

November 18 to November 24, 2019

Monday Nov. 18	Tuesday Nov. 19	Wednesday Nov. 20	Thursday Nov. 21	Friday Nov. 22	Saturday Nov. 23	Sunday Nov. 24
9:00 - 11:00 AM Miriam Dancers - Sanctuary	7:00 - 8:00 AM Men's Prayer - Prayer Room	9:30 -10:30 AM Staff Meeting - Conf. Room	10:00 - 11:00 AM Book Club - Conference Room	9:00 - 10:00 AM Bulletin Stuffers - Conf. Room	Commitment Saturday	Commitment Sunday
10:15 - 11:15 AM Parkinson's Exercise Class - Fellowship Hall	9:15 - 10:30 AM Mary Ruth Circle - Sonoran Room at Grandview Terrace	10:45 -11:45 AM Bulletin Review - Conf. Room	10:30AM -12:00PM Usher Training - Sanctuary	10:00 - 11:00 AM Shepherds Bells Rehearsal - Bell Room	1:00 - 2:30 PM Gail Colclough Birthday Party - Fellowship Hall	9:00 -10:15AM Spirited Traditional Service - Sanctuary
2:00 - 3:30 PM Rebekah Circle - Fellowship Hall Lobby	10:30AM - 12:00PM Tai Chi - Fellowship Hall	1:00 - 3:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room	11:00AM-12:00PM Cancer Support - Prayer Room	1:00 - 3:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room	4:00 - 5:00 PM Sweet Hour of Prayer Worship - Chapel	9:30 - 11:00 AM Sandwich Sunday Fellowship Hall
2:30 - 4:30 PM West Valley Chorale - Choir Room	1:00 - 2:00 PM Health & Welfare Committee - FHMR	1:30 - 2:30 PM Church Council - Fellowship Hall	1:00 - 2:30 PM Miriam Circle - Fellowship Hall	3:00 - 4:00 PM Praise Band Rehearsal - Sanctuary	10:00 -10:45 AM Fellowship Hour Fellowship Hall	10:45 -11:30 AM Informal Praise Service & Communion - Sanctuary
7:00 - 9:00 PM West Valley Wind Ensemble - Fellowship Hall	2:00 - 3:30 PM Usher Training - Sanctuary	3:00 - 5:00 PM Parkinson's Support Group - Fellowship Hall				
	4:30 -6:30 PM TOPS - Choir Room					



United Methodist Outreach Ministries (UMOM), a women and family shelter, is sponsoring their annual Holiday Card Fundraiser. You may purchase cards, in various amounts, from \$25 - \$500 as a donation toward preventing and ending homelessness in Phoenix.

Donation cards will be sold starting 11/23 until 12/22 before and after church services and in the church office. They make a nice gift for friends/family who have everything.

Large Print Bulletins Available From Ushers

If you would like personal prayer after the service, you are welcome to come to the Prayer Room. Our prayer ministers will meet you there. You can either tell them specifically what you would like prayer for, or simply give them your name, and they will pray for you.



USHER TRAINING:
For persons ushering at the 9:00 AM Service, two training sessions in the

Sanctuary will be offered:

**Tuesday, Nov. 19 at 2 PM OR
Thursday, Nov. 21 at 10:30 AM**

Please sign up at the outdoor Kiosk and/or let Patty O'Neal know you are willing to help and are planning to attend.

The Missions Committee project for November is **Christmas Bags for the Valley View Food Bank**.



The bags will be given to the children whose family uses the food bank. The list of items, as well as the bags, can be picked up at the outdoor kiosk or in the office.



Sandwich Sunday is November 24, from 9:30 until 11:00 AM in Fellowship Hall. Please come and help make sandwiches! All sandwiches feed the homeless who utilize the Justa Center in Phoenix.

40th Anniversary Celebration



We welcome all the former pastors who have joined us this weekend to celebrate 40 wonderful years of Shepherd of the Hills United Methodist Church.

Everyone is invited to join us for the concert at 3:30 PM in the Sanctuary on Sunday, November 17.

No tickets are needed and there will be a free-will offering to benefit our Music Department.

Performances from The Sanctuary Choir, Shepherd's Bells, Singing Shepherds and more. Following the concert we will proceed to Fellowship Hall for the celebration dinner and program (tickets required).

