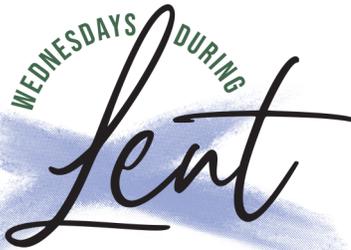




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Wednesday Morning Lenten Services

Join Pastor Jim and Pastor Linda for four Wednesday morning Lenten Services, where we will *Walk with Jesus* through Gospel stories that will

connect Jesus' journey to our own lives of faith as we meet Jesus on the road.

Plan to come at 8:00 a.m. for a continental breakfast in the Conference Room and at 8:30 a.m., for a half-hour worship service in the Sanctuary.

SoSco Duo Concert

Sunday, March 8



SoSco Duo (Laura Strickland, flute and Alex Mack, guitar) is a popular acoustic duo who has played hundreds of performances for both public and private events. They were a great hit in our 2025 Sounds of Summer series, and we're excited to

welcome them back! **They will join us as special musical guests in worship at 9:30 a.m.** before performing their concert at 10:45 a.m. following the service.

10:45 a.m. – A Wee Bit O' Irish Concert

Through music, stories, and passion for this unique style, SoSco Duo carries a little bit of Ireland deep in their hearts. Nothing captures the magic of the Emerald Isle like a spirited jig or a plaintive air. You'll hear a great variety as SoSco follows the Irish tradition of sharing music with you in this intimate performance of intrinsically Celtic music.

From Pastor Jim



We are in the season of Lent. This year, we will “Walk with Jesus” to Jerusalem. As we know, Lent is a 40-day (excluding Sundays) period of fasting, moderation and self-denial designed for Christians to repent and to focus our attention on God, thereby replicating Jesus’

sacrifice in the desert. Jesus’ sacrifice shows us how much God loves us. For Christians, Lent is a time for spiritual discipline, when we put forth our best efforts to break bad habits and relinquish indulgent pleasures. Often people “give up” things like coffee, social media or sweets during Lent, which encourages a deeper dependence upon God.

Every day, we see many negative behaviors and hear rude words spoken. In all likelihood, we are guilty as well. There is much in this world that could be given up for Lent as our expression of our love for God. Clearly, the sinfulness in our lives needs to be replaced with actions and words that please God. So, I bet God would be OK if, in addition to giving something up for Lent, we used the Lenten season to take up something positive!

What if? ...

We GIVE UP grumbling! We replace it with the attitude “In everything give thanks.” Constructive criticism is OK, but “moaning, groaning and complaining” are not Christian disciplines. Be positive and do or say something that benefits others.

GIVE UP looking at other people’s worst points. Instead, concentrate on their best points. Remember, we all have faults. Seek peace! It is a lot easier to have people overlook our shortcomings when we overlook theirs first.

GIVE UP speaking unkindly. Replace your words with kind words. Let your speech be generous, understanding and uplifting. It costs so little to say something kind and encouraging. Why not check that sharp tongue at the door?

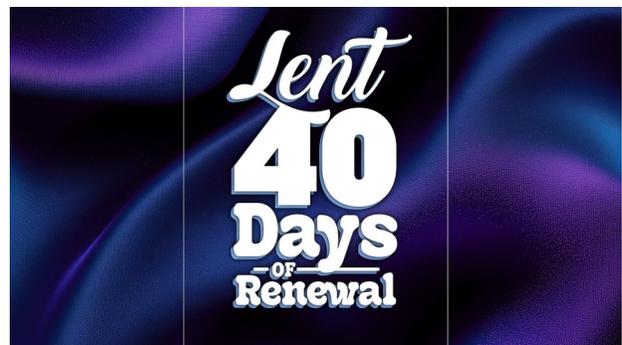
GIVE UP your hatred! Replace it with love! Practice the discipline of love. “Love covers a multitude of sins.”

