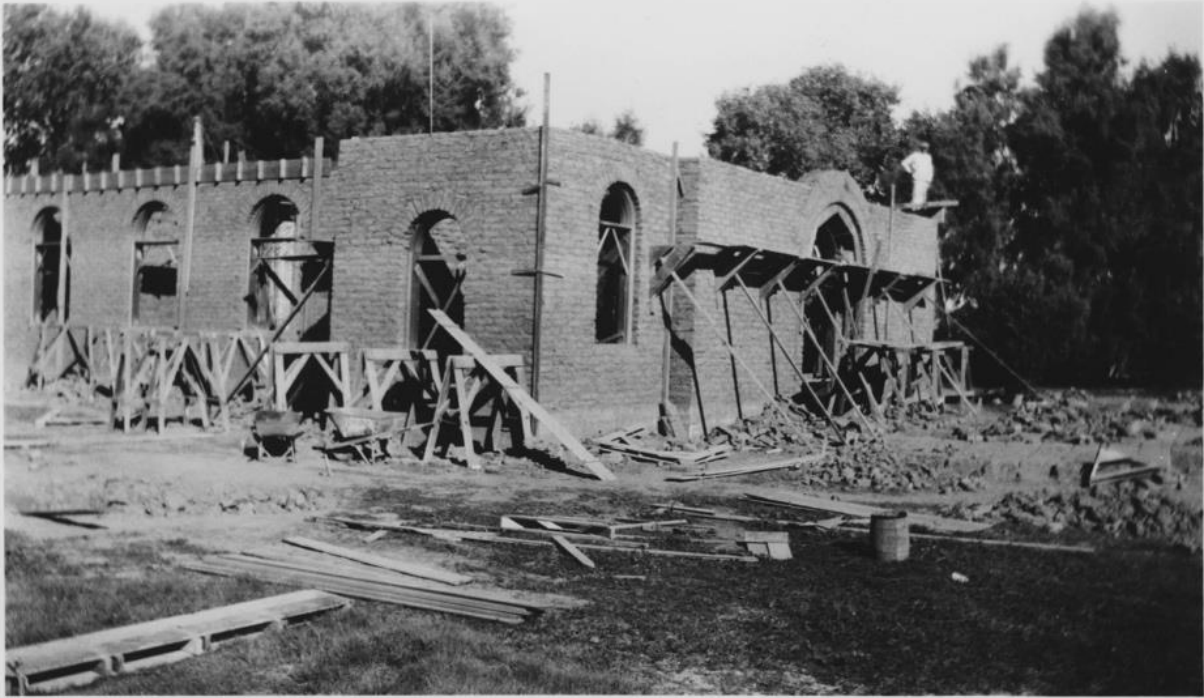




THE Church AT LITCHFIELD PARK



*A house of prayer for all people,
aspiring to be as inclusive as the love of God.*

WE HAVE GATHERED AS A FAMILY OF FAITH

First Sunday of Lent

March 10, 2019

8:00 a.m.

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CHIMES "Now on Land and Sea Descending" Traditional
Carillon Handbell Choir

PRELUDE "Voluntary" Powell

WELCOME, REGISTRATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

✠ **HYMN** "In the Cross of Christ I Glory" No. 328
(Verses 1 -3)

MUSICAL PRESENTATION "For the Beauty of the Earth" arr. Austin
Carillon Handbell Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 23:32-34
L: The Word of the Lord. (Page 3)
P: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON "Father, Forgive Them, For They Do Not Know What They Are Doing"
Rev. Lynne Kammeraad

✠ **HYMN** "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" No. 320
(Verses 1 & 4)

OFFERTORY

“Jesus Loves Me”
Heavenly Handbell Choir
Kathy Drake, Pianist

arr. Raney

✦ **“DOXOLOGY”**

No. 815

✦ **“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”**

No. 309

“I will sing of my Redeemer and His wondrous love to me; On the cruel cross He suffered from the curse to set me free. Sing, O sing of my Redeemer, With His blood He purchased me. On the cross He sealed my pardon, Paid the debt and made me free.

