Announcements

Check out the complete calendar on the website rotator.

Cry Room and Jericho Room are available with a Livestream of the service.

Interested in receiving Tabletalk, the monthly Ligonier Ministries devotional for one year, \$12? A bulk subscription is ordered. See Beth Miner, or call/text 520-784-1729.

Marriage Celebration: Celebrate Brianna Smith's, marriage to Jordan Smith on December 11, 10am -12pm. Gift Cards appreciated. Food contributions also appreciated. RSVP by 12/8 to Deanne Stowe (970) 232-4230

Emily Gray Teacher Tags: Help support Emily Gray Middle School by donating classroom supplies! Take a request tag found on the Christmas tree in the narthex, and return the donation with the tag to the church by December 16th.

No Sunday School classes on December 26th.

Thank you, RMPC, for your generosity and continued donations to Operation Christmas Child this year! We were able to send out 252 boxes this year, up 30 boxes from last year!

Attendance & Giving Last Week 11/28/21

Attendance Giving

10:00 Worship: 188 General Fund: \$7,423 Sunday School: 83 Deacon Fund: \$25 Mission Fund: \$0

> Year to Date Finance Summary Cumulative Need: \$655,385

Cumulative Need: \$655,38 Total Income: \$679,513

Have you signed up for E-Giving? Check out our E-Giving option at rinconpres.org (click on Donate at the top).

Prayer

prayer@rinconpres.org

Contact the office to be added to the church prayer list

Pray for RMPC Deacon Karl Bosworth

Pray that Karl and TK would have a Christ-centered marriage and they would lead their children and grandchild in a Godly manner. That Karl would have the wisdom and discernment to carry out his ordained responsibilities in a Christ-filled manner and TK would have the strength to fulfill her missional life, both giving all glory and honor to God in all they do.

Pray for Pastor Kelley Hand– Desert Palms Presbyterian Church (PCA), Chandler, AZ

Pray for Mission to the World Goal: Sending out 1% of RMPC members to missions

Pray for Pima County Treasurer: Beth Ford

Ministry Staff

Philip S. Kruis, Senior Pastor pkruis@rinconpres.org

Mark Lauterbach, Associate Pastor mlauterbach@rinconpres.org

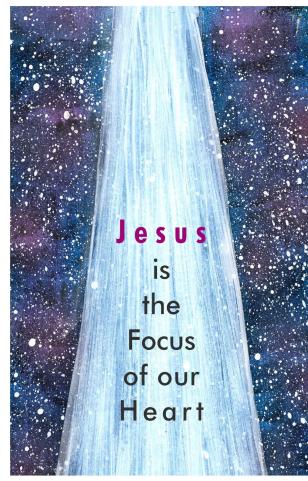
Meagan Mott, Children's Director mmott@rinconpres.org

Women's Leadership Team rmpcwomensministry@gmail.com

Rincon Mountain Presbyterian Church (PCA) 8445 E. Tanque Verde Road, Tucson, AZ 85749 www.rinconpres.org 520-327-2390

Permission to reproduce all music/lyrics obtained through CCLI license #1994384

December 5th, 2021



The Redeemer is Born



We Enter into God's Presence

Call to Worship

Micah 5:2; Isaiah 11:1, 10; Psalm 22:27-31

Invocation

Songs of Adoration

O Come All Ye Faithful **Hymn #208**

Confession of Sin Luke 2:28-32

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon John 14:23-27

Song of Praise

Hark The Herald Angels Sing

Hymn #203

O Children, Come!

Advent Reading

We Unite as God's People

Pastoral Prayer

Choral Song◊

We Worship God through His Word

Preaching of God's Word

Jesus is the Focus of our Hearts

John 1:6-9, 19-23 page 886

Pastor Phil Kruis

We Respond to God's Word

The Lord's Supper

We welcome all baptized Christians to receive Holy Communion with us if you actively trust in Jesus Christ as Savior, willingly forsake your sin, and are a member of a congregation that proclaims the gospel. If you are not able to receive Communion, please use this time to meditate on the following prayer.

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

Please pick up the elements in the back when you come in and wait to partake of the elements until that part of the service. Gluten-free wafers are available at the back of the sanctuary in a plate labeled gluten-free.

Sung Response

Doxology

Benediction

God's People Depart to Serve Him

♦ Children **3 years old through 1st grade** are dismissed to Children's Church.

Jesus is the Focus of our Hearts

John 1:6-9, 19-23

Main Point: Focus on Jesus flows from faithful witnessing to Jesus, despite all of the distractions.

What does it mean to witness?

What is the purpose of the witness?

Conclusion: