A house of prayer for all people, striving to love and serve all people through Christ.



The Church at Litchfield Park

300 North Old Litchfield Road, Litchfield Park, AZ 85340

Sunday Services: 8am & 9:15am

September 25, 2022

WE HAVE GATHERED AS A FAMILY OF FAITH

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

PRELUDE

"Whoever Lets Our Dear God Rule"

J.S. Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

CHORAL CALL

"Come to This House of Prayer"

Isaac M. Singer

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We come to hear the story of God's faithfulness.

P: We look to the future as well as the past.

L: The God who was with our ancestors is with us as well.

P: Whatever else fails, God remains faithful.

L: Nothing can separate us from the love of God!

P: Praise be to God!

*HYMN

"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" 8:00 (Verses 1 & 2), 9:15 (Verses 1-3)

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PRAYER OF THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY W/LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON)

O GOD, sometimes we think you have forgotten us; sometimes our faith becomes very small. Remind us that you have not abandoned us, for your faithfulness never changes. Help us wait patiently and trust that we are in your hands.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

ANTHEM

"Praise You"

Goodine/Cymbala

Deb Rilley and Greg Clement, soloists Bev Griggs, Guest Director

SCRIPTURE READING (Genesis 39:1-23)

Now Joseph had been taken down to Egypt. Potiphar, an Egyptian who was one of Pharaoh's officials, the captain of the guard, bought him from the Ishmaelites who had taken him there. The LORD was with Joseph so that he prospered, and he lived in the house of his Egyptian master. When his master saw that the LORD was with him and that the LORD gave him success in

everything he did, Joseph found favor in his eyes and became his attendant. Potiphar put him in charge of his household, and he entrusted to his care everything he owned...Now Joseph was well-built and handsome, and after a while his master's wife took notice of Joseph and said "Come to bed with me!"...But he left his cloak in her hand and ran out of the house. When she saw that he had left his cloak in her hand and had run out of the house, she called her household servants. "Look," she said to them, "this Hebrew has been brought to us to make sport of us! He came in here to sleep with me, but I screamed. When he heard me scream for help, he left his cloak beside me and ran out of the house." She kept his cloak beside her until his master came home... When his master heard the story his wife told him, saying, "This is how your slave treated me," he burned with anger. Joseph's master took him and put him in prison, the place where the king's prisoners were confined. But while Joseph was there in the prison, the LORD was with him; he showed him kindness and granted him favor in the eyes of the prison warden. So the warden put Joseph in charge of all those held in the prison, and he was made responsible for all that was done there. The warden paid no attention to anything under Joseph's care, because the LORD was with Joseph and gave him success in whatever he did.

L: The word of the Lord **P: Thanks Be to God**

SERMON "The Promise of Presence" Rev. Adam Roe

*HYMN "Spirit Song" #384

OFFERTORY "In the Presence of Jehovah/Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place" Davis/Wolfe arr by Hayes

*DOXOLOGY

*HYMN "Nearer My God, to Thee" #553, vs 1

BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you. And give you peace. And give you peace forever.

*POSTLUDE "Nobody Knows Spiritual/ Gilbert Martin the Trouble I've Seen"

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Lynne Kammeraad

Associate Pastor: Rev. Adam Roe

Children/ Youth Ministry Director: Aimee Wickersham

Music Director: Jill Tabata Pianist/Organist: Jill Tabata

Ushers: 8am: Rick & Lee Miller, Ray & Sue Whittemore

9:15am: Danelle Farris, Daniel & Jason Butler, Phyllis Nelson

Weekly calendar

| Today, 9/25/22 | Coffee fellowship/Between services in the Fireside Room North |
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| 10day, 7/23/22 | 8am - NURSERY, open for all services |
| | 8am - WORSHIP SERVICE in Sanctuary |
| | 9:15am - WORSHIP SERVICE in Sanctuary |
| | 9:15am - SUNDAY SCHOOL |
| | 10:45am - WORSHIP SERVICE in Souers Community Hall |
| | 11:45am - YOUTH GROUP in Classroom 2 |
| Monday, 9/26/22 | 9am - Board Treasury Meeting in Fireside Room North |
| • | 6pm - AA MEETING in Watt House |
| Tuesday, 9/27/22 | 10:30am - God's Promises Bible Study in Souers Community Hall |
| | 5:00pm - WORSHIP REHEARSAL in Souers Community Hall |
| | 6:30pm - AA MEETING in Watt House |
| | 6:30pm - Board of Directors Meeting in Zieske Hall |
| Wednesday,9/28/22 | 4:15pm - HANDBELLS REHEARSAL in Sanctuary |
| | 6:00pm - OVERFLOW! Service in Classroom 4 |
| | 6:00pm - God's Promises with Pastor Adam in Souers Community Hall |
| | 6:30pm - CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL in Sanctuary |
| Thursday, 9/29/22 | 7pm – HANDBELLS REHEARSAL in Sanctuary |
| | 7:30pm - AA MEETING in Watt House |
| Friday, 9/30/22 | 8am - TheShop@CLP WORK/DONATION DAY |
| · · | 6:30pm - AA MEETING in Watt House |
| Saturday, 10/01/22 | 8am - TheShop@CLP SALES DAY |
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THE MINISTERS OF THIS CHURCH ARE ITS MEMBERS ASSISTING THEM ARE THEIR PASTORS & STAFF



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Sunday morning worship services - 8, 9:15 & 10:45

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