CHANDLER
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 19th, 2026



November Missions Collection



Chandler UMC Missions Team partners with organizations and groups to make a difference throughout our area and throughout the world. As is our habit, we will be providing Christmas items for several organizations this year.

We will collect $25 Walmart gift cards for our 25 I-Help guests.

There are opportunities to provide gifts for infants and children with Sidewalk Sunday School. We are requesting items for 9 infants and 25 preschoolers.

Save the Family is an organization we support by providing gifts for 100 single adults living in their facilities.



Staff Update

Due to changes in work schedule and a desire to rekindle his non-profit, Jonathon Granado has resigned from his position at CUMC as the Director of Connections. He will continue serving as a Sunday School teacher and youth leader in a volunteer capacity. We are grateful for Jonathon's service among us, and wish him all the best!

Bible Readings: November 22nd – 28th

22 ☐ Mt. 11-13
23 ☐ Mt. 14-16
24 ☐ Mt. 17-19
25 ☐ Mt. 20-22
26 ☐ Mt. 23-25
27 ☐ Ps. 125; Mt. 26,27
28 ☐ Mt. 28; 1 Th. 1-3

Prayer Requests

- Richard and Sonia Roland request prayer for David Calhoun. He is improving but continued prayers are requested.
- Becca Khuu requests prayer for Dan Khuu. Prayers for Dan as he navigates his path forward following the death of his dad.
- Leslie and Bruce request prayer for Michelle O'Brian. She has thyroid cancer and had surgery on November 4th. Prayers for healing.
- Allison Wallace requests prayers of Thanksgiving for a new professional position which starts on Monday, November 30th. Thank you for all your prayers.
- Paula Wirth requests prayer for her cousin, Connie Hancock. Prayers to help heal her after she broke her neck.
- Wilma Ellis requests prayer for her cousin Marva Corbett and Gary Waton, her friend's dad. Prayers for health improvement and post heart surgery healing.
- Brandelyn Abner requests prayer for her son Joshua. Prayers for guidance and to keep him safe and feel the love.
- James and Marilou Estes request prayer for Mary Ellen Fitsgelad. Prayer to heal from illness

November: The Fountains, A UMC - Fountain Hills, AZ, Tongan UMC - Mesa, AZ, Trinity UMC - Phoenix, AZ



As we move into the holiday season, blood donations often decrease while the need for blood in local hospitals remains constant. Churches have always played an important role in bringing people together to care for their neighbors, and a blood drive is a simple but powerful way to make a difference in the lives of patients who rely on lifesaving transfusions. We are hosting a community blood drive on **Sunday, November 22**. To donate please sign up here



Thank you to everyone who came out and made Breakfast with Santa a success!



Advent Studies at CUMC

Join one of our Advent studies as we get ready to celebrate the birth of Christ and consider what it means for our world today.

Seekers Sunday School

"52 Little Lessons from It's a Wonderful Life" by Bob Welch

Discussion will focus on what the author says, whether it offers a good lesson for life, and whether it is consistent with our faith.

Monday Evening Zoom Group

"The Light of the World: A Beginner's Guide to Advent" by Amy-Jill Levine

This is a video study, so read the book to go deeper, or simply come and join the conversation with the author and your fellow CUMC students!

Tuesday LIFE Group

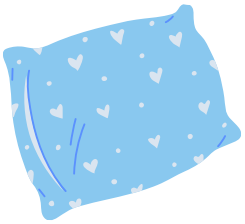
"A New Beginning."

Dive into the lectionary texts for Advent and Christmas.

Thursday Evening Book Study Home Group

"The Redemption of Scrooge" by Matt Rawle.

Follow our Advent/Christmas sermon series and Rawle's book as we look at the redemption of Ebenezer Scrooge and how we all need to take a look at the past, present, and future in our lives.



Here's an FYI for anyone who sews or wants to learn. There are now pillowcase kits available in a white bin in the large north side meeting room. If anyone would like sewing lessons, please call or text Lyndi Kopp at 314-775-6623.

We need some helpers to cut tote bag kits since there are very few left. Contact Lyndi for fabric and a pattern. Thank you!

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Scripture: Matthew 25:31-46

Sermon: Where We Encounter Christ

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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.