

Bible Studies/Groups Updates

- **Unshakable Joy Fellowship Group**, will meet on Sunday, January 18, 6-8pm at the home of Dell Hammond. Leader: Dell Hammond,
- **Confirmation Class**, meets Wednesday, 4:15pm, Pastor's Office.
- **Prayer Team** meets Monday, 10am, Youth Room. Leader: Judy Strong.
- **Tuesday Evening Study Group** meets Tuesday, 6pm, Hope Center. Leader: Jim Kress.
- **Tuesday Knights Bible Study** meets Tuesday, 7pm, Hope Center. Leader: Kees Jongsma.
- **Quilters** meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 9am, Hope Center. Leader: Lucy Dahn.
- **Thursday Morning Bible Study** meets Thursday, 9am at Francine Rienstra's residence. Leader: Francine Rienstra at fgrienstra@gmail.com.
- **Thursday Women's Bible Study** meets Thursday, 12-1:30pm, Hope Center. Leader: Amy Martin.
- **Friday AM Women's Bible Study** meets Friday, 9:30am, Hope Center. Leader: Wanda Johnson.

For detailed information relating to topics of study, please refer to our website calendar at deserthope.org.



THE JESUS-SHAPED WAY TRAINING WEEKEND

Jesus came to show us how to live our lives to the fullest and then called us to follow his Way. Come join us in a weekend training with author and speaker, Bob Rognlien, as he introduces practical tools that will help us put each of these steps into practice in our daily lives.

At Desert Hope Church
(7474 E. Speedway Blvd.)

Sign up using the QR code

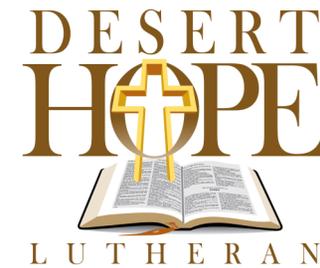
Friday, January 23rd, 6:00 to 8:30 pm
Saturday, January 24th, 9am to 6 pm
(lunch on request \$10, or bring a sack lunch)



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On Thursday, January 29th from 1:30 – 2:30PM there will be praise & worship in the Sanctuary. Join us as we will take time to focus on Him and His Presence.



Grow In Faith! Impact The World!

WEEKLY WORSHIP GUIDE

Sunday, January 18, 2026

**Welcome from the Friendliest Church
in Tucson!**

We are glad that you are worshipping with us today. Our goal is to grow together in faith and love for God and others. Please let me know if you have questions about Desert Hope or about your relationship with Jesus Christ.

Pastor Kent Groethe, Lead Pastor
218-731-5215 • pastorkent@deserthope.org

Please pick up an *Invitation to Worship* card at the Welcome Center. Pass the word of this marvelous opportunity to worship Jesus and enjoy our fellowship.

Nursery is available each Sunday at 9:15am until the end of service.

Sunday School is for elementary aged students. They can sit with their family in the worship service and will be escorted to the youth room after the hymn and before the readings.

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Sunday, January 18, 9:30am

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements Tyler Drysdale

Call to Worship Dr. Greg Silverman

Song *What An Awesome God*

Confession and Forgiveness

Song *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

Children Dismissed for Sunday School

Scripture Readings Glenn Weber
Genesis 1:26-27 (NIV)
Matthew 7:13-14 (NIV)
John 15:1-5 (ESV)

Message **“The Road is Better than the Ditches”**
Pastor Dave Drum

Song *Whom Shall I Fear (God of Angel Armies)*

Prayers of the People

Apostles’ Creed

Offertory

Holy Communion/Lord’s Prayer
Rob Caylor, Linda Kress and Jim Kress

Songs *Blessed Assurance • Holy, God Almighty*

Communion Blessing

Song *House Of The Lord*

Sending

Postlude

Prayer Requests

Health and Healing: For Bill Bothe, Beverly Williams and Judy Gibbons.

Comfort and Peace: For Jim Ware and Nancy Arias who are in hospice care. For all families & friends dealing with the care of elderly loved ones. For family & friends of Scott Wilcox, who passed away.

Protection, Wisdom and Guidance: For the people of Iran in upheaval. For the leaders of our country, all world leaders, people in countries facing outside aggression and the military and their families.

Church of the Week: The Springs Church

Prayers for Unbelieving Loved Ones

We pray for our loved ones who do not yet know Christ that you would stir in them faith in Jesus Christ.

Following the service, there will be Prayer Team members at the front of the Sanctuary, on the right, for you to receive one-on-one prayer for yourself or a loved one.

Submit prayer requests at www.deserthope.org or the church office at 520-722-9134. *Please make sure you have permission for prayers printed in the Worship Guide.*

Long Term & Military Prayer Lists are available on the Prayer Table. The Prayer Team prays for all those on the lists each week.

Worship & Special Events Calendar

Sunday, January 18: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM. Guest Pastor Dave Drum.

Friday, January 23: The Jesus Shaped Way—Bob Rognlien, 6:00PM.

Saturday, January 24: The Jesus Shaped Way—Bob Rognlien, 9:00AM.

Sunday, January 25: Sunday Worship, Guest Pastor Bob Rognlien, 9:30AM.

Thursday, January 29: Worship & Prayer, 1:30PM

Sunday, February 1: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.

Sunday, February 1: Congregational Forum, 10:45AM.

Saturday, February 7: Karen Rosenau Memorial Service, 11:00AM.

Sunday, February 8: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.

Sunday, February 8: Annual Meeting of the Congregation, 10:45AM.

Sunday, February 15: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.

Wednesday, February 18: Ash Wednesday Service, 12 Noon.

Sunday, February 22: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.