

Heidi's Corner

A message from the finance office ...

Shadow Rock by the Numbers

Date	Attendance	Offering
12/31/18	Asset Transfer	16,790
12/31/18	50 for 50 Pledge and Offerings	41,467
12/31/18	Facilities Improvement Fund Balance	20,667
2019 YTD	2019 Prepaid Contributions	19,460
02/10/19	122	1,371
02/17/19	93	7,409
02/15/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	5,835
02/24/19	137	2,977
03/01/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	6,501
03/03/19	108	3,542
03/03/19	Communion (UCC-OGHS)	209

Lenten Offering for 2019 is directed to the Facilities Improvement Fund. Please use the purple envelopes.

Do you ever look at the numbers in Heidi's corner and wonder how they can vary so greatly? Generally speaking our largest deposit is the first E-giving and Sunday offering of the month.

The most difficult thing I do is to try to predict income. This is due to many facts, not the least of which is everyone's personal circumstance. Some donors contribute weekly, some monthly, and some contribute their entire pledge at one time.

No matter how or when you choose to donate, I am incredibly grateful to each and every one of you for all that you do to support Shadow Rock.

*With gratitude to all of my Shadow Rock family,
~ Heidi*

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Sunday Mornings: 9:00 education,
10:15 worship, 11:30 fellowship



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Prayer List

Thinking of You cards are
in the pew backs.

Since we last met:

Our sympathy to Linda Pape and family on the death of John. Kelsey Struckmeyer is recovering from surgery. Baby Scott Rutherford, Evan and Kim's son, is recovering from heart surgery.

Continue to remember:

The Geer family; Evelyn Matherly; Phillip Tackman's Aunt Mary; Nanci Campbell's friend Tom; Linda Merrill; Karen Richter's sister, Katie; Rev. Diane Thomas; Jo Jorgenson Torvie; Carol Grieshaber's son; Gary, brother-in-law of John and Pat Pierce; Rob Adan; Jim Geer's brother, Tom; Judi Adams' cousin, Blair; Kim and Judi's friend, Kim B; Sixto Paz's sister, Rosa; Susan and Joel Glynn's family member, Morgan, age 4, and her grandmother; Adam Medler; Becky Allison; Mary K. Chartier; Marv and Jane Shever; Billie Foltz; Ann Giles; our sanctuary guests and their families.

Please contact the church office to add the name of someone to the prayer list, or to remove a name.

Shadow Rock follows HIPAA guidelines when dealing with patient confidentiality.

Welcome! No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!

Today at Shadow Rock



Greeters start things off right! Sign-up to be a greeter in the parlor or the Plug-In Board.



Flowers on the communion table today are from Bert and Loreen, celebrating daughter Traci's birthday.



All are welcome to join us after worship for Coffee Chat in Smith Hall. Thank you to the Keystones group for being our hosts this morning.

Faith Formation For All Ages



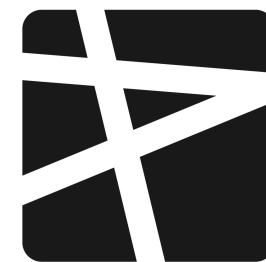
Journey of the Spirit 2019:

Today's conversation was centered on 'Internet Jesus,' with a fun look at memes and comics. Next week's theme is 'Jesus of our Childhoods.' Watch *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* with friends on Monday, Thursday, or Saturday. Check the schedule at www.shadowrockucc.org/jos. Discussions at 9:00 am and 11:45 am Sunday mornings!

Children's theme next week is Jesus, Friend of Outcasts... and we'll be fishing for people! Let's journey together during Lent!

Welcome, Visitors!

We say every week is different at Shadow Rock so we hope you'll come back and see what next Sunday is like. Please join us for Coffee Chat after worship today. We're happy to talk with you about anything that's on your mind! (Probably starting with, "What's up with that funny-shaped cross?" Pastor Ken would love to get to know you better— arrange a get-to-know-you coffee by emailing him via ken@shadowrockucc.org.) If you have special requests or needs, such as childcare, large-print bulletins, hearing-assistance devices, or alternative seating, please speak with an usher. They're happy to help! Visit our website: www.shadowrockucc.org.



