

July 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.



Sunday Worship

10:00 am
in church
Livestreaming
Facebook/CVUMC2
and Website

Sunday School

Adult
9:00 am
(before worship)

Children
10:00 am
(during worship)

Adult Study
begins in the fall

Office Hours
8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Monday -Thursday

Appointments with
Pastor Bob are
available in office
or home visit.



A Word from Pastor Bob

“ ... freedom ... ”

Here we are in the “dog days of summer” waiting for the Arizona monsoon to open up the heavens and give the earth and us some liquid nourishment.

As we celebrate our independence on July 4th, I tend to think of things that are symbolic of our American ways of life. July 6th is Fried Chicken Day. We can probably thank Colonel Sanders for that. (I grew up in Kentucky.) July 7th is National “Ice Cream Day.” Something we can definitely use more of during these “dog days.” And speaking of dogs, July 23rd is National Hot-Dog Day. And sandwiched somewhere in-between all this is “Shark Week.” Enough to keep me out of their water!

Ruby, the birthstone of July, is said to bring contentment. With all the ice cream, hot dogs and fried chicken I will have to say I’m going to feel fairly content by the time July is over with.

“The Lord is the Spirit, and where the Lord’s Spirit is, there is freedom.”
2 Corinthians 3:17

This is the freedom we really celebrate. Our nations freedom begs us to go deeper into the freedom that is offered freely to us by our Lord. Freedom to do what we want anyway we want seems to be clouding our national conscience. Freedom in Christ is a whole different thing. Our freedom comes from caring for those who cannot care for themselves, feeding those who need to be fed, offering a caring place to land when the confusion of the culture around us leaves us wanting for more peace, more love, more of God in our lives. These are the things we can offer.

Lord we thank you for guiding us during these trying times,

In Christ
Pastor Bob



Desert Southwest Annual Conference 2022

This year's conference was a blended conference—2/3 attended via Zoom and 1/3 attended in person. Roger Harlow and myself joined in the Zoom presentation. Some items discussed were:

- A special session of Jurisdictional Conference will occur November 2—5.
- We will have a new Bishop for the Desert Southwest Conference in January 2023.
- A new Pastoral Assessment tool is in place for this year. EM 360.
- The Consent Calendar passed.
- The Conference Center may be sold off.
- Resolution passed for all churches and the annual conference to be gun-free zones.
- The Florida Endorsement passed.
- For more in-depth information go to www.dscumc.org. All conference activities are now posted.
- Pastor Bob is appointed for another year.

Visit Pastor Bob for conversation.

CHRISTIAN education

Adult Sunday School	9:00 am before worship service All adults are welcome. Bring your Bible and meet in the library/study room.
Children's Sunday School	10:00 during worship service If you are interested in helping, contact Mary Taken at 575-491-2500 or the church office. Background checks are required.
Children's Moment	Children's moment is the third Sunday of each month presented by our Christian Education Team of Mary Taken, Amber Caulkins, and Gayle Wise They continue to bring the word to the children in a way that is interesting and exciting to our youth.
Adult Study	Summer break. Resumes in the fall

A Note from the Lay Leader



Pastor Bob's article summed up a few great celebrations in July. However, did you know there are at least 230+ holidays and celebrations in July? We can add the National Baked Beans Day to the National Fried Chicken and National Ice Cream days.

Every day, I celebrate. I serve God. How about you?

I had the opportunity to attend the Emmaus Gathering in June. This was one of the most positive refreshing experiences. Music (right up my alley), testimonials, fellowship, prayer, meeting people from other churches ... what more could one ask for?

It is an experience that everyone should embrace for their spiritual journey. Our journey is never ending. Let God be your daily focus for that is our personal mission as Christians. Find yourself embracing each message that Sunday morning worship brings to us. Walk in the church ready to accept more than we received last week or yesterday. No matter what curve balls life throws at us and what frame of mind we are in, we have the power.

*Many blessings in this month of July
Stay safe, stay healthy and stay cool!
Sandy*

It's A Shoe-In!

We have a great start and are still collecting shoes for the Prescott Valley United Methodist Church of gently worn, used and new shoes. Bag them up and place them in the collection box in the narthex. The shoes are used to support small businesses in developing nations. Deadline—have all shoes in by Wednesday, July 14. Thank You!

