

Worship Celebration

9:30 am ~ February 18, 2018

Interim Pastor Jack Gray

Welcome and Invitation to Worship

“The Name of the Lord”

Call to Worship: **I Peter 3:18a**

Prayer

God’s Greeting: **Galatians 1:3-5**

“Your Name”

“Before the Throne of God Above”

“Lift High the Cross”

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God’s Law for the First Sunday in Lent

Prayer

Offering: **General Fund**

Little Lambs Prayer – children ages 3-5 dismissed

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading: **Matthew 27:32-56**

Text: **Matthew 9:36**

Message: **“Nameless and Unnumbered”**

Prayer of Application

“Hallelujah, What a Savior”

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God’s Blessing: **II Corinthians 13:14**

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

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GOOD MORNING! We hope that you will find the time we spend together with God in worship to be a source of hope, inspiration, and encouragement. To help you receive the most out of worship this morning, there are large print orders of worship and hearing devices available for you. We also provide a nursery for your little ones, and we have children’s bulletins.

We invite you to fill out a **“Communication Card”** that is in the book rack in front of you. You may use it to make a prayer request or just to let us know that you were our guest today. Please place them in the offering bag as it passes.

CD’s of the messages are available. **To request, please fill out the yellow card** on the table in the foyer or fellowship hall and drop it in the “secretary” mailbox by our nursery.

Please stay for coffee, cookies, and refreshments which will be served in the social hall after the service.

Today we look at the most important people for whom Christ died—you and me. For each of us our personal salvation is life’s top priority.

Next week we will see how Malchus and Mark were both impacted by meeting the Master. Ask God to guide us as we seek to get closer to Christ during this season of Lent when we meet men and women who came face to face with Jesus in the final days before His crucifixion.

Greeters are still needed for the month of **December**. Contact Carol at secretary@phoenixcrc.org if interested.

Our **Cookie Sign Up** has lots of openings – **be sure to sign up on the list as you wait to choose your cookies today!**

Prayer Partnership

- Pray for **Greta** who had thyroid surgery this week Wednesday. Pray her recovery will go well.
- Please continue to pray for **Linda** who begins the fourth week of radiation with three more to go. The therapy gets increasingly more uncomfortable.
- Ask God to be with **Norma** as she recovers from surgery and will meet soon with doctors to determine what steps are best for her future.
- Ask God to guide the **Search Committee** and **Council** as they seek names from you and the denomination who might be a good pastoral fit for our church family.

Council notes from the February 12th meeting

- The memberships of **Mike & Kathy B** were accepted by transfer from Oakdale Park Church in Grand Rapids, MI.
- **Classis Arizona** will meet March 2nd & 3rd at the Creation Church in Chandler. Our delegates to the meeting will be Pastor Jack, Dennis and Richard.
- The Council is seeking a co-leader (or two) for the **Care Committee**. The Care Committee, when requested, provides luncheons at memorial services of members. The co-leader(s) of this committee would help determine the needs for each luncheon, purchase food/supplies, lead the committee on a prep day, and also on the day of the memorial. If you are interested in this ministry, please contact **Vicky** or a **Council member**.

Church Schedule for 2/18 - 2/24

SUNDAY	8:45 am	Prayer in Council Room
	9:30 am	Worship Service
	10:45 am	Sunday School
TUESDAY	10:00 am	Ladies Bible Study
	6:15 pm	T.E.W.G. Bible Study
WEDNESDAY	6:00 pm	Cadets
	6:30 pm	GEMS / Men's Bible Study Prayer Group

This Week's Birthdays

Ron the 20th, Zach the 23rd
Norma the 24th

Next Week's Offering: Phoenix Christian School PreK-8
"Care Box": GEMS

Volunteer Schedule

Hosts – Jonathon & Sarah & Family

Library Today – Marsha *Next Week* – Betty

Nursery – Becky, Debbie, Mandy, Joshua (Amanda)

Next Week – Sarah M., Michelle, Lynola, Kaley (Sara B)

Little Lambs Teacher – Katrina *Helper* – Tami

Next Week – Katrina *Helper* – Samantha

Cookies – Barb & Jill

Next Week – Potluck – No Cookies Needed

Sound & Video – Daniel & Doug

Next Week – Andy & Jonathon

Parking Lot Roamers – Derek & Jay

Next Week – John & Jeff

Phoenix Christian Reformed Church

We Call Ourselves...

Christian...

because we belong to Jesus Christ and want to be his followers.

Reformed...

because we're part of the historic branch of the Christian church that follows the teachings of the leaders of the Protestant Reformation, who struggled to return Christianity to its biblical roots.

Church...

because God has called us to be a fellowship of his people in the world.

Our Mission

*"We exist to glorify God
by loving Him and serving our neighbors
as we continue the work Jesus began on earth."*

Our Vision

*"Being changed by God's love,
we move ahead in His grace...
lifting our hands to worship the Lord,
joining our hands to nurture one another
and extending our hands to serve our neighbors
...as we walk together in freedom,
joy and faithfulness."*

You are welcome to contact a council member at any time.

Elders

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