NUGGETS

March 10,
2019

What's Happening at Shadow Rock



The Top Three

1

Donation Drive for SRPS

The preschool is partnering with Sunshine Acres Children's Home for a clothing and household goods donation drive. They are paid per pound for items collected. All items should be in good condition. They ask that clothing, accessories, and linens be placed in plastic bags, and other household items in boxes. Bring your donations on Sunday, March 24th, or during the week until Thursday the 28th. Simplify, clean out and support SRPS!

2

Orchestra Concert Here Next Sunday

Shadow Rock is hosting the Phoenix Renaissance Orchestra on Sunday, March 17th at 2:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. The concert will feature works by Beethoven, Rossini, Mascagni, and Verdi. There is no charge to attend but you are welcome to make a donation to their nonprofit organization if you wish. Contact the church office for more info.

3

Shadow Rock Healing Circle

We invite you to a gathering of Shadow Rock Healing Circle this Saturday, March 16th at 5:30 p.m. in the multipurpose room. There will be a potluck, a video, and NADA Treatment (ear acupuncture). Let's come together and talk about our ideas of healing. Speak to Rev. Dr. Patricia Clarke for more information about this event.

In Other News



Thinking of You cards are a wonderful way to connect with other members of our church family. They are found in the pew backs and come in a variety of beautiful colors. They're easy to use—write your message on one side and the recipient's name on the back and drop it in the offering plate. We'll make sure they're delivered promptly. Here are some ideas on how to use them:

- ◆ Send one to someone on the prayer list.
- ◆ Send one to someone who stood up at Celebrations.
- ◆ Send one to a church friend you haven't seen for a few weeks.
- ◆ Send a note to thank someone for a job well done!

Many Hands ...



... **make light work!** Here are some ways to pitch in at Shadow Rock:

Ongoing volunteer needs Coffee Chat hosts, Sunday School teachers, communion servers and more. See the Plug-In Board in the parlor.

Current donations (donation box located in parlor) Nonperishable food for Desert Mission Food Bank, **Disposable diapers** for local families in need, **Gently used clothing** for Desert Mission Food Bank, **Eyeglasses** for use in developing nations.

Relational Groups

For information about support groups, please contact the church office

Choir *Open to everyone*
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in Sanctuary
Contact: Forrest Bachtel (forrest@shadowrockucc.org)

Youth Students *7th-12th Grade*
Contact: Ken Heintzelman (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

Prayer Shawl Ministry *A knitting and crocheting group*
First and third Wednesdays @ 9:30 a.m. in the parlor
Contact: June (jminertchr@aol.com)

SR @ North Mountain Brewery Fellowship and food
First Sunday monthly @ 4:30 p.m. 522 E Dunlap Avenue
Contact Pastor Ken (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

Facilities Workday *Open to everyone*
Second Saturday monthly @ 7:30 a.m.
Contact: Roy Zaborowski (roy@bbz.net)

Scrappin' and Craftin' Saturday *Open to everyone*
Second Saturday monthly 8 a.m.—5 p.m. in Multipurpose Room
Contact: Lois Beberniss (602-993-0050)

Keystones Adults *Open to everyone*
First Saturday monthly @ 6:30 p.m. off site
Contact: Alyce-Anne Meadows

Companions on Our Journey *A grief fellowship group*
Next gathering in April
Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)

B.L.T. (Beatitudes Lunch Together) *Lunch with friends*
First Tuesday monthly @ 12:00 p.m. Beatitudes Campus
Contact: Lois Beberniss (lois@shadowrockucc.org)

Lunch Bunch Women's Lunch Group
Wednesday, March 13th @ 12:30 p.m.
Times Square 768 E. Union Hills Dr.
Contact: Linda Johnston (lindalights@cox.net)

Men's Breakfast
Fourth Tuesday monthly @ 6:30 a.m.
Village Inn 3rd Street & Bell
Contact: Pastor Ken (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

Breakstones Women's Breakfast Group
Fourth Wednesday monthly @ 7:30 a.m., Denny's I-17 & Dunlap
Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)