

The Evangel

First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

June 2023



inside this issue

Meet new members.....	2	Children’s Ministry.....	16
VBS Donations.....	3	Youth Ministry.....	17
Confirmands 2023	4-5	Tuesday Morning Bible	18
Adult Ministry	6	Book Club Corner.....	18
Summer Adult Studies.....	7	Upcoming Events.....	19
In Memory of.....	8	Annual Conference Mission	
Missions.....	8-9	Giving.....	20
Graduates 2023.....	10-11	Finance.....	20
Health ministry.....	12	Congregational Care.....	21
Camp Ministry.....	13	Calendars.....	22-23
Preschool News.....	14-15	Birthdays.....	24



CHURCH OF GILBERT

331 S Cooper Road
Gilbert, AZ 85233
480-892-9166

Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday
9:00am-4:00pm

Friday
by appointment
only

Attendance
May 21st....206

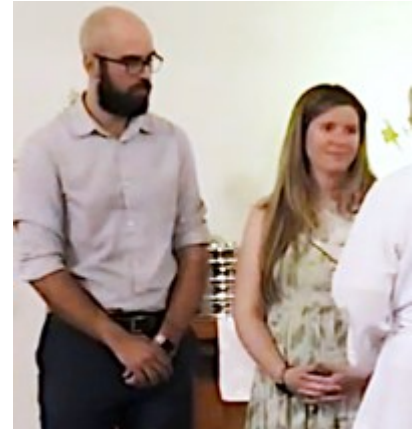
Virtual viewing 219

Meet our new members. Please welcome them when you see them on campus

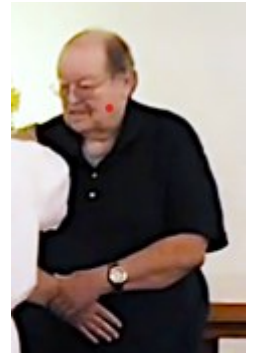
Amy Jo (AJ) Harris is transferring in from Nebraska (Belgrade UMC). AJ was raised Methodist and is an R&D Technician. She likes to ride motorcycles, go fishing and hunting. She started coming with Tina Rees.



Kyle Marshall and McKenzie Greer are reaffirming their faith. They were married January 18, 2020 and are expecting their first child in September 2023. Kyle works for the City of Phoenix as a transit planner and Data Analyst. McKenzie works as a pediatric speech pathologist for Horizon Therapy of Arizona. McKenzie was raised Methodist. Kyle is coming from the Catholic faith. Kyle likes Biking, coffee shops, philosophy and writing and is interested in learning. McKenzie is interested in Hiking, nature, animal lover, singing, and working with kids. Both are interested in family, and community.



Michael (Mike) Orr is retired software engineer and was raised in Lutheran faith. Mike is reaffirming his faith. He is interested in camping, walking, and volunteering.





**FOLLOW JESUS HERE,
THERE, AND EVERYWHERE**

June 5 to the 9th from 9:00 am to Noon

Join us in the joy and fun ways to follow Jesus Here, There, and Everywhere! Volunteers still needed! If you are going into 7th grade or older we would love you to volunteer for Room Leaders, helpers, Snack helpers, Shepherds, and

Donation list for VBS 2023

- Goldfish Crackers** Any size of plain or cheddar
- Pretzel sticks** Any brand any size
- M&M's** Any size donation in milk chocolate
- Fig Bar** Nature bakery or Fig newton brands
- any size and flavor
- Animal Crackers** Any brand any size
- Nilla Wafers** Any brand or size
- Bugles corn snacks** Any flavor or size



- Toothpicks plastic gloves
- Gallon size zip lock bags clear contact paper
- Sandwich size zip lock bags markers
- Super glue paper plates
- Black cardstock

Meet Confirmation Class of 2023



Harris Compton

Harris's faith statement is a statement of trust. He writes that he not only believes in God and Jesus but he also puts total trust in them. He says God and Jesus have top priority for him and that we should never doubt them.

Harris says he wants to live his life as a child of God because he is one. In doing so he will strive to live as one by treating others like Jesus did...with love.

Andreas de la Torre

Andreas' statement of faith says he is a follower of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and God our Father. He says he believes in the need to attend and participate in church. He also feels a need to read his bible and feels especially close to God when singing. He called his faith statement the "Andreas Creed"



Leonidas Ouellette

Leo's faith statement is short but right to the point. When asked about his faith in God, Leo says he believes that God is loving and that God is trustworthy. These words are a great foundation to stand upon.



Bailey Wilson

Bailey's faith statement reads like a creed. She believes in God and that God loves everyone. She believes she is a child of God and that God forgives everybody. And because she wholeheartedly believes that, she is striving to share God's love with everyone and do her best to forgive others.

