

Paradise Valley United Methodist Church



The Power of Routine August Worship Series

We all have routines which keep things on track and cultivating spiritual routines and holy habits can build our faith and draw us closer to God. Often we think of routines as boring, but they also have power. Find out how during the month of August when we focus on *The Power of Routine*.

August 5: *The Power of Bible Reading*

Scripture: II Timothy 3:10-17

August 12: *The Power of Prayer*

Scripture: Matthew 6:5-13

August 19: *The Power of Fasting*

Scripture: Matthew 6:16-18

August 26: *The Power of Christian Community*

Scripture: Acts 4:32-36

In **September**, we begin a worship series called [*Neighbors*](#), which examines what the Bible and Jesus say about Christian love. Learn how to be *God's love in action*.



Children and Families Events and Opportunities

Read about all the events planned this fall by [Children and Family Ministries](#). If you are interested in joining our staff, the Preschool has openings for a front-office manager and a teaching assistant/aide. The church is seeking a part-time Children's Minister.

[Read More](#)

Mark Your Calendar

- **Bible Blast:** On **Sunday, August 26**, 3rd-4th graders are invited to attend the annual Bible Blast with their parents. The students receive a gift Bible and guided instruction from their teachers.
- **Acolyte Training and Dedication:** On **August 12**, 4th-8th graders are invited to learn how to become acolytes. On **August 19**, the acolytes are dedicated at 9:30 am worship. [Read More.](#)



God's Love in Action™

Seven Weeks of Summer at PVUMC



Welcome to Paradise Valley United Methodist Church. We're happy you're here! You're invited to stop by the **Paradise Perk**, 9 am-1 pm, for lattes, fresh brewed coffee, organic iced tea, donuts and more. Your purchases support youth missions. If you're a parent of a child or youth, our Back-to-School fall kick-offs are **Sunday, August 19**. Visit pvumc.org/calendar for details.

Summer Journeys

[Summer Journeys](#) small groups at pvumc continue until Labor Day. Look for a new guidebook for the fall on **September 9**, which will feature new classes. **Explore. Discover. Connect.** See pvumc.org to read more.

Children and Youth

- Summer Sundays include classes for children age 3 to 4th grade at 9:30 am. Childcare is available at both the 9:30 and 11 am worship services.
- Most Sundays, 5th-7th graders (Squad 57) meet in H1; 8th-12th graders meet in the Youth Lounge, E14. Both groups meet on some Sunday afternoons. See pvumc.org/calendar/ for scheduled youth activities.



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August 5-August 18

Sunday Worship *

9:30 am Sanctuary

11 am Ignite Chapel

* NO 8 am service July 1-Sept 2

The Paradise Perk, Sundays, 9 am-1 pm

Weekly Sunday Classes for Adults, Youth and Children
(see pvumc.org/calendar for cancellations and changes)

Adult Bible Study	8:00AM A2
Preschool 3 - Kinder Class	9:30AM E8
Elementary 1st-4th grade classes	
(begin in worship)	9:30AM
Squad 57 JAM	9:30AM H1
SML (Sr High Youth)	9:30AM E14
Career YAL (25-35)	10:00AM F8
Bible, Beliefs and Beyond	11:00AM F5/6
Godly Play Class	11:00AM E12/13
Wesley Sunday School	11:00AM G2
Women's Covenant Group	11:00AM F8

Weekly Monday Classes/Groups

Knitting Together	9:00AM Perk
Mustard Seed Study	9:30AM F8
Open Table #16	6:00PM F8
Yoga for Everyone	6:00PM H1

Weekly Tuesday Classes/Groups

Staff Meetings	9:00AM G2
Prayer Group - private	10:00AM F8
Caring Bible Study	10:30AM A2

Weekly Wednesday Classes/Groups

Knitting Together	9:00AM Perk
Susanna Circle	9:30AM A2
Women's AA	7:00PM H7

Weekly Thursday Classes/Groups

Open Table #16 Meeting	6:00PM A2
Open Table #15 Meeting	6:30PM F8

NOTE: See the weekly Journeys groups, classes, meetings and worship services in the first column, but visit pvumc.org/calendar for any cancellations and changes.