✦ **BENEDICTION**

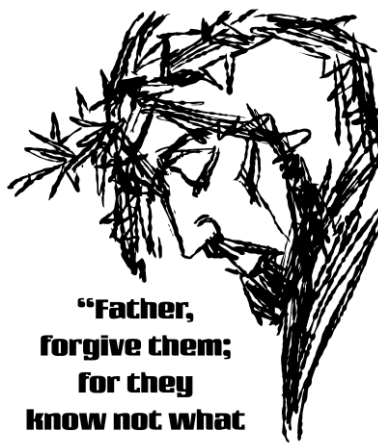
✦ **POSTLUDE**

“Go Now in Peace”

Sleeth

LUKE 23:32-34 (NIV)

“Two other men, both criminals, were also led out with him to be executed. When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him there, along with the criminals—one on his right, the other on his left. Jesus said, ‘Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing.’ And they divided up his clothes by casting lots.”



**“Father,
forgive them;
for they
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Luke 23:34, NIV

✦ **CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND (AS YOU ARE ABLE)**

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BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

WELCOME, REGISTRATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

✠ CALL TO WORSHIP

L: All you who pass this way

P: Look and see the shadow of sin.

L: All you who pass this way

P: Look and see the weight of the world.

L: All you who pass this way

P: Look and see the suffering of our Savior.

L: All you who pass this way

P: Look and see the sorrow of Jesus Christ.

ALL: Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world!

✠ **HYMN** “In the Cross of Christ I Glory” No. 328
(Verses 1 -3)

PRAYER OF THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY (In Unison)

Forgiving Christ, when the world condemns us, when wrong is done to us, when we carry the weight of things that are too much to forgive, come alongside us in the darkness and give us the grace to be forgiven and forgiving.

L: Let us now pray together the prayer that our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ taught us:

P: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

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10:45 a.m.

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CHIMES

PRELUDE

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS & OPENING PRAYER

✦ **PRAISE OF CONGREGATION** “All My Life” Wayne & Libby Huirua
CCLI Song#2988108
“Fill This Place” Espy/Matrone
CCLI Song#7035223

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SERMON “Father, Forgive Them, For They Do Not Know What They Are Doing”
Rev. Lynne Kammeraad

PRAISE OF CONGREGATION “Lord, I Need You” Reeves/Maher
CCLI Song#5925687

PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERTORY “Worth It All” Meredith Andrews
Tamara Fromm, soloist

✦ “All My Life” Wayne & Libby Huirua
“And I will love You all my life, for You are my reason, the One that I live for.
And I will love You all my life, for You are my reason, You’re the One that I
live for. (Repeat)”

✦ BENEDICTION

✦ POSTLUDE

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Announcements for March 10, 2019

Take time to check out what's happening...	
√ Spaghetti Dinner & Raffle	√ Men's Christian Service Fellowship
√ Good Friday Breakfast	√ Scholarships
√ Bible Study	√ Orpheus Male Choir
√ Membership Orientation	√ Children's Ministry
√ Boy Scout Race	√ Youth Activities
√ Wednesday Night Community Dinner	√ 4C
√ Mission Service Week	√ Ladies Who Lunch
√ Women's Fellowship	

SPAGHETTI DINNER and RAFFLE

Ticket sales for the Pulse and Ignite Youth Groups' 5th annual fundraising spaghetti dinner featuring entertainer Tim Riley are on sale **TODAY** after each service in Souers Hall. The dinner on **Friday, March 22, features two seatings—one at 5:00 p.m. and another at 7:00 p.m.** Come and enjoy a delicious meal while listening to the singing of Tim Riley. Cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children.

Check out the raffle baskets in Souers Hall. Raffle tickets will be on sale each Sunday after services until the spaghetti dinner. All money raised will be used to support the youth's summer mission trips to San Diego, California, and Flagstaff, Arizona.