Trustee's Ministry

Good news! Welcome Jessica Tidwell as the newly hired Custodian for the church.

One important responsibility of the Trustee's is to ensure the safety and well-being of our church members and visitors during our church service and at church events. Part of this responsibility includes providing training for church members in CPR and how to use the AED device.

The Trustees want to thank Jean Henry for all her efforts in coordinating the CPR / AED training class June 22. They also want to thank the ten people who attended the training and received their CPR / AED certification.

We have two community health events scheduled at the church.

1. Thursday, July 21—Life Line Screening sponsored by YRMC
 - ⇒ 9:00 am
 - ⇒ Call 1-888-653-6450 or visit <https://lsa.social/HSC> to register for an appointment
2. Thursday, July 28—Vitalant Blood Drive
 - ⇒ 10:00 am
 - ⇒ Call 1-877-258-4825 or visit www.donors.vitalant.org (Blood Drive Code: Chino Valley UMC) for an appointment.

Help is needed for both events with set-up and take-down. Contact one of the Trustees or the office if you are available and would like to help.

During the remainder of the year, the Trustees will continue working on maintenance of the church, church property, Remp Hall, and the new Reflection Patio project. Forms are now available to fill out to have a personal paver made up in someone's memory. They are located in the narthex or can be emailed.

The Trustees meet the 3rd Wednesday of the month and are open to all church members and visitors. If you have any topics or concerns for discussion, contact us or attend one of the meetings.

Deryl Jevons
Trustees Chairperson



To date the Chino Valley United Methodist has met their monthly apportionment responsibility. Thank you.

The following is an article providing knowledge and information about apportionments.

Apportionments

Randy Bowman

Desert Southwest Conference Treasurer

Apportionments are one of the most significant ways in which we, United Methodists, can remain connected to each other and to the world at large. They allow our contributions to touch not only others in our own congregation, but also to reach out to those in need throughout our conference, our country, and our entire world.

Apportionments support many different areas. To name a few:

- General church apportionments. These support the many agencies which serve as resources to each local church and extensions of the local churches in mission work on national and global levels.
- Help start new United Methodist congregations.
- Support camping and outdoor ministries.
- Help the poorer churches to pay their clergy so they can continue its ministry.
- Support campus ministries at Arizona State University and University of Arizona, NAU, and University of Nevada.
- Enable churches to unify and expand financial support for the recruitment and education of future pastors and bishops.
- Help fund Africa University.
- Provide financial support for institutions of higher education that have historically served the educational needs of black students in the US.

Together we are always the United Methodist Church and together we will be victorious in our quest to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

2022

January

Human Relations Day
Local Chino Valley
Youth Sock Drive

February

Horses with Hearts
\$785.00

March

Trustees
\$1,345.00

April

UMCOR
Admin— \$175.00
UMCOR
Ukraine—\$730.00

May

Chino Valley
First Responders
\$810.00
Donations split
1/2 to
Chino Valley
Police Department
and
1/2 to
CAFMA Honor Guard

June

People Who Care
\$530.00

Missions

July Love Offering

This love offering is to support our Chino Valley Teachers by helping them purchase supplies for their classrooms.

June Love Offering

Thank you for all the love provided through the June Love Offerings which will help to provide needed services to the elderly and disabled citizens of Chino Valle

July Meeting

In anticipation of the October 1 Car Show, the next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 21 at 11:30 a.m.

Car Show committee members from previous car shows, as well as any church member who is interested in assisting with the car show, is welcome to attend this meeting and subsequent car show meetings.

Jacki Flanagan
Missions Team Chair

2022

July

Chino Valley Teachers

August

Yavapai County Veterans

September

Trustees

October

Car Show w/donations to
Chino Valley Food Bank &
Girl Scouts
(Ice Cream Social)

November

Parents "Free" Day

December

Chino Valley
Meals on Wheels

Prayer Requests

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:

Jack & Janis Heller, Jessica Benny, Barbara Friesen-Starnes, Althea Lyons, Irene Rampley

Church Members:

Terry Braner, Ralph Wise, John Magarrell, Bob Haslett, Joani Rose, Cynthia Giles

Friends & Family of Members: Merle Houston, Chris Everidge, Michael Ledbetter, Joani Rose's brother Mark Pinta



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Upcoming **Church Events**

July 21

Life Line Screening

July 28

Vitalant Blood Drive

Upcoming **Community Events**

September 3

Chino Valley Territorial Days

Did You Know?