Sunday, August 5, 2018

First Sunday Food Collection
Mark your calendar for next month's
9/11 Interfaith Food Drive
pvumc.org/news

Sunday, August 5, 2018

YAL Diamondbacks' Game 1:00PM
By reservation only Off campus

Monday, August 6, 2018

PVUMC Book Group 12:15PM G2
Our Souls at Night (also a movie)
by Kent Haruf — Guide: Jean Updike
pvumc.org/news
Fellowship Ministry Team 6:00PM H4
Mingus Support Group 7:00PM H7

Tuesday, August 7, 2018

Staff Lunch 12:15 PM F5/6
Cub Scout Pack 416 Mtg 7:00PM F5/6

Wednesday, August 8, 2018

Marketing and Communications
Ministry Team Meeting 6:30PM H5
Cub Scout Pack 416 Mtg 7:00PM F5/6

Thursday, August 9, 2018

Growth and Vitality Team 4:00PM H2
Halle Women's Center 5:00PM
Meals at UMOM Off campus
PFLAG Support Meeting 7:00PM H7

Saturday, August 11, 2018

Children's Teacher
Orientation 9:00AM H1
UMOM Meal Servers 4:30PM
Off campus

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Sunday, August 12, 2018

Back-to-School Blessing Sunday
Acolyte Training
4th-8th Grade 11:00AM A1
Caring Ministry Team 11:00AM H4
YAL Planning Meeting 12:15PM H4
Open Table #17 5:00PM H6

Monday, August 13, 2018

Knitting Together 9:00AM Perk
Preschool New Staff and
Substitute Meeting 9:00AM F5/6
Preschool 9:00AM

Tuesday, August 14, 2018

Preschool Mentor Meeting 8:30AM F5/6
Preschool 9:00AM
Set-up for Preschool Mtgs 9:00AM F1
PSPRC Meeting 5:30PM G2
Learning and Living
Ministry Team Meeting 6:00PM H4

Wednesday, August 15, 2018

Preschool 9:00AM

Thursday, August 16, 2018

Preschool CPR & 1st Aide 8:30AM F1
Preschool 9:00AM
PVUMC MOPS Book Club 9:00AM G2
*Call to reserve childcare at least 48
hours in advance: 602.840.8360, ext 134*
Growth and Vitality Team 4:00PM H2
Finance Ministry Team 6:00PM G2
AEA Meet-Ups 6:30PM H7

Friday, August 17, 2018

Preschool 9:00AM
Cub Scout Pack 416 6:00PM F1

Saturday, August 18, 2018

Harold Gerdin Interment 9:00AM
Family Gathering Columbarium | G2

Phoenix Youth Symphony

Auditions	9:00AM H1
Donna Smith Memorial	11:00AM C1
Feed My Starving Children	4:30PM
Mesa Warehouse	Off campus



UMOM Walk September 22

EVERYONE is encouraged to join PVUMC—Love in Action, our church team at the Walk for Homeless Families, **Saturday, September 22**. George Heredia is our team captain and Rev. Brenda Smith is signing up 3rd and 4th graders for an overnight and the walk the next morning. Register with the team by **September 10** to save \$5. Ask friends and family to join you or donate to Team PVUMC. You can even wear flip-flops and help UMOM break a world record! Register TODAY!

Prayer Chain

As part of her new job as PVUMC's Care Minister Debbie Doran coordinates the prayer chain and sends and receives prayers at prayer@pvumc.org. If you would like to join the prayer chain or if you would like prayer for yourself or others, please email prayer@pvumc.org.

For the most current information, visit our website at pvumc.org
See cancellations, changes or additions to the calendar at: pvumc.org/calendar/