GIVE UP, as Jesus says in the Sermon on the Mount, your worries and anxieties! Deal with them by entrusting God with them. Anxiety is spending emotional energy on something about which we can do nothing, ... like tomorrow! Live today by including Jesus in it and let God’s grace be sufficient for you.

GIVE UP TV one evening a week! With your newly acquired free time, visit with a lonely person or someone who is facing a challenge in life. Or use that time in prayer, Bible study and personal devotion. Give a precious gift: your time!

GIVE UP judging by appearances and by the standard of the world! Replace it with a life attitude which says, “I give up myself to God.” There is only one who has the right to judge, Jesus Christ.

The main purpose of “giving up” things during Lent is to bring us closer to God; to prioritize God; to put God in the center of our minds and lives; to make God the focal point. I have given some suggestions, but you may have a better idea. So, if you are thinking about giving up something for Lent - do it! But also ask God to show you with what godly action or attitude you can replace it in your daily living. Remember to ask yourself, “How will what I do or think, bring me closer to God?” May Lent be a positive influence in your spiritual walk with Jesus.



From Pastor Linda



In their book, *Repacking Your Bags, How to Live with a New Sense of Purpose*, by Richard Leider and David Shapiro, they tell of an American traveler who had planned an extensive trip to Africa where he was going to go on safari. This

man had great fun planning each detail of the trip and had packed a wide array of supplies and “essentials.” He had maps, timetables, and agendas, as well as the latest gadgets for anything that one might think of for camping gear.

He packed so much stuff, that while on safari, it took several men from a local tribe to carry all that he had brought. For the first several days, they followed a similar pattern. Each morning, they would get up before sunrise and journey a great distance. But one morning, the tribesmen refused to leave the camp. Instead, they rested and sat by a tree. Impatient and frustrated, the American tourist tried to get them to pack up camp and move on, but the tribesmen refused. When the tourist demanded an explanation, his guide said, “They are waiting for their souls to catch up with their bodies.”

Over time, the American tourist and African guide developed a friendship. The guide was fascinated with all the material things that this man had brought. He would often look at the few things that he himself carried and then he would look at the many bags that this man insisted on bringing with him. One day, the guide asked the American if he could see everything that was in his luggage. With great pride, the tourist spread out several large blankets and displayed his many possessions. There were eating utensils, cutting devices, digging tools, direction finders, star gazers, map readers, things to write with an on, various garments in an array of sizes, weight, and colors. There were medical supplies, remedies, bottles upon bottles, and Ziploc bags in all sizes. The list went on and on. After taking it all in with great interest, his

African guide looked at him and asked with great intensity, “Does all this make you happy?” This simple question was a life changing moment for the American tourist. It caused him to look first at his luggage and then at his life – to ask himself, what he was carrying and why?

As we continue our Lenten journey, this is a time to ask ourselves, are we content with who we are? Are we struggling with something? Are we searching for a sense of purpose? Where do we need to grow in our spiritual walk? How is God calling us to serve? How is God calling us to rest in Him?

Lent is an invitation to a time of reflection and inward searching. Pastor Jim and I hope that you will continue be a part of the Wednesday morning breakfasts at 8:00 a.m., and services at 8:30 a.m., as we *Walk with Jesus* through Gospel stories that will connect Jesus’ journey to our own lives of faith as we meet Jesus on the road. In the depths of our own hearts, Jesus is reaching out to us, inviting us to follow him along the journey that brought him to the cross. It is also a time to ponder what God wills for us and the world.

Let us open ourselves to God’s presence, knowing that God speaks to us in our inmost being. May we be open to the grace that enables our growth. Remember that the ultimate outcome of our Lenten journey is one of great joy because it brings us to that Easter morning! As we orient our lives toward God, we remember that with every breath we take, with every step we take, God is with us.



From Faith Community Nurse Noelle



Healing Beyond the Incision

When someone undergoes surgery, we often focus on the procedure itself - the skill of the surgeon, the hospital stay, the incision. But recovery is not just

a medical event. It is a vulnerable season that affects the body, the emotions, and the spirit. Support from a caring church family can make all the difference in the recovery process. Scripture instructs us to “Carry each other’s burdens” (Galatians 6:2). After surgery, that burden can feel heavy.

