

June 2021

# Chimes Newsletter

## Chino Valley United Methodist Church

*Our Mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world*

*Our Vision—Chino Valley United Methodist Church is a vibrant, Christ-Centered Church and a beacon of hope through our witness, service, and prayer.*

### **Praise God!**

We are gathering and worshipping in church!

We are live streaming our services  
for those at home!

We are blessed!

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### **Up-to-Date Office News**

Our offices remain closed but appointments can be made to meet with Pastor Bob in his office or at your home.

Phone messages and emails are checked daily.

Should you have any questions or comments, call the church office at 928-636-2969 or email [chinovalleymc@gmail.com](mailto:chinovalleymc@gmail.com).



### **Sunday Worship Services**

**10:00 am**  
Combined  
in church with  
Livestreaming @  
Facebook/CVUMC2

### **Adult Sunday School**

**9:00 am**  
Sunday, June 6

**Adult Study**  
Coming soon...



## **A Word from Pastor Bob**

### ***Moving forward...***

Greetings to all,

As you know we have been operating under the Phase 2 guidelines from our Annual Conference Covid Response Team. Because of our special circumstances we have stretched the limits of Phase 2. The conference has expanded the guideline with a new 2.1 Phase. We are also revising due to the new CDC guidelines.

Our offices remain closed but appointments can be made to meet with me in my office or at your home.

Now that we are online every Sunday we have had to restructure some of the elements of worship. We will be experimenting, you might say, with our worship to make both our online worship and our in house worship the very best they can be. In other words we are striving for excellence in all we do. Please feel free to give your opinions as we go once again through a series of changes.

“So then, with endurance, let’s also run the race that is laid out in front of us, since we have such a great cloud of witnesses surrounding us. Let’s throw off any extra baggage, get rid of the sin that trips us up, and fix our eyes on Jesus, faith’s pioneer and perfecter. He endured the cross, ignoring the shame, for the sake of the joy that was laid out in front of him, and sat down at the right side of God’s throne.” Hebrews 12:1-2 CEB

Blessings to all, Pastor Bob

P.S. To all of our leadership teams and our congregation I give thanks for running the race we never thought possible.

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# ***Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors***

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## ***Notes from the Lay Leader***

June – We begin to feel the real warmth of summer; and hopefully less wind.

Following Pentecost, the Church begins her slow descent of the Easter Season to Ordinary Time, the longest of the liturgical seasons. The green of the liturgical season points to the new life won for us by the Redemption of Jesus Christ, For Our Lord came to cast the fire of His love on the earth, and to that end, sent His Holy Spirit at Pentecost in the form of tongues of fire.

Ordinary Time is the hour to “go out to all the world and tell the good news.” The second period of Ordinary Time, the Season after Pentecost, follows the Easter cycle. It begins the day after Pentecost and continues to Advent. The purpose of this



season is to support new disciples and the whole congregation in living out the gifts and callings discerned during the Easter Season and

commissioned on the Day of Pentecost.

Every year, Christians experience the contrast between the central seasons of Christmas and Easter, where we see God in the events around the coming of Christ, and the in-between times, where we see, speak about and join God’s ongoing work in the world.

We experience two regular cycles of preparation, celebration and action in ministry each year, with the Ordinary Times as the primary periods of action.

Hoping June gives you peace and comfort.

*Sandy*

## **From Your Church Leadership**

The Chino Valley United Methodist Church states that in accordance with the CDC announcement of May 13, 2021, fully vaccinated people are not required to mask or social distance.

But we must be vigilant in protecting each other and the importance of personal responsibility in mitigating the spread of any virus or disease. The Chino Valley United Methodist Church states in accordance with the CDC announcement of May 13, 2021, we do encourage unvaccinated people to wear masks – for your safety and the safety of others.

Your church leadership is humbled and grateful that you, our church, has been willing, open-minded, and dependable in keeping each other safe and healthy during this pandemic. Thanks to all of you, the opportunity to worship together first through technology, then outside worship and now in church is short of amazing. Our church has been guided by many authorities, but most importantly our higher power, God has guided us to where we are today.

We have followed CDC directives. Their recent ruling has provided a broader spectrum of guidelines which establishes a more open protocol in our own worship services. The efficiency of the vaccinations has opened that door to more normalcy than we have known in an exceptionally long time.

We are aware there are people who are vulnerable and who may need added precautions for physical, mental, and spiritual reasons.

