

# THE BEAT

JANUARY 2, 2020

Official Newsletter of Church of **THE BEAT**itudes

Follow Us



## INSIDE THIS ISSUE

**THIS SUNDAY'S  
ROUNDUP! - 1**

**SERMON PODCAST - 1**

**CHURCH LIFE - 2-6, 12**

**PRAYER CONCERNS - 3**

**FAMILY MINISTRY NEWS - 7**

**MUSIC NEWS - 8-9**

**CALENDAR - 10**

**MINISTRIES BRIEFS &  
VOLUNTEER HERE - 13-14**

**COMMUNITY EVENTS,  
UCC NEWS &  
BEATITUDES RESOURCES -  
11, 17**



## This Sunday's Roundup!

**January 5, 2020**

**10:00 - Service of Worship - Worship Center**  
**11:00 - Community Life Ministry Social Hour - Nelson Hall**  
**11:15 - Interrobang - Topic: Dean Levene gives a brief review of "Quantum Mechanics" - Nelson Lounge**  
**11:20 - Ruminare - Topic: "If you won't kill it, don't eat it." - Patio Room**  
**11:15 - Jr. High & Youth Interfaith Program - Front Office Craft Room**

**PARENTS:** The children's enrichment will not meet this Sunday so children can worship . It will resume January 12.



Listen to the sermons again. Head over to Beatitudes Radio for podcasts of your favorite sermons!



*Make God's Love Real*

COMING JANUARY 2020

# *A Celebration Concert!*



Join us Saturday, January 11, for a celebration concert in honor of Rev. Dr. Dosia Carlson's 90th birthday! Our choir plus instrumentalists will perform Rev. Dosia's compositions at 4 pm in our Worship Center. No charge - but donations accepted to support our music program. A party with refreshments will follow in Nelson Hall at 5 pm. Then return to worship on Sunday, January 12, for a special message from Rev. Dosia herself!



## **GETTING TO KNOW THE UCC EXPLORING UCC HISTORY, POLITY, AND THEOLOGY**

Adult Enrichment Class  
with  
Dr. Joe Faykosh  
Thursdays, 6 pm  
Starting Jan 30  
Nelson Lounge

## **MARK & THE HISTORICAL JESUS**

6-Week Adult Enrichment  
Class with  
Pastor Tony and Lucy  
Fredrickson  
Wednesdays,  
6:30 pm  
Starting Jan 15  
Room 4

*Make God's Love Real*



## PRAYER CONCERNS

Heidi Eberenz,  
Florence Wilkenson,  
Lynne Buckwald Coor,  
John Evans III,  
Laurie Pheil,  
Susan Torres,  
Norm Wilson,  
Joyce Vincent,  
the family of Leo Corbet,  
Keith Collins

To add someone to the list, please include first and last name and email Janelle at [jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org](mailto:jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org) or call 602-264-1221 x 103. Or ask our ushers for a request form at service.

*New prayer requests remain on the list for 30 days. Please resubmit if needed longer.*

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS! BEATITUDES 2020 CHILI COOK OFF JANUARY 26



**We are still looking for a few more Chili chefs! If you love to cook, and think your chili recipe is NOT TO BE BEAT, signup with Community Life Ministry (CLM) to enter the contest this Sunday in Nelson Hall. And, by the way, there will be prizes again!**

---

## CAN YOU HELP? BEDS NEEDED!



**Beatitudes Church is happy to share that Rodain Abo Zeed and her family have recently learned they will have a new place to live through Arizona Housing! She and her family have been leasing our church apartment over the past year and will soon be moving to a much larger home. She is looking for three beds for her boys. If you know of any church members who may wish to get rid of beds, please contact Kris Nyman at 602-614-5834 or the Klatt's at (602) 246-2606.**

**Congratulations to Rodain and family!**

*Make God's Love Real*

# Thank YOU!

THE BEAT - PAGE 4



Thank you for your continued prayers for our Capital Campaign, "Make God's Love Real." Campaign leaders have designated the period between today, December 15 and January 12 as the time for us to return our Response Cards. If you have misplaced your card, there are extras. Please contact Lori Ramsey, Karen Shannon or Evelyn Sowell for a card.