Clay Wilson

Clay's faith statement says he believes in God and that he knows God loves him and is always with him even when he struggles. He believes God is a forgiving God. He knows when he asks for forgiveness, he receives it. He believes in the need to live his life the way Jesus lived. Therefore, he will do his best to be kind to everyone and treat everyone with love.



Congratulations Confirmands
and
Thank you to all who taught,
organized or gave to make
this class happen!

Summer Dinner for 8

We are introducing Summer Dinner for 8! We are organizing specific dates over the summer where you can sign up to have dinner with friends (old and new) from church. To accomplish this we have formulated a three step plan.

Step #1: Looking for four to six volunteers to host a dinner. You pick the date and time, you pick where, and you set the menu. If you don't want the stress of cooking you can always pick a restaurant where everyone can pick and pay for their own meal. Or, another option is the traditional Methodist way and coordinate a potluck. The primary thing is to be willing to host a dinner. All the details are up to you.

Step #2: We will advertise the host dates and times. You can sign up for a specific dinner or you can let us pick one of the dinner dates for you. Either way, the intent is to be in fellowship with one another. It is a great opportunity to get to know new people within the church. A huge thank you to Emily Velarde who has volunteered to help coordinate the communication for the dinners. She will send out reminders and confirm the dinner plans.

Step #3: Break bread together! Conversation questions will be provided. Share a meal together and enjoy each other's company. We hope this is a fun way to stay connected over the summer.

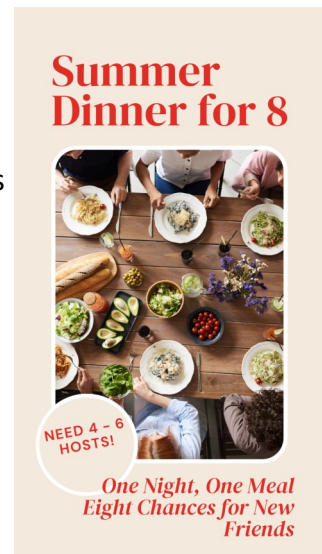
The plan is to work on setting everything up and be able to publish dinner date/times within the next few weeks, giving us time to have the dinner from mid-June to the end of August.

Summer Sermon Zoom Discussions

Summer time is a time for relaxation, backyard bbqs, and vacations. Wherever you find yourself this Summer, we are hoping you could find time to attend, listen or watch Sunday worship. Links to Sunday worship can always be found via our Facebook page or on the church website at <http://gilbertumc.org/resources/sermons/>

If you would like a chance to discuss the sermon please zoom with Pastor Adriana on Tuesdays at 6pm. Grab your dinner, meet via zoom and we will talk about the previous Sunday's message. Incredibly informal but an opportunity to process the sermon and discuss what it means to you. Please RSVP so the zoom information can be sent to you. RSVP at PastorAdriana@gilbertumc.org.

The hope is to do this all Summer but to begin we are planning on June 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th. You can attend all or just one!



Summer Adult Ministry Classes

Sunrise Assisted Living Facility, Thursdays (1st & 3rd Thursday at 10am), led by Adriana:

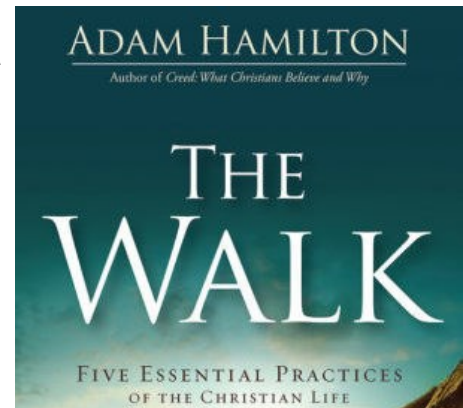
June 1st- The Walk, Chapter 2
June 15th—no class
July 6th—The Walk, Chapter 3
July 20th—The Walk, Chapter 4

First Gilbert Sunday School, Sundays at 9:45am in room 130. Ongoing class facilitated by the Choir team. Please note that this class will be on hiatus during the summer months.

First Gilbert Sunday School at 11am in room 136, Facilitated by Pastor Adriana.

We are starting a new study called The Walk by Adam Hamilton. This study looks at five essential practices of the Christian life. A great class that can be dropped into for an individual session. The study will be spread over the summer.

