



We are blessed to have you worship with us today!

AUGUST 3, 2025 9:00AM TRADITIONAL

PLEASE JOIN US!

Schedule

9:00am Traditional Worship 10:00am Fellowship & Refreshments Summer Worship Schedule Traditional 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays 9:00am Contemporary 2nd & 4th Sundays 9:00am Confirmation (On Summer Break) Sunday School (On Summer Break)

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 5th 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



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

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

"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 13th @ 6:30PM Chapter 9, 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: "Shine Jesus Shine" WOV#651

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

SHARING OF THE PEACE

(Please Be Seated)

KYRIE & HYMN OF PRAISE

FIRST READING: 1 John 3:1-10

GOSPEL READING: John 14:26-28

HYMN OF THE DAY: "O God Of Mercy God Of Light" LBW#425

MESSAGE: Week 3: Peacemakers

Matthew 5:9

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.

COMMUNION

Communion Statement Words of Our Lord Peace of the Lord

Communion & Music: "Lord Whose Love in Humble Service" LBW#423

Communion Blessing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLOSING SONG: "Lord Speak to Us" LBW#403

BENEDICTION

SENDING Go in Peace and Serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, August 3

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

Monday, August 4

8:00am Men's Bible Study

Tuesday, August 5

8:00 - 10:00am Food Pantry

Wednesday, August 6

1:00pm Mahjong

Thursday, August 7

8:00 - 10:00am Food Pantry

Friday, August 8

Saturday, August 9

Sunday, August 10

9:00am Contemporary Worship 10:00am Fellowship & Refreshments 10:30am Revelation Bible Study 3:00pm Gaiser Vowel Renewal

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

9:00am Traditional Service

Mark Chase Pastor:

Danielle Przewlocki Keyboard:

Head Usher: Jim Ross Ushers: Mark Kille Communion Asst: Roz Gorski

Kathy Sommers

Cantor:

AV: Rick Otto Shelly Freese Altar: Welcome: Penny Pfile

Communion: 1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday

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

V STORAGE HOU

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

MINISTRY UPDATE

Griefshare - Starts August 14 @ 10:30am

If you've experienced the loss of a loved one, you don't have to walk through grief alone. Beginning **Thursday, August 14**, Christ the Victor will be offering **GriefShare**, a Christ-centered support group designed to help you navigate the difficult journey of grief and find healing and hope. Each weekly session includes helpful videos, group discussion, and personal reflection time. Whether your loss is recent or something you've carried for years, you'll find understanding, support, and encouragement from others who truly get it. **GriefShare will meet Thursdays at 10:30am**. All are welcome—feel free to invite a friend or neighbor who may be grieving. To learn more or to sign up, contact the church office or visit griefshare.org.

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 3–5th 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 **RSVP to ChurchOffice@christthevictor.net** so we can plan accordingly.

Operation Christmas Child – School Supply Collection Continues!

Thanks to everyone who donated school supplies in July for our Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes—we're off to a great start! And the good news is: we'll be continuing to collect school supplies throughout the month of August. Now is the perfect time to pick up extra items while back-to-school sales are still happening! We're especially in need of: Notebooks, Pencils and pens, Crayons and erasers, Glue sticks (no liquid glue, please). Every item helps us bless children around the world with practical gifts and the hope of the Gospel. A donation bin is located in the church lobby for easy drop-off. Thank you for being part of this mission and for your continued generosity!



Bless This Home Week 3: Peacemakers Matthew 5:9

Main Point: Our homes, our lives, our workplaces and even our schools can sometimes best be characterized as 'battle fields' where we rage war against each other. Our words and actions cause strife and discord and they bring hurt and destruction. But Jesus wants us to be peacemakers. He wants us to spread 'shalom,' which means far more than the absence of bad, it means "I wish you the highest good." What would our lives look like if we wished everyone the highest good, and then took steps to make that happen?

My Notes:			