

# WELCOME TO



*We are blessed to have you worship with us today!*

**AUGUST 17, 2025 9:00AM TRADITIONAL**

**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 **Mission** is for all generations to know God's Word, seek the lost, and nurture this body of Christ.

Our **Core Values** 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 during 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 9:20am. 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!)

# life **GROUPS**

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, Jerry Olson &

Gordon Leaman

verden2@q.com

602-312-9195 at CTV

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



Christ Centered Support Group

**Starting August 14th, 2025**

Meeting Thursdays @ 10:30am at CTV

## **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**

## **“Unshakable Hope, 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**

## **“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

**ON BREAK FOR SUMMER**

'til August 22, 2025

**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:** "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" LBW#543

## CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

*(Please Be Seated)*

## KYRIE & HYMN OF PRAISE

**FIRST READING:** 1 Kings 19:1-8

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** "Great is Thy Faithfulness" WOV#771

**MESSAGE:** Week 1: "Highs and Lows"

1 Kings 19:1-8

## 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.

# **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH & LORD'S PRAYER**

## **APOSTLES CREED**

### *A Note about Communion*

There are gluten free wafers and white grape juice available for those who would like them.
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## **COMMUNION**

Communion Statement

Words of Our Lord

Peace of the Lord

Communion & Music: "One Bread One Body" WOV#710

Communion Blessing

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CLOSING SONG:** "O God Our Help in Ages Past" LBW#320

## **BENEDICTION**

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

**Thanks be to God**

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

# SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

## **Sunday, August 17**

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

## **Monday, August 18**

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

## **Tuesday, August 19**

8:00 – 10:00am Food Pantry

## **Wednesday, August 20**

1:00pm Mahjong

## **Thursday, August 21**

8:00 – 10:00am Food Pantry  
10:30am GriefShare

## **Friday, August 22**

## **Saturday, August 23**

## **Sunday, August 24**

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

## **9:00am Traditional Service**

Pastor: Mark Chase  
Keyboard: Danielle Przewlocki  
Head Usher: Gordon Leaman  
Ushers: Robin Pavek  
Jim Ross  
Communion Asst: Roz Gorski  
Monica Zabel  
Cantor: Shelly Freese  
AV: Dennis Pavek  
Altar: Teresa Vanderplas  
Welcome:

**Communion:** 1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday

**Traditional:** 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

**Contemporary:** 2nd & 4th Sundays

# CHURCH INFORMATION



Church Office: [churchoffice@christthevictor.net](mailto:churchoffice@christthevictor.net)  
Pastor Chase: [seniorpastor@christthevictor.net](mailto:seniorpastor@christthevictor.net)  
Prayer Chain: [prayerchain@christthevictor.net](mailto:prayerchain@christthevictor.net)  
Food Pantry: [foodpantry@christthevictor.net](mailto:foodpantry@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 – October 18!

We're officially the proud owners of our property, and it's time to celebrate! Join us **Saturday, October 18, 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 1: “Highs and Lows”* | 1 Kings 19:1-8

**Main Point:** After a mountaintop moment for the prophet Elijah where he defeats the false prophets of Baal with a miracle, Elijah spirals into a depression that is so deep that he wants to die. Yet, God meets Elijah and encourages him to rest and eat. When we struggle with big issues, we need to begin with the basics – things like resting and eating – to get us back on track.

### **My Notes:**

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**988**  
**LIFELINE**

### **Need help now?**

Call or text 988 or visit [988lifeline.org](https://988lifeline.org) to chat with a trained crisis counselor free, confidential, and available 24/7.