June 11th—The Walk, Chapter 1
June 18th—No Class, Happy Father's Day
June 25th—The Walk, Chapter 2
July 2nd—No Class, Happy 4th of July
July 9th—The Walk, Chapter 3
July 16th—The Walk, Chapter 4
July 23rd—The Walk, Chapter 5
July 30th—The Walk, Chapter 6



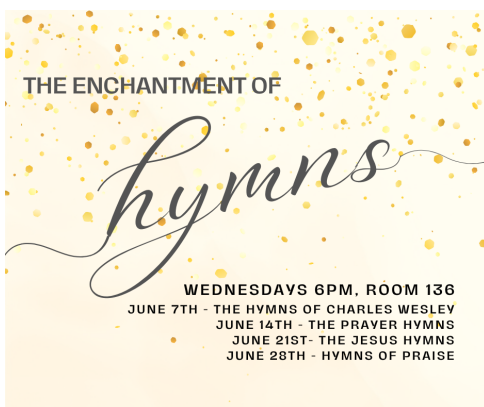
First Gilbert Wednesday Night Study at 6:30pm in room 130, Facilitated by Pastor Rick. Please note that this class will be on hiatus during the summer months.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study at 9:30am, led by Sonja Ruhland.

The Summer book starts Tuesday 6/13 and will continue until 8/1. There will be no gathering on July 4th. Any questions, please contact Sonja.Ruhland@gmail.com.

The Enchantment of Hymns

Wednesdays at 6pm in room 136, facilitated by Marilyn Harter



Take a look at the history and beauty of traditional hymns. Read and sing hymns together. No musical experience or talents necessary, the enchantment of music is all you need. Feel free to bring your dinner or a goodie to share. Below are the meeting dates and the theme for that week.

- June 6th—The Hymns of Charles Wesley
- June 14th—The Prayer Hymns
- June 21st—The Jesus Hymns
- June 28th—Hymns of Praise

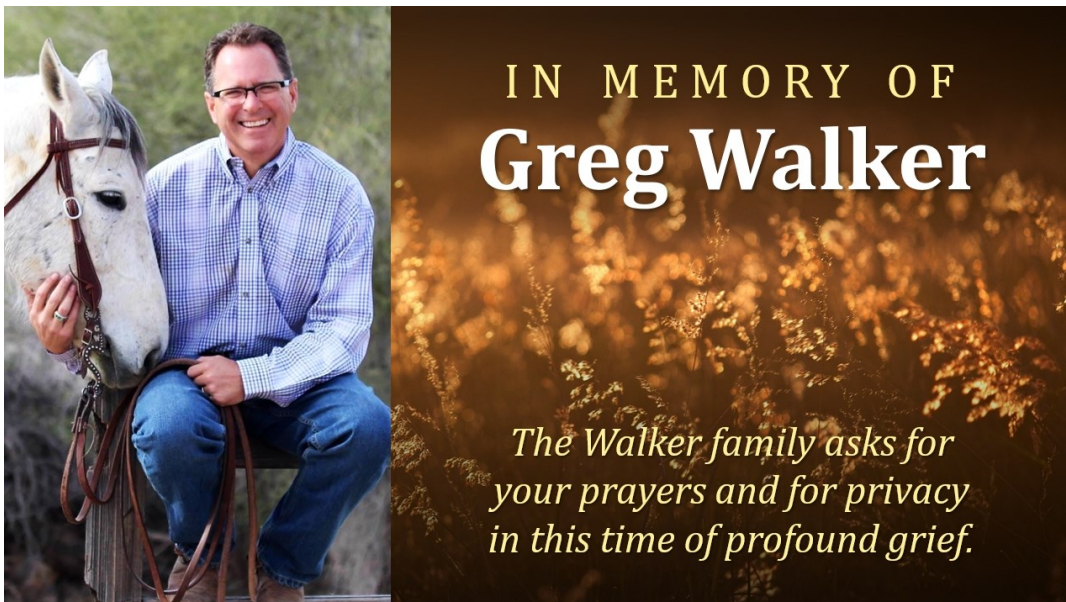
Upcoming Missions Projects

Please be on the look out for additional information on upcoming mission efforts. More information will be available in eNews, church website and out on the patio in-between upcoming services.



Future efforts include our annual "Trapper Keeper" drive to collect donations of school supplies and healthy snacks. All items collected benefit the children and the classrooms of Gilbert Elementary. In fact, donations and support are provided all school year long. This is a great initiative to kick off the supplies that support this school.

Summertime brings on the heat! The number of homeless people here in the valley continues to increase. There will be a drive to collect water and sunscreen that will support at least a couple of local programs.



Results of the Mother's Day Purse Drive

The Missions Committee collected new or gently used purses filled with goodies this Mother's Day to donate to moms in local domestic violence and family shelters. We will be working in conjunction with UMOM this year. Paige delivered the purses to UMOM. My car filled with 111 purses for UMOM! She delivered them to their warehouse this morning. UMOM is currently serving over 500 families so we put a big happy dent in what they needed for Mother's Day.

Thank you FUMC of Gilbert!





Congratulations Grads!