GOOD FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Friday, April 19th, at 7:30 a.m., there is a gathering of leaders in the west valley to proclaim the power of the cross and anticipate the celebration of the resurrection. A Good Friday breakfast will be held at the Wigwam Resort, 300 E. Wigwam Blvd, hosted by West Valley Churches and Businesses. The Church at Litchfield Park has reserved a table for ten. Tickets are \$35.00, which includes a full breakfast buffet. Guest speaker will be Daniel Fusco and music by Justin Unger. Please stop by the church office during regular hours to purchase tickets.

BIBLE STUDY

Please join us for a special study on **Tuesday, March 19, at 10:00 a.m.** or **Wednesday, March 20, at 6:30 p.m.** in Souers Hall. Ned Hannah will lead the first of a two week study comparing the ancient history and literature of people of the Middle East with well-known stories from the Old Testament. As always, please bring a Bible and something to write with.

MEMBERSHIP ORIENTATION

If you are considering joining our church family or simply want more information about The Church at Litchfield Park, please come to our brief membership orientation in Fireside Room South **next Sunday, March 17, immediately following the 9:15 service.** New members will be received the following Sunday at either the 9:15 or 10:45 a.m. service. If you have already been to an orientation session and would like to join or if you have any questions about the process, please contact the church office at (623) 935-3411 or membership@clp.church.

ARE YOU FASTER THAN A BOY SCOUT?

The 2nd annual “**Are You Faster than a Boy Scout**” race is a 5K and a 10K running race through the Litchfield Park neighborhood. 100% of the proceeds are used to support the Scouts of Troop 99. Last year we were able to send 21 Scouts to Camp Emerald Bay. This year we will have a high adventure crew of 13 attending Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico and about 20 scouts attending Camp Raymond in Williams, AZ. Please come join us for a flat and fast race through Old Litchfield Park. This is a chip timed event, with quality participant t-shirts, finisher medals and age group awards. You can find more information at www.Troop99Race.com.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT COMMUNITY DINNER

The Wednesday Night Community Dinners are returning **Wednesday, March 20, at 6:00 p.m.** in Souers Hall. Dinner Coordinator Betty Minor is looking for people to help with food preparation, cooking, baking, set-up, serving, and clean-up. If you are interested in volunteering **please email Betty at kitchen@clp.church or sign up in the breezeway on the sign-up sheet.** She will be coordinating the schedule, menus, and volunteers and would love to hear from you. The menu for Wednesday, March 20, is oven fried chicken, roasted potatoes, corn, and pudding. The menu for Wednesday, March 27, is beef tips on rice, green beans, and brownies.

MISSION SERVICE WEEK

The Missions Committee is excited to offer you the opportunity to volunteer for a day at one or more of the local missions our church supports from **Tuesday, March 19, to Saturday, March 23.** You may sign up for one day or as many days as you like. The sign-up sheet and more information can be found at the Missions table in Souers Hall after the services. Transportation will be provided. The times for the trips to leave the church and return to the church are as follows:

Tuesday, March 19 - New Life Center - 8:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 20 - Homeward Bound - 8:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Thursday, March 21 - St. Mary's Food Bank - 8:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Friday, March 22 - Feed My Starving Children - 11:45 to 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 23 - Homeless Youth Connection - 7:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Men's Christian Service Fellowship (M.C.S.F.) will meet **Tuesday, March 12, at 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. in Souers Hall.** Through video and discussion, we will explore topics that deepen our relationships with both Jesus Christ and one another. The menu for dinner this month is chicken wings, potato salad and coleslaw. Please sign up in Souers Hall if you are interested in attending.

COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS

The Church at Litchfield Park will award three \$1,000 scholarships to high school seniors graduating in May, 2019, who plan to further their education in the fall of 2019. One scholarship is reserved for a church member. The others are open to students who have at least a 3.0 grade point average and have been active in service to their community. Applications are available in the church office or at any of the Agua Fria High School District Career Centers. If you have any questions, e-mail Nancy Oreshack at noreshack@cox.net. **The deadline to return completed applications to the church office is 4:00 p.m., Friday, March 22.**

ORPHEUS SALUTES AMERICA

Orpheus Male Chorus presents "Orpheus Salutes America" as our spring concert to conclude our 90th season on **Sunday, April 28**, at The Church at Litchfield Park. Orpheus will feature patriotic music and other genres that salute America, such as spirituals and folk music. Our performance will also pay tribute to those who serve in our armed forces. Admission to "Orpheus Salutes America" is \$20 for adults, \$15 for seniors and students for tickets purchased in advance at www.orpheus.org. **Tickets purchased in advance are being sold online only.** Admission for tickets purchased at the door is \$25 for adults and \$20 for seniors and students. Children 12 and under are admitted free. Purchase your tickets early to save and get a seat!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY ORIENTATION & INFORMATION MEETING

Come and learn about the needs in Children's Ministries and get all your questions answered. Explore the different ways you can help on Sundays and at special events. **Stop by Classroom 5 (The Children's Chapel) between each service and after the 10:45 service on Sunday, March 24th.** Join us to learn more about this rewarding ministry.

YOUTH PRAISE BAND

The youth praise band will meet **TODAY** from **11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.** in Souers Hall. All 6th-8th graders are welcome!

PULSE AND IGNITE

Pulse and Ignite youth groups will meet **TODAY**: Ignite (6th-8th) from 10:30-11:45 a.m.; Pulse (9th-12th) from 11:45-1:00 p.m. Both groups will meet in the Watt House. Hope to see you there!

4C: NO REHEARSAL ON WEDNESDAY!!

Children's choir will not be rehearsing on **Wednesday, March 13th**, due to Spring Break. We will miss you!! Please practice your songs...our county fair performance on April 13th is coming up soon! Have a great Spring Break, and we will see you on Wednesday, **March 20, when we will be rehearsing at a new time. PLEASE NOTE: Beginning Wednesday, March 20, 4C will rehearse from 5:15 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** (This new time will coincide with the upcoming Wednesday night dinners that will begin at 6:00 p.m. starting March 20.)

LADIES WHO LUNCH

All women are invited to "Ladies Who Lunch" at **12:30 p.m., on March 12**, at Litchfield's, on the patio, at the Wigwam Resort. Your reservation is required by noon on Monday, March 11, to assure adequate seating. Look for the sign-up sheet in the breezeway. For more information or to R.S.V.P., contact Suzanne Boyer or Joan Cappel at ladieswholunch@clp.church or call the church office at (623) 935-3411.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Circle 1 will meet on **Wednesday, March 13, at 9:30 a.m.** at the home of June Packnett. Please join us for friendship and fellowship. You may get directions by emailing wscfcircle1@clp.church or by calling the church office at 623-935-3411.

Circle 3 Luncheon meeting will be **Wednesday, March 27, at 11:30 a.m.** at LaLoma Village on Camelback just west of Litchfield Road. Lunch menu is cauliflower crusted pizza plus wings and dessert for \$12.00. Hostesses are Suzanne Boyer and Joan Cappel. Please R.S.V.P. to wscfcircle3@clp.church; deadline is Thursday, March 21.

Calendar for the Week of March 10, 2019

Today, 3/10/19

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP – In the breezeway and/or in Souers Hall before and after worship
INFORMATION TABLE – In the breezeway and in front lawn area before and after worship

