

A stylized illustration of two palm trees with long, slender trunks and large, feathery fronds. Above the trees, three small birds are depicted in flight. The background is white, and the entire graphic is rendered in a light gray color.

Mesa + Palms

Seventh-day Adventist Church



August 22, 2026

Church Life

CALENDAR

Today:

Children's Church

Vespers & Game Night

Tuesday: Bulletin deadline

Wednesday: Mid-week Bible Study

Thoughts from the Mount of Blessing, ch. 6

Friday:

Sabbath, August 29

Offering: Church Budget

Sunset 7:04 p.m.

During Church

7:00 p.m

7:00 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

Sunset 6:57 p.m.

Speaker: Pastor Dale Tunnell

Presiding Elder: Sharon Judd

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.

Membership Transfer—Second Reading: Christina Araiza Quiter from Mesa Palms to Foothills Community SDA Church, Chandler.

Joanna Shuck from Mesa Palms to Foothills Community SDA Church.

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

Prayer requests for the prayer chain may be given to Sharon Higginbotham. randshigg@yahoo.com

Arizona Sunshine Willcox is coming in late September. Go to <https://www.arizonasonshine.com/upcoming-events/> to sign up to be a volunteer, or talk to Donny and Corey Penny.

We have been running short in the church budget offerings for the past few months. This fund pays for things such as the utility bills, the weekly and quarterly Sabbath School papers, building maintenance, insurance, janitorial and groundskeeping services, and our various ministries. Please keep these important things in mind as you plan your weekly/monthly giving.

TODAY

Elder of the Week

Worship Team Leader

Organist

Pianist

Sharon Judd

René Morehouse

Alice Ray

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>	Curtis Eyre
Adult 2	<i>Fellowship Hall</i>	Don & Randy
Adult 3	<i>Last classroom in NE hall</i>	Allen Morehouse

MISSION SPOTLIGHT—10:45 a.m.

CHURCH SERVICE—10:50 a.m.

GOD GATHERS

Prelude		Alice Ray
Meet and Greet		Congregation
Invocation, Welcome, & Announcements		Dave Ellis

PEOPLE SURRENDER

Worship in Giving	<i>Arizona Advance</i>	Dave Ellis
Children's Offering & Story		Dave Ellis
Worship in Singing		Worship Team
Garden of Prayer		Curtis Eyre
Special Music		Marcus & Aubrey Hinshaw

GOD SPEAKS

Scripture Reading	<i>1 Kings 18:15–18</i>	Dave Ellis
Sermon	<i>No Rein, No Reign, No Rain</i>	Pastor Dale Tunnell
Hymn of Dedication	<i>Days of Elijah</i>	Worship Team

GOD SENDS

Benediction		Pastor Dale Tunnell
Postlude		Alice Ray

Stand faithful!



Quiz Time

Who had his head cut off and
thrown to Joab over the wall?
(2 Sam. 20:20–22)

CHURCH BUDGET

Needed Monthly:	\$10,935.00
Received in August:	\$6,299.00
Balance needed for August:	\$4,636.00

Mesa Palms Mission Statement

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



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