

THE WEEKLY REMINDER

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors

UNITED
METHODIST
CHURCH

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

9 AM – 4 PM Monday-Thursday, Closed on Friday

Week of April 8 - 14, 2024 - Vol. 32, No. 15

Welcome Visitors

Wherever you are in your faith journey, you have found a home at Prescott United Methodist Church "for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all people." (Isaiah 56:7) We seek to be an active and diverse body united through Christ. We welcome all persons without regard to age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, socioeconomic level, religious affiliation, or personal ability. We include all and exclude no one.

— Supported by Church Council, 12/17/2015

Worship in Person

Saturdays - 5:00PM in Agape Hall

Sundays - 9:00AM and 10:30AM in Agape Hall

Sundays - 10:30AM - Children's Sunday School
(begin in Agape Hall then to Sunday School rooms)

During in-person worship, masks are optional.

Worship Online

Saturdays at 5:00PM and Sundays at 9:00AM and 10:30AM
on Facebook.com/PrescottUMC or YouTube video.
Download the service if unable to watch it "live."

"Prayer Time"

on Facebook.com/PrescottUMC

2:00PM "LIVE" - Monday, Wednesday & Thursday

Please wear your Nametag during services.
If you need one, please contact someone in the church office.



Prescott
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"A Stephen Ministry Congregation"

505 W. Gurley Street, Prescott AZ 86301
(928) 778-1950 - www.PrescottUMC.org
EMAIL: office@PrescottUMC.com

Worship Service Highlights For April 6-7

Opening Hymn: #311 (UMH)

"Now the Green Blade Riseth"

Scripture Reading:

Luke 24:13-35 (NRSV)

Message – Rev. Dan:

"Known at the Table"

Closing Hymn: #613 (UMH)

"O Thou Who This Mysterious Bread"



Welcome to God's Family

New Member Dinner

6PM - Wednesday, April 17

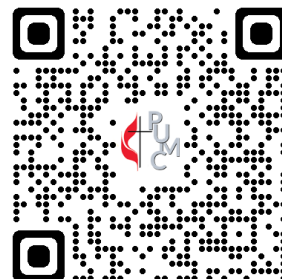
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RSVP to office - (928) 778-1950.

Learn more about Prescott UMC

View Worship Visuals

Access worship service "slides" to view on your smartphone or tablet. Focus camera on QR code. When highlighted, click and scroll in tandem with worship service. Simply shoot & click QR; works with weekly service.



**Be sure to follow us on
Facebook.com/PrescottUMC**



Weekly Calendar

If you change your meeting time or location,
please call the church office: (928) 778-1950

Saturday, April 6

5:00 PM Country Casual Worship Service
Communion (Agape Hall/Live Streamed)

Sunday, April 7

9:00 AM Traditional Worship Service
Communion (Agape Hall/Live Streamed)
10:30 AM Sunday School - Godly Play (Deborah)
10:30 AM Koinonia Class; all adults welcome
10:30 AM Traditional Worship Service
Communion (Agape Hall/Live Streamed)
11:30 AM Youth Group (Deborah)

Monday, April 8

12 NOON Bridge (Esther Hall)
1:00 PM Prayer Quilters (Upper Room)
1:30 PM Good Grief Support Group (Douglas)
2:00 PM Prayer Time
4:15 PM Stephen Minister Small Group (Douglas)
5:00 PM Stephen Minister Continuing Educ. (Douglas)
6:00 PM Stephen Minister Small Group (Douglas)
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Tuesday, April 9

9:00 AM Men's Bible Study (Upper Room)
9:30 AM Handbell Rehearsal
10:00 AM Women's Bible Study (Zoom)
12 NOON Methodist Cruisers (Douglas)
1:30 PM Compassionate Friends (Purple Room)
4:00 PM Adult Education (Library)
4:00 PM SPRC (Douglas)
6:00 PM Scouts (Esther Hall)

Wednesday, April 10

9:00 AM Pastor Dan's Bible Study (Las Fuentes)
1:00 PM All Staff Meeting (Franks)
2:00 PM Prayer Time (on Facebook)
2:00 PM Blind/Low Vision Support (Douglas)
6:00 PM Celebration Choir Rehearsal (Agape Hall)
7:15 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Agape Hall)

Thursday, April 11

10:00 AM Prayer & Bible Study (Upper Room)
10:00 AM Slow Walkers for Better Brains (Douglas)
1:00 PM Senior Peer Meditation (Deborah)
2:00 PM Prayer Time (on Facebook)
3:00 PM Women Sharing Faith (Esther Hall)

Friday, April 12

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, April 13

9:00 AM UMMen Breakfast (Founding Fathers)
9:30 AM United Women in Faith Board (Douglas)
10:30 AM United Women in Faith meeting (Douglas)
11:00 AM Granite Creek Hunger Ministry (Esther Hall)
4:00 PM Gospel Band rehearsal (Agape Hall)
5:00 PM Country Casual Worship Service
(Agape Hall/Live Streamed)