- ◆ 8:00 a.m. – **WORSHIP SERVICE** in Sanctuary
- ◆ 8:00 a.m. – **NURSERY (Newborn-2 years old)**
- ◆ 9:15 a.m. – **WORSHIP SERVICE** in Sanctuary
- ◆ 9:15 a.m. – **NURSERY (Newborn-2 years old)**
- ◆ 9:15 a.m. – **PRE-K SUNDAY SCHOOL (3-4 year olds)** in Classroom 6
- ◆ 9:15 a.m. – **SUNDAY SCHOOL (K-5th grades)** in Classroom 3
- ◆ 10:30 a.m. – **IGNITE YOUTH GROUP (6th-8th grades)** in Watt House
- ◆ 10:45 a.m. – **WORSHIP SERVICE** in Sanctuary
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- ◆ 11:45 a.m. – **PRAISE BAND** in Souers Hall
- ◆ 11:45 a.m. – **PULSE YOUTH GROUP (9th-12th grades)** in Watt House

Monday, 3/11/19

- ◆ 12:00 p.m. – **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** in Watt House

Tuesday, 3/12/19

- ◆ 10:00 a.m. – **BIBLE STUDY** in Souers Hall
- ◆ 12:00 p.m. – **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** in Watt House
- ◆ 12:30 p.m. – **LADIES WHO LUNCH** off site
- ◆ 6:00 p.m. – **MEN'S FELLOWSHIP** in Souers Hall
- ◆ 6:00 p.m. – **W.C.S.F. BOARD MEETING** in Fireside Room South

Wednesday, 3/13/19

- ◆ 9:30 a.m. – **CIRCLE 1** off site
- ◆ 12:00 p.m. – **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** in Watt House
- ◆ 4:30 p.m. – **HEAVENLY HANDBELL REHEARSAL** in Sanctuary
- ◆ 6:45 p.m. – **CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL** in Choir Room

Thursday, 3/14/19

- ◆ 7:00 p.m. – **CARILLON HANDBELL REHEARSAL** in Sanctuary
- ◆ 7:00 p.m. – **BOY SCOUT TRP#99 DISTRICT ROUNDTABLE** off site
- ◆ 7:00 p.m. – **MISSION MEETING** in Fireside Room North
- ◆ 7:30 p.m. – **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** in Watt House

Friday, 3/15/19

- ◆ 1:00 p.m. – **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP KNITTING/CROCHET GROUP** in Zieske Hall
- ◆ 6:30 p.m. – **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** in Watt House

The Church at Litchfield Park Lenten/Easter Calendar 2019			
DATE	EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Sun. Apr. 14	Palm Sunday Worship Service	8:00, 9:15 am & 10:45 am	Sanctuary
Thu. Apr. 18	Maundy Thursday Worship Service	6:30 pm	Sanctuary
Fri. Apr. 19	Good Friday Worship Service	6:30 pm	Sanctuary
Sat. Apr. 20	Annual Easter Egg Hunt	10:00 am	Meet in Souers Hall
Sun. Apr. 21 FLOWERING OF CROSS at 8:00, 9:15, & 10:45 a.m.	Easter Sunrise Service Easter Worship Services	6:00 am 8:00,9:15 am & 10:45 am	Palm Court Sanctuary
Please Note: Nursery care is available at all worship services (excluding Sunrise Service).			
Mon. Apr. 22	Easter Monday Holiday – Office Closed		

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

SENIOR PASTOR.Rev. Lynne Kammeraad
ASSOCIATE PASTOR Rev. Kerri Sandusky
MUSIC DIRECTOR. Jill Tabata
10:45 CHOIR DIRECTORAmy Burns
ORGANIST/PIANIST.Kathy Drake
GUEST BELLMASTER. Jill Tabata
LITURGIST.Katy Gempler
USHERS.8:00 a.m. Dick & Paggly Vasiloff, Jim & Nancy Montgomery
 9:15 a.m. Rob Gimbl, Suzanne Allen, Hank Tokarz & Sharon Kozak
 10:45 a.m. Joan Smith, Nana Hamlin, Larry & Ann Schluter
ACOLYTES.Alex Saldamando, Sophia Saldamando
WELCOME BOOTH Tom & Karen VanHooser, Lily Early
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DIRECTORKristin McNamara
NURSERY. .8:00 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m.Stephanie Horacek, Amanda Clough



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