



*Mesa*  *Palms*

*Seventh-day Adventist Church*

*God's Love: Knowing, Growing, Showing*



**May 23, 2026**

# Church Life

## CALENDAR

**Today:**

**Sunset 7:25 p.m.**

**Tuesday: Bulletin deadline**

**7:00 p.m.**

Wednesday: Mid-week Bible Study

6:30 p.m.

*Thoughts from the Mount of Blessing, ch. 3*

Friday:

Sunset 7:29 p.m.

Sabbath, May 30

Pastor Joedy Melashenko

Offering: Arizona Advance

Presiding Elder: Dan Simmons

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**A warm welcome** to all of our visitors here today. We are blessed by your presence and hope that you are blessed as well.

**Vespers and Game Night:** Come out this evening to play games and enjoy goodies at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

**Second Reading:** Ana Beck from Chandler to Mesa Palms  
Byron Sloggett from Desert Cove to Mesa Palms

**Vacation Bible School** will be July 6–11. Volunteers are needed! Please see Crystal if you can help.

**Sermon DVDs:** There are several years' worth of MP sermons from 2009–2015, mostly by Pastor Terry Darnall, plus a few others. If you'd like them, please see Alice, Jason, or Pastor Dale.

**Our AV project** is nearing completion, but the expenses have increased (as with everything else!), so your ongoing support is much appreciated.

**Your women's ministry** supports **Hope Women's Center**. They are currently accepting cleaning supplies, deodorant, razors, juice boxes, tissue boxes, paper towels, and pull-ups (sizes 2–3–4–5T). Women's and children's items only. We also support **Hope and Blessings**, a homeless ministry for both men and women. They accept gently used clothing, basic toiletries, bike tubes and patches, and anything a homeless person can use. See Cherie Gresh for more information.

### TODAY

Elder of the Week

Dan Simmons

Worship Team Leader

René Morehouse

Organist

Alice Ray

Pianist

Kristi Canther

# Welcome to Worship

## SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES—9:30 a.m.

Cradle Roll/Kindergarten		Nancy Baker
Primary		René Morehouse
Junior		
Youth		Crystal Stevenson
Adult 1	<i>Sanctuary</i>	Dan Simmons
Adult 2	<i>Fellowship Hall</i>	Don & Randy
Adult 3	<i>Last classroom in NE hall</i>	Allen Morehouse

## CHURCH SERVICE—10:50 a.m.

### GOD GATHERS

Prelude		Alice Ray
Meet and Greet		Congregation
Invocation, Welcome, & Announcements		Charles Nyakondo

### PEOPLE SURRENDER

Worship in Giving	<i>Arizona Advance</i>	Charles Nyakondo
Children's Offering & Story		Crystal Stevenson
Worship in Singing		Worship Team
Garden of Prayer		Annah Obong'o
Special Music		René Morehouse

### GOD SPEAKS

Scripture Reading	<i>Responsive Reading #816</i>	Abigail Obong'o
Sermon	<i>Encourage One Another</i>	Pastor Dale Tunnell

### PEOPLE RESPOND

Hymn of Commitment	<i>The Family of God</i>	Worship Team
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### God Sends

Benediction		Pastor Dale Tunnell
Postlude		Alice Ray

*Show a little kindness!*



Quiz Time

Who fell asleep during a sermon  
and fell out of a window?

(Acts 20:9)

**CHURCH BUDGET**

Needed Monthly:	\$10,935.00
Received in May:	\$5,844.00
Balance needed for May:	\$5,091.00

**Mesa Palms Mission Statement**

Following Christ by creating an environment for a  
healthy, loving relationship with Him and His family.



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Pastor's Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 – 1:00