

GoodNews

CCF's Theme for 2023 is: "HAVE YOU HEARD?"

**So faith comes from hearing, that is, hearing the Good News about Christ.
Romans 10:17 (NLT)**

Day of Prayer - Wednesday, April 12th at 6:00 p.m.

Who doesn't want to see more answers to their prayers? Jesus's disciples said to Him, 'Lord teach us to pray!' Did you know that one of the best ways to learn how to pray more effectively is to pray along with others? Come join with us here at the church for a special time to worship and pray together on Wednesday April 12th at 6:00 p.m. You will begin to see amazing things happen in your life and the life of CCF when we pray together. Prayer works!

For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.
- Matthew 18:20 (KJV)



Ethel Freeman



Ethel Freeman (mother of Sherry D.) went to be with her Lord and Savior on March 28th, 2023 at the age of 97. She was a long-time member of Cactus Christian Fellowship, had a servant's heart, and was in charge of our kitchen ministry for many years. Maybe she'll get the job of greeting the Saints as they come through the pearly gates! She would love that!



Bible Study featured this week:

Sunday mornings 9am - Led by Rex M.

This adult Sunday School Class, led by our Elder Rex MacGregor, is currently studying the book of Philippians. The class is an informal, yet in depth, verse by verse examination of Paul's letter to the believers in Philippi. We examine Paul's appeal for believers to have the mind of Christ, the knowledge of Christ and the peace of Christ. We invite anyone and everyone to come to the class; there is always plenty of room. We meet in the Sanctuary prior to Sunday service, and handouts are provided.

Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! Philippians 4:4 (NLT)



April Birthdays

- 14 Sherry D.
- 20 Pat S.
- 20 Suzanne W.
- 25 Karen C.
- 28 Carolyn S.

Aging Humor:



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Why study the Bible?

1. To learn who God is, know Him better, and recognize His voice.
2. To gain wisdom, learn what's right, correct wrong thinking, and receive guidance.
3. To see and follow Jesus.

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. 1 Timothy 3:16-17

Bible Study Schedule

Location is at the church except where indicated.

Adult Sunday School:

Sun 9:00-10:00am - Open to all (Led by Rex M.) - **Philippians**

Sun 9:00-10:00pm – Women's Bible Study - **Gospel of John**
(Led by Kathie U.) **Location:** Education Bldg/Library

Tues 10:00-11:00am - Women's Bible Study (Led by Pat S.)
Currently in Book 'Living a Chocolate Life' by Deb Burma

Tues 6:30-7:30pm – Open to all (Led by Lee S.) - **2Corinthians**

Tues 7:00-8:00pm – Open to all - **Parables of Jesus**
(Led by Cal D.) **Location:** 2531 E Villa Maria (Cave Creek/Union Hills).

Wed 10:00-11:00am – Open to all (Led by Bob U.) - **James**

Thur 10:00-11:00am - Bible Study for Widows (Led by Pat H.)
Currently studying strength through following Jesus

Thur 2:00 - 3:00pm – Open to all (Led by Pat H. & Patty C.) - **John**
Location: PV Retirement Center 11640 N 27th St.

Thur 6:00-7:00pm – Open to all (Led by Rex M.) - **Ephesians**

Grief Support Group - 2nd Friday of every month at Noon

Location: at iHop (by PV Mall)

Lunch Bunch April

Come join us after church service for food and fellowship.
To RSVP, please text/call Cristie R. at 602-509-6050.

16 Village Inn
4040 E Bell Rd
(40th St & Bell)

23 Biscuits Café
310 E Bell Rd
(Bell Rd & 3rd St.)

30 5th Sunday - Missions
Guest speaker
(Lunch will be provided)



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Prayer Chain Requests

Daytime: 9am-3pm

Text or call

Charlene B. - 602-826-9670

Nighttime: 3pm-9pm

Text or call

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Finances & Attendance in Review 4/9/2023

Attendance

Sunrise Service 6:30am 40
Worship Service 10:30am 78



Finances

General Offering
\$4,250.00

Average Weekly

General Offering
\$4,185.00