Surgery places **physical** stress on the body. Even “routine” procedures require anesthesia, inflammation response, and significant energy for tissue repair. The body diverts energy toward healing, which often leaves little strength for normal activities. Common physical realities after surgery include profound tiredness (even weeks later), pain that may fluctuate day to day, swelling and inflammation, temporary appetite changes, and sleep disruption. Support during this time is about offering steady, practical help. Instead of saying, “Let me know if you need anything,” try: “I can bring dinner Thursday or Saturday - which is better?” or “I’ll drive you to your follow-up appointment next week” or “I’m free for an hour Tuesday to help with laundry.” Specific offers reduce decision fatigue and emotional strain.

Many people are unprepared for the **emotional** side of surgery. Even when outcomes are positive, recovery can bring unexpected vulnerability. It is common for people to experience anxiety about complications, frustration with physical limitations, irritability related to pain or medication, sadness over temporary (or permanent) changes, and a loss of independence. For those who are normally caregivers, leaders, or highly capable individuals, needing help can feel humbling. This is where the church’s presence becomes powerful. Scripture reminds us, “Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn” (Romans 12:15). Emotional support may look like listening more than speaking,

resisting the urge to compare stories, allowing tears without rushing to reassure, and continuing to check in after the first week. Loneliness slows healing. Connection strengthens it.

Physical weakness often heightens **spiritual** awareness. Surgery can remind us of our fragility. The psalmist offers reassurance: “The Lord sustains them on their sickbed and restores them from their bed of illness” (Psalms 41:3). Spiritual care during recovery may include prayer that acknowledges both hope and struggle, reading Scripture aloud when fatigue makes concentration hard, sitting in quiet companionship, and reminding someone that dependence is not failure. Sometimes the most healing words are simple: “You are not alone in this.” As a church, we reflect Christ not only in worship, but in the slow, ordinary work of caring for one another. Surgery may repair the body, but community restores the spirit.

If you or someone you love is preparing for surgery, please reach out. Supporting recovery is not just kindness - it is ministry.

Let us be a congregation where no one heals alone.



Sun Health Presents: Meaningful Connections

On Tuesday, March 3, at 10:00 a.m., in Fellowship Hall, come learn about using improvisation as a tool for communicating with people living with dementia. This engaging presentation features experts in the field of dementia care and improv actors who specialize in elevating the caregiving experience.

Sign up during the fellowship hour between services or in the church office.

Caregiver Support Group

Join us Monday, March 2,
at 1:00 p.m. in Room B.

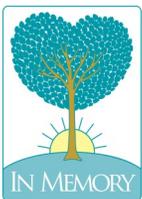
Caregiving is both a blessing and a burden. If you are caring for others at home, at a facility or for a neighbor, please join our Caregiver Support Group. This group offers a warm and caring time where you can share your story, find new resources and receive support.

This group is open to anyone. You do not need to be a member of the church to attend.



Celebrations of Life

Marjorie Huston joined the Church Triumphant on February 8. A Celebration of Life service for Marj and John was held on Friday, February 27.



Freez Friesenborg was welcomed home by God on February 16. Please hold his wife, Ruth, and family in prayer. A Celebration of Life service will be held on Monday, March 2, at 1:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Jim McNamee joined the Church Triumphant on February 26. Please hold his family in prayer.

Directory Changes

Contact the church office.



Blood Drive

Our next blood drive will be on Tuesday, March 17. Sign-up in Fellowship Hall on Sundays or contact Nurse Noelle.

Fitness Fun

Participate in a fabulous exercise class that includes stretching, cardiovascular, strength training and balance. Certified Instructor: Coleen Burke



Classes meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:30 and 8:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall

You must bring a large beach towel to cover your chair. Bring your own weights, resistance band and water. An annual disclaimer must be signed. Donations are necessary to sustain the offering of our classes.