We miss each and every one of you and, as your church leadership, it is our hope as you feel comfortable in coming back into church know that it is with open hearts, open minds, and open doors.

Pastor Bob      Mary Taken      Donna Norris      Deryl Jevons

Bob Bell      Roger Harlow      Sandy Jones

# JUNE

## Scriptures & Messages

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| <p><b>June 6</b><br/>2nd Sunday<br/>after Pentecost</p> <p>1 Samuel 8:4-20<br/>Psalm 138<br/>2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1<br/>Mark 3:20-35</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Message</u><br/>Jesus is Anointed<br/><i>Luke 7:36-38</i></p> | <p><b>June 13</b><br/>3rd Sunday<br/>after Pentecost</p> <p>1 Samuel 15:34-16:13<br/>Psalm 20<br/>2 Corinthians 5:6-10,<br/>14-17<br/>Mark 4:26-34</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Message</u><br/>Kingdom of<br/>God Parables<br/><i>Mark 4:1-8</i></p> | <p><b>June 20</b><br/>4th Sunday<br/>after Pentecost</p> <p>1 Samuel 17:1, 4-11,<br/>19-23) 32-49<br/>Psalm 9:9-20<br/>2 Corinthians 6:1-13<br/>Mark 4:35-41</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Message</u><br/>Calming of<br/>the Storm<br/><i>Mark 4:35-41</i></p> | <p><b>June 27</b><br/>5th Sunday<br/>after Pentecost</p> <p>2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27<br/>Psalm 130<br/>2 Corinthians 8:7-15<br/>Mark 5:21-43</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Message</u><br/>Healing of the<br/>Demonic<br/><i>Matthew 8:28-34</i></p> |
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## Meetings & Events

June 3—SPR (closed meeting): 10 am  
 June 3—Missions—Car Show Planning: 11 am  
 June 5—Circle of Sisters: 10 am Memory Park  
 June 8—Aroma's Pizza: 5:30 pm  
 June 11-13—Desert Southwest Annual Conference  
 June 16—Trustees: 9 am  
 June 16—Finance: 10 am  
 June 20—Father's Day  
 June 20—Arizona Pioneer's Home: 2 pm  
 June 28—John Wesley's Birthday

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

### BIRTHDAYS

June 2—Janet Greer-Warren  
 June 18—George Rist  
 June 18—Barbara Starnes-Friesen  
 June 18—Jan Mauck  
 June 21—Dave Jenkins  
 June 23—Mary Taken  
 June 25—Marti Hays  
 June 29—Chuck Thompson

### ANNIVERSARIES

June 15—Ellie & John Magarrell  
 June 16—Cassie & Chris Botel  
 June 18—Jan & Doug Mauck

## 2021

### January

Sock/Slipper  
Collection  
**215 pairs and  
other goodies  
packaged into  
89 bags.**

### February

Chino Valley  
New Horizons  
Assisted Living  
**Magazines,  
toiletry items,  
cards.**

### March

UMCOR  
Disaster  
Relief—Texas  
**\$600.00**

### April

Chino Valley  
Animal Shelter  
**Kennels, food,  
toys, cleaning  
supplies.  
\$125.00**

### May

UMCOR  
Administrative

### June

DSC Student  
Hunger Project

## Missions

### **June Greetings!**

**June Love Offering** is planned for Desert Southwest Conference Student Hunger Project. There are students on university campuses across the country who have difficulty securing regular meals.

**May Love Offering** donations for the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) helped cover overhead, administrative and operations costs for the coming year. Thank you!

Our next Missions Team meeting is scheduled 11:00 am Wednesday, June 3.

## 2021

### July

Chino Valley  
American Legion

### August

Chino Valley  
Teachers

### September

TBD

### October

Car Show  
CV Food Bank

### November

TBD

### December

Christmas  
Dinner  
Donations TBD

# **Your Love Offerings Make a Difference!**

The **Shield 616 Program** came to fruition for the Chino Valley Police Department. The Program to procure vests for our officers started in 2020 and through our September Love Offerings last year and community donations a total of **25 vests** were presented to the department. In addition a Bible accompanied each vest. Thanks to all of you for helping our officers.

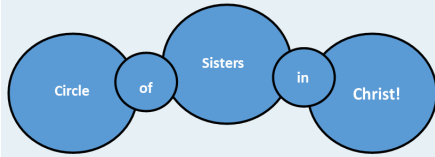


Pastor Bob gave the closing prayer after the presentation to the Officers.



