

Announcements

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

No Sunday School through the Advent season. Classes will begin again on January 14th.

Women’s Leadership Team is creating a team of women who are responsible for organizing the kitchen and running potlucks; if you are interested in being on this team, contact Lynn Marien (lynnmarien@gmail.com or (520)400-3872).

Mountain Men Bible study will not be meeting in December. Meeting will restart on 01/05/2024.

Teacher Angel Tree: Support Emily Gray Junior High School and our Rincon teachers by grabbing a few tags off the Angel Tree in the narthex and buying school supplies for the them! Please bring back the gifts (with the tags attached) by 12/20.

DECEMBER Tabletalks are at the connect cart.

Greeters Needed: We are setting up our greeters for 2024. If you want the easiest, most fun opportunity at church, contact Mary and Lee Hancock at (520) 886-5807. You might even learn everyone’s name!

Hymn Sing: Join us and our sister churches here at the church for a Hymn Sing on 12/31, 5:30-6:30 PM followed by a night of games, snacks, and fellowship as we celebrate the New Year! Please sign up on the website or Church Center app.

Attendance & Giving Last Week 12/3/23

Attendance	Giving
10:00 Worship: 263	General Fund: \$19,175
	Deacon Fund: \$425
	Mission Fund: \$725

Year to Date Finance Summary

Budget Expense: \$723,263  
Actual Expense: \$669,538  
Total Income: \$611,058



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

Prayer

prayer@rinconpres.org  
Contact the office to be added to the church prayer list

- Elder: Paul Marien
- Pray for Missionaries: Elliot Wnek–Athletes in Action, University of Arizona
- Pray for Pastor Marc Cargill—Hope Church, Tucson AZ
- Pray for Tucson Mayor: Regina Romero

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Scan this QR code to check out our elders or go online at rinconpres.org/elders.



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December 10th, 2023



BETHLEHEM  
CANDLE



**We Enter into God's Presence**

Call to Worship

Songs of Adoration

*Hark The Herald Angels Sing*

Confession of Sin

Valley of Vision

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 6:22-23

Songs of Praise

*Oh Children Come*

*O Little Town Of Bethlehem*

**We Unite as God's People**

Advent Reading

The Bethlehem Candle

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory◇

**We Worship God through His Word**

Preaching of God’s Word

Pastor Phil Kruis

Micah 5:2-15

*Living in the Light-Faith*

**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.*

Gluten-free wafers are available at the back of the sanctuary in a plate labeled gluten-free.

Sung Response

*All Praise To You, Eternal Lord*

Benediction

**God's People Depart to Serve Him**

**Living in the Light-Faith**

Micah 5:2-15

Main point: Jesus came to rule a refined remnant.

I. A ruler

II. A remnant

III. A remover

Conclusion:

◇ Children **3 years old through 1st grade** are dismissed to Children’s Church.