Cardio Drumming

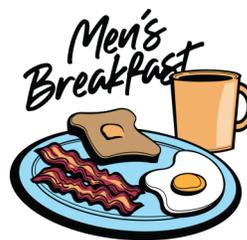
Cardio drumming combines cardio exercise to the rhythm of music in an easy yet effective workout. It is a fun, fast-paced way to get your heart rate up, strengthen muscles and burn a ton of calories. You will need an exercise ball, a bucket large enough for the ball to fit and drumsticks. **There will be no class on Monday, March 2.**

Certified Instructor: Coleen Burke.



Classes meet every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 11:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall

Men of the Church



Due to scheduling conflicts, the March breakfast has been cancelled. **The next Men's Breakfast is on Tuesday, April 21,** at 8:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall, with a wonderful breakfast prepared by Echelon Catering.

If you've signed up for the March breakfast, it will carry over to April. If you can not attend in April and would like a refund, please contact the church office.

Please sign up during Fellowship Hour on Sundays or in the church office. Cost of breakfast is \$7.



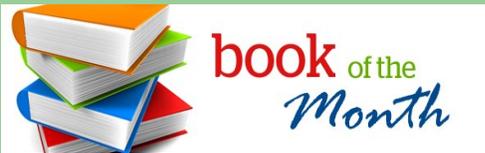
Quilting Ministry

Knots Ahoy! We are in need of all hands-on deck to place knots in quilts being made for children, by our ever-faithful crew. Besides knots being a finishing touch to a quilt, they also hold the three layers of the quilt together. Our finished quilts will be placed on the beds of children by a group called "Sleep in Heavenly Peace."



So, come aboard, no boarding pass needed, and see how easy our knots are made. We'll be aboard in Fellowship Hall on Thursdays, March 5 and 19 from 9:00 a.m. - noon, with a coffee and sweets break, in our Fellowship Hall.

Capi Francis



**Friday, March 20,
from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the Music Room**

The featured book for March will be:
The Correspondent by Virginia Evans
(FICTION EvanCor)

Through letters, a woman examines her life and confronts a painful past.

Titles are on a seven-day loan until after the discussion date. Everyone is welcome to attend these informal discussions.

For information about this program contact Janet Neese at 623-546-9124.

Biblical Bible Study

Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Looking for a place to grow in your faith, ask big questions, and connect with others on a deeper level? You are invited to join us as we study the book of Esther. Please register by texting Helen Devantery at 303-881-6329.



Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor: If either of them falls down, one can help the other up.

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10a

March

We have a new Honorary Angel Bee - John Bowles! Well, he's more than an honorary member, he's actually a working member! He has helped us with our cabinets, our numbers for the quilts, and now he's going to take over maintaining the spreadsheet for us. I should have recognized him last year...but better late than never! Thanks, John, for your help!! You are much appreciated!

Blessings,
Pamela Weir

Upcoming Angel Bees Schedule:

March 14 – 8:30 a.m.

Sewing Day in Fellowship Hall

April 11 – 8:30 a.m.

Sewing Day in Fellowship Hall

May 9 – 8:30 a.m.

Sewing Day in Fellowship Hall

New Church Directory

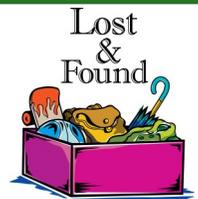


The 2026 DPPC photo directories are available! Please stop by the Fellowship Hall after worship on March 1, 15 and 22 to pick up your 2026 DPPC photo directory. They will be

handed out in alphabetical order by last name. Directories also may be picked up in the church office.

Lost and Found

There is a lost and found box in the church office. If you lose something, please check this box.





Senior Service Awards

Desert Palms honored Capi Francis and Janet Neese at a festive luncheon on Tuesday, February 3, with Nicole Pesce as our musical guest. Capi and Janet were the DPPC recipients of the Presbytery's Senior Service Award for 2026.