Sunday, April 14

9:00 AM Traditional Worship Service
(Agape Hall/Live Streamed)
10:30 AM Sunday School - Godly Play (Deborah)
10:30 AM Koinonia Class; all adults welcome
10:30 AM Service with Liberty Voices Concert
(Agape Hall/Live Streamed)
11:30 AM Youth Group (Deborah)

"Preview" Deadline

Deadline for May 2024 issue is Monday,
April 15; Email submissions
to: KenL@PrescottUMC.com



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Rev. Dan Hurlbert, Senior Pastor

Pastor Lesli McGowan,
Associate Pastor

Rev. Patti Blackwood, Minister
of Congregational Care

Leigh Downing, Pastoral Ass't.,
Palliative Care Chaplain

Jacob Gilbert, Director of Music
and Technology

Janet Moore, Accompanist

Scott Rhyner, Mark Achuff,
Organists

Devin Rackoff, Office Manager

Lawrence Digges, A/V Tech.
Director, Event Coordinator

Katrina Cain, Nic Harwick,
A/V Technicians

Ken Leja, Publisher, web/print

Paul German, Facilities Manager

Grace Cook, Nursery



Attendance

Maundy Thursday,	
Mar. 28 - 7:00 PM	31
Good Friday,	
Mar. 29 - 7:00 PM	139
Holy Saturday,	
Mar. 30 - 5:00 PM	94
Easter Sunday, Mar. 31	
Sunrise 6:30 AM	28
- 9:00 AM	128
- 10:30 AM	139
(LY=751; LW=323)	
Total	559

Liberty Voices

at PUMC, Apr. 14 - 10:30AM

World-renown "**Liberty Voices**" — the *a cappella* Americana vocal group known for its daily performances at Disney's EPCOT Center in Florida — will perform at Prescott United Methodist Church for a one-day concert in Agape Hall, Sunday, April 14, at 10:30AM.

Seating is limited for the "live" performance of this vibrant, nine-voice ensemble. A love offering will be held during the intermission.

"This is a special opportunity to see one of the finest musical groups I know," says Rev. Dan Hurlbert, "and who return for an encore performance of their greatest hits. You're gonna love it."



United Methodist Men's
Coffee Time
9AM - Founding Fathers
218 N. Granite St., Prescott
Saturday, April 13
RSVP to C.E. Mahan, cemahan75@gmail.com




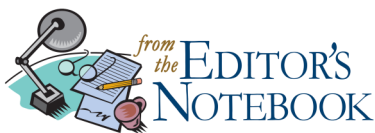
"Sunday's Bible Story TODAY"

Wednesday Bible Study

Open to everyone
...not just residents

at Las Fuentes, 9AM
Craft room, First floor
Las Fuentes Resort Living Facility, 1035 Scott Dr., Prescott





Something to Think About...a few simple thoughts to ponder:

1. If you drop soap on the floor, is the floor clean ...or is the soap dirty?
2. The flavor of water as a beverage is its temperature.
3. *Being down for something* and *Being up for something* mean the same thing.

Please be Praying for...

Bob Alexander	Jim Green	
Betty Bartlee	Jean Hazlett	
Marvin Betts	Les Mammen	
LaDonna Breese	Delores Martell	
Joanne Burnett	Marilyn Millsbaugh	
Malcom Calhoun	Andy Nordstrom	
Maggie Cox	LaRue Opp	
Lucille Crawford	Zane Rice	
Marcia Dunham	Clydene Rice	
Gene Fritts	Phyllis Rhyner	
		Joe Samford
		Amy Seigler
		Jim Soileau
		Vera Stewart
		Vivian Swanson

SPECIAL PRAYERS

Continued Prayers for our country and the world...for God's guidance and mercy as we move forward in this time of uncertainty...for those who have lost loved ones...for those affected by tragedies both here and abroad, as well as those impacted by the ongoing violence and warfare in our world.

Upcoming Events



- ◆ **Slow Walkers for Better Brains**
New group begins Thursday, April 11, 10AM Douglas, Slow-walk activity boosts brain function while helping to stay healthy and active. Contact Mary Lea Adkins.
- ◆ **'Liberty Voices' @ PUMC, April 14**
World-renown "Voices" concert set; Agape Hall venue. a cappella Americana singing ensemble. In-service concert, 10:30am. Details in April Preview.
- ◆ **New Member Dinner, Apr. 17**
Wednesday Dinner, 6PM Mary's Parlor. Info-Dinner with tour of campus with Pastor Dan. Call for sign up.
- ◆ **Write-'n'-Bite for Bread Apr. 20-21**
Bread for the World mission letter-writing campaign to legislators. Contact Jan Lynne for campus campaign.
- ◆ **Caravan to Grand Canyon, Apr. 24**
Depart 8:30AM; return about 5:30PM church parking log. Carpool Caravan signups in narthex.
- ◆ **Children's Musical-Theater Camp**
Registration Open for Youth Music-Theater Camp. May 28-May 31, 9AM-4PM; performance June 1, 5PM. \$50/child for week; includes lunch & snacks. Scholarships available. Call office (928-778-1950) for sign up.

