



We are blessed to have you worship with us today!

AUGUST 24, 2025 9:00AM CONTEMPORARY

# PLEASE JOIN US!

#### **Schedule**

9:00am Contemporary Worship
10:00am Fellowship & Refreshments
Summer Worship Schedule
Traditional 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays 9:00am
Contemporary 2nd & 4th Sundays 9:00am
Confirmation (see Pastor Chase)
Sunday School begins September 7
Jr Youth Group begins September 2

### **Our Team**

Pastor Mark Chase

Deacon John Angove

Music Director Danielle Przewlock

## "WELCOME IN THE NAME OF JESUS, OUR SAVIOR!"

If you have any questions, feel free to ask an usher, Pastor Chase, or Deacon John

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# VISION, MISSION & CORE VALUES

Our *Vision* is to build a refuge where God's love, mercy, and grace is experienced.

Our <u>Mission</u> is for all generations to know God's Word, seek the lost, and nurture this body of Christ.

Our <u>Core Values</u> are Biblical Truth, Worship & the Power of Prayer, Authentic Relationships, Generational Discipleship, and Stewards of Noble Character. Please visit our website for more information about our core values.

# WELCOME

If you would like to connect with us, or simply want to know more about us and our beliefs, then please fill out a **Blue Connection Card** (located in the chair pouch in front of you) and place it in the offering plate. If you also have something you would like us to pray for today, then please turn the Connection Card over, write a brief prayer request, and instead of putting it in the offering plate, pass it to the inside aisle <u>during</u> the offering for the ushers to collect.

# SUNDAY MORNINGS AT CHRIST THE VICTOR!

We are so glad you joined us this morning! Here's some helpful information for your first time. Our fellowship time takes place after the first service in our Fellowship Hall, located in the rear of the building. To get there, exit the Sanctuary through the rear doors and follow the hallway to the right and then take a quick left. You'll notice the bathrooms and a drinking fountain to your right as soon as you exit the back doors of the Sanctuary.

Sunday School will return September 7 and is open to children ages 3 through 6th grade. When in session, children are invited to attend Sunday School in Room 1 and/or Room 2 starting at 8:50am. These rooms are located in the main hallway to the right of the church entrance.

We are excited to announce a brand-new Jr. Youth Group this fall for kids in 2nd–6th grade—a first for Christ the Victor! Led by Kayla Piel, Elementary school principal, this fun and faith-filled group will meet Tuesday evenings from 5:00–6:30pm, beginning September 2. If you have older children in grades 7–12, you are encouraged to speak with or email the pastor about Confirmation and Youth Group opportunities.

And don't forget, if this is your first time, please stop by the Welcome Booth on your way out and pick up your first-time visitor gift! (They're really cool and quite useful so you definitely don't want to miss out on it!)



## WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER

#### The Book of Revelation

Pastor Chase seniorpastor@christthevictor.net Phone#: 520-723-4220 At Christ The Victor Every Sunday @ 10:30am Men's Bible Study
Based on the Current Sermon Series

Vern Fruehling & Gordon Leaman verden2@q.com 602-312-9195 at CTV

Every Monday @ 8:00am-9:00am

"Unshakable Hope,



Christ Centered Support Group

Meeting Thursdays @ 10:30am at CTV

Building Our Lives on The Promises of God" by Max Lucado

Lead by Gordon & Kathy Leaman Gordon.leaman@christthevictor.net 918-645-4232 | Sun City, Anthem

August 27th, 2025 Chapter 10 | Workbook session 8

### JR Youth Group - COMING SOON!

2nd-6th Grade, led by Kayla Piel Tuesday evenings from 5:00–6:30pm beginning September 2, 2025

#### **Sharing Jesus Group**

Bob Scroggins
bobscroggins@gmail.com
541-220-4747
Location Varies, Contact Bob for Info
2nd Tuesday @ 1:00pm - 2:30pm

ON BREAK FOR SUMMER

"Parables of Jesus Through Peasant Eyes"

By Pastor Robert Berthold Rick Otto | rrotto1946@gmail.com 480-390-7182 | at CTV

2nd & 4th Fridays @ 10:00am BACK in Session!

### DO YOU FEEL CALLED TO FACILITATE A NEW LIFE GROUP?

Contact Deacon John | 317-645-3864 | johnfangove@gmail.com

# ORDER OF WORSHIP 9:00AM

#### **GATHERING MUSIC**

#### **WORDS OF WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER**

(Please Rise)

INVOCATION

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

**OPENING SONGS:** "The Father's House" #7135153

"Graves Into Gardens" #7138219

**CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION** 

SHARING OF THE PEACE

(Please Be Seated)

FIRST READING: 1 Kings 19:9-13a

**SONG OF FORGIVENESS** "There Was Jesus" #7138043

**MESSAGE:** Week 2: "The God Who's Small"

1 Kings 19:9-13a

**GATHERING OF THE OFFERINGS:** 



Scan the QR Code if you would like to give online!

Please pass blue connection cards with prayer requests on them towards the center aisle.

Cards with no prayer requests can be placed directly in the offering plate.

#### **PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER**

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

**CLOSING SONG:** "As For Me" #4345794

BENEDICTION

**SENDING** Go in Peace and Serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God!



### TUESDAY & THURSDAY 8:00AM - 10:00AM

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JULY 2024 252 Households 1053 Individuals 25 New Clients

### PANTRY NEEDS

We are low on the following items, your donations would be greatly appreciated.