Thanksgiving Eve Interfaith Worship Service



The congregation of Lord of Life Lutheran Church is pleased to invite the congregations of Beth Emeth and Shepherd of the Hills to share in a Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service on Wednesday, November 27 at 6:00 PM.

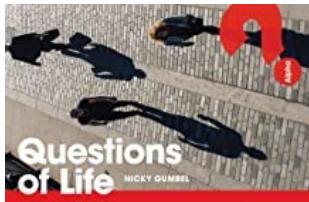
As always, we will follow this service with a time of fellowship as we share in our traditional pie social. We ask that pies are dropped off in the Lord of Life Church kitchen between 5:30 and 6:00 PM that evening.

Enough: Discovering Joy Through Simplicity and Generosity

"Money has a great power in our lives." Used wisely, it is one key to accomplishing our goals, providing for our needs and fulfilling our life purpose. However, finances can become a source of pain and problems, even for the most prudent and thoughtful people. This class is an invitation to rediscover the Bible's wisdom when it comes to prudent financial practices. Pastor Deborah will be connecting these teachings with her sermons.

The class will be led by Bill Price on **Wednesdays at 9:00 AM, in the Fellowship Hall Meeting Room.**

Books are available in the office for \$15 each. Sign up at the outdoor Kiosk or by the church office.



ALPHA CLASS

The Alpha Course is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, typically run over eleven weeks. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. This promises to be an exciting course.

Classes will begin January 10 at 11:00 AM in Fellowship Hall.

The Journey, Walking the Road to Bethlehem



Journey with Adam Hamilton as he travels from Nazareth to Bethlehem in this fascinating look at the birth of Jesus Christ.

As he did with Jesus' crucifixion in "4 Hours That Changed the World," Hamilton once again approaches a world-changing event with thoughtfulness.

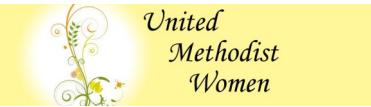
Using historical information, archaeological data, and a personal look at some of the stories surrounding the birth, the most amazing moment in history will become more real and heartfelt as you walk this road.

Rick Walker will lead the classes starting November 25 and ending the week of December 22. The class will meet at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall Meeting Room. The cost of the book will be \$12 and the study will follow Pastor Deborah's sermon series. Please sign up.



HEARTSAVERS REVIEW AND UPDATE MEETING

All Heartsavers are encouraged to attend. Be updated on first aid supplies and how to use them. Review CPR and the use of AED. Be familiar with Ambulance Membership Program. RSVP to Esther Vallet, Parish Nurse, parishnurse@shepherdofthehills.org.



REBEKAH CIRCLE

Will meet Monday, November 18 at 2:00 PM in Fellowship Hall Lobby.

MARY RUTH CIRCLE

Will meet Tuesday, November 19 at 9:30 AM in the Sonoran Room, 2nd floor at Grandview Care Center. All ladies are welcome to attend. Contact Sandy Bradley at 623-293-3018.

UMW LUNCHEON



Please join us on Thursday, December 5, for our annual Christmas luncheon. We ask that you bring a book or puzzle for a child. We plan to distribute them to Dysart Community Center and Wesley/Golden Gate Center. We are planning a catered lunch. The cost will be \$12 or less. The entertainment will be music by our own Bill Moore and Cindy Larson. There will be door prizes, fun and laughter. Invite your neighbors and friends and join us for this "Always Special Event." Tables can be reserved for 6 or more. For details contact Sandy Bradley, 623-546-4476 or bradleyram@outlook.com.

BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Join us on Wednesday, December 4, 2019 at 3:30 PM in the Chapel for the Blue Christmas Service. A light meal will follow in Fellowship Hall.

When we are mourning important losses in our lives, the holiday season can be a difficult time to go through for some of us. Let your friends know about this special worship service opportunity, particularly those you know who will find it spiritually comforting and fulfilling at this time in their lives.

Please sign up so we know a count for the meal.



SAVE THE DATE!



THE FAMILY LIFE 2nd ANNUAL TRIPLE EVENT

**Salad & Dessert Potluck
Bingo
White Elephant Gift Exchange**

WHEN: Thursday, Dec. 12
TIME: 11:30 AM — 3:00 PM
WHERE: Fellowship Hall
COST: \$2.00

Sign up!!



HANGING OF THE GREENS

Join us on Friday, December 6, at 9:00 AM to help in the **Hanging of the Greens**. Please meet in the Sanctuary.