Support, Service & Fellowship Groups

ALZHEIMER'S ASSN. SUPPORT

Meets 1st and 3rd Monday (**Apr. 15, May 6**), 10AM in Douglas. CONTACT: Allan Richstein, (928) 379-2924.

BLIND/LOW VISION SUPPORT

Meets 2nd Wednesday (**Apr. 10**) of month in Douglas. CONTACT: Pat Clingman, (928) 713-5520.

BRIDGE

Meets 1st Monday (**May 6**), 12:30PM in Steed Hall. CONTACT: Nancy Clark, (928) 642-8665.

CARDS OF CARING

Meets 1st Thursday (**May 2**), 2PM in Douglas. CONTACT: Nola Burkhard, (978) 846-2046, nolaburkhard@icloud.com

CARPOOL CARAVAN

Monthly day-trip to a regional destination. **April 24** to Grand Canyon South Rim and historic village. CONTACT: Paul & Susan Wolfe, (928) 443-7514.

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

Meets 2nd Tuesday (**Apr. 9**), 1:30PM, Purple Room. CONTACT: Marilyn DeVan, marilynlddev@gmail.com

GRANITE CREEK HUNGER MINISTRY

Meets Saturdays, 11AM in Esther Hall (foreseeable future). CONTACT: Jim/Carol Lark, carol.lark4594@gmail.com

HOOKED ON BOOKS

Meets Thursday (**May 9**), 10AM in Library. CONTACT: Karon Keeler, (928) 515-3342, doskeelers@gmail.com

METHODIST CRUISERS

Meets 2nd Tuesday (**Apr. 9**), 12NOON in Douglas or a local destination. CONTACT: Jim Myers, (928) 237-0677.

PRAYER QUILTERS

Meet as needed. *All who sew welcome!* Call (928) 778-1950.

SLOW WALKERS FOR BETTER BRAINS

New group begins Thursday, **April 11**, 10AM in Douglas. CONTACT: Mary Lea Adkins, (928) 830-2355 or doubleeaglel@msn.com. Sign-up sheet in narthex.

UNITED METHODIST MEN

Meet 2nd Saturday, (**Apr. 13**) 9AM for coffee (off campus) or breakfast in Mary's Parlor. CONTACT: C.E. Mahan, cemahan75@gmail.com

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

Meets 2nd Saturday (**Apr. 13**), 10:30AM in Douglas. CONTACTS: Terri Gollhofer or Vicki Scott

YARN TWISTERS - KNITTING & CROCHET

Meets 4th Monday (**Apr. 22**), 2PM in Upper Room. CONTACT: Phyllis Rhyner, phrrhyner@gmail.com

MISSIONS COMMITTEE FOCUS FOR APRIL

United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) assists the most vulnerable persons affected by crisis, natural disasters, or chronic need worldwide.



ADULT STUDY GROUPS

♦ KOINONIA CLASS - HYBRID MEETING

Sundays, 10:30AM - Live in Douglas and on **ZOOM**. Paul Wolfe, wolfeden@ix.netcom.com

♦ UMC MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays (**Apr. 9**), 9AM - Upper Room CONTACT: Bob Baker (928) 771-2157.

♦ PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays (**Apr. 11**), 10AM - Upper Room; "Gospel of Mark" - LEADER: Beth Peters.

♦ Sunday's Bible Story Today

Wednesdays (**Apr. 10**) 9AM - Las Fuentes Resort Living, 1035 Scott Dr., Craft Room, 1st floor. Open to ALL, not just residents. Pastor Dan's Bible study.

♦ WOMEN SHARING FAITH BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays (**Apr. 11**), 3PM, Douglas; new study: "Body of Proof" Christy Coutts, (760) 220-6966.

♦ WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays (**Apr. 9**), 10AM via **ZOOM**. LEADER: Peggy Rambikur, peg.mos@hotmail.com

♦ WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays (**Apr. 16, May 7**), 6PM via **ZOOM**. LEADER: Rev. Patti Blackwood

SLOW WALK for Better Brains
starts **Thursday, April 11,**
10am in Douglas

Contact Mary Lea Adkins, 928-830-2355
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AN INVITATION TO ALL WOMEN



Tuesday 10AM Zoom
Women's Bible Study
"Disciplines 2024"

Contact Peggy Rambikur for online connection: peg.mos@hotmail.com