

**January 21, 2024**

**9:30 AM**

**CELEBRATION 100TH YEAR ANNIVERSARY**



*Scottsdale United Methodist Church*

*...becoming a Christ-led community.*

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

OPENING SONG                      “Welcome”                      Choir

WELCOME/OPENING WORDS

OPENING PRAYER

OPENING MUSIC:    “Great Is Thy Faithfulness ” (v. 1, 3)                      UMH #140

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Liturgist:    We gather, looking back to see the paths taken,

**People:    Looking forward to see our path.**

Liturgist:    We honor those who have gone before us,

**People:    Learning from their successes and failures.**

Liturgist:    We celebrate who we are today,

**People:    And welcome the possibilities and opportunities before us.**

Liturgist:    We gather to worship God,

**People:    the God of yesterday, today and tomorrow.**

**All:            Let us worship our faithful God together.**

HYMN:                      “We Are the Church” (v. 1,2,5)                      UMH #558

HONORING OUR MEMBERS

SCOTTSDALE HISTORIAN                      Paul Messinger

CHOIR ANTHEM                      “Alleluia”                      Choir

SCRIPTURE:                      Ephesians 3:14-21

Liturgist: This is the word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

MESSAGE: “Celebrating 100 Years of Ministry” Bishop Carlo A. Rapanut

## REAFFIRMATION OF THIS CHURCH

Pastor: We rededicate Scottsdale United Methodist Church as a place:

**People: For worship in prayer and song;  
For the ministry of the Word;  
For the celebration of the Holy Sacraments.**

Pastor: We rededicate Scottsdale United Methodist Church as a place:

**People: For fellowship that strengthens life;  
For nurturing disciples of Jesus Christ;  
For encouraging one another in the faith.**

Pastor: We rededicate Scottsdale United Methodist Church as a place:

**People: For sharing the light and love of God with our community  
and the world;  
For meeting the physical and spiritual needs of the  
marginalized;  
For giving of our time and talents to bring the Kingdom of  
God to earth as it is in heaven.**

Pastor: We rededicate Scottsdale United Methodist Church as a place:

**People: For the comfort of those who mourn;  
For help to those who are discouraged;  
And strength for those who are tempted.**

Pastor: We rededicate Scottsdale United Methodist Church:

**People:** In loving memory of all those whose hearts and hands have served this church;  
With deep gratitude for the loyal work which has made this church what it is;  
Anticipating those who will become members of this congregation in the years to come.

**Pastor:** As we rededicate Scottsdale United Methodist Church:

**People:** We give thanks to God for God's faithfulness to us,  
We are filled with hope and anticipation for the future of this church;  
And we look forward to the ministry God is calling this congregation to for the next 100 years.

**All:** We rededicate this church.

**HYMN:** "The Church's One Foundation" (v. 1, 3, 5) UMH #545

**PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER**

**OFFERTORY:** "He's Always Been Faithful" by Sara Groves  
Gabriella Cavalcanti, solo

**OFFERING PRAYER**

**DOXOLOGY** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**RECOGNITION OF CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

**HYMN:** "God Be With You Til We Meet Again" (v. 1, 2) UMH #672

**BENEDICTION**

**MUSICAL AMEN**

**POSTLUDE**

**We recognize those who have been a part of the church since 1974.  
These people have been part of our congregation for over 50 years.**

**Terry Allison**

**Kay Atkins**

**Ellen Bloom**

**Mickey Carroll**

**Joanne Castor**

**Don and Mary Chiappetti**

**Claudia Christiansen**

**David Cook**

**Bill and Barbara Cumberledge**

**Betty Davis**

**George Galliher**

**Audrey George**

**Wayne and Audrey Grove**

**Virginia Hewitt**

**Anita Horton**

**Jim Laird**

**Eddie Lundeen**

**Dick Luther**

**Mary Jane Milne**

**Dottie Plotts**

**Doug Riggle**

**Eleanor Upton**

**Nancy Vemich**

**Rusty Warren**

**Allen and Marty Welt**

**Helen Wunderley**

**Ed and Jean Zimmerman**

**Joe and Liz Zveglich**

**Over 50 years!**

**Welcome to past choir members who are here today to sing for  
this special occasion.**

1924



A new Methodist church has been organized with 20 members and a Sunday school enrollment of 75. The church building was formally opened Sunday, January 20. Rev. W. J. Sims, presiding elder, and Rev. S. M. Cheek, Sunday school secretary, were present and participated in the services. In connection with the church there will be a community reading and rest room as a center of social activities. It will be supplied with papers, magazines and games and will be open every day. Rev. P. M. Bell, the pastor, came with his wife and daughter from California two months ago.

