



CHANDLER
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 2nd, 2026

JULY 12

Sunday Funday

Pigs-in-a-Blanket Potluck

Bring a side dish to share.
Iced tea and lemonade provided.

[Click here to Sign Up](#)

or

sign up via clipboard after
July 5th Service

Bible Readings: July 5th– 11th

- 5 ☐ Hos. 2-5; Heb. 2
- 6 ☐ Hos. 6-9; Heb. 3
- 7 ☐ Hos. 10-12; Ps. 73; Heb. 4
- 8 ☐ Hos. 13,14; Ps. 100,102; Heb. 5
- 9 ☐ Mic. 1-4; Heb. 6
- 10 ☐ Mic. 5-7; Heb. 7
- 11 ☐ Is. 8-10; Heb. 8



Prayer Requests:

- Keith and Barbara Weichert request prayers for Keith's cousin Claudia O'Driscoll who is in hospice care with pneumonia and organ failure. We request prayers for comfort and support for her and for her husband Ray and family in Oregon.
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- Wilma Ellis requests prayer for her nephew Darren Sealy and her cousin, Marva Corbett. Prayer's health improvements.
- Brandelyn Abner requests prayer for her son Joshua. Prayers he finds courage and strength to take that step forward.
- Velma Coombs requests prayer. She is feeling very tired and weak. She is being treated for diabetes and kidney disease.
- Becca Khuu requests prayer for Dan Khuu. Prayers of thanksgiving that Dan's naturalization appointment went well and that copies will be forthcoming soon, they had been lost.
- Shannon Hofmann requests prayer for Travis Smith. Continued healing and good health following surgery.
- Chandra Toy requests prayer for Jim Patmos. Continued prayer for Jim to regain his health back.

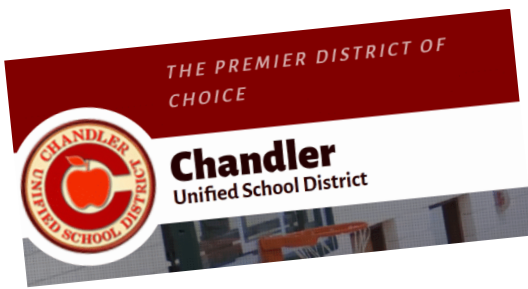


July: Dayspring UMC, Tempe, AZ, Desert Chapel UMC, Apache Junction, AZ, Desert Foothills UMC, Phoenix, AZ

Beat the Heat Campout

Come join us in the pines for a fun filled campout. August 14th - 16th, Woods Canyon Lake Group - Loop A - 35 miles outside of Payson. This area can accommodate tent campers and RVs (dry camping only). We will have a potluck dinner, scavenger hunt, campfire, and worship service. There will be plenty of time for fellowship as well as time to relax in the cooler temps. Space is limited, so reserve your site today. \$50 for two nights of camping. [Sign-up Here](#)





This month we are requesting cash or check donations for CUSD's Families in Transition Program.

F.I.T. is a program created to assist children and youth who are experiencing homelessness to succeed in school.

The McKinney-Vento Act was established to guarantee homeless youth the same educational services provided to all

students.

CUSD's F.I.T. program can assist families and youth who are living in transitional housing with an array of services such as clothing, food, school fees, utility bills, medical/dental services, and much, much more.

F.I.T. will use our monetary donations to purchase Walmart gift cards. Students will use these to purchase clothes, groceries, school supplies, hygiene items, etc.

F.I.T. buys Walmart cards specifically because they restrict certain purchases (such as alcohol).

If you would like more information about Families in Transition, please contact Shea Dobson at (480) 224-3741 or dobson.shea@cUSD80.com

<https://www.cUSD80.com/departments/families-in-transition-program-homeless>

As always, The Missions Team is thankful for your generosity.

ARE YOU CALLED TO BE A STEPHEN MINISTER?

Stephen Ministers are one on one caregivers who provide listening support and walk with those who are going through a difficult time. We will be training new and returning caregivers this fall. Please prayerfully consider being a part of this vital caregiving ministry. More information to come!



