

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	21,378
2019 YTD	2019 Prepaid Contributions	19,460
03/10/19	113	3,755
03/15/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	7,629
03/17/19	96	733
03/24/19	105	2,227
03/31/19	114	1,608
03/31/19	Lenten Offering to date	1,099
04/07/19	124	2,886

2019 Lenten Offering is directed to the Facilities Improvement Fund. The Facilities fund is used for capital infrastructure & maintenance projects such as technology upgrades, air conditioning repair and/or replacement. Please use the purple envelopes or mark "lent" on your memo line.

Do you ever look at the numbers in Heidi's corner and wonder how they can vary so greatly? This is due to many facts, not the least of which is personal circumstances. Donors choose to contribute weekly, monthly, quarterly, and some contribute their entire pledge at one time. Generally speaking our largest deposit is the first E-giving and Sunday offering of the month.

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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Office Hours: M-Th, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Sunday Mornings: 9:00 education,
10:15 worship, 11:30 fellowship



Our Website: www.shadowrockucc.org
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Prayer List

Thinking of You cards are in the pew backs.

Since we last met:

Our sympathy to Monet Davis and family on the death of her mother and Don Shikles and family on the death of his mother.

Continue to remember:

June Miner's son; Sharon Thurman and her family; Kerrie Earle; Eileen Hoard; The Preest Family, The Pape family; Becky Allison; Scott Rutherford; Evelyn Matherly; Phillip Tackman's Aunt Mary; Nanci Campbell's friend Tom; Linda Merrill; Rev. Diane Thomas; Karen Richter's sister Katie; Jo Jorgenson Torvie; Carol Grieshaber's son; Gary, brother-in-law of John and Pat Pierce; 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; Mary K. Chartier; Marv and Jane Shever; Billie Foltz; Ann Giles; our sanctuary guests and their families.

Support Groups

Contact the church office for details

Women's ACA: Mondays @ 12:00 in Smith Hall
NarAnon: Mondays @ 7:00 p.m. in chapel
Al-Anon: Wednesdays in education Building
Beginners @ 6:45 p.m.
Alateen & Regular Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.
(childcare provided @ 7:30)
AA: Thursdays @ 7:30 p.m. Yellow Room

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! You can sign up to greet at the Plug-In Board in the parlor.



Flowers on the communion table today are from Alyce-Anne Meadows. Thank you!



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

Faith Formation For All Ages

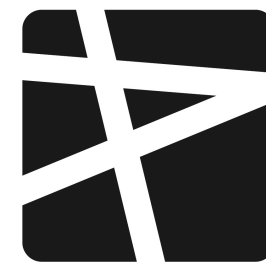


Journey of the Spirit 2019:

THANK YOU to everyone who participated in our wonderful discussions of Jesus in Popular Culture. It's been a great journey together. There will be no formation classes on Easter morning, but we explore Easter mysteries for adults and children on April 28 at 9 o'clock. May 5 brings new series for everyone: Sexuality and Spirituality for adults, Sing and Play Summer for children—and more!

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.



NUGGLES

April 14,
2019

What's Happening at Shadow Rock



The Top Three: Easter Edition

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Easter Morning Schedule

We invite you to join us for Easter Services next Sunday, April 21st. Our Sunrise Service is at 6:00 a.m. in the Festival Garden. From 7:00-9:30 a.m. there will be food and fellowship hosted by our Board in Smith Hall. The children's Egg Hunt begins at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor. Finally, our Easter Worship Service is at 10:15 in the sanctuary. There will not be Coffee Chat after the 10:15 worship. We hope you'll join us for this beautiful and meaningful morning.

2

Last Call for Easter Flowers

On Easter morning, our sanctuary will be decorated with flowers. You can sponsor one of the plants in honor or celebration of a loved one or life event. Please see the insert in today's bulletin for details, or contact Heidi (heidi@shadowrockucc.org) to sponsor a plant.

3

Easter Morning Brunch

We invite you to join us on Easter morning for great food and fellowship, hosted by our Board. Hospitality (and pancakes!) will be provided in Smith Hall from 7:00-9:30 a.m. If you would like to help provide juice, yogurt, pastries, or another snack for the morning, please contact Liz Curry (liz.curry3@gmail.com)

In Other News

Our neighbors at St Teresa of Avila Ecumenical Catholic Community are hosting services and other events for Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday. They are one of our fantastic campus partners and would love to have Shadow Rockers join their Holy Week services. For details, call the Shadow Rock office this week, Monday through Thursday.

Many Hands ...

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

NEW: We had a great response to filling our Plug-In sheets this spring...right up until Easter. We know that back in January you might not have been able to commit to Sundays in May or June. But now that those dates are closer, please consider signing up to be a greeter, Coffee Chat host, liturgist, or Sunday School teacher. Please claim your dates at the Plug-In Board in the parlor. Let's fill those dates to July Sabbath!

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 see the reverse of this page

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

Prayer Shawl Ministry A knitting and crocheting group
Wednesday, April 17th @ 9:30 a.m. In 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 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. 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 (623-934-9971)

Healing Circle A group focused on wholeness and healing
Next gathering April 27th
Contact: Rev. Dr. Patricia Clark (shedoc@redroadmedicine.com)

Companions on Our Journey A grief fellowship group
Thursday, April 18th @ 5:30 p.m. in Multipurpose Room
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
Second Wednesday monthly @ 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 and Dunlap
Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)