First United Methodist Church
Gilbert, AZ



Jeni Hemingson

- Graduated from Northern Arizona University (NAU)
- Bachelor's of Science Degree in Elementary Education
- Mrs. Hemingson will be teaching Kindergarten at Islands Elementary in the fall!
- Proud Husband Jeff and Children: Larson, Alicia and Ty



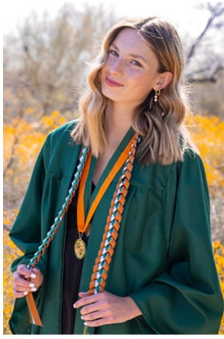
Divina M. Katching

- Graduated from Northern Arizona University Class – Class of 2022
- BBA and Management
- First Gilbert Director of Welcome and Greeting Committee



Kelly Wyatt

- Graduated with a Doctorate in Pharmacy (PharmD) Hybrid Distance and In-Person at Creighton University (School of Pharmacy and Health Professions) Pharmacy
- Proud Husband Tom and Children: Sean and Katie



Jenna Bose

- Graduating from Campo Verde High School
- Jenna plans on attending University of Nebraska in the fall and will be studying Biology
- Proud Parents: Dan and Janet Bose



Sam Bouchie

- Graduating from Williams Field High School in Gilbert
- Sam plans to attend ASU Barrett Honor College and plans to study Aeronautical Engineering
- Proud Parents: Scott and Katie Bouchie and Grandma Sharon Dalton



Sarah Rose Butler

- Graduating from Gilbert Classical Academy in Gilbert
- Sarah plans to attend Northern Arizona University and study Ecology and Evolutionary Biology; Geology (Goal is to become a Paleontologist)
- Proud Parents: Eric and Michelle Butler; Proud brother Adam Butler



Nina Rose Chircuzio

- Graduating from Higley High School in Gilbert
- Nina plans to attend Community College next year and continue working.
- Proud Parents: Eli and Janelle Chircuzio



Gavin Gurule

- Graduating from Higley High School in Gilbert
- Gavin plans to finish his Mechanical education at EVIT next year.
- Proud Parents: Jake and Kim Gurule



Larson Hemingson

- Graduating from Highland High School. Also completed the Criminal Justice program at EVIT.
- Larson plans on attending Grand Canyon University, majoring in Psychology.
- Parents are Jeff and Jeni Hemingson.



Chloe Metz

- Graduating from Science Hills High School in Johnson City, Tennessee (this family moved out of state last year).
- Chloe plans to attend Northeast State Community College in the fall.
- Proud Parents: Sarah and Bobby Metz

Gavin Rempel



- Graduating from Desert Ridge High School in Mesa. He also completed the Automotive Program at EVIT.
- Gavin plans to attend Mesa Community College to study Chemical Engineering.
- Proud Parents: Jason and Cindie Rempel

Alaina Mariah Tesarek



- Graduating from Mountain View High School and Mesa Community College with American Indian Studies Certificate
- Alaina plans to attend Arizona State University, pursuing degree in Interior Design
- Proud Parents: Phillip and Ernestine Tesarek

Brandi Vallera



- Graduating from Basha High School in Chandler
- Brandi plans to attend Chandler Gilbert Community College to study Sports Medicine and continue working part time
- Proud Parents: Ray and Jenny Vallera

alzheimer's  association®

800.272.3900 | alz.org*

Desert Southwest Chapter Programs & Services

A guide to support individuals, families, and friends impacted by dementia

People with Alzheimer's and related dementias and their families and friends can feel overwhelmed, but no one needs to go on this journey alone. We offer a variety of free programs, services, and resources to help cope with all aspects of the disease and its progression.

24/7 HELPLINE

Call **800.272.3900**, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to speak confidentially with a Care Consultant. These professionals provide support, information about Alzheimer's and related dementias, guidance on care options, help with planning for the future, coaching for family members, strategies to address safety concerns, and referrals to local resources. Support is free of charge and offered in over 200 languages.

SUPPORT GROUPS

Support Groups provide a forum to share feelings, concerns, information, and learn new skills. The Desert Southwest Chapter offers over 50 support groups, in English and Spanish, across Arizona and southern Nevada. All of our support groups are facilitated by trained individuals and meet at various locations and times. Most groups are for family and friends supporting a loved one with dementia, but there are also groups designed specifically for individuals with early stage dementia. Call 800-272-3900 or visit: alz.org/dsw/supportgroups to find a group near you.

EDUCATION

Our educational programs increase awareness and knowledge about Alzheimer's and related dementias. Session topics include an introduction to the disease, addressing behavioral challenges, long-term planning, and much more. Almost all of our educational presentations are offered in English and Spanish. Call 800-272-3900 or visit: alz.org/dsw/education for more information.

EARLY STAGE

Early Stage programs provide a variety of education sessions and activities designed to actively engage, empower, and encourage individuals with Early Stage Alzheimer's and their care partners. Call 800-272-3900 for more information.