Our furry friends at the **Chino Valley Animal Shelter** were very appreciative of your April Love Offerings and donations. They have no control over their transition and anything we can do ease their confusion is a gift. This pup came into the shelter that day and is looking for a furever home.





## **FINALLY!**

The  
Circle of Sisters  
plan to meet  
**Saturday, June 5**  
**10 am**  
**at Memory Park**  
with a cup of  
coffee catching up,  
sharing stories,  
laughing, and  
praying together.

## **Finance**

Your generosity makes it possible for our church to continue our mission.

Several options for are available for your convenience:

### **Donate by Mail**

Chino Valley United Methodist  
735 E Road 1 South  
Chino Valley, AZ 86323

### **Bill Pay**

Many banks offer a “*Bill Pay*” option. Check with your banks to see if they offer this customer service. If they do, the bank will send your gift directly to the church.

### **Online through e-giving or the website**

Contributions can automatically be debited online from your checking or savings account. When travel or other circumstances prevent you from attending worship, allows your financial gifts to continue uninterrupted.

Contact Ray Benny, Finance Chair with questions or for more information.



A big thank you to  
**Terry Colucci** for  
decorating the sanctuary and  
narthex for Pentecost.

A true experience in the birth  
of the church and the  
descent of the Holy Spirit.



## Trustees Are Up and Running...

There are many short-term and long-term projects and goals established for our church.


The Trustees are always looking for members, whether in a physical capacity, historical knowledge of church projects or knowledge in specific areas.

Continued growth for our church is key to our success.

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Recently the church updated the fire and alarm security system which was in dire need of upgrade. Several Trustees members were instrumental in finding a company to meet our church needs and

B&W Security started March 29, 2021.

The final inspection with B&W and CAFMA resulted in  a **Passed** and a **Thumbs Up** from the church.



The newly created Trustees  
**“Garden Team”** plans on keeping our church grounds in tip top shape.  
Contact Pat Pehl, Lee Morris, Jacki & Dan Flanagan, Pete Mensing and Ralph Wise, if you have ideas or would like to help keep our grounds looking good.

## *Be informed...*

Do you see something that may need attention in our church or on the grounds?

Yes, reality is that we are all getting a bit older, but **together**, sharing the workload, our ideas and our talents is very much appreciated.

**Remember**  
**God's church is your church.**

If you have suggestions or would like to help in any way, contact the Trustees or the office.

### **Did You Know?**

#### **SUCCESS!**

On Pentecost Sunday, we had our first fellowship outside on the patio with catered sack lunches from Jed's Sandwich Shop. About 30 people participated.

A huge thank you to **Joyce Wise** for planning, coordinating and working on this long overdue fellowship time. Definitely the start of many in the future.

### **BLOOD DRIVE** **MONDAY, JUNE 28**

As a service to the community, the Missions Team will be sponsoring a blood drive through Vitalant Blood Services. Their mobile unit will be parked on the church property for that day. Scheduling of those able and willing to donate has begun.

If you are able and willing to donate OR have questions AND **haven't been contacted**, contact Donna Norris at 928-379-1882.



*In our thoughts and prayers this month:*

Pastor Bob, our church, our church family and our youth.

Our country, President Biden, and leaders.

Our military men & women.

All first responders.

Chino Valley Police and Fire Departments

Personnel in hospitals, assisted living and nursing homes.

Home bound and Care Home residents:

Alma Holt, Bob Reese, Jack & Janis Heller, Jessica Benny, Janet Bailey, Barbara Starnes-Friesen.

Church members: Marlys Benny, Terry Braner, Deedee Studebaker, Ilona Dean, Dave & Kathy West, Dan Flanagan, John Magarrell, Bill Brooks, Ralph Wise, Barb Robinson and family for the loss of Rob Robinson, Bob & Rita Haslett and family for the loss of Caitlin.

Friends & family of members: Merle Houston, Chris Everidge, Alice Herod, Michael Ledbetter.

If you would like a name added or deleted from the prayer list, call or email the church office.

***Spiritual comfort is important.***

***Prayer requests, joys and concerns can be added to our knee mail at***

***[cvumckneemail@gmail.com](mailto:cvumckneemail@gmail.com)***

***Remember***

***God Loves You...  
...and So Do I!***



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