

### BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 4300 N 82<sup>nd</sup> Street, Scottsdale, Arizona

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**Pastor Sandy Jones** 

## January 28, 2024 Please silence your cell phone during worship

A warm welcome to all who worship here today. May God bless each of us and give us comfort and peace as we worship together.

We practice open communion here at Bethany and all are welcome. We are all one family gathered around our Lord's table. If you prefer to not receive communion today, you are invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Cross your arms to let the pastor know that you would like to receive a blessing and not the wine and bread. White grape juice and wine are both available in the communion tray.

Please come forward at the direction of the ushers, forming a line in the center aisle. After receiving communion, you may return to your seat by the side aisles dropping your empty communion cup in the basket at the end of the front pew.

<u>Visitors</u>, please fill in a blue worship card, and place it in the offering plate; keep the pen as a small welcoming gift.

<u>Altar Flowers</u> – Today's altar flowers are presented by Karen Maglich dedicated to a fruitful Annual Meeting.

<u>In Our Prayers:</u> Martha Harvey, Brian Miller, Jerry Nelson, Julie Johnson, Sherry K., David Bartelson, Jack Stieg, Colette Toronto.

Victims of wildfires & other natural disasters
Victims of all countries at war or in turmoil
Healthcare Workers & First Responders
All of our AA & NA Groups
Military Service Members

Prayers will be listed in the bulletin for one month.

Please fill in a blue card or call the office to add or remove someone from the list.

#### **Today's Assistants**

Reader: Tom Aaby

Communion: Barbara Brown & Laurie Greer

**Ushers: Moe & Tom Aaby** 

**Counters: Moe Aaby & Karen Nelson** 

Fellowship: Moe Aaby

Production Team: Pastor Sandy, Karen Maglich

Today's Readings
Deuteronomy 18:15-20
Psalm 111
1 Corinthians 8:1-13
Mark 1:21-28

#### **Next Week's Assistants 2-4-24**

**Reader: Mary Kerwin** 

**Communion: Mary Kerwin & Yvonne Morrison** 

Ushers: Barbara Brown & Laurie Greer Counters: Carla Roberts & Maggie Beard

Fellowship: Sandra & Mike Patelis Production: Pastor Sandy, Jeff Dasen

Last week's total offerings – \$2282.00 Rents - \$1633.50

Attendance – 35

Bethany's Annual Meeting is today following worship.

We would love to have more members in our choir, please think about joining.

The choir is now singing every Sunday. Practice will be at 8:15 every Sunday morning.

<u>Fellowship</u> – Following worship every Sunday in Zoellner Hall. Sign up to bring the goodies and host a week.

"Fellowship reminder: When serving fellowship after Sunday service, please arrive at about 8:30 am with your treats and assist Diane in setting up. Thank you."

\*\*\*\*Please help with tables and chairs before and after fellowship as you are able to do so. \*\*\*\*

<u>Yulemart</u> – Tuesdays, 9am until Noon

<u>Hand & Foot</u> – Tuesdays - All are welcome starting at 12 noon in Zoellner Hall.

Please consider donating the altar flowers on Sunday. The chart is on the mail cart.

<u>Lutheran World Relief (Jar)</u> ... on the back table is for donations for the "Barnyard" fund which helps buy a safe, clean water system and animals for the poor, and also, "Lutheran World Relief" special collections for disaster victims.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

<u>Food Cart</u> – Drop off non-perishable food items in the basket in the Sanctuary on Sunday or at the office, Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Please, unopened food items only.

Please bring cases of water directly to Vista Del Camino. Water brought to Bethany will be used here. Thank you for caring and your kindness.

# Bethany's Mission Statement Accepting Serving Loving . . . We Share God's Embrace

#### **Scheduled at Bethany this week:**

Today	9:00 am	Worship – Sanctuary	Thursday	10:30 am	Bible Study – Rm 10
Jan 28	10:00 am	Annual Meeting	Feb 1	6:00 pm	CADXA - Zoellner
	10:30 am	Fellowship – Zoellner		7:00 pm	AA – Room 10
	10:30 am	Sunday School - Sanctuary			
	1:30 pm	Tango - Zoellner			
	5:00 pm	Torre Fuerte - Sanctuary			
Monday	4:00 pm	Al-Anon – Room 10	Friday		Office Closed
Jan 29			Feb 2	7:00 pm	Torre Fuerte - Sanctuary
Tuesday	9:00 am	Yule Mart	Saturday	9:00 am	Church of God -Campus
Jan 30	12:00 pm	Hand & Foot- Zoellner	Feb 3		
	7:00 pm	AA 12-Step - Zoellner			
Wed	7:00 pm	Tango - Zoellner	Sunday	9:00 am	Worship - Sanctuary
Jan 31			Feb 4	10:00 am	Fellowship - Zoellner
				1:30 pm	Tango - Zoellner
				5:00 pm	Torre Fuerte - Sanctuary