Welcome our newest members: (Left to right) Rita Holker, Jay Holker, Lorraine Cenatiempo, Lana Kimmel, Brenda McMinn and Walt McMinn.

You're invited to join
Adult & Family Ministries for



**FRIDAY, AUGUST 21ST
6:40PM @ CHASE FIELD**

Faith & Family Night returns to Chase Field on Friday, August 21, when the D-backs host the Cincinnati Reds. This year's event is highlighted by a postgame concert by Matthew West!

Faith & Family Night will feature:

- National Anthem sung by local church choir members
- Arizona Diamondbacks vs. Cincinnati Reds game
- Postgame concert by Matthew West
- D-backs Player Testimonials + Q&A

Tickets
\$20 per Adult
Children (0-18) FREE

Kirsten Walker
@Kirsten-Walker-15

All seats are located in the lower level.
Accessible seating available.



Tickets on sale every Sunday through July 26.
Venmo, Cash, or Check made out to CUMC

*If using Venmo, please write
Dbacks Tickets in the notes.

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The Desert Southwest Annual Conference convened this year on June 17 with the theme A Healthy Church for a Healthy World: We are the Church Together. Highlights included a beautiful Memorial Service honoring all those clergy and conference staff who died during the past year, a dynamic and insightful keynote with Rev. Tyler Sit, a moving ordination service, and inspiring words from our annual conference leaders and ministry teams.



Some good news: We are growing. Reports from New & Vital Faith show we are pushing back against the decline in church attendance and expanding our reach in new ways.

Conference-wide we are seeing a LEADERSHIP SHIFT as the average age of the conference leadership appears to be declining. The young are stepping up as the older members step back to let them do so. Those new to the annual conference, and those newly ordained, commissioned and licensed are taking an active role in the annual conference and their districts.



In addition, the annual conference is doing so many things to control costs: annual conference meeting in churches, volunteers preparing meals and providing snacks, reducing the districts to three ... After a dismal year in apportionment payments, this year appears to be picking up again as churches sense an emerging vision in the annual conference.

We voted for our General and Jurisdictional Conference delegates, probably the most tedious but important part of our time together. Technology is so great when it works, and so quirky when it doesn't! We had daily learning sessions, which were good and allowed us to meet other people and churches who were looking at some of the same ideas for the future.



We also celebrated BIG time the 70th Anniversary of the Ordination of Women in the United Methodist Church.

Thank you for sending us...we are looking forward to enfold our conference vision into what we are doing as a church, helping to create a healthy church for a healthy world.



Blessings,
Rev. Candace, Jenny Cowan and Lynd Stringer



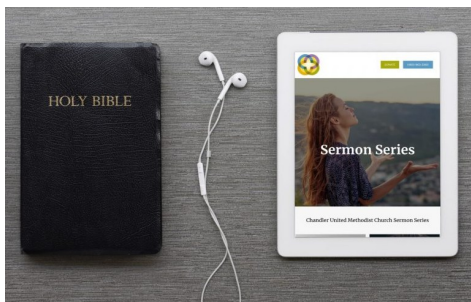


Men's Breakfast

Where: Black Bear Diner

When: Friday, July 3rd @ 7:00 AM

If you are interested, please
RSVP to
Jim Latter @
jimandlinlat67@gmail.com



Do you know everything our website has to offer? It is a great place to download our weekly newsletter, view our sermon series, and learn about upcoming events. These are just a few things our website offers to keep you informed and connected.

Here are some important links to help get you started:

Our website:
<https://chandlermethodist.org/>

Church Calendar:
<https://57617618.view-events.com/calendar/57617618/>

Donate Online:
<https://chandlermethodist.org/donate/> or scan the QR code



We will also be updating our Facebook page regularly. If you like our page it will show up in your feed. Search for Chandler United Methodist Church

Join us this weekend:

Scripture:
"Romans 7:15-25"

Sermon: "Delight in the Law"

Webpage: <https://chandlermethodist.org/>



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Rev. Dr. Candace J. Lansberry, Senior Pastor
Mission: To grow disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Vision: We are a **community** of grace, joyfully growing together in our **connection** with God, **collaboratively** serving, and **celebrating** living the light of Christ.