

Church Life
November 27, 2021

To Our Visitors and Church Family — Thank you for sharing this day with us!

Offering for today: Conference Advance: Elementary Education.

Mask Policy Change: The church board voted to strongly recommend vaccinated and unvaccinated to wear mask inside due to the recommendation of the CDC regarding the delta variant.

Sabbath School in the Sanctuary, November 27, 2021, begins at 9:30 AM. Larry Roberts will guide us through our Sabbath School lesson #9, “Turn Their Hearts”.

Second Reading: Transfer to Apache Junction Seventh Day Adventist Church:

Doug and Linda Chaffee from Yelm SDA Church (Yelm, WA).

Guy and Linda Franklin from Belleville SDA Church (Belleville, MI).

IMVO/Bags of Love: will meeting, Monday, November 29, 2021, at 9:00 to noon. Join the great fellowship and work together for the state of Arizona.

Rummage Sale will happen again December 12 – 16, 2021, 8 am to 4 pm. We will need helpers and buyers. Please let Betty Baerg, 480-338-0117, know what days and hours you would enjoy volunteering at the sale. All proceeds go to AACCS.

Community Services: Year-round we continue to collect used prescription eyeglasses for the needy. The donated eyeglasses collected can help improve the quality of life for children and adults living in low- and middle-income communities around the world. Many will experience corrected vision for the first time, enabling them to lead productive working lives, support their families, attend school, and advance their education. Drop off your used eyeglasses in the plastic bin with the blue top in the church lobby. Thank you!

Women's Ministry Update: We are planning now for our donation to Hope Women's Center, Project Help and CAAFA (Community Alliance Against Family Abuse). These three local organizations help needy families, children and women in

our community. If you would like to contribute to this project place your donation in a tithe envelope and mark it Women's Ministry Local.

Women's Ministry Leadership Day on January 9, 2020 at the Glendale Church will feature Karen Nicola, a grief educator and coach. Anyone wanting to work with our grief and loss program in this church or with our women's ministry program in any other capacity is welcome to attend. There will be a number of topics presented during the day to assist in developing an active women's ministry program at the local level. Register early as the fees will go up after December 15. Registration forms and additional information available on the church bulletin board or contact Nancy Andersen 480-254-1878 for more information.

Giving to ADRA is always a safe way to support needs around the world but ADRA has a dollar-for-dollar matching program for the month of November. Whatever amount you donate for relief to the drought-stricken country of Eswatini (Swaziland) will go to provide food, water, education and shelter and will be matched so your gift will accomplish twice as much. Additional information on the lobby bulletin board. To order the ADRA Catalog for specific projects and suggested donation amounts contact ADRA.org/Gift Catalog-To donate online go to at ADRA.org/November Match -To donate by phone call 1-800-424-ADRA (2372).

The Arizona Conference will be holding a **Training Seminar for all Church Elders** on Sabbath, **January 15, 2021, from 2-6 p.m.** at the Scottsdale-Thunderbird Church. There will be an option to join the meeting via Zoom if you prefer social distancing. The theme will be *"Living an Evangelistic Life"* and our guest speaker will be David Klinedinst from the Chesapeake Conference. Please register by December 13th by contacting Carolina Flores cflores@azconference.org or calling 480-991-6777 ext 127. (see attached flyer)

Prayer ministry team: contact Twila at ajprayerchain@yahoo.com or 619-997-1947.

Church Life Information: Deadline is 9:00PM Wednesday. E-mail: ajchurchbulletin@gmail.com or call Twila, 619-997-1947.

2021 Church Budget Report

Our AJ Church and school are totally dependent on your kind, liberal, and consistent financial support. Thank you for honoring God in giving to our church budget which pays for maintenance of our facilities, utilities, supplies, etc.

All loose offering will go to the designated offering of the day per the Conference schedule. To donate to local church budget, use a tithe envelope to designate your offering.

Apache Junction SDA Church November 2021
Local Church Budget \$5,000

November Received: \$ 3,620.40
Still Needed for November: \$ 1,379.60

Adobe Adventist Christian School: July 1 – November 22, 2021
Received to Date \$60,739.11
Spent to Date \$44,415.43

Would you like to make an eternal difference in the life of a child? — Consider making a donation to the Adobe Adventist Christian School Worthy Student Fund. You can mark your tithe envelope accordingly.

Want to help a child receive a Christian education but don't have \$1,000 to send to the tax credit program? Look at your pay-stub, if you have AZ withholding, you could divert those dollars to a child's education. Ask Denise how to do so.

Online Giving —<http://apachejunction.adventistfaith.org> and click on the ONLINE GIVING link.
Sermons are available on YouTube. Follow the link from the Apache Junction SDA Church website.

Sabbath Rest — Continues until 5:20 pm tonight.
Next Sabbath's welcome is Friday at 5:20 pm.