#### **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.

**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 this Wednesday, Dec 20th.

**DECEMBER** Tabletalks are at the connect cart.

**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.

Christmas Eve 2023: Don't miss our candlelit Christmas Eve service at 5:30! This is a service for the whole family and childcare is not provided.

**December 24th** Morning Worship is a family service. There will be no childcare or children's church.

Mentoring Tucson's Kids (MTK): If you have a place in your heart to support Tucson's children, stop by the table in the narthex and find out how you can help or visit www.MentoringTucsonsKids.org

#### Attendance & Giving Last Week 12/10/23

Attendance

Giving

10:00 Worship: 234

General Fund: \$6,877 Deacon Fund: \$350 Mission Fund: \$50

#### Year to Date Finance Summary

Budget Expense: \$738,023 Actual Expense: \$672,263 Total Income: \$617,935

Have you signed up for E-Giving? Check out our E-Giving option at rinconpres.org (click on the giving button on our homepage) or scan this QR code.

#### **Prayer**

prayer@rinconpres.org

Contact the office to be added to the church prayer list

**Elder:** Rob Matte

Pray for Missionaries: DH & Emily Henry—Navajo

Nation

 ${\bf Pray\ for\ Pastor\ Jeff\ Logsdon} {\bf --} {\bf Hope\ City\ Church,}$ 

Tucson AZ

Tucson City Manager: Michael Ortega

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December 17th, 2023













#### **We Enter into God's Presence**

Call to Worship

Songs of Adoration

Angels We Have Heard On High

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

1 Peter 1:9-10

Songs of Praise

Come Adore The Humble King

Boldly I Approach

## We Unite as God's People

Advent Reading

The Angel Candle

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory♦

### We Worship God through His Word

Preaching of God's Word

Pastor Mark Lauterbach

John 1:1-3; 1:14-18; 3:16-21; 3:31-36; 14:31; 17:24-26

Christmas and Love Before the Foundation of the World

### 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

Angels From The Realms Of Glory

Benediction

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

# Christmas and Love Before the Foundation of the World

John 1:1-3; 1:14-18; 3:16-21; 3:31-36; 14:31; 17:24-26

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