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Leading all people to follow Jesus to the fullness of life. Together.

Transformation - Generosity - Community

Join us for worship at 10:00 AM on Sunday at our facility, [1249 N LINDSAY RD, Gilbert, AZ 85234](#) (at the Arizona Korean Seventh-Day Adventist Church).



Sermon: #WINNING
Text: Luke 18:18-30

At least one congregant has been contacted by text from a phone number other than mine asking if someone will purchase gift cards for benevolence needs at The Bridge. Please report any numbers and block them.

SAVE THE DATE

- **June and July** - *A Season of Rest*

As a people, we have two rhythms - seasons of extension and rest. Seasons of extension are about pushing out into mission and growth. Seasons of rest are about drawing back into renewal in the waiting. We slow our events during the summer months and encourage small groups to take breaks or slow down their meeting schedule. Check with your group leader on your group's schedule. Let's savor this season where we are reminded that God upholds us and renews us -not because of our work for him. But because of his great love for us.

- **June 2nd, during worship**, Prayer, and sending for Keiko Garcia, who is headed to Uganda on a mission trip.
- **June 2nd, after worship** - Love Moves Team Meeting
- **June 8th** - Women's Ministry Card-Making Event

The Women's Ministry Team is hosting a card-making event at Cathy Kalin's house on Saturday, June 8th, from 10 AM to 12 PM. Card-making supplies will be provided. Bring your lunch, and we can eat together after we are done. Unfortunately, space is limited, and we are unable to accommodate children. Please give 48 hours' notice if you cancel. If all seats are already reserved, you will be placed on a waiting list.

Please RSVP to women@bridgechurchaz.org or Cathy Kalin at cathykalin@gmail.com or text Cathy at 480-229-5393 for the address. See you there.

- **June 9th** - Connection Event - Lunch at Barro's Pizza (after worship)

Join others from The Bridge for an informal time of getting to know each other. You can order just one slice or more. There is no need to RSVP. After worship, a group will head to the SW corner of Gilbert and Baseline to enjoy lunch at Barro's Pizza (1939 E Baseline Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85233).

- **June 23rd** - ***SUMMER BOOK CLUB Meeting***

We are holding summer book clubs, one in June, one in July, and one in August. You are invited to read one or more with others at The Bridge in pursuit of God maturing us in his love.

June's book will be [Live No Lies: Recognize and Resist the Three Enemies That Sabotage Your Peace](#) by John Mark Comer. Purchase a copy, start reading, and **plan to attend a brown bag lunch on Sunday, June 23rd, after worship.**

Want to join? Email joel@bridgechurchaz.org.

We'll discuss these questions at the lunch:

1. What did you enjoy about the book?
2. What was challenging for you?
3. Did you disagree with anything?
4. What are you going to do because of this reading?

- **June 30th after worship** - Bridgekids teachers and volunteers Lunch.

This meeting is to thank each of you for your dedication to serving the Lord through the Children's Ministry at the Bridge. We will have fellowship time as a team over lunch. In addition, we would like to hear your experiences and celebrations with your Sundays and ideas/suggestions on the BridgeKids. We will also discuss a few items regarding our future goals/visions and Children's Ministry resources. Please RSVP to Keiko at Katesgarcia77@gmail.com.

CONNECTION OPPORTUNITIES

MEN'S MORNING SMALL GROUP

Bridge men—A recent attendee inquired about a morning men's group. If you might be interested in either a Saturday or weekday group and would like to be part of forming a new small group, email joel@bridgechurchaz.org.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

POOL SKIMMER NEEDED FOR BAPTISMAL

Baptisms are on the horizon, and we need your help! Even while covered, the baptism tank receives random debris. We would greatly appreciate any donation of an unused pool skimmer! Contact Daniel at operations@bridgechurchaz.org if you have one to give.

HOST FAMILY NEEDED

Private and Public School F-1 Exchange (PSE) provides a homestay program where high school students worldwide fly into American homes for a cultural experience. An exchange student from Korea will be attending a high school in Gilbert Unified School District for the Fall 2024 semester. Grace is a Christian who enjoys playing guitar, tennis, badminton, volleyball, watching movies, and math. He will have his own spending money, and PSE offers an \$ 800-a-month stipend to help with food, gas, etc. Please contact PSE Local Coordinator Flo Webb at fwebb@pse-edu.org or (480) 650-5644 for more information.

TRANSPORTATION ON SUNDAYS

Sandee Hanson plans to sell her car soon and is looking for help with Sunday rides for herself and potentially another community resident. She lives in north central Mesa, near Brown and Center, and would like to continue participating in our worship gatherings. If you would like to help at any interval (one time, once a month, every other week, etc.), please contact her at (480) 650-9909.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS - GREETERS

We are looking for smiling faces to join our **First Impressions Team** on Sundays to serve in our greeting ministry. If you would like to join the rotation of volunteers or be a substitute, contact Suzan Williams at nursesuzan318@me.com. You can also shadow them as they set up to understand what joining the team would entail.

CLEANING & FACILITIES TEAM

We ask each member and attendee to stay after our worship gathering to clean. [CLICK HERE](#) to find your spot in the rotation.

FAMILIES SCHEDULED TO CLEAN ON THE FIRST SUNDAY ARE

ALCALA, CLEMENS, DAVIDSON, ENABNIT & FRIESTAD

SMALL GROUPS, MEN'S & WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

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GIVING Please visit our website at <https://www.bridgechurchaz.org/giving>.

May 1-26 Income \$10,294.11

Monthly Budget \$14,745.00

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