FIRST RESPONDERS TRAINING

The Alzheimer's Association's Approaching Alzheimer's: First Responder training is a free online course to prepare first responders to respond to common calls involving a person with dementia. For more information, call 800-272-3900 or alz.org/firstresponders

Call **800.272.3900** or visit alz.org/dsw for more information.



**Jr High I Camp, Session 1:
June 19-24**

This high-energy week is filled with new and old friends, exciting activities, new adventures, and engaging worship. Junior High campers participate in traditional Mingus Mountain camp activities with the added daily freedom to choose new activities – like night zip lining! This week of camp will provide an experience campers will remember for years to come.

**Senior High Leaders in Training
Session 1: June 19-24**

Campers join in the adventure of God’s calling to serve “the least of these” by spending the week participating in service projects at Mingus Mountain and in the surrounding communities. Campers will also enjoy outdoor experiences such as canoeing Prescott Lake or hiking in the area, and traditional Mingus Mountain camp activities. Our hope is for campers to leave knowing they can make a difference in the world through service to their community!

**Senior High Adventure
Beach Camp, July 2-7th**

Sr. High Adventures: Beach Camp Edition! We'll tent camp at sibling UM camp, Lazy W Ranch, located about 40 minutes from the beach. We'll surf, SUP, hike, swim, and more! Register now at <https://mingusmountaincamp.org/home/camp-sessions/>

Session 1: June 19-24

Elementary Camp I
Jr. High Camp I
Sr. High Adventures in Mission

Session 2: June 26-July 1

Elementary Camp II
Jr. High Camp II
Sr. High Leaders in Training (L.I.T.)

Session 3a: July 2-7

Jr/Sr High Arts Camp
Sr. High Adventure: Beach Camp

Session 3b: July 5-7

Grand & Me Camp (NEW!)

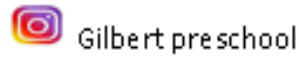
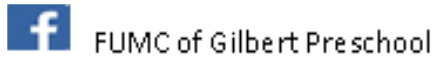
Session 4: July 16-21

Jr/Sr High Night Owls

Contact Patricia Pegram, Office Administrator, at 928-719-6162 (call/text) or ppeggram@dscumc.org if you have any questions about registration



Preschool News
www.gilbertpreschool.com



Last Month in May:

During our last few weeks in school, we enjoyed a beautiful end of year performance in the sanctuary. Our theme was "Patriotic." The children sang songs for their loved ones, recited their favorite bible verse, watched a slideshow that included all the students in the school and then enjoyed a special ice-cream treat in the courtyard!

Preschoolers also shared a beautiful spring morning together with their moms! Muffins with Moms was a big hit! All classes shared a morning snack in the grassy courtyard and the children gave their mothers a gift that they had made. Everyone had a wonderful time together!



Registration for 2023-2024

At this time we still have openings in our 3's our Pre K classes are full. However, we do have a waitlist started and will continue offering tours. Please continue to share with others about our preschool. Our program teaches children about Jesus' love and prepares them academically, socially and emotionally for elementary school. Check out our website at www.gilbertumcpreschool.com or call 480 892 9166 for more information!

Details about the start of the school year

Enrolled students will receive an email in late June about class placement, Open House and the first days of school. We are already excited to begin another awesome year of preschool!

Summer Fun Ideas

Spending time together is the most special part of the summer! Keep the activities simple and just enjoy them.

- Blow Bubbles
- Go on a Nature walk in the morning and find each of the colors of the rainbow
- Paint with water on the back porch
- Have a dance party!
- Make a cave or fort by covering the kitchen table with several sheets, have a picnic in there!
- Make Moon Sand

BASIC SUPPLIES:

- Flour (or rice flour for a gluten-free option)
- Oil (most tutorials online suggest baby oil, but if you're worried about your kids putting this in their mouths, coconut and vegetable oils work exactly the same way and are taste-safe)

OPTIONAL SUPPLIES:

- Food coloring or Kool-Aid packets (2-3 packets for every 2 cups of flour for bright, vibrant colors)

ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES FOR PLAY:

- Buckets, pails
- Sand and water toys
- Toy cars and trucks

DIY Moon Sand Instructions:

Mix the ingredients in a large bowl

You want an 8:1 ratio of flour to oil. So 4 cups flour and 1/2 cup oil, 8 cups flour and 1 cup oil, etc. Mix them together (with color if desired) until the flour still feels silky and sandy, but will hold a shape if you squeeze it in your hands.

Move to a large bin or tray

Pour your moon sand into a large bin or tray for indoor or outdoor play

Add toys and play!

