year of faith, hope, and love.

Blessings for the New Year!



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Following Christ by creating an environment for a healthy, loving relationship with Him and His family.



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