



FOUNTAIN HILLS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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*Our Vision: Growing in love for God and others we make disciples for Jesus.
Our Mission: Love God – Love People – Make Disciples.*

COMMUNION SUNDAY

November 3, 2024 – 9:00 AM

PRELUDE

Shout To The Lord

Darlene Zschech, Arr. Mark Hayes
Greg Fisher-Percussion

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ, that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you, our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.

WORDS OF WELCOME

Pastor Bob Simmons

PREPARING OUR HEARTS

Bind Us Together

Written by Bob Gillman
Celebration Singers

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 117:1-2

Monique Reynolds

Leader: How good it is to gather together to praise our God!

People: It is a joyous thing to sing and speak God's praises!

Leader: Let your hearts be glad and your spirits rejoice!

People: May we with joy and thanksgiving, give our attention to God's word and love for us. Amen.

OPENING PRAYER

Monique Reynolds

O Lord Jesus Christ, as we worship you here today may we know you more clearly, love you more dearly, and follow you more nearly, day by day. Amen.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

"Blessed Assurance" #572

CALL TO CONFESSION

Monique Reynolds

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS & RENEWAL

Monique Reynolds

Heavenly Father, this world is so broken. The earth cries out in pain, and so do our own hearts. Out of the depths we cry to You. We recognize that we each bring our own mistakes, our own selfishness, and our own sin to add to the seemingly unbearable pain of the world. Oh Lord, hear our voices and let Your ears be attentive to our cry for mercy – for ourselves and for the world. With You, there is forgiveness. Therefore, we wait in the sure hope of Your unfailing love, knowing that You redeem us from all our sins. In Jesus' Name we pray, Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Monique Reynolds

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

Dallas Amend
Andy Hasley
Carole Sandrock

Ben Dresser
Orene Hinkley
Nancy Wulfmeier

***HYMN OF REMEMBRANCE** "For All The Saints" #767

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastor Bob Simmons

SHARING OUR GIFTS

Pastor Bob Simmons

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

"One Voice"
Written by Pepper Choplin
Celebration Singers

***DOXOLOGY**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Monique Reynolds

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

SCRIPTURE READING **2 Kings 4:1-7**
Leader: The Word of God for the People of God

People: Thanks be to God

SERMON ***"What Do You Have That God Can Use?"*** Rev. Dr. Bob Simmons

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

***AFFIRMATION OF OUR FAITH** The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits on the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE Pastor Bob Simmons

WORDS OF INSTITUTION Pastor Bob Simmons

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

***SONG OF CELEBRATION** "Alleluia" #189

***BENEDICTION** Pastor Bob Simmons

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** "Go, My Children, with My Blessing"

POSTLUDE

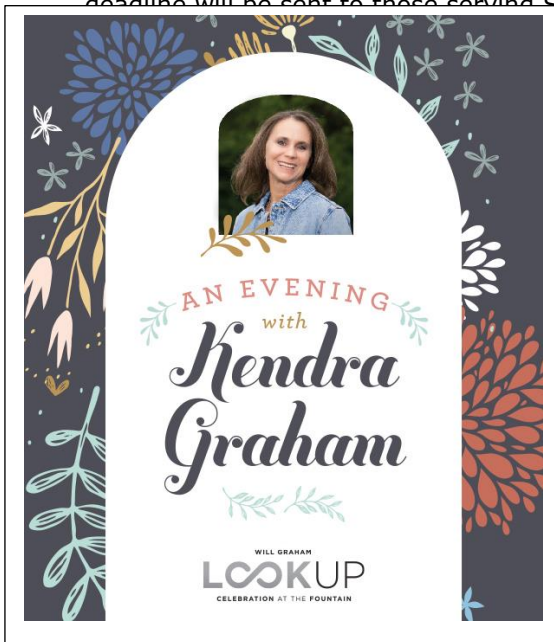
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **REMINDER:** Every Sunday, immediately following worship, join us for the After Worship Bible Class! We are continuing R. C. Sproul's study, "From Dust to Glory," and this week we continue our journey through the New Testament. Grab your coffee and goodies and head to the Fireside Room for an uplifting time of study and fellowship. *You will be blessed and enriched by Sproul's lessons each week!*
- As we approach the Holidays, please think of the Service Members of our extended Church Family as well as our Homeless Veterans. For a great many years Donna Sims has been collecting notes of encouragement from our Congregation and including them with Christmas cards to our Service Men and Women. A simple note of thanks and appreciation goes a long way in boosting morale for those serving; especially for those who are overseas or separated from friends and family! The deadline for the notes is the second Sunday in November so please return them to Donna or the Church Office by November 10th. Notes returned after the deadline will be sent to those serving Stateside. —Don Carillo



A Night of Worship and Inspiration

We invite you to join women from across the region for an encouraging evening of worship, fellowship, and prayer. **Kendra Graham**—Bible teacher and wife of Will Graham—will share a message from the book of Acts, "*Unrestrained Grace: When God Does Extraordinary Things to Draw Us Closer.*"

We will also pray for the **Will Graham Look Up Celebration** at our fountain. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. with light refreshments. The program will begin at 7 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 13, 7–9 p.m. |
Fountain Hills Community Center**

RSVP by Friday, Nov. 11 at:

<https://events.billygraham.org/event/KendraAZ>



Chancel Flowers Given to the Glory of God...

In celebration of Bob Petersen's 80th Birthday!

-Lee Petersen