Capi Francis became a member of Desert Palms in December 1996. She was baptized at Desert Palms, and photos of that service were shared at the luncheon. She led the SOLOS fellowship group for 20 years! Over that time, she scheduled speakers, arranged for meals and celebrations, etc. She has also helped with many fellowship events. And she has been very active in crafts, quilting and sewing events. For eight years she managed *Fair with a Flair*. She says, it was a labor of love. It was always a year-long process going through the donations, arranging for the luncheon, etc. Each year there was a silent auction, bake sale, and homemade crafts made by the craft group. One year, the fair made \$9,000.

Janet Neese, became a member of DPPC in 1995. She is an elder, and she served on the session of DPPC in the class of 2002. Over the years she has served in so many ways. She has been the church librarian for 29 years! She is a choir member, pianist, organist, and has served as a worship committee member and chairperson. Until recently, she was the librarian for the ensemble, and she has been the librarian for the Chancel choir since, well, forever! She runs the Book of the Month program, has served on Christian Education and Worship Committees, and so much more. She will tell you that she has been involved in church activities as long as she can remember; Sunday School, teaching Sunday School, Christmas pageants, directing Christmas pageants, lay reader, greeter, etc. The church has always been an important part of her life.



We celebrate Capi and Janet and give thanks for their dedicated service!





Christ caring for people through people

**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**

Stephen Ministry Celebrates 50 Years of Ministry!

On February 21st, several of our Stephen Ministers attended a 50th Anniversary Celebration and Learning Event, at All Saints Lutheran Church, in Phoenix. (The event was coordinated by our own Administrative Assistant, Tammy Follensbee, at her home church.) It featured founder, Dr. Kenneth Haugk, and other faculty from Stephen Ministries St. Louis, and provided a hope-filled, inciteful event that not only looked back at the past but also into the future and provided inspiration for building a more caring world. 300 people attended!

“But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength.

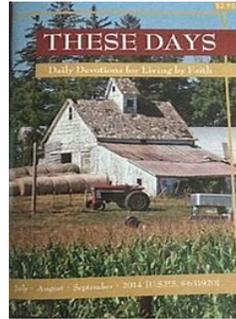
*They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.”
(Isaiah 40:31)*

God speaks to us through the people in our lives, as evidenced in the Bible so many times. Someone we respect can give a word of encouragement or help us to see something with a new perspective. Think about the wisdom we gained from our parents, and teachers and friends throughout our lives.

Wherever we are in our lives, God sends people into our midst to bless us. Might you need an encouraging word from a friend? A Stephen Minister is trained to help and can serve as a Christian friend to walk with you in times of uncertainty or doubt. When a Stephen Minister offers care and comfort to another, they are stepping into a holy place, into the other person’s unique universe of selfhood, need and pain. It is holy because, when they enter in, they find Jesus already there ahead of them -- in that unique person. What a privilege!

For more information about requesting a Stephen Minister, please contact Pastor Linda or one of our Stephen Ministry Leaders, Kathe Cochrane or Carole Jean Soine.

Daily Devotionals

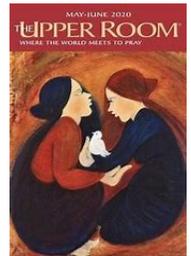


Desert Palms encourages everyone to spend time in the Word of God each day. One way to do this is by using a devotional.

These devotionals can be found on campus in our kiosks or by inquiring at the reception desk. Both

regular and large print are available.

If you are unable to stop by the church to pick up a copy, we would be happy to mail you one. Send us an email at: dppc@desertpalmschurch.org, or call the church office at (623) 584-4602.



Up for a Morning Walk? Visit Our Labyrinth



Have you visited our Labyrinth in the West Parking lot?

If you want to enjoy a nice walk and get some exercise, check out our Labyrinth!

Prayer Labyrinth

Brochures showing how to use it may be found in the kiosks. You only have to enter and follow the path. Your walk can encompass a variety of attitudes. It may be joyous or somber. It might be thoughtful or prayerful. Use it as a walking meditation.



