

January 2022

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.



Office News

Office Hours
8:00 am to 1:00 pm
Monday through Thursday
Pastor Bob is in the office
Monday through Wednesday.
He is available to visit outside office hours.
Contact the office to schedule an appointment.

Sunday Worship Services

10:00 am
in church with
livestreaming @
Facebook/CVUMC2
and Website

Adult Sunday School

9:00 am
Sunday before
worship service

Children's Sunday School

10:00 am
Sunday during
worship service

Monday
Adult Study
10:00 am



A Word from Pastor Bob

A New Year A New Beginning

“Then the one seated on the throne said, “Look! I’m making all things new.” Revelation 21:5

“Look! I’m doing a new thing; now it sprouts up; don’t you recognize it? I’m making a way in the desert, paths in the wilderness.” Isaiah 43:19

A New Year has arrived! Happy New Year! These Scriptures remind us that God is constantly making a new thing and a new way for each of us. It occurred to me that this is the very same thing we should be doing with our own lives. Everything around us has changed over the last two years. We have had to find new ways to communicate, to do our vocations and even how we now worship. I won’t pretend that we haven’t been a little anxious about all this newness around us.

As for Chino Valley UMC we have stayed the course. We have focused on many new ways of worship and how to communicate with each other and the world around us. Sometimes it has been a little exhausting. In the end we have done marvelous things as we have learned new ways to navigate the world around us and the internal world of our faith. To each member of our congregation and to each person watching our online worship, Thank You. We have found strength and talents we never knew existed within our selves. We have been busy and God has been even busier picking us up, dusting us off and telling us we have a long journey ahead of us and we can make it.

So all I can say is, Thank You Jesus, you are my rock and my salvation! I hope everyone has a Happy and a Prosperous New Year!

Blessings to all,
Pastor Bob

A Note from the Lay Leader

Are you ready to start 2022 with resolutions? I want to become a better person, I want to become more health conscious, or whatever resolution you think to make your life better. Boy howdy, I have many things I need to work on every day.



Pastor Bob's sermon December 26, "Encouragers—A Check List." rang so very true. He hit the nail on the head with a sledge hammer!

Short of watching the live stream over and over, I asked his permission to use the following from his sermon. I hope this resonates with you to humbly move forward and become the Christians we profess to be. Our faith does not stop when the worship service ends or as we exit the church building. Our faith should envelop us so that is who we are—disciples of Christ.

Encouragers—A Check List

Throughout the Bible we are commanded to encourage one another.

1 Thessalonians 5:11-18 gives us some specific examples:

Build each other up—point out to someone a quality you appreciate in him or her.

Honor your leaders in the Lord's work—look for ways to cooperate with Christian leadership and help them achieve their goals for your group.

Show leaders respect—hold back your critical comments about those in a position of responsibility. Take the time to say thanks.

Live peacefully with others—search for ways to get along with others; promote peace by living peacefully.

Warn those who are lazy in their Christian walk—ask someone to join you in a Christian ministry such as a service ministry.

Encourage those who are timid—remind them God promises to be their source of power and strength. Partner with them in projects to build their confidence.

Take tender care of those who are weak—support those who are weak by loving and praying for them. Involve others in reaching out to them.

Be thankful in all circumstances—make a list of ALL the things God has given to you, and give thanks for each one. Tell others what you are grateful for. Share words of gratitude.

Stay healthy, stay safe, and enjoy the month of January.

Sandy



**Thursday, January 6, 2022
Vitalent Blood Drive at the church
To make reservations go online to www.vitalant.org
or call Donna Norris at 928-379-1882.**



**A great outreach program, our church provides
Home Bound Visits and Communion.**

**This includes church members at home,
in assisted living facilities, nursing homes, hospitals
or to anyone that cannot make regular services.**

Contact us to make arrangements.

**We are here to help
and hope you take the opportunity
to let us help you.**

CHRISTIAN education

Children's Sunday School

10:00 during worship service

Thank you to Amber Caulkins and Ruth Gilfert for volunteering to teach the Children's Sunday School Class.

Please pray that God will send us more children to teach His Word! If you are interested in helping, contact Mary Taken at 575-491-2500 or the church office.

Adult Sunday School

9:00 am before the worship service.

Adult Sunday School resumes January 2. Rita Haslett has volunteered to teach the program—studying the Book of Isaiah which has 66 chapters, the same number as books in the Bible. We will be starting on Chapter 12. All adults are welcome. Bring your Bible and join us in the multi-purpose room next to the kitchen. Contact Rita or the church office for more information.

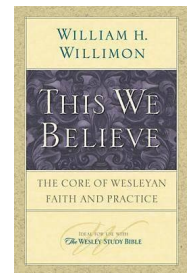
Children's Moment

Thanks to our Christian Education Team of Mary Taken, Amber Caulkins, Kathy West, and Gayle Wise for bringing the children's moment to the third Sunday worship services.

Adult Study

10:00 am Monday Adult Study

A new study begins January 3, 2022 — "*This We Believe, The Core of Wesleyan Faith and Practice*", by Bishop William H. Willimon. Paperback books are available for \$11.00 each. Contact Roger or the church office for more information and study books.



Missions

2022

January

Human Relations
Day
Local
Chino Valley Youth

February

Horses with Hearts

March

Trustees

April

UMCOR Admin

May

Local Chino Valley
First Responders

June

People Who Care

2022

July

Chino Valley
Teachers

August

Yavapai County
Veterans

September

Trustees

October

Car Show
Chino Valley
Food Bank
Girl Scouts

November

Parents "Free" Day

December

Chino Valley
Meals on Wheels

Welcome Jacki Flanagan as the newly appointed Missions Chairperson. Jacki brings to our church and the Missions Team a great background, witness and service.

