

# UPCOMING EVENTS

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## Valley Interfaith Project Assembly

October 24 | 6:30 - 8 p.m. | Shepherd of the Hills UCC, 5524 E. Lafayette Blvd

The VIP Assembly will cover key issues like advancing VIP's agenda on affordable housing, mental health, and neighborhood safety; determining where candidates stand on VIP's agenda; and getting commitments from public officials to work with VIP on these issues.

## Trunk-or-Treat

October 26 | 6 - 8 p.m.

Celebrate Halloween with us at Paradise Valley United Methodist Church in your best costumes and leave dinner to us! Walk past dozens of car trunks decorated to the nines with Halloween fun and collect candy along the way! Plus, come ready to enjoy crafts, inflatables, a train ride, and a haunted house! For dinner we'll have hot dogs, chips, and cotton candy. The event is free, but we are collecting non-perishable food items to benefit St. Mary's Food Bank and pet supplies for the Animal Welfare League of Arizona. Scan the QR codes below to see the items most needed by each organization.

Volunteers are needed for Trunk-or-Treat - please contact Ben ([ben@pvumc.org](mailto:ben@pvumc.org)) or Kristin ([kristin@pvumc.org](mailto:kristin@pvumc.org)) if interested!

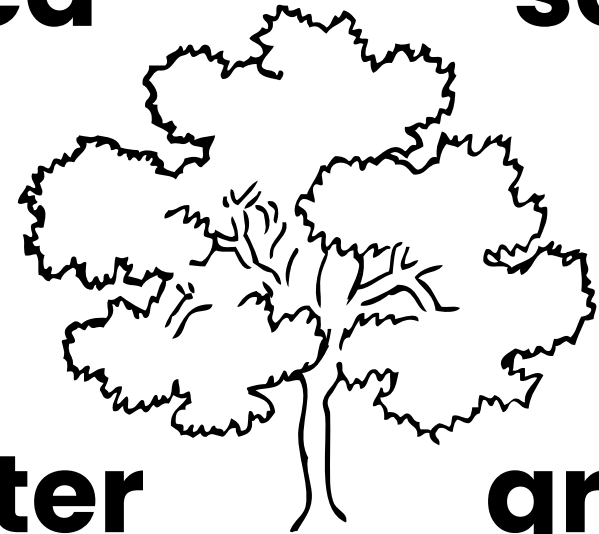


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Our giving reflects our choice to live into God's righteousness. Let us offer our gifts with a heart committed to justice and love.

**seed**

**sow**



**water**

**grow**

We talk about giving in church hoping to inspire and cultivate faithful stewardship, aligning our financial giving with the biblical call to justice, compassion, and community. Grounding our lives in scriptural teachings, we seek to deepen our understanding of the role that our financial contributions play in furthering God's mission through PVUMC. By connecting our gifts to tangible outcomes for future generations, we affirm that our giving is not only an act of worship but also a transformative force for good in the world. Through this journey, we are called to invest in the growth of God's kingdom, creating a legacy of love and justice that will impact lives far beyond our own.



Scan this QR code or go to [www.pvumc.org](http://www.pvumc.org) to see how a financial pledge empowers our church to continue its impactful work, fosters spiritual growth, fuels mission and outreach, and helps to ensure a vibrant future for PVUMC.

# FUTURE EVENTS

## **Cabaret With Cabernet: An Evening With Caelan Brennan**

November 2 | 6 - 9 p.m. | Home of Gary and Shar Stocker (Off campus)

We invite you to join us for an incredible evening of song with the fabulously-talented Caelan Brennan. Caelan will be singing Broadway, Standard, and Pop songs in a cabaret style show at a lovely home in the East Valley. Proceeds from this event benefit the Modern Service Music Fund. Your ticket includes appetizers, Napa Valley wines, dessert, and the evening's performance.

**All Saints Sunday** | November 3

**Navajo Christmas Drive** | November 3, 10, 13, 16, 17, 20

**Youth Ignited** | November 3 | 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Experience Worship Night with Youth Ignited, PVUMC's youth band! All ages are welcome to worship God with us, play some fun crowd games, eat free food, and fellowship together!

**Serve Day** | November 9 | 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Come serve alongside others from PVUMC at the church and around Phoenix!

**Candle in the Wind: The Elton John Experience** | November 15 | 7 p.m.

Save the date for our first free community concert! The Elton John Experience performs the ultimate tribute to the music of Elton and his songwriting partner Bernie Taupin.

**The Christmas Bazaar** | November 16 | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Thanksgiving Food Box Packing** | November 24 | 10:30 a.m.

**Save the date - PVUMC Christmas Concert!** | December 8



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# WELCOME

**20 October 2024**

**Worship Begins 09:30**

*Please finish your conversations as we open our hearts and minds to enter into worship*

**Introit - "Peace"** Ed Cash/We the Kingdom  
Katherine, soloist | Dr. Dan, guitar | Dr. Brett, drums

**\*Children's Call to Worship**

**\*Hymn - "All My Days"**

**Missions Moment**

*Children and youth are invited to attend their classes and programs*

**Anthem - "Oh Happy Day"** Arr. Emerson  
Paradise Singers  
Katherine, soloist | Dr. Dan, guitar | Dr. Brett, drums

**Invitation to Discipleship**

**Offertory Anthem - "Shout Glory"** Byron Smith  
Chancel Choir & Paradise Singers  
Josh & Katherine, soloists

**\*Scripture - Jeremiah 4:13-22, 29-31**

**\*Doxology - "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"**

**Sermon - "In Search of a Biblical Christmas: Careful What You Ask For"**

**\*TFWS 2153 - "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"**

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude - "Good News! The Chariot's Comin'!"** Arr. Larry Shackley  
Dr. Joshua, piano

*\*Please stand as you are able.*