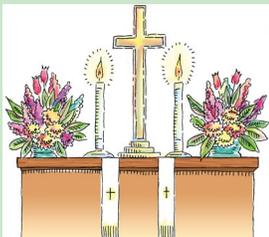
CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

623-584-4602

Ways you can **SERVE**

Flower Help



Do you feel creative? Do you appreciate how the flowers look in the chancel?

There is a need for several people to get involved with (1) arranging artificial flowers for Sunday

morning, (2) coordinating flowers for Easter and Christmas, and (3) decorating the church before Christmas.

If you are willing to give some of your time, please contact Linda Boman.

Coffee Servers Needed



We're looking for friendly faces to help serve coffee on Sunday mornings! This is a simple but meaningful way to welcome others and create a warm,

hospitable environment for our church family and guests. If you enjoy connecting with people, we'd love to have you join the coffee server team. No experience needed! Sign up at the volunteer opportunities table in Fellowship Hall.

Ushers and Greeters



One of the simplest and most meaningful ways to serve our church is by being a friendly face at the door. We're looking for volunteers to help greet and usher during worship,

offering smiles, directions, and a spirit of hospitality to everyone who comes to church.

You don't need special skills - just a welcoming heart and a willingness to help others feel at home. Whether you can serve occasionally or more regularly, your presence makes a difference.

If you're interested or would like to learn more, please contact the church office or sign up at the Volunteer Opportunities table in Fellowship Hall between services on Sunday. Thank you for helping us share Christ's love from the moment people arrive.

Bulletin Board Help

The Mission Committee is seeking a volunteer to help organize and improve the visual appeal of our Fellowship Hall Bulletin Board. This is a short periodic effort with large impact where your creative talents can shine. If interested in promoting missions, please call Dodie Weiland at 816-210-3646 for details.



Prayer after Worship



The Spiritual Life and Growth Committee is seeking people who would be available after the Sunday Worship Service to pray with people who come forward to share a joy or concern. If you enjoy praying with someone one-to-one, to support someone

who needs to share and who would benefit from sharing in prayer, please contact Jennifer in the church office or sign up at the Volunteer Opportunities table during the Fellowship Hour. This is a very rewarding way to show the love of Christ to others.





**PRESBYTERIAN
WOMEN**

PW MEETING AND CIRCLE UPDATES

Bible Study Briefing

Lesson 7
Monday, March 2,
at 8:30 a.m. in Room B

Circle Leaders Coordinating Team Meeting,

Monday, March 2,
at 9:30 a.m. in the Chapel

To all Desert Palms women: If you are not in a Circle and would like information, please stop by the PW table on Sundays. We will show you the Circles and meeting times. From September through May, we meet monthly for the Bible Study lesson, have fellowship, and support members who have concerns. It is a perfect way to study the Bible and make new friends.



Presbyterian Women in the Presbytery of the Grand Canyon Spring Gathering

Saturday, March 21
8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Church of the Master
6659 East University Dr.
Mesa, AZ 85205

Join us for fellowship, fun, and faith as we connect and care for one another and all creation! Workshops and activities will focus on fostering connections and care for our neighbors and our environment. Early bird

registration of \$20 until March 7. Contact Emma Holmes with any questions: 480-560-4374. Register online at:
www.azpresbyteries.org/gc-presbyterian-women

March 2026 PW Circle Meetings

All PW Circles welcome visitors and new members. Just call one of the hostesses listed below if you would like to join in this month.

Esther

Meets the 2nd Monday of the month,
March 9, at 9:00 a.m., in Room B.
Contact person: Judith Hoye

Lydia

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month,
March 11, at 10:00 a.m., in Room B.
Contact person: Sue Christopher

Martha

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month,
March 11, at noon,
in the Conference Room.
Bring your lunch.
Contact person: Char Stelting

Phoebe

Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month,
March 12, at noon, in Room A.
Contact person: Linda S. Miller

Rebecca

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month,
March 11, at 9:00 a.m.
in the Conference Room.
Contact person: Carole Jean Soine



Presbyterian Women Mission Project Day

Tuesday, March 24,
9:30 a.m. to noon in the Fellowship Hall

Come when you can, leave when you need to. This will be an "open house" opportunity for working on a variety of mission projects. Snacks will be provided. Watch the bulletin for more details.