May we all spend these final days in prayer! Let's allow ourselves to imagine what would happen if each one of us gave beyond our comfort levels - gave with the joy that can only come from God - gave in such a way to inspire one another.

Our joyful response will be an expression of our commitment to do everything we can to keep Beatitudes Church strong and vibrant – a beacon of hope to our community and our world.

Thank you so much for your generosity!!!



## A Capital Campaign Moment

CONTRIBUTED BY JOHN CROSS, CONNECTIONS STEWARDSHIP GROUP

I have walked with you over the past several months. Creating and implementing a Capital Campaign is not for the faint of heart!! It takes courage, patience, commitment, faith, imagination and generosity. Thank you for your willingness to work, to create, to read, to listen, to pray and to respond!

Throughout the stories of Scripture, God led people so that they might lead others. Jesus was led by the Spirit into and through the wilderness, on to his ministry. The faithful few who were led to this area to form the Church of the Beatitudes in the early 1960's embraced the responsibility to lead others. They nurtured youth and adults who faithfully laid the foundation on which Beatitudes stands today. When the congregation made bold decisions to build and grow, the early pioneers of faith led the way with their hopes and dreams that led to their sacrificial giving.

Since that time, many new members have been led to this amazing church and have been blessed by the generosity of those leaders. Now, it is the time for another generation to lead the way with your courage and with your resources, so that the mission God has given to Beatitudes might know new freedom, continued strength, and an ability to serve this neighborhood and beyond.

The excitement is building as we approach our "Make God's Love Real" time of commitment. This is the time that you will bring (or mail) your Response Cards to church as an act of commitment and joy.

Hopefully, you have received the beautiful color brochure and other materials that were mailed to you a couple of weeks ago. The campaign leaders trust that you have taken time to read everything, to consider the message of the campaign and to prayerfully ponder how you will respond. Our hope is that most of the congregation will respond between December 15 and January 12.

Please pray about your response! Take time to think about the importance of the Church of the Beatitudes to you and to so many others.

Thank you, in advance, for your prayers, your continued ministry, your hopefulness and your generosity!



*Make God's Love Real*





## Ruminate: Conversations on Things That Matter

Life is complex. To keep an open mind and try to hear and understand diverse views on various issues can be overwhelming.

Grab a cup of coffee and join Pastor Tony after worship this Sunday at 11:30 in Nelson Lounge for the discussion group,

## Ruminate: Conversations on Things That Matter.

This Sunday's topic is "If you won't kill it, don't eat it."

## Arts Council Mélange

- The Arts Council is excited to share they have launched two artist calls for the renovated Worship Center. The first call is for a muralist for the north wall space next to the Children's worship space. The call is for a bright, uplifting and welcoming mural to illustrate that people of all ages are welcome in this church. The second call is for 8 paintings depicting the 8 Beatitudes to be displayed on the entry hallway to worship center on the southwest side. Notification of Selected Artists is slated for April 13, 2020, with completion by August 7, 2020.
- Join us on January 24 at 10 am at The Heard Museum as we tour the David Hockney show. More details coming soon. All are invited to join the tour.
- And don't forget to check out Watercolor artist, Betsy Aguirre's work currently displayed along the West wall in Nelson Hall with purchases benefitting Beatitudes Church. Immersed in art from an early age, Betsy's art has been widely displayed and appreciated, notably at two separate Mayo Clinic locations, Sky Harbor Airport, and the City of Glendale. Her diversity and style are a delightful addition to the Nelson Hall venue. Please take a moment to see her beautiful works up close and in person.



## CALL FOR PLEDGE CARDS!

**Beatitudes Members! Don't forget to return your 2020 pledge cards either to the Front Office or in a sealed envelope in the offering plate. If you did not receive a pledge card in the mail, you can pick one up on the table in the foyer of Nelson Hall. Thank you!**





## Creative Spirituality: Experiencing Your Embodied Divinity

Facilitated by Kathleen Brazie (MA, RSME, E-RYT-200)  
Purple Boots Creative  
Presented through Church of the Beatitudes



Come explore your own unique embodied experience of divinity and spirituality. All too often, we often get locked into old, dysfunctional patterns of mental, emotional, and spiritual rigidity and judgement.