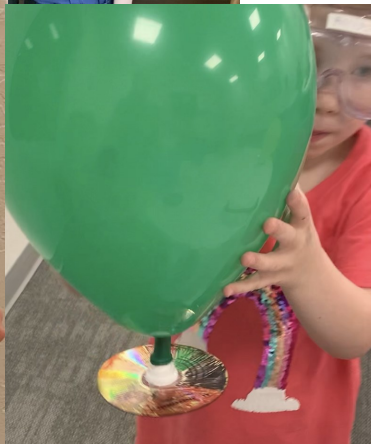
You can use this as a fun sensory experience all on its own, or add tools or toys to a bin or tray for play. When playtime has ended, store your moon sand in an airtight container to play with later.



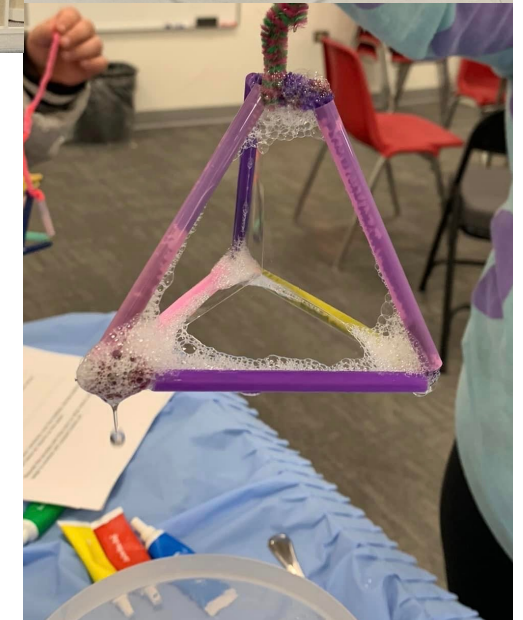
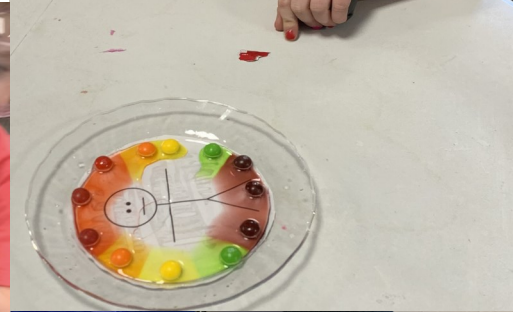
**If you have any questions about the preschool,
please email preschool@gilbertumc.org or call
480-892-9166. Lisa DePalma or Ellie Koenig**

June 2023 Children's Ministry What's Happening?

Preschool and Kinder



1ST-6th Graders



Children's Ministry

Wednesday Wilds
at 6:30pm
in room 205 Kinder-6th
graders. Register online
On our website.
We need this to be
prepared for the
children please.



Jr. High Sunday School
Room #200 with Ron
During the 10am Service
Sr High Sunday school in
Sr high room #201-202 with Ms. Cindie

Important
SSP Summer 2023
June 25th- July 1st

We need a final head-
count/commitment for this Summer's SSP trip, there are only a few
spots left! \$100 deposit. Do not let funds be a barrier to attending,
scholarship funds are available, please speak to Shayla! Please Sign



Navajo Nation near Chile in
Northern AZ

SAVE THE DATE
MORE UPCOMMING YOUTH EVENTS
(Activities are tentative and times TBD- keep watching Youth
News for details)



June 4th Tie-Dye T-shirts during Sunday School
June 4th- VBS Set-Up After Church
June 5 thru 9th- VBS, 9am-12pm M-F, Volunteer Opportunity!
June 13th- Youth Group Lake Day (tentative)
June 19th-24th Mingus Mountain Summer Camp
June 25th (Sun)- July 1st (Sat), SSP 2023
July 9th- Youth Group TBD
July 23-28th- YOUTH 2023 in Daytona Beach, FL
Aug 8th- Youth Group TBD
Aug 20th- Youth Group TBD
Sept 10th- Youth Group TBD
Sept 24th- Youth Group TBD



Follow us on Instagram@fumcyouth

The whole leadership team and youth leaders are keeping you and your family in our prayers each week.
Please reach out if you need anything youthministry@gilbertumc.org !

Youth News • 7th-12th Grade



The Book Corner

June's book is Demon Copperhead
by Barbara Kingsolver

Sharon will be leading the
review of this
fiction book which was
published in 2022.

The Book Club will meet
June 15th at 11:30 in
Room 130.

