



We are blessed to have you worship with us today!

DECEMBER 28, 2025 | 8:00AM TRADITIONAL

PLEASE JOIN US!

Schedule

8:00am Traditional Worship 9:00am Fellowship & Refreshments 9:20am Sunday School 9:30am Contemporary Worship

Communion 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

Our Team

Guest Pastor Bob Scroggins

> Deacon John Angove

Music Director Danielle Przewlocki

"WELCOME IN THE NAME OF JESUS OUR SAVIOR"

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

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 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 is open to children ages 3 (potty trained) through 6th grade. 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 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 meets Tuesday evenings from 5:00–6:30pm.

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.

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

Men's Bible Study

Current Sermon Series
Vern Fruehling & Gordon Leaman
verden2@q.com
602-312-9195 at CTV
Every Monday 8am-9am

RISE - JR Youth Group

2nd-6th Grade, led by Kayla Piel Tuesdays from 5-6:30pm at CTV

"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 2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 6:30pm

Experiencing the heart of Jesus

- by Max Lucado
Led by Lori Stenerson, Dale Pack, Steve
Sommers & Guest Speakers
Contact Lori (701) 200-8821
Loristenerson98@gmail.com
Every Wednesday, 10am at CTV
All are welcome, anytime!

GriefShare

Christ Centered Support Group Meeting Thursdays 10:30am at CTV

Lutheranism 101

Led by Pastor Mark Chase Meeting Thursdays 1:00pm @ At CTV

"Parables of Jesus Through Peasant Eyes"

By Pastor Robert Berthold Rick Otto | rrotto1946@gmail.com 480-390-7182 at CTV 2nd & 4th Fridays @ 10am

Monthly Women's Luncheon

Led by Lori Stenerson | (701) 200-8821 November Location: Barro's 2nd Friday of each month

Chase Life Group

Pastor Chase & Karla Chase Mrskarlachase@gmail.com 3rd Friday of each month 6-8pm (kids welcome)

ORDER OF WORSHIP 8:00AM

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 HYMN: "Angels From the Realms of Glory" #50

CONFESSION

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

ABSOLUTION (Pronouncement of Forgiveness)

SHARING OF THE PEACE

(Please Be Seated)

SPECIAL MUSIC: "Christ Child's Lullaby" sung by Darlene Rooney

READING OF THE WORD: Philippians 1:1-11

HYMN OF THE DAY: "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" LBW#54

MESSAGE: "Finishing... Not Finished"

GATHERING OF THE OFFERINGS:

THE SINGING OF THE OFFERTORY: "Create in Me" LSB#192



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

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG: "Go Tell It On the Mountain" LBW#70

If you would like personal prayer, either for yourself or for someone else, please join Deacon John after the service.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, December 28, 2025

8:00am Traditional Worship

9:00am Fellowship & Refreshments

9:20am Sunday School

9:30am Contemporary Worship

Monday, December 29, 2025

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

Tuesday, December 30, 2025

8:00 - 10:00am Food Pantry

Wednesday, December 31, 2025

New Years Eve Church Office Closed

Thursday, January 1, 2025

Happy New Year! Church Office Closed

Friday, January 2, 2025

Saturday, January 3, 2025

Sunday, January 4, 2025

8:00am Traditional Worship

8:00am Adult Bible Class (ABS)

9:00am Fellowship & Refreshments

9:20am Sunday School

9:30am Contemporary Worship

9:30am Adult Bible Class (ABS)

11:00am Traditional Worship

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

8:00am Traditional Service

Bob Scroggins Guest Pastor: Danielle Przewlocki Keyboard:

Head Usher: Robin Pavek Ushers: Bonnie Mau

Patti Rowan

Cantor: Darlene Rooney AV: Jaxson LaCoste

Jerry Olson

Amy Fitch Welcome:

Sid Fitch

Security 1st: Dale Pack

Security 2nd:

9:30am Contemporary Service

Bob Scroggins Guest Pastor:

Keyboard: Danielle Przewlocki

Head Usher: Cynthia Strom Ushers: Carolyn Kuhne

Jim Kuhne

AV: Jaxson LaCoste

Rick Otto

Welcome: Dave Reil

Karen Reil

Security 1st: Security 2nd:

Communion: 1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday

CHURCH INFORMATION

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

Church Office Hours Monday - Thursday | 8:00am-2:30pm 520-723-4220 6173 E Arizona Farms Rd. Florence, AZ 85132

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

MINISTRY UPDATE

& A New Service Time Is Coming!

We're excited to announce that our NEW 11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service begins NEXT WEEKEND! Join us on Sunday, January 4, 2026, as we expand our worship offerings and gather together in Word and Sacrament. We can't wait to worship with you—come and be part of this new chapter in our church family!

11am Traditional Service Volunteers NEEDED!

Are you willing to serve at our new 11:00 AM Traditional Service starting in January? We're building a full volunteer team, and we'd love to know if you're interested in helping! Scan the QR code to the right to let us know where you'd like to serve. Your time and heart make a huge difference!

GriefShare Returns January 15th at 10:30 AM

Our GriefShare support group is returning this January, offering a safe and compassionate place for anyone walking through loss. If you've participated before and already have your materials, you do *not* need to register again. If you're new to GriefShare, please use the links below to register and order your workbook. We are so grateful to Cynthia for volunteering to facilitate this group—what a blessing to our church family!

Adult Bible Class Update

ABC meets Sundays at **8:00 & 9:30 AM**. Please note that **ABC will NOT meet on December 28**. We'll resume in January with a new **5-week study**, *In the Dust of the Rabbi: Learning to Live as Jesus Lived* by Ray Vander Laan. Join us as we grow together in God's Word!

Church Office Holiday Closures

Please note that the church office will be closed on **December 31–January 1** (New Year's Eve & New Year's Day). We will resume normal office hours following the holidays. Wishing you a blessed Christmas and a joyful New Year!





"Finishing... Not Finished" | Philippians 1:1-11

<u>Main Point</u>: We all face challenges and uncertainty in life. It's comforting to know that in the midst of the twists and turns of life that God has a plan for all our lives. He is not finished with us! He will finish what he has begun both in and through our lives for his glory and honor.

My Notes:		