Flag Etiquette

It is the universal custom to display the American flag only from sunrise to sunset on buildings and on stationary flagstaff in the open. However, when a patriotic effect is desired, the flag may be displayed twenty-four hours a day if properly illuminated during the hours of darkness.

A vast majority of people communicate via social media. Etiquette is as important on social media as being in person—whether it is your own personal account or a business account. Practice the Golden Rule.

Facebook Etiquette

Social etiquette ensures that everyone who interacts with your social media will see a respectable, professional business. Do your research. Use direct messages for the right reasons.

July

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<u>3</u> Sunday School 9:00 am Adult 10:00 am Children 10:00 am Worship	<u>4</u> Office Closed	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u> 9:00 am SPR (Closed)	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>10</u> Sunday School 9:00 am Adult 10:00 am Children 10:00 am Worship	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u> 12:00 pm Nominations 5:30 pm Aroma's Night Out	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u> 12:00 pm Music Team	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>
<u>17</u> Sunday School 9:00 am Adult 10:00 am Children 10:00 am Worship 2:00 pm Pioneer Home	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u> 9:00 am Trustees 11:00 am Finance	<u>21</u> 10:00 am Missions 9:00 am Life Line Screening	<u>22</u>	<u>23</u>
<u>24</u> Sunday School 9:00 am Adult 10:00 am Children 10:00 am Worship	<u>25</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u> 10:00—3:00 pm Vitalant Blood Drive	<u>29</u>	<u>30</u>
<u>31</u> Sunday School 9:00 am Adult 10:00 am Children 10:00 am Worship	<u>August 1</u>	<u>August 2</u>	<u>August 3</u>	<u>August 4</u>	<u>August 5</u>	<u>August 6</u>

July

Scriptures & Messages

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sunday, July 3</u> 4th Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 30 Galatians 6:1-6, 7-16 Luke 10:1-11</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>2 Kings 5:1-14</i> "God's Choice For Voice" Pastor Bob</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sunday, July 10</u> 5th Sunday after Pentecost Amos 7:1-17 Psalm 82 Colossians 1:1-14 Luke 10:25-27</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Psalm 149:4</i> "You Are God's Pleasure" Pastor Bob</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sunday, July 17</u> 6th Sunday after Pentecost Amos 8:1-12 Psalm 52 Colossians 1:15-28 Luke 10:38-42</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Psalm 139</i> "Evil, Suffering and a God of Love" Pastor Bob</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sunday, July 24</u> 7th Sunday after Pentecost Hosea 1:2-10 Psalm 85 Colossians 2:6-15, 16-19 Luke 11:1-13</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Luke 10:1-2</i> "A Time to Harvest" Pastor Bob</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sunday, July 31</u> 8th Sunday after Pentecost TBD</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hymn Sing</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Roger Harlow Certified Lay Minister</p>
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Church Meetings & Events

July	6	9:00 am	SPR (closed meeting)
July	12	12:00 pm	Nominations
July	12	5:30 pm	Aroma's Dine Out Night
July	14	12:00 pm	Music Team
July	17	2:00 pm	Arizona Pioneer's Home
July	20	9:00 am	Trustees
July	20	11:00 am	Finance
July	21	10:00 am	Missions
July	21	9:00 am	Life Line Screening
July	28	10:00 am	Vitalant Blood Drive

Birthdays & Anniversaries

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>BIRTHDAYS</u></p> <p>July 6 Ann Harrington July 7 Bob Myers July 11 Donna Thompson July 13 Katie Reimers July 20 Boston Soza July 28 Bob Haslett</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>ANNIVERSARIES</u></p> <p>July 16 Jacki & Dan Flanagan July 17 Jan & Roger Harlow July 21 Gail & George Stoecker July 29 Marlys & Ray Benny</p>
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Office Hours

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or after hours

Sunday Worship

10:00 am in person
Live streaming
Facebook and Website

Sunday School

Adult—9:00 am
Children—during 10:00 am service

Adult Study

Fall 2022

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