

Bible Studies/Groups Updates

Confirmation Class, meets Wednesday, 4:15pm, Youth Room.
They will resume meeting on May 6.

Alpha Youth, meets Sundays, 11am-12:30pm, Youth Room.

Prayer Team, meets Monday, 10am, Youth Room. Leader: Judy Strong.

Tuesday Evening Study Group, meets Tuesday, 6pm, Hope Center.
Leader: Kees Jongsma.

Tuesday Knights Bible Study, meets Tuesday, 7pm, Hope Center.
Leader: Jeff Dowling. *Will begin a new 4 week study on May 5.*

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.

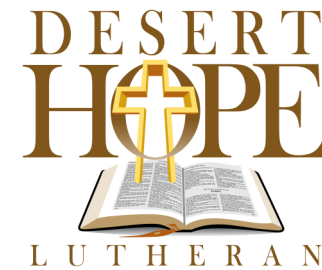
Thursday Women's Bible Study, meets Thursday, 12-1:30pm, Hope
Center. *Will meet on May 7, 11:30am, at First Watch. Please RSVP to
Amy Martin.* Leader: Amy Martin.

Friday AM Women's Bible Study, meets Friday, 9:30am, Hope Center.
Leader: Wanda Johnson.

Guardians of Faith: An Introduction to Christian Apologetics, meets
Sunday, 10:45, Hope Center - started 8 week study on April 12.
Leader: Tyler Drysdale.

High School Alpha Youth Series, meets Fridays, 6:30pm, Youth Room.
Started on April 10 for 8 weeks. Leader: Lisa Byl.

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



Grow In Faith! Impact The World!

WEEKLY WORSHIP GUIDE
Sunday, May 3, 2026

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

We are glad that you are worshiping 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, May 3, 9:30am

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Kent Groethe

Call to Worship Desert Christian Worship Team

Song *This Is Amazing Grace*

Confession and Forgiveness

Song *Amazing Grace*

Children Dismissed for Sunday School

Scripture Readings (NIV) Terry Bredehoft
Acts 14:9
1 Corinthians 12:7-11
John 15:1-7

Message **"Spiritual Gifts"**
Pastor Kent Groethe

Song *Build My Life*

Prayers of the People

Apostles' Creed

Offertory

Holy Communion/Lord's Prayer
Bill Weiss, Joanna Jongsma and Jim Kress

Song *Lead Me To The Cross*

Communion Blessing

Song *My Lighthouse*

Sending

Postlude

Prayer Requests

Health and Healing: For Shirley Marker, Linda Kress and Tonya Alyn.

Comfort and Peace: For Pastor Kent and the Groethe family.

For family and friends of Rhonda Putzke, who passed away.

Protection, Wisdom and Guidance: 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: His Presence 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.

THANK YOU

A special thank you to the Desert Christian High School Worship Team for leading us in worship today.

Worship & Special Events Calendar

Sunday, May 3: Sunday Worship, 9:30am, Desert Christian High School Worship Team will be our Guest Worship Leaders.

Sunday, May 3: City Psalms Vision & Casting Meeting & Potluck, 6pm.

Thursday, May 7: National Day of Prayer, sanctuary open between 8:30am-12pm.

Sunday, May 10: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM. **Mother's Day.**

Monday, May 11: Family Movie Night, 6:00pm, follow up to Jesus Way Weekend.

Sunday, May 17: Sunday Worship, 9:30am.

Sunday, May 24: Sunday Worship, 9:30am. **Pentecost** (wear red).

Monday, May 25: Church Office Closed in Observance of Memorial Day.

Monday-Friday, June 1-5: Vacation Bible School, 9am, Sabino Road Baptist Church.