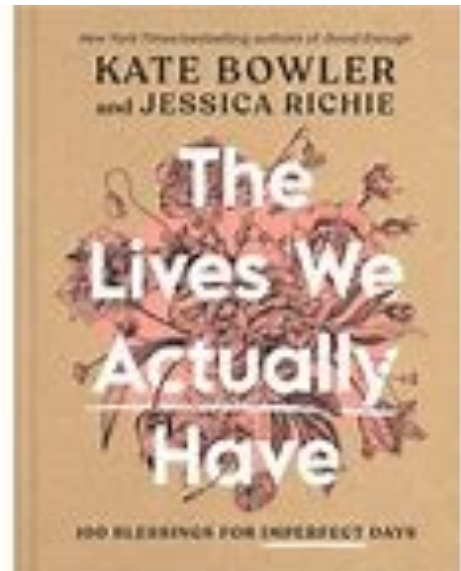
July's book is West with Giraffes
by Lynda Rutledge

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Our next book is The Lives We Actually Have by Kate Bowler and Jessica Richie. Summer book starts Tuesday 6/13 9:30a (9:15a to socialize)- 11:15a. We will take week of July 4th off and continue thru 8/1. It's an easy book to join while you're in town, miss while on vacation and join back later. Same format as before (in person only but highly recommended) with large group video then small group discussion. Please let me know if you want the book (so we can order enough) and if you need nursery care (so I can let those that arrange that, know.) Please share with friends/neighbors that might be interested in joining our multi denominational Christian group.

We live in a world that demands relentless perfection. Happy marriages and easy friendships. Bucket list-level adventures and matching family photos. But what if our actual lives don't feel very #blessed? Might our everyday existence be worthy of a blessing too? Even an average Tuesday? Kate Bowler and Jessica Richie offer creative, faith-based blessings that center gratitude and hope while

acknowledging our real, messy lives. Formatted like a prayer book, The Lives We Actually Have is an oasis and a landing spot for weary souls, with blessings that focus on the full range of human moments: garbage days, lovely days, grief-stricken days, and even (especially) completely ordinary days. These heartfelt blessings are a chance to exhale when we feel everything from careworn to restless, devastated to bored. Let's have a reminder that we don't need to wait for perfect lives when we can bless the lives we actually have.



Mark your calendar for these other upcoming events:

- June 1st at 9:30 am Christian Women's Fellowship meets in Room 130.
- June 4 is Trinity Sunday and Communion Sunday.
- VBS Volunteer Kickoff Meeting June 4 room 130 at 12:00 (noon).
- **VBS Ready, Set, MOVE!** Follow Jesus Here, There, and Everywhere starting June 5th through June 9th 9:00am to Noon.
- Chat and Chew meets every Wednesday at 12:00 in Room 136 Bring your own lunch and join us for fellowship.
- The Activity Center will be under going a renovation and so there will be times that the activity center will be closed . The first stage will begin June 13 through approximately June 20. Second stage will start around June 27th through middle to the end of July .
- June 14th is Flag day please fly your flag high!
- UMC Annual Conference June 15th through June 17th .
- See the Annual Conference Mission write up on page 20.
- Book Club Meets June 15th at 11:30 am in Room 130 June's book is Demon Copperhead by Barbara Kingsolver



Annual Conference Mission

On February 24th, the Sessions Committee, our planning body for Annual Conference, confirmed the three mission projects for this year. The projects are as follows. Donations for all three can be received at <https://dscumc.org/mission-project-donation/>. Ukraine UMC...

- One of the most valuable publications our denomination has is the UM News Daily Digest. Content covers a wide range of news from a global perspective, and the online edition from Thursday, April 27th was no exception. This issue includes an update article on Ukraine...
- On April 16th, CBS Sunday Morning ran an excellent piece on RIP Medical Debt. As their intro narrative states: "At any time, one in five American households bears medical debt, the cause in a majority of U.S. bankruptcies. Since 2014, the charity RIP Medical Debt has..."
- As I began to write this article, the phrase "war torn" came to mind. According to the Oxford Dictionary, war-torn is defined as: (of a place) racked or devastated by war. The Encyclopedia Britannica (yes... it's still around but online) states: very badly harmed or...



From Your Finance Committee to be updated...

April 2023		2023 Year to Date (calendar year)	
Budgeted Contributions	\$54,193	Budgeted Contributions	\$216,768
Actual Contributions	\$64,397	Actual Contributions	\$227,045
Actual Spending	\$60,544	Actual Spending	\$245,908
Surplus (Deficit)	\$3,852	Surplus (Deficit)	(\$22,714)

Ways to Give

First United Methodist Church of Gilbert offers several ways to contribute to the church. If you look at our website (<https://gilbertumc.org/>) and scroll to the bottom, you will see a green button that says Giving and if you enter that, you have the option to contribute electronically. This will allow you to set up payments on a schedule.

We also have an option to send envelopes to those request them. These envelopes cost us to send and we are finding that many of them are not being used. In an effort to cut down on these costs, if you are receiving these envelopes but not using them, please let us know so we can stop sending them. Occasionally, our finance secretary looks at our records to stop these envelopes from being mailed if a contribution using these envelopes has not been mailed in the past year. If this happens and you wish to have them mailed again, please notify our office at 480-982-9166, and we will be happy to get them mailed out to you with the next quarter's mailing.