The Missions Team has tentatively scheduled 2022 Love Offerings as annotated in the columns to the left and right. All your love offering donations are greatly appreciated! Love Offerings for any charity are welcome any time.

January Love Offering

The United Methodist Church has designated Human Relations Day throughout the church organization. The Missions Team decided to focus on our local youth collecting socks. So, during the month of January, drop off new socks at the office or in the church narthex.

Next Meeting

11:00 am
Wednesday, January 12

Church Committees—2022

Opportunities to be a church volunteer ...

Leadership Board

The church Leadership Board is Roger Harlow, Howard Patrick, Donna Norris and Mary Taken. Opinions and suggestions are valued and ideas and visions for the church are encouraged to share with the board. Contact any member of the board or church office.

Trustee's Ministry

The Trustees oversee the care, use, upkeep and maintenance of church property. Contact Deryl Jevons, Trustees Chairperson, any Trustee or the church office for information and volunteer opportunities.

The Finance Committee prepares the annual church budget, handles Accounts Payables and Accounts Receivables, and Stewardship. Contact Ray Benny, Finance Chairperson for more information.



MEN'S MINISTRY

Contact Bob Haslett for Men's Prayer get together 7:30 am the first Wednesday of the month.



This committee organizes worship services for each Sunday and special events from scripture reading, choral and special music, communion, ushers, and children's / youth programs. Contact Terry Colucci, Chairperson or the church office for more information.

Circle of Sisters

Circle of Sisters in Christ intends to have all women of the church meet in a social setting, get to know one another, fellowship, and pray together. There are a few things on the horizon in 2022. The ladies will meet socially on Saturday, February 5 in the church multi-purpose room at 10 am.



In our thoughts and prayers this month:

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

Our country, President, and leaders

Our military men and women

All first responders

Chino Valley Police and Fire Departments

Personnel in hospitals, assisted living and nursing homes

Home Bound and Home Care Residents: Alma Holt, Jack & Janis Heller, Jessica Benny, Barbara Friesen-Starnes, Janet Bailey, Althea Lyons, Irene Rampley.

Church Members: Terry Braner, Ralph Wise, John Magarrell, Janis Heller, Joe Simpson, Taken family, Stoecker family, Giles family, West family, Haslett family, Rose family, Goodall family, Colucci family, Clingman family, Brooks family.

Friends & Family of Members: Merle Houston, Chris Everidge, Alice Herod, Michael Ledbetter

If you want special prayer requests,
email or call the church office
cvumckneemail@gmail.com
chinovalleyumc@gmail.com
or call 928-636-2969





Upcoming **Church Events**

January 6, 2022

Vitalant Blood Drive

Upcoming **Community Events**

Choir

The choir is off to a great start! Voices are welcome. Whether you read music or not, want to just sing melody, there is always room.



Choir Rehearsal
3:00 pm—Wednesday

Did You Know?

The church reaches a broad audience through our in-house worship and our live streaming. We have many people from coast to coast watching, commenting and sharing our worship services. If you have access to our worship on Facebook, comment and share. Thank you **Tina Rodriguez** for making all this happen for the church!

UMC Holidays Observed

- New Year's Day
- Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday
- President's Day
- Good Friday
- Memorial Day
- Juneteenth Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Day after Thanksgiving
- Christmas Eve Day
- Christmas Day



January 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<u>1</u> Happy New Year!
<u>2</u> 9:00 am Adult Sunday School 10:00 am Children's Sunday School 10:00 am Worship	<u>3</u> 10:00 am Adult Study	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u> 10:00 am SPR (Closed) 3:00 pm Choir	<u>6</u> 10 am—3 pm Vitalent Blood Drive 5:30 pm Girl Scouts	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>
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January

Scriptures & Messages

<p>January 2 Epiphany Sunday Jeremiah 31:31-34</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Covenant Renewal Service Pastor Bob</i></p>	<p>January 9 Baptism of the Lord Isaiah 43:1-7 Psalm 29 Acts 8:14-17</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Jude 1:1-2 "Hey, Jude" Pastor Bob</i></p>	<p>January 16 2nd Sunday after Epiphany Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 36:5-10 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 John 2:1-11</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Jeremiah 29:11-13 "Resurrection" Pastor Bob</i></p>	<p>January 23 3rd Sunday after Epiphany Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a Luke 4:14-43</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Psalm 98:4-9 "Spirit of Creation" Pastor Bob</i></p>	<p>January 30 4th Sunday after Epiphany Jeremiah 1:4-10 Psalm 71:1-6 1 Corinthians 13:1-13 Luke 4:21-30</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>"Relationship: Jeremiah— Christ Jesus Roger Harlow</i></p>
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Church Meetings & Events

January	5	10:00 am	SPR (Closed Meeting)
January	11	5:30 pm	Aroma's Dine Out Night
January	12	11:00 am	Missions
January	16	2:00 pm	Arizona Pioneer's Home
January	19	9:00 am	Trustees
January	19	11:00 am	Finance

Birthdays & Anniversaries

<u>BIRTHDAYS</u>	<u>ANNIVERSARIES</u>
January 1 Nancy Mitchell	January 18 Deryl & Linda Jevons
January 1 Doug Pender	
January 7 Jack Heller	
January 13 Margaret Pehl	
January 17 Dave West	
January 23 Pat Pehl	
January 29 Terry Colucci	

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Sunday

Worship

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Live streaming on
Facebook and Website

Children's Sunday School

During 10:00 am service

Adult Sunday School

9:00 am

Monday

Adult Study

10:00 am

***Remember...
God Loves You...
...and So Do We!***



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Return Service Requested

PLEASE
PLACE
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HERE