



:Bob Bell, Nancy Bottorf, The Family of Char Brown, Ann Bull, Mary Ann Elsner, Jerry Goss, Rev. Phyl Nelson, Our City and all those affected by the shootings of October 1, Joyce Parker, Gloria Sandefur, Steve Sloan, Ann Speakes, Paul Standish, Marilyn Steege, The Family of Carl Talmage; The Family of Frank Zimmerman; Community UMC, Caliente, NV (Pastor Robert Mayer); Federated Community Church, Flagstaff, AZ (Rev. Jessica Goad); Trinity Heights UMC, Flagstaff, AZ (Rev. Lynn Bartlow, Rev Ron Bartlow)

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**WEEKLY CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS**

**Sun Feb 11**  
 8:00am – 12:00pm Nursery Care – R11  
 8:00am – 9:00am Church Service – S  
 9:30am – 10:30am Middle School Sunday School – R9  
 9:30am – 10:30am Sr High Sunday School – DH  
 9:30am – 10:30am Church Services – S  
 9:30am – 10:30am Sunday Sch – R13, 14,15,16,17 & 18  
 10:45am – 11:45am Adult Sunday School – R9  
 11:00am – 12:00pm Children’s One Room SS – R15  
 11:00am – 12:00pm Church Services – S  
 12:30pm – 2:00pm Community Group Hosts Informational Meeting - R9  
 12:30pm – 3:30pm Introduction to Prayer Workshop - S Lobby OR R17/18  
 12:45pm – 3:45pm Financial Peace University – R15/16  
 1:00pm – 2:00pm Ruth Circle – Off Campus  
 3:30pm – Grief Support – Conference Room  
 3:30pm – 5:00pm Cancer Support Group – CL  
 6:00pm – 8:30pm Valentine Social – MP/K

**Mon Feb 12**  
 6:30pm – 8:00pm Stephen Ministry Supervision II – R2  
 7:00pm – 8:30pm Boy Scouts – MP/CR/S

**Tue Feb 13**  
 10:00am – 11:00am Women’s Spiritual Growth Class – R9  
 10:30am – 11:00am Christian Believer Bible Study – R15/16  
 6:30pm – 7:30pm Adult Bells - S  
 6:30pm – 8:00pm Discipleship Fast Track – R17/18  
 7:00pm – 9:00pm Wellness Revelation for Women – R15/16

**Wed Feb 14**  
 9:30am – 11:00am Deborah Circle – Off Campus  
 1:00pm – 7:00pm Youth Wednesday Program – Ed Wing  
 6:00pm – 7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service – S  
 7:00pm – 8:30pm Bible Study – R15/16  
 7:00pm – 8:40pm Choir Practice - S

**Thu Feb 15**  
 10:00am – 11:00am Serendipity Circle – Off Campus  
 10:00am – 11:30am Bible Study – R15/16  
 12:30pm – 1:30pm Dancing with Parkinson’s – S Lobby  
 1:00pm – 4:00pm Three Square Work Day – Off Campus  
 7:00pm – 8:30pm Shawl Ministry – CR

**Fri Feb 16**  
 No DSUMC events scheduled

**Sat Feb 17**  
 8:00am – 10:00am UMM Breakfast – R5  
 11:00am – 12:00pm Char Brown Memorial Service – S Luncheon to follow in Multi-Purpose  
 1:30pm – 4:00pm Open Door Ministry Bible Study – R9

**Sun Feb 18**  
 8:00am – 12:00pm Nursery Care – R11  
 8:00am – 9:00am Church Service – S  
 9:30am – 10:30am Middle School Sunday School – R9  
 9:30am – 10:30am Sr High Sunday School – DH  
 9:30am – 10:30am Church Services – S  
 9:30am – 10:30am Sunday Sch – R13, 14,15,16,17 & 18  
 10:45am – 11:45am Adult Sunday School – R9  
 11:00am – 12:00pm Children’s One Room SS – R15  
 11:00am – 12:00pm Church Services – S  
 12:45pm – 3:45pm Financial Peace University – R15/16  
 6:00pm – 8:00pm Youth Dance – MP

**SPREAD THE WORD NEVADA BOOK DRIVE**



Do you have a bunch of books you no longer need? STWN NEEDS your books! Please consider donating any new or used books to help the school children of Nevada. Today through March 18<sup>th</sup>, look for the blue bins with the SWTN logo. For more information, call Alison Kerr at **702-778-8380** or email **alsnkr@aol.com**.

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

9:30 a.m.

