

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
06/01/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	6,752
06/02/19	143	7,596
06/02/19	Communion Offering—O&A Coalition	184
06/09/19	104	1,406
06/16/19	85	203
06/17/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	6,030
06/23/19	111	6,810
06/30/19	110	8,187

Welcome back! I hope you've had a wonderful summer and a restful July Sabbath. There will be updated giving numbers in the next week or two, and I appreciate your patience.

Today's communion offering will go to the Facilities Improvement Fund, to help defray the cost of maintaining our air conditioners.

Don't forget that 2019-2020 is our FUND-raiser and FUN-raiser "Pick-A-Party!" It's an exciting time to be at Shadow Rock!

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

Prayer List

Thinking of You cards are in the provided envelopes.

Since we last met:

We extend our sympathy to Janet Williams on the death of Vinny Iula and to Bev Wood and her family on the death of Ken.

Continue to remember:

Ann Eicher; Irene Scarlett; Peg Hesley; Betsy Davis; Susan Glynn's friend Linda; Linda Merrill, Kerrie Earle; Carol Bowles' daughter; Becky Allison; Marv and Jane Shever; Billie Foltz; Ann Giles; our sanctuary guests and their families.

Shadow Rock follows HIPAA guidelines when dealing with patient confidentiality.

Please contact the church office to add or remove someone on the prayer list.

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! Please sign-up to be a greeter at the Plug-In Board in the parlor.

 Flowers on the communion table today are from Barbara Zaborowski, saying "welcome back!" to everyone.

 All are welcome to join us after worship for Coffee Chat right here in Smith Hall. We have no host today and appreciate your help in cleaning up.

Faith Formation For All Ages

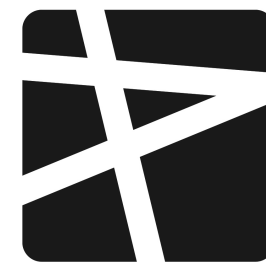
 Shadow Rock offers Sunday School classes for all ages at 9:00 a.m. Join us for opportunities to connect with one another and with our own experiences.

It's Almost Time...

Welcome back, friends. Fall formation time begins at 9 o'clock on August 18. We have a fall chock-full of opportunities for connection and growth. Topics include: *We've Got Mad Skills*, a multi-age exploration of community spiritual disciplines, and *Elephant in the Room*, a unit looking at important social issues.

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.



FUNDRAISERS

August 4,
2019

Shadow Rock United Church of Christ
12861 N. 8th Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85029

Church Office: 602-993-0050

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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What's Happening at Shadow Rock



The Top Three

1

Welcome Back!

We hope you enjoyed a wonderful July Sabbath. It's always a joy to have everyone back together again, swapping stories and sharing hugs. We will continue to have worship in Smith Hall next week, August 11th, at 10:15 a.m. On August 18th we take our worship service back up to the sanctuary. Also that Sunday, Faith Formation resumes at 9:00 a.m. and we have a potluck planned after the worship service. We're ready for an exciting year at Shadow Rock!

2

Plug-In Time is Here

New Plug-In sheets are in the parlor today. Coffee Chat hosts, liturgists, flowers, Sunday School volunteers - we need it all! There are big and small ways for everyone to take part in our time together. Stop by and share your gifts with Shadow Rock.

3

Pick-A-Party Board in Parlor

Take a peek at the giant blue board in the parlor! This is our Party Board for our upcoming 2019-2020 Pick-A-Party year! There's a place to put your ideas for fun parties, a way to connect with possible co-hosts, and more detailed information if this is your first time hearing about Pick-A-Party. Stop by and check it out!

In Other News

We hope you've been spending your July Sabbath thinking about and writing in your Wedgeblade discernment notebook that we passed out in June. (If you need a copy, you can find them on the usher's table in Smith Hall.) Whether you've been attending Shadow Rock for 40 years or 40 days, your thoughts are valuable as we move forward together!

We are moving forward with our Wedgeblade Ministry discussions, the first of which is Sunday, August 18th at 9:00 a.m. and also after worship. Please bring your book - you aren't turning it in, but you may want to refer to it during these discussions. More meetings are in the works, so please watch for them!

Coming Attractions

*We're back and we're hitting the ground running!
Please keep these important dates in mind:*

Aug. 9-11: Choir Camp in Prescott

Sun. Aug. 11 and 18: OWL Parent Meetings

Sun. Aug. 18: Faith Formation resumes, worship returns to sanctuary, potluck lunch

Mon. Aug. 19: Preschool classes begin for 2019-20

Sun. Aug. 25: Kick-off retreat for OWL, grades 7-12

Sun. Sep. 22: Pick-A-Party kick-off!

Relational Groups

*For information about support groups,
please see the reverse of this page*

Choir *Open to everyone*

Choir rehearsals resume Wednesday, August 21st @ 6:30 p.m.
Contact: Forrest Bachtel (forrest@shadowrockucc.org)

Prayer Shawl Ministry *A knitting and crocheting group*

Wednesday, August 7th @ 9:30 a.m. parlor

Contact: June (jminertchr@aol.com)

SR @ North Mountain Brewery Fellowship and food

Today @ 4:30 p.m. 522 E. Dunlap Ave

Contact Pastor Ken (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

Facilities Workday *Open to everyone*

Saturday, August 10th @ 7:30 a.m.

Contact: Roy Zaborowski (roy@bbz.net)

Craftin' and Scrappin' Saturday *Open to everyone*

Next gathering Saturday, September 14th 8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

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 Saturday, August 24th @ 5:30 p.m.

Contact: Rev. Dr. Patricia Clark (shedoc@redroadmedicine.com)

Companions on Our Journey *A grief fellowship group*

Next gathering Thursday, August 15th @ 5:30 p.m. in MP

Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)

B.L.T. (Beatitudes Lunch Together) *Lunch with friends*

Tuesday, August 6th @ 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 St. & Bell Rd.

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)