

*The perfect place for imperfect people.*

04/05/2024

**Leading all people to follow Jesus to the fullness of life. Together.**

**Transformation - Generosity - Community**

Join us for worship at 10:00 AM on Sunday at our facility, [1249 N LINDSAY RD. Gilbert, AZ 85234](#) (at the Arizona Korean Seventh-Day Adventist Church).



**Sermon: Leverage**

**Text: Luke 16:1-13**

**MEMBERSHIP @ THE BRIDGE**

Later this month, we plan to welcome Phil and Linda Pelc to membership with The Bridge! If you have questions about membership or are interested in pursuing it yourself, see Pastor Joel, as another class may start soon.

**SAVE THE DATE**

- **April 13th from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM** - Spring Cookout at the [Freestone Park Playground Ramada](#)

Join us for an afternoon of conversation, eating, and playing yard games together. The Bridge will provide everything for burgers, hot dogs, and water. We are inviting you to provide a side, salad, or dessert to share. A food sign-up sheet will be available on Sunday. If you'd like to help with set-up and grilling, or if you have cornhole boards (or other yard games), please email [info@bridgechurchaz.org](mailto:info@bridgechurchaz.org). All are welcome!

- **April 17th** - Serve at [Feed My Starving Children](#) (1345 S Alma School Road, Mesa, AZ 85210)

Feed My Starving Children (FMSC) is an organization that recruits volunteers to pack nutrition-dense food and ship it worldwide to those who need it most. Join hands with others at The Bridge to serve our global neighbors. Meet at 2:30 PM outside FMSC, and the session will last until 4:00 PM. After we finish, we will gather for a photo and head out for refreshments! They have work for people who cannot stand for an hour, like labeling and tagging. Email Linda Pelc at [lindapelc2@gmail.com](mailto:lindapelc2@gmail.com) to reserve your spot. The deadline to sign up is April 10th at noon.

- **April 21st at 11:45 AM** - Bridge Ladies Annual Spring Tea



Welcoming all Ladies to the annual Spring tea gathering. Enjoy community, food, and tea at The Bridge's barn door classroom. This year's theme is *NEW LIFE IN CHRIST*. Please RSVP by April 14th and include the names of any guests you will bring. Email [women@bridgechurchaz.org](mailto:women@bridgechurchaz.org) or text Sarah Alcalá at (480) 243-3127.

- **May 2nd at 7:00 AM & 6:30 PM\*** - National Day of Prayer \*see locations below\*



Kim Davidson is co-leading a multi-church National Day of Prayer event. **The morning session** will be hosted at Sozo Coffee (1982 N Alma School Rd, Chandler, AZ 85224) with the Missio Dei Community Church. **The evening session** will be on campus at 6:30 PM. This year's theme is Faithfulness. Our theme verse is Isaiah 25:1 (NIV). We will also be taking communion together in the morning and evening. Join us as we pray across eight areas: our government, military, media, business, education, the church, family, and the nations.

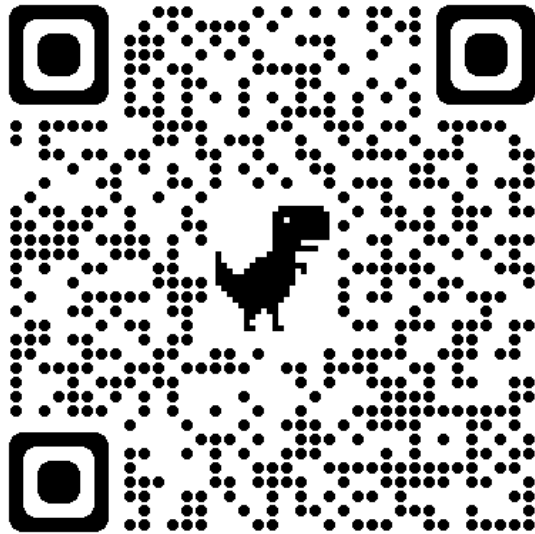
- **May 4th at 7:30 AM** - [Annual 6K Walk for Water with World Vision](#)

On Saturday, May 4th, we will hold a donation drive for people who need clean drinking water. [Watch a short video for more information here.](#)

Walking 6K is equivalent to walking 3.72 miles, the average distance people walk in developing countries daily for water. The Bridge Church, together with Covenant Kids Congo and World Vision, is hosting a 6K walk to help raise money, awareness, hope, love, and support for people who need clean water in their everyday lives. The walk will

start and finish from our campus. [Please register today and provide lasting clean water to children all over the globe.](#)

Use the coupon code CLEANWATER to save \$15 off all registrations through 4/10/24.



### **SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **FIRST IMPRESSIONS - GREETERS**

We are looking for smiling faces to join our First Impressions Team on Sundays to serve in our greeting ministry. If you would like to join the rotation of volunteers or be a substitute, contact Suzan Williams at [nursesuzan318@me.com](mailto:nursesuzan318@me.com). You can also shadow them as they set up to understand what joining the team would entail.

#### **CLEANING & FACILITIES TEAM**

We ask each member and attendee to stay after our worship gathering to clean. [CLICK HERE](#) to find your spot in the rotation.

#### **FAMILIES SCHEDULED TO CLEAN ON THE FIRST SUNDAY ARE**

***ALCALA, CLEMENS, DAVIDSON, FRIESTAD & ENABNIT***

**SMALL GROUPS, MEN'S & WOMEN'S MINISTRIES.**

To learn more, visit these pages on our website: [Small Groups](#), [Men](#), [Women](#), [Prayer](#), or [our website events page](#).

**GIVING** Please visit our website at <https://www.bridgechurchaz.org/giving>.

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Monthly Budget \$14,745

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