Through an open and ever-evolving combination of philosophy, epistemology/phenomenology, somatic awareness of our own felt-senses, focusing, resting, and self-care, we will discover new ways to release old stagnations of ego, soul, and spirit. By moving into new and open places, we create space to experience our own creative divinity expressing IN, THOUGH, and AS us in ever-deepening ways.

Somatic principles and practices do not dictate "right" or "wrong" of any specific method; so no prior experience is necessary. Instead, we meet you where you are, honoring each person's unique experience and inner creative impulses as we practice our own self-care and developing a felt-sense of support, breath, ground, spirit, and whole well-being in a safe space.

### What:

Class 1: Dynamic Presence

Class 2: Creative Emergence

Class 3: Practicing Presence and Reflection

Class 4: Whole Well-Being as a Creative Living Process

Classes can be taken as full series or individually

### Where:

Church of the Beatitudes 555 W. Glendale Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85021/(602) 264-1221 or contact Kathleen Brazie directly at [info@purplebootscreative.com](mailto:info@purplebootscreative.com) or (602) 384-3336 or on Facebook

### When:

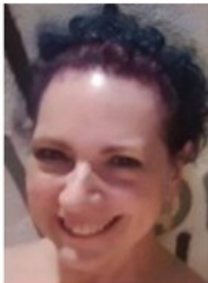
Tuesdays 2:00-3:15 pm (January 28th, February 4th, 11th, 18th)

### What to bring:

Yourself and a sense of curiosity! And if you like, anything to support your comfort and ease. Resting and expression will be explored in many forms, so feel free to bring mats, cushions, blankets (security or otherwise!), journals, even art supplies and paper for reflection times.

### Cost:

4 Class Series: \$110 (\$70 for Beatitudes members)/Single Classes: \$30 (\$20 for Beatitudes members)



**Kathleen Brazie (MA, RSME, E-RYT, Purple Boots Creative Founder)** studied dance/movement in NYC, performing professionally for many years in companies and colleges in Arizona. She earned an MA with Distinction in Dance/Somatic Well-Being from University of Central Lancashire, researching phenomenology, consciousness, and narrative inquiry as related to performance and creativity. She also holds a B.A. in Literature. A movement educator specializing in somatic embodiment, textual analysis, and performance skills, Kathleen is also an award-winning choreographer, frequently collaborating on large-scale theatrical productions and educational workshops. Favorite projects include facilitating professional development workshops in South America, presenting for Moving Body Festivals in NYC, and consulting with music educators on reducing repetitive stress injuries. Kathleen is a Registered Somatic Movement Educator-ISMETA, certified yoga instructor, and published writer. Her pilgrimage through breast cancer was supported by somatic movement and inspires her to deeply explore joy, ease, transformation, and compassion.

## CHILDREN & YOUTH FAMILY MINISTRY UPDATES

-As contributed by Deni Nordmeyer, Family Ministry Coordinator



- This Sunday is Communion Sunday. The children will attend church service with their family.
- Jr. High & Youth Interfaith Program will meet this week at 11:15 in the Front Office Craft Room.

### Mark your calendars!

Jan 18 @ 10:00 am - Jan 19 @ 6:00 pm

Middle and High School Youth Winter Camp

**REMINDER:** Winter Camp Registration **Deadline for Youth and Children's Camp is January 12, 2020!** The cost is \$50 which covers meals and supplies for this one-night UCC and DOC overnight event. Youth will sleep in rooms at Foothills Christian Church. Register now: <https://docgeneralassembly.regfox.com/winter-youth-experience>



Children 1st-5th Graders: Come with your Adult  
One Day Winter Camp in Tucson  
February 8, 2020; 10 am to 6 pm  
\$15 per person



Our church wants all people to be included. If finances are a barrier for attending this memorable event, please talk to Deni Nordmeyer or email [dnordmeyer@beatitudeschurch.org](mailto:dnordmeyer@beatitudeschurch.org)

### Looking Ahead:

- Sunday, January 12th – Deadline for Winter Camp registration -Youth and Elementary Camp
- Saturday, January 18th – Youth Camp through Sunday, January 19th
- Sunday, January 19th – No Interfaith Group at church. Hopefully, the Interfaith Group will attend Winter camp together.
- Sunday, February 2nd – Interfaith Group
- Saturday, February 8th – Elementary Winter Camp in Tucson
- Monday June 15th to Saturday June 29th, 2019- Summer Church Camp

*Make God's Love Real*





## BEATITUDES MUSIC...AH-MAZ-ING!!



### Soloists Needed!

Beatitudes Church is looking for high school & college-age singers who want to be a part of our soloists team! If you know of potential candidates, please have them reach out to our Music Director, Stephen Schermitzler. There is a small stipend of \$60/Week - Auditions are going on right now -- interested students should call (602) 264-1221, x104 or email [sschermitzler@beatitudeschurch.org](mailto:sschermitzler@beatitudeschurch.org) for more information.

*Make God's Love Real*



BEATITUDES CHURCH  
PRESENTS

## Jazz Coffee House Concert Series 2020



**Church of the Beatitudes**  
**Jazz Coffee House**



Nelson Hall  
555 W Glendale Ave, Phoenix



.....

Sunday, January 19, 2020 - 6 pm  
**WEST BY NORTHWEST**  
Tom Wakeling, bass  
Jason Carder, trumpet  
Angelo Versace, piano  
Dom Moio, drums

.....

Sunday, February 16, 2020 - 6 pm  
**UNION 32 QUINTET**  
Dr. Brett Reed, vibes  
Keith Kelly, winds  
Adam Roberts, Saxes  
Ben Hedquist, bass  
Ryan Anthony, drums



.....

Sunday, March 15, 2020 - 6 pm  
**BETH LEDERMAN QUARTET**  
Beth Lederman, piano  
Heather Jakeman, vocals  
Felix Saenz, bass  
Emerson Laffey, drums

.....

Sunday, April 19, 2020  
**BONEYARD BAND**  
Carole Pellat, guitar  
Dom Moio, drums  
Todd Johnson, bass  
Joe Garcia, congas



.....

Brought to you by the Arts Council  
Suggested Donation \$5



## Support Has a Vibe

And that vibe is **YOU!** For several years the Arts Council has brought art and music in a variety of forms and media to Beatitudes Church. From visual art exhibits to jazz music concerts, they are dedicated to enriching the life of our church and our community through the arts.

This year is no different. Starting Sunday, January 19, the annual Jazz Coffee House Concert Series begins featuring some of Arizona's most prolific jazz artists! The concert series is held January to April 2020.

Jazz concerts are held in Nelson Hall and feature relaxed performances, refreshments and talk-backs with the musicians. In the past, a \$5 donation at the door was suggested to help cover the costs associated with the concerts. However, with rising production costs, sustainability may not be possible. Please consider supporting the Arts Council financially to ensure the good vibes continue! To learn more on how you can help, please contact Jeff and Carol Morse at [cpianopal@cox.net](mailto:cpianopal@cox.net).

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!** The first concert of the 2020 season is Sunday, Jan. 19, at 6 pm with West by Northwest. This quartet brings together four highly acclaimed artists: Jason Carder-trumpet, Angelo Versace-piano, Tom Wakeling-bass, and Dom Moio-drums. The combined talents have performed worldwide with legendary jazz greats, but it's their live performances that are truly unforgettable bringing together jazz' past, present and future. With its hard-swinging adventurous style, West by Northwest is a toe-tapping kick off to the Beatitudes annual tradition.

*Make God's Love Real*



## CALENDAR 2019

**Beatitudes Choir:** Rehearsals are on Wednesdays from 7:30-9:00 pm in the Choir Room. Anybody interested is welcome for food, fun, & fellowship! For more information, please contact our Director of Music, Stephen Schermitzler, at (602) 264-1221 x104.