Bishop H. M. Du Bose of San Francisco preached to a large congregation at the Methodist church last Thursday night.

The Arizona Republican,

Tuesday Morning, January 29, 1924

1929



## Debt Is Cleared, Celebration Set

SCOTTSDALE, Feb. 9—Dedictory services for the Scottsdale Methodist Church building will be observed Sunday morning, marking the final clearing of all construction debt, the Rev. G. M. Marshall, pastor, announced today.

The Rev. Paul Huebner, district superintendent, and the Rev. W. J. Sims will conduct the service at 11 a. m. The Rev. W. R. McGaugh, Nogales, pastor of the church at the time its building was erected in 1929, will preach at the 7:30 p. m. service.

The church was organized in 1923. An addition to the original building was constructed in 1934.

The Arizona Republic,

Saturday Morning, February 10, 1940



1956



## Methodists Move To New Church

The Scottsdale Methodist Church is moving this week from the old building at 100 West Main Street to the new church building on North Miller Road.

The first service in the new sanctuary will be held on Sunday morning, September 2, at 9:00 o'clock. Church School will follow at 10:00 o'clock.

Scottsdale Progress,

Friday, August 31, 1956

1965



From a store front building in 1924 to the steeple church in 2024.



## Scottsdale Methodist Begins Construction

Construction began this week on a sanctuary to seat 900 at Scottsdale Methodist Church, 300 N. Miller Rd.

The "L-shape" sanctuary has choir seating for 60 backed by colored windows and a Ramada at the main entrance with a 54-foot spire, described by architects as "in keeping with the western motif of the present building and the new building."

The short of the "L" can be used as a chapel for weddings or meetings of groups up to 180.

The chancel will be a 37-foot square shape with a communion rail around all four sides. It includes a pulpit and lectern.

An 18-foot high cross with arms extending 6 feet will be free-standing from the floor up the center of a circular altar table. The four-armed cross may be viewed from the transept as well as from the main sanctuary.

The largest Wicks organ in Arizona has been purchased for the new building, at a cost of \$25,000.

The sanctuary is refrigerated and will feature variable rheostat lighting.

A small kitchen with a parlor 40 ft. by 22 ft. will open into a loggia which provides a narthex with chapel entrance.

Estimated completion date is March, 1965, according to Dr. A. Morgan Johnson, chairman of the building committee.

Dr. Johnson said that future plans include a social hall to seat 500 at tables, a large kitchen, and additional church school rooms in a two-story building.

Scottsdale Progress,

Saturday, September 1964

## Charter Members of SUMC

Name	Birthday	Death Date	Children
Albritten, Ethel			
Albritten, J.S.		1/24/92	
Bell, Mary Alice	4/1/06	12/26/00	single
Bell, Mary M.	8/16/1869	3/13/1950	Elizabeth S. b.1893 d.1922 George Allen b.1896 d. 1919 Mortimer E. b.1896 d.1992 (1 child George E. 1921-1923) Mary Alice b.1906 d. 2000
Chatham, Jessie (Lee)		5/4/09	Margaret Ann d. 2006 Willis Lee d. 2021
Chatham, Mrs. W.F.			
Chatham, W.F.			
Chatham, Willis Chesterfield		10/29/03	Margaret Ann (George Steele with 3 children-Eileen, Bill & David Willis Lee (Peggy Jean Lee with 4 children-Gary, Steve, Allan, & Deborah Steele)
Clifford, Henry			
Clyde, William H.			
Eustace, E.H.			
Greene, Gertrude			
House, J.B.		10/31/58	
House, Maud		11/20/84	
Starkey, Theodore			
Sullivan, Jennie (O.F.)		8/15/74	



**The luncheon is a catered meal.**

**Caesar Salad**

**Honey Butter Roll**

**Green Beans**

**Macaroni and Cheese**

**BBQ Shredded Chicken**

**Spiral Honey Ham**

**Cake**

**Tea, Lemonade, Coffee**

**Commemorative mugs are available for those in attendance.**



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Luncheon:** Join us for lunch following the worship service in Burgess Hall as we celebrate the last 100 years of Scottsdale UMC.