February 11, 2018

**Desert Spring United Methodist Church**  
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**Order of Worship**

**In Praise to God**

**Gathering Hymn # 519 verse 1** “Lift Every Voice and Sing”

**Greeting** Rev. David K. Devereaux; Kim Nehls as Liturgist  
 Kathleen and Robert McCarthy, Caleb Paske as Acolytes

*\* The asterisk indicates the congregation please stand as you are able*

**\*Passing the Peace of Christ**

*Meet someone you do not know. Introduce yourself by name. Remember the name of the person you meet. Later today, say a little prayer for your new friend. Look to greet your new friend next Sunday! Start it all over again!*

**\*Call to Worship # 519 verse 2-3** “Lift Every Voice and Sing”

**\*Litany of Praise**

Leader: O Lord, what a morning!  
**People: You have raised up a mighty people; your people.**  
 Leader: O Lord, what a morning! You have brought us through the dips and hollows, up and down the streets, over the hills and mountains, through the valleys.  
**People: We gather as your people; though many, we are united as one by your spirit, here to worship you.**  
 Leader: O Lord, what a morning! Let us worship our God who is present among us!

**\*Hymn of Praise # 139** “Soon and Very Soon”

**\*Opening Prayer**

**Loving God, as you have given us this day, we will rejoice; we will be renewed, we will learn from our past, cherish today and welcome your future, because you have given us this day to live and to love one another. Thank You, O God. Amen**

**Act of Praise** “O Happy Day” by Edward R. Hawkins  
 Chris Martin, Ebony Martin, Lillian Roberts, Tiffanie Quinn & Adonis Abuyen

**Intercessory Prayer**

**Anthem** “Total Praise” by Richard Smallwood  
 DSUMC Chancel Choir

**Mission Moment**

**Reception of New Members**

**RUTH CIRCLE** Ruth Circle will meet TODAY, February 11 at 1:00pm at the Thai Style Noodle House, 2237 N. Rampart. Mary Jo Spigelmeyer is hosting this luncheon and invites all those who attend to come to her home after lunch for dessert. If you are planning to attend, please notify Mary Jo, 702-254-4640, so she can arrange seating and dessert. All women are invited and welcome!

**DEBORAH CIRCLE** Deborah Circle will meet at Nita Jo Bostick’s home at 9:30am on February 14. (Valentine’s Day AND Ash Wednesday). We will be discussing “God Answers” which is chapter 5 of the book, *Organizing Your Prayer Closet*. Please call Marianne Case at 702-682-9506 for more information. We would love to see all women there!

**SERENDIPITY CIRCLE** will be meeting at 10:00am, Thursday, February 15, with Jane Gerber, 8028 Kimwood Avenue; phone, 602-509-4406. Sharon Scobie will be leading the program called “The Sacred Space of Legacy/Inheritance” from the United Methodist Women 2017-18 program book. All women are invited.

## Announcements

### Our Offering

**Offertory** "God is Changing the World" by Mark Hayes/Justin Beckett  
DSUMC Chancel Choir

**\*Song of Thanks**  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Scripture** Acts 1:8, Galatians 3:26-28, and John 17:20-21

**Sermon** We Are Many, We Are One!  
Rev. David Devereaux

**\*Hymn # 2223** "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"

**\*Benediction**  
*Our Faith in Attendance – February 04, 2018*

	Worship	Sunday School
On-Line Worshippers	192	
8:00 am Service	132	
9:30 am Service	371	85
11:00 Service	107	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>109</b>
Assisted Living	22	



*On February 4th we had 7 first time visitors! To all our guests –Thank you for worshiping with us! Remember, let's greet a friend and then look for them next week!*

### THREE SQUARE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY.

Desert Spring Hunger Helpers. Thursday, February 15, 1:00-4:00pm. Meet at the church parking lot for carpooling at 12:15pm or drive directly to three square: 4190 No. Pecos Road 89115. Dress code: Closed toe shoes and No tank tops, we will be standing most of the time. RSVP Gail Steele 702 327-4245 or email gemmum@aol.com. Come join us for this great ministry to help feed the hungry. God bless.

### ANNUAL VALENTINE'S DAY SOCIAL

*TODAY! Sunday, February 11, 6:00 – 8:30pm*

Let's gather in the Multi-Purpose Room to listen and/or dance to the sounds of the 20-Piece Big Band Era Orchestra, "The Mellowtones". Please bring either a sweet treat or a "Heart-Healthy" snack to be enjoyed by all!

Remember....All are welcome!