- □ Any Non parishables
- □ No Glass
- □ Frozen Meats
- THURSDAY & FRIDAY DRIVERS!!!

PLEASE BE SURE ALL DONATIONS
ARE SEALED & UNOPENED

Donations can be placed in the box During Sunday Worship or Monday - Thursday 8:00am-2:30pm

# **WEEK AT A GLANCE**

### Sunday, August 24

9:00am Contemporary Worship 10:00am Fellowship & Refreshments 10:30am Revelation Bible Study

### Monday, August 25

8:00am Men's Bible Study 9:30am Staff Meeting

#### **Tuesday, August 26**

8:00 – 10:00am Food Pantry

### Wednesday, August 27

1:00pm Mahjong 6:30pm Leaman Lifegroup

### **Thursday, August 28**

8:00 – 10:00am Food Pantry 10:30am GriefShare Annual Labor Day Camping Trip

#### Friday, August 29

Annual Labor Day Camping Trip

### Saturday, August 30

Annual Labor Day Camping Trip

#### Sunday, August 31

9:00am Traditional Worship 10:00am Fellowship and Refreshments 10:30am Revelation Bible Study Annual Labor Day Camping Trip

# SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

#### 9:00am Contemporary Service

Pastor: Mark Chase

Keyboard: Danielle Przewlocki Head Usher: Gordon Leaman

Ushers: Jim Kuhne

Carolyn Kuhne

AV: Rick Otto

Welcome:

Communion: 1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday

<u>Traditional:</u> 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays <u>Contemporary:</u> 2nd & 4th Sundays

## CHURCH INFORMATION

Church Office: churchoffice@christthevictor.net Pastor Chase: seniorpastor@christthevictor.net Prayer Chain: prayerchain@christthevictor.net

Church Office Hours Monday – Thursday | 8:00am-2:30pm

520-723-4220 6173 E Arizona Farms Rd. Florence, AZ 85132

## RV STORAGE HOURS

Monday - Friday | 7:30 - 11:00am Weekends by appointment only

# MINISTRY UPDATE

#### Labor Day Camping Trip - Aug. 28-Sept. 1

Join us for our annual Labor Day camping trip at the Mogollon Rim! All are welcome—CTV members, friends, and friends of friends. We'll camp Thursday–Monday (dry camping—no hookups/bathrooms). Group dinners with entrée provided Friday & Saturday night—bring a side or dessert to share. All other meals are on your own. Fire bans are common, so bring a propane fire pit if you can. RSVP by Aug. 26 via Sign Up Genius at the QR code to the right. Exact campsite will be confirmed Thursday morning—contact John (218-329-6959) or Lori (701-200-8821) for details.

#### GriefShare - Thursdays at 10:30 AM

If you've lost a loved one, you don't have to face grief alone. GriefShare is a Christ-centered support group offering weekly videos, group discussion, and time for personal reflection. Whether your loss is recent or years past, you'll find encouragement and understanding from others who truly get it. Join us any Thursday at 10:30 AM—invite a friend or neighbor who may be grieving.



#### **Exciting News for Kids & Families!**

We're gearing up for a great fall as our Children's and Youth Ministries return in September following Labor Day! Sunday School (ages 3–6th grade) and Confirmation (6th–8th grade) will be back in session soon—but that's not all... We're thrilled to announce the launch of a brand-new **Jr. Youth Group** for kids in **2nd–6th grade**—a first for Christ the Victor! Led by Kayla Piel, this fun and faith-filled group will meet **Tuesday evenings from 5:00–6:30pm**, beginning **September 2**. If your child would like to attend, please **Sign up using the QR Code to the right** so we can plan accordingly.

### **Trunk or Treat Festival – Volunteers Needed!**

Mark your calendars! Our Fall Trunk or Treat will be Saturday, October 25 from 5–7 PM. This fun, family-friendly outreach is a great way to connect with our community and share the love of Jesus. Whether you'd like to help plan or volunteer the day of, we welcome all hands! Scan the QR code to sign up



#### **Food Pantry Donations Needed**

Our shelves are nearly empty, and we need your help! Any new, unopened nonperishable items (no glass, please) are welcome. Every donation helps us care for our neighbors in need—thank you for your generosity!

#### Burn the Lease Celebration - Date Change - November 1st, 2025!

We're officially the proud owners of our property, and it's time to celebrate! Join us **Saturday**, **November 1st, 2025**, **from 5:30–7:30 PM** for a catered evening of fellowship and gratitude. We're creating a **slideshow of church memories**—please email photos to **churchoffice@christthevictor.net** or bring printed copies for Katie to scan. Want to help plan the celebration? Email Pastor Chase to get involved.



### Peace of Mind | Week 2: "The God Who's Small" 1 Kings 19:9-13a

**Main Point:** After a meal and some rest at the beginning of 1 Kings 19, Elijah travels to the same place Moses once received the Ten Commandments. This was a big moment in Israel's history where God appeared with thunder and lightning. But at this moment, God appears as a whisper. In our weakest moment, we not only need a God who is big enough to help, but small enough to be gentle with us. The very gospel is the story of how God became small in Jesus. Will we become small for the sake of others who are hurting?

My Notes:			



### Need help now?

Call or text 988 or visit 988lifeline.org to chat with a trained crisis counselor free, confidential, and available 24/7.