

*"Where God's Love Transforms Lives"*

**It's Happening Here!**

## **Worship at CITD**

*In person worship is on Sunday mornings at 10:00 a.m. The service is also live-streamed and available on our website ([www.crossinthedesert.org](http://www.crossinthedesert.org)). [Click here](#) to view the current worship service. Together, WE ARE THE CHURCH!*

Pastor Galene Boyett's sermon this week is "Sorry Pilate, Jesus is No King".  
Psalter Lesson Psalm 95:1-7; Gospel Lesson John 18:33-37.

If you want to watch our worship service via live stream or later via the church website, go to the Sermons tab and choose the week you want to watch and click on the picture of a computer monitor right below the sermon title. If you're watching live stream, you will not see the monitor until about five minutes before the service starts.

## **CITD's Giving 11/14/2021**

Total General Fund Giving \$5,057.00

**Be sure to scroll all the way down to see all the news!**

## **Meetings This Week (if they are Zoom there will be a (click to join) after Meeting Title)**

November 20 - UMW Tea, 2:00 p.m.

November 21 - Worship Service (in person, live stream and church website after worship),  
10:00 a.m.

November 21 - Fellowship Time, 11:00 a.m.  
November 21 - Decorate Sanctuary for Advent, 3:00 p.m.  
November 22 - Knit, Crochet, & Craft Group, 10:00 a.m.  
November 22 - SPRC meeting for Church Conference, 5:30 p.m.  
November 22 - Church Conference, 6:30 p.m.  
November 22 - Troops 108 and 3226, 6:45 p.m.  
November 22 - Men's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m. (contact Art Brooks)  
November 23 - Men's Bible Study, 11:00 a.m.  
November 23 - Women's Bible Study, 11:00 a.m. ([click to join](#))  
November 23 - Prayer Committee, 6:00 p.m., Zoom  
November 24 - CITD Youth Group, 6:00 p.m., (contact Kevin Joy)  
November 25 - Office closed for Thanksgiving

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## **NEW!**

**Effective Sunday, November 7th, wearing masks indoors on the CITD campus and during worship will be optional. Please evaluate your personal circumstances to decide if you will feel safer wearing a mask. In accordance with CDC guidelines, we will continue to observe physically distanced seating.**

**Children return to worship this Sunday, November 21.**

## **UMW Tea**

Saturday, November 20th at 2:00 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

Admission \$20.00

Admission enters you in a drawing for the *Underground Railroad* quilt

Tickets are available from UMW members

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**Save the date! November 21 at 3:00 pm**

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Join us to decorate the sanctuary for the upcoming Advent/Christmas season. Will you be the one to find the Grinch?

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## **UMOM Christmas Stocking and Gift Card Drive**

**Fill a stocking, (or 2, or 3) and/or purchase gift cards for UMOM families. Make Christmas a little brighter for families facing homelessness. See Karen Bulkeley after service, or email [KSbulkeley@gmail.com](mailto:KSbulkeley@gmail.com) to learn more about how you can help.**

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### **Special Gift Card Order**

Missions Committee is offering a special gift card order to help you with your Christmas shopping! Buy cards as gifts, or for you to use for shopping. The church will receive a percentage from sales to finance mission projects.

Order forms and vendor lists are available.

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### **Sock Drive for Shoebox Ministry**

Collecting **NEW** socks for men and women to be shared with our neighbors in need. Look for collection box in the narthex, or place in the Shoebox barrel in Fellowship Hall.

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### **Thank You!**

Thanks to everyone who generously participated in the Thanksgiving Food

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Drive for the Paradise Valley Community Food Bank. We were able to deliver 380 pounds of food to them this week!

**Tuesday Women's Bible Study** is currently studying the Ten Commandments, and using the book "*Words of Life*" by Adam Hamilton.. They meet on Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m. via Zoom. The link is available in the schedule above.

**Tuesday Men's Bible Study** meets on Tuesdays at 11:00 am at the church. Be prepared to observe CDC guidelines! Be sure to bring your Bible as they are be studying the book of Jeremiah.



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