Also, we will need help with set-up and clean-up for this event.



**VOCCALIS INTERNATIONAL SINGING REPERTORY** will be presenting its award winning Spirituals concert on Sunday, February 25 from 3:00pm-4:00pm in the church sanctuary. This annual concert is one of the highlights of the Voccalis performance calendar each year, featuring solos and ensembles of your favorite spirituals sung by many of your favorite professional musicians here at Desert Spring. This concert will raise your spirits and uplift your soul as you join in the celebration of music that has inspired so many through American history. Voccalis is presenting this performance to our church for a free will offering at no cost. Bring your families and plan to attend this powerful performance!

**The Senior Caregiving Ministry** is sponsoring again this year **EAT, LAUGH AND BE WELL** on Wednesday, February 21, 2018, 11:30 am to 1:30 pm – MP Room. Come join us for a wonderful free, fun, and delicious event presented by the Nevada Senior Services and a Certified Yoga instructor. The 2-hour program includes lunch along with a tour of relaxation, nutrition, laughter, stretching and wellness opportunities for seniors. Sign-up on the blue cards in the registration booklet or RSVP to Marianne Case at peter23wagen@gmail.com. Registration is required for lunch by 2/14/18.

**NASCAR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** The youth group is participating in the NASCAR races at Las Vegas Motor Speedway to raise money for their summer youth mission trip and youth events. They need help with selling souvenirs March 2nd thru 4th. Please contact Bill Kasimoff @ 702.813.7921 to volunteer or learn more about how you can be involved.

Friday, March 2nd  
Arrive at Church at 7:00 am and leave promptly at 7:15 am  
Tentatively arrive back at Church at 10:00 pm  
(split shift available if unable to volunteer for entire shift)

Saturday, March 3rd  
Arrive at Church at 5:30 am and leave promptly at 5:45 am  
Tentatively arrive back at Church at 7:00 pm

Sunday, March 4th  
Arrive at Church at 4:30 am and leave promptly at 4:45 am  
Arrive back at Church after all of inventory is complete

### FAMILY PROMISE - Our Guests Are Coming February 25<sup>th</sup>-

Interested in sharing your significant blessings with several Homeless Families transitioning to regular work, regular housing and a close-to-normal life here in Las Vegas? We're hosting families for a week starting February 25<sup>th</sup> and looking for help with evening dinners, overnight hosts, room-set up and food donations. Check out the sign-up sheet in the Lobby between services or contact Bob Lathrop 702-703-4776. Family Promise really works because of people like you who take the time to get involved.



Pastor David is leading a Prayer Workshop TODAY, February 11, 12:30 – 3:30pm. Come join us as we explore the importance and fundamentals of prayer; how it changes us, our lives and the world around us.



### INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE:

Sunday, March 11th 12:30 – 3:30

Lunch served at 12:00pm

Workshop 12:30pm – 3:30pm

Join Pastor David for a one afternoon "Introduction to the Bible" in workshop format. Lunch and childcare will be provided to attendees upon prearrangement. Please sign up on the blue interest card on Sunday morning, or contact the church office to enroll, 702-256-5933 or desertspringumc@gmail.com.

The **HOLIDAY FAIR** is scheduled for Saturday, October 6. We are now in the planning stages; anyone interested in working on the planning team, please attend a one-hour meeting at 11 a.m. Sunday, February 18 in Room 3. Plans for other 2018 events will also be discussed. If you are unable to attend but are interested in working with us, please call or e-mail Sharon Scobie, 702-423-9644; sscobie42@gmail.com



### SPREAD THE WORD NEVADA BOOKS & BUDDIES READING MENTOR TRAINING

Spread the Word Nevada staff will be conducting two training sessions at the church for those interested in volunteering as mentors for their Books & Buddies Program. This program partners a mentor volunteer with a child to help him/her improve reading and language skills. Requirements for volunteers include:

- A criminal background check and fingerprinting
  - Attendance at one of the training sessions
  - Commitment to one hour per week for school year (approximately September-April)
  - Have transportation to one of six elementary school campuses across the valley
- A choice of 2 training sessions have been scheduled at the church:
- Tuesday, February 20, 4:00 pm -5:30 pm, Room 15/16
  - Saturday, March 10, 1:30 pm -3:00 pm, Multipurpose Room

To sign up for one of these training sessions or for further information, please contact Patti Chance at patti.chance@gmail.com, or 702-371-4083.



*Altar Flowers*

*Today are given in memory  
of Steve Saltzman*