**Congregational Care
Support Groups**
*For more information
about groups and
other support
available, please
contact Pastor Adriana
at*

pastoradriana@gilbertumc.org

Grief Share Support Group will be on Zoom

All Are Welcome to join

For those grieving the loss of
someone close to them.

This support group. Led by

Kay Pealstrom k.pealstrom@gmail.com

Please register with Kay are meeting on Saturdays from
8:30-10:00 on zoom

Workbook and class materials required



Prayers for those in need

During this time of uncertainty we will be
praying for those in need so please
either call or email prayer requests and we
will send them out to our dedicated prayer
team. The office number is 480-892-9166
or the email prayers@gilbertumc.org. If it
is pastors only request please mark pastors
only and it will given to the pastors.



And we will being praying for all the concerns
and praises.

Your Prayer Team



Pastor Adriana at pastoradriana@gilbertumc.org

Congregational Care and Prayer Ministry

Vacation Bible School Starts June 5th!!!

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

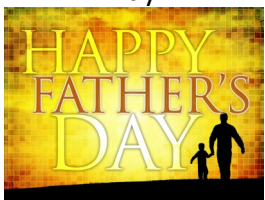
Sat

4 Trinity & Communion Sunday



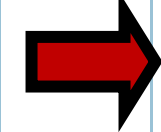
11

18 Father's Day



25

5 VBS 9 to noon



12

19 Juneteenth church office open

26

6 VBS Tuesday Morning Bible Study 9:15 off



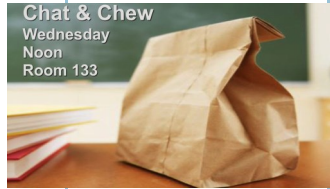
13 Tuesday morning Bible study 9:15



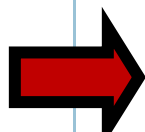
20 Tuesday morning Bible study 9:15 off



27 Tuesday Morning Bible 9:15 off



7 VBS Chat N Chew Noon



14 Chat N Chew Noon Wednesday Night Bible study 6:30 Flag Day



21 Chat N Chew Noon

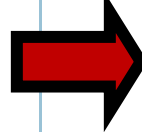
28 Chat N Chew Noon Wednesday Night Bible study 6:30



1 Christian Women's Fellowship 9:30



8 VBS



15 Book Club 11:00

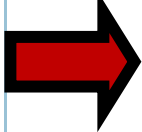


22

29

2

9 VBS



16

23

30

3 Grief share Every Saturday on zoom 8:00-10:00

10

17

24

July Calendar of Events 2023

Calendars



Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

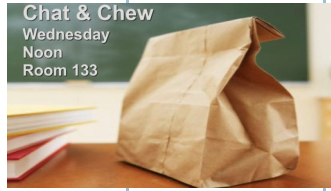
2 Communion Sunday



3



4 Church office closed



5 Chat N Chew Noon Wednesday Night Bible study 6:30

6 Christian Women's Fellowship 9:30



7

1 Grief share every Sat 8:30-10:00 on zoom

8

9

10

11 Tues Morning Bible 9:15 off



12 Chat N Chew Noon Wednesday Night Bible study 6:30

13

14

15

16

17

18 Tues Morn. Bible 9:15 off



19 Chat N Chew Noon Wednesday Night Bible study 6:30

20 Book Club 11:00



21

22

23

25

26 Tues Morning Bible 9:15



27 Chat N Chew Noon Wednesday Night Bible study 530

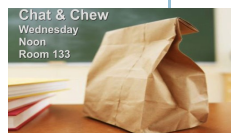
28

29

30

30

31



June Birthdays



Rob Lane	1
Debby Munn	1
Betty Walker	2
Diana Elliott	3
Vicki Hanson	3
Therese Pineda	3
Heather Ford	4
Gary Whitlock	4
Ashley Scharff	7
Mark Turner	7
Keith Carpenter	11
Alexis Eggen	11
Rillie Fairley	12
Sylvia Moore	12
Karen Coleman	13
April Daugherty	15
Christine Dorf	15
Ed Stressman	19
Hannah Becker	20
Linda Martell	21
Richard Anthony	22
Gayle Disch	22
Erna Huitema	22
Kalia Carpenter	24
Darlene Whitlock	24
Nicholas Diaz	25



Kingston Gardour	25
Karla Romfo	28
Larson Hemingson	30



June Anniversaries

Date	Sweet Couple	Years Married
03	Laura and Dean Boever	28
03	Darlene and Gary Whitlock	52
07	Sue and Jim Reeves	57
09	Cindie and Jason Rempel	22
14	Therese and Albert Pineda	27
19	Chris and Craig Thompson	52
24	Judy and Tom Bristow	57
24	Jeannie and Larry Randolph	51
25	Glenda and Bill Warren	46
30	Linda and Tom McKinley	37

Birthdays / Anniversaries