**Food, Faith, Friends:** Please join us for Food, Faith, Friends on Tuesday, February 13, from 11:30-1:00 pm. We will be serving pancakes, egg casserole, and dessert for Fat Tuesday. Suggested donation for the food is \$5.00. There is a sign-up sheet available for this event on a table in the Narthex or contact the church office (480) 946-5301.

**Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwiches:** Tuesday, February 13, at 10:00 am UWF invite you to help make peanut butter and jelly sandwiches for the Tongan Methodist Church's Safe Harbor program. The sandwiches are given in a lunch bag to the asylum seekers as they leave to travel to reunite with their families all over the country. The sandwiches can be frozen and then distributed as needed. Afterwards, stay for lunch.

**Food, Faith, Friends:** Please join us for Food, Faith, Friends on Tuesday, February 27, from 11:15-1:30 pm. We will be having pizza, salad, popcorn, and dessert.



Please arrive by 11:15 am to get your food and seat so we can start the movie at 11:30 am. We will be showing the movie "The Hill." Based on the true story of Rickey Hill. In a small town in Texas, a young Rickey Hill wears leg braces due to a degenerative spinal disease, but enjoys playing baseball. His strict father and a pastor dissuades Rickey from baseball, wanting to shield him from further injuries. A few years later, Rickey becomes a "baseball phenomenon." However, when he wants to try out for a legendary major league scout, it divides the family. He eventually signs with the Montreal Expos in

1975 and plays four seasons before his spine gives out. There is a sign up sheet or contact the church office at 480-946-5301. Suggested donation for the food is \$5.00. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=upE1VupKCW8>

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**Ash Wednesday Worship:** SUMC will enter into this Lenten journey on Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2024, and you are invited to be part of it. We will have two ways for you to participate in Ash Wednesday:



- ♦ To receive ashes and mark the start of Lent, Pastor Jamie will be available to impose ashes on a drop in basis from 10:00-11:00 am at SUMC.
- ♦ Worship service will be a combined services with The Bridge UMC, ashes, and invitation to Lenten disciplines at 12:00 pm at 4900 E Thomas Road.

**Fieldtrip and Lunch:** On Friday, February 23, we will go to the Mesa Historical



Museum at Old Lehi School 2345 N. Horne, Mesa. We will meet at the church at 9:45 am for those who would like to carpool. We will meet at the museum at 10:00 am. The **Mesa Historical Museum** is a historical museum in Mesa, Arizona, United States. It was opened in 1987 by the Mesa Historical Society to preserve the history of Mesa, Arizona. The museum's

exhibits include a comprehensive history of Mesa, a replica of an early adobe one-room schoolhouse, as well as additional galleries of changing exhibits. The museum also maintains a large collection of historic agricultural equipment. The museum buildings are in fact the museum's largest artifacts. The main museum building was built in 1913-1914 for use as the **Lehi School** in what was then Lehi, Arizona. The auditorium was built in the 1930s as a Works Progress Administration project. The two-building complex was added to the National Register of Historic Places in 2001 as the "Lehi School". In 2008, the museum began developing a popular exhibit about Spring Training (baseball) in Arizona, called "Play Ball: The Cactus League Experience." The exhibition has since expanded to locations throughout Maricopa County. The cost is \$5 for Seniors ages (62+). All other adults are \$7. We will go for lunch at 11:30 at Kings Chef Chinese Food at 1863 N. Stapley Dr. #102. There is a sign-up sheet available for this event or contact the church office (480)946-5301.

Thank you to the Centennial Committee for all the hard work over the last year to make this event successful today.

Jan Johnson, Committee Chair

Liz Zveglich, Luncheon Chair

Ellen Bloom

Anita Horton

Jim Laird

Barbara Marinoff

Gail Isbell

Norm Jenson

Ollie Edwards

Bucky Bethancourt, Sanctuary Decorating



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Music Director/Pianist  
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