**Wednesday, March 18,
at 12:30 pm in Room B.**

Our March meeting will be a time to do some planning for the rest of the year. Our January Meeting was great with new plans.

Until then blessings for the Lenten season,
Carole Jean Soine



Back Row: Beth George, Marleen Seach,
Capi Frances, Carole Jean, Willie Hiemstra

Front Row: Roberta Sambol, Pat Bradach,
Sally Van Wert, Fran Jones.

(Not Pictured: Roberta Fogel, Linda Swanson,
and Dorrie Briere)

Desert Palms Presbyterian Church New Member Gathering

Are you interested in becoming
an Active or Affiliate Member?
Just complete the form below
and we will contact you.

This form may be placed in the
Offering Plate on Sundays or
brought to the Church office.

Our next New Member Gathering is in May.
Watch your bulletin for details.

Name _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

**Questions? Please call the
Church Office at 623-584-4602.**



FINANCIAL SUMMARY

2026 One Month	ACTUAL	BUDGET
Total Income	\$239,192	\$232,796
Total Expenses	\$158,120	\$148,719
Net Income (loss)	\$81,072	\$84,077

God continues to bless our church, both spiritually and financially. January income was ahead of plan by \$6,400 but was behind last year by \$142,000. January expenses were greater than plan by \$9,400 and greater than last year by almost \$15,000. This difference is due to three payrolls in January, one of two months during the year where there are three payrolls. Net income was very close to plan at \$3,000 below plan. IRA contributions this year are strong and provide a good financial start to 2026.

The value of our Endowments invested at Vanguard will see fluctuations again this year. January increased 1.2%. We remain focused on a long-term view of 5 to 10 years and will continue with our current investment strategy.

Be sure to take advantage of qualified charitable distributions from your IRA so that you don't pay taxes on the amount of your distributions. And don't forget your contribution to support the PC(USA) by making your Per Capita contribution.

Please remember the church in your will. You can also designate the church as a beneficiary on specific financial accounts as an alternative approach.

Charlie Green,
Chair, Financial Affairs Committee



Article Deadline

Please submit your
April Newsletter articles by
Saturday, March 21. Please
turn in your articles to the
church office or email them
to jennifer@desertpalmschurch.org





2 Mike Mehrer
Kathy Mehrer
Sandy Somers

3 Carolyn Driver
Richard Mitchell

4 Jean Montgomery
Cindy Hagen
Loueen Burrows

6 Judy Carpenter
Sandy Johnson

7 Evonne Donald

8 Jeff Rosebery

10 Jody Presley

11 Sue Montgomery

12 Linda Chattin
Bette Storhaug

13 Tom Minnick
Marsha Hower

15 June Hause
Dick Gira
Don Houdeshell
Terry Linehan

16 Jan Noteboom
Lynn Rouyer

17 Pat Tomaro
Patty Rosebery
Greg Morton

19 Fred Wullschleger

20 Carol Main
Willie Hiemstra
LeRoy Weisser
Melanie Harrison

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23 Gerda Wullschleger

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25 Peggy Munis
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Vicki Peterson

26 Margo Pagnini
Samuel Shih

27 Mil Kerr
David Starling

28 Nan Fraser
Ken Weaver
Ken Moore
Phyllis Wiley

30 Phyllis Lattion

31 Sara Bassi

If you do not find your birthday or anniversary listed, please let the church office know. We would like to recognize you during your special month.

8 Don and Barbara Luzader
Ken and Glema Weaver

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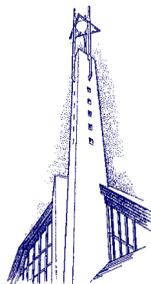


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Desert Palms Presbyterian Church
proclaims the Gospel of Jesus Christ,
enables people to grow in their faith and
empowers them to share God's love among our
congregation, our community and the world.

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