**Arts Council:** Join us for our monthly meeting, Jan. 5 at 9:00 am in Nelson Lounge. We welcome anyone who is interested in learning more about our projects. Also, we will tour the David Hockney show at the Heard Museum on Jan. 24 at 10:00. All are welcome to join!

**Interrobang:** We meet weekly following service at 11:15 am in Nelson Lounge. Join us Jan. 5 for a presentation by Dean Levene: "A brief review of Quantum Mechanics". All are welcome!

**Cruisin' Cuisines:** We meet monthly at different venues for fellowship and delicious cuisine. Details for our next get together coming soon. Please give our hosts a call if you are interested in joining the next get together: Mike and Nancy Klatt at dklatt0785@aol.com/ or call (602) 246-2606.

**Community Life Ministry:** CLM meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 6 pm in the Nelson Hall Lounge. Our next open meeting will be Jan. 13 and everyone is welcome! And mark your calendars for Jan. 26 - Our Annual Chili Cook off! We are still looking for a few more Chili chefs! There will be prizes again! Stay tuned!

**The Nonfiction Book Group:** We will meet Feb. 13 at 7:30 pm in Room 4 to discuss the book, "Heartland: A memoir of working hard and being broke in the richest country on earth" by Sarah Smarsh. Please join us.

**Women In Faith:** Women in Faith meets monthly on the second Saturday of the month in Nelson Hall Lounge from 8:45-10:30 am. We will not meet in January, but stay tuned for date and details for our next topic in February. All women are welcome!

**Beatitudes Book Club:** We will be meeting Thursday, Feb. 6 at 5:30 pm in the board room adjacent to Buckwald's Grille to dine and discuss "Educated" by Tara Westover. Please join us.

**Faith In Action:** Do you contribute to ICM, ShoeBox Ministry, Bishops Pantry, Maryland School? Would you like to do more? Come to our monthly meeting on the second Wednesday of each month at 1 pm in the Front Office Conference Room. Giving back to the community is so rewarding especially with friends! All are welcome.

**Mahjong Madness:** We meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 1 pm in Nelson Lounge for an afternoon of Mahjong fun and fellowship. This tile-based game of skill, strategy, calculation and chance is addictive and there's a spot for everyone, including beginners! Contact Marilyn Wong for more information.

**Ruminate-Conversations on Things That Matter:** Join our adult enrichment class with lively dialog on ethical subjects such as sanctity of life, public health, sex and gender, and work. We meet this Sunday at 11:30 am in the Patio Room. Grab a cup of coffee and join Pastor Tony to talk about things that really matter in your life and society. This Sunday's topic is "If you won't kill it, don't eat it."

**\*\*Did I miss something? Click the form: <https://www.beatitudeschurch.org/beatitudes-communications>**

## Spotlight on Duet: Partners in Health & Aging



### ***Finding Meaning and Hope***

#### **A Video Discussion Series for Family Caregivers**

Duet has launched ***Finding Meaning and Hope***, a free ten-part video discussion series based on the book *Loving Someone Who Has Dementia: How to Find Hope While Coping With Stress and Grief*, by Pauline Boss, PhD. This series is designed for full-time, part-time, or long-distance caregivers of loved ones with dementia or other conditions where the care recipient is psychologically absent. The video series is the basis for structured weekly conversations led by a trained Duet facilitator, to help equip caregivers with tools to reduce stress and build resilience. Contact Duet's family caregiver services for additional information.

duetaz.org • (602) 274-5022

#### **Spring 2020 Maricopa County DATES AND LOCATIONS All Series are Free of Charge**

##### **AHWATUKEE**

Wednesdays, February 5 – April 8, 2020

10:30 a.m. - noon

**Pecos Senior Center**, 17010 South 48<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Phoenix 85048

**RSVP:** Pecos Senior Center at (602) 534-5366 or email  
vicki.mcallister@vosymca.org.

##### **CAREFREE**

Thursdays, January 16 – March 19, 2020

10:30 a.m. – noon

**Desert Hills Presbyterian Church**, 34605 North Tom  
Darlington, Scottsdale 85266  
(Scottsdale Road & Carefree Highway)

**RSVP:** Gerald Wood at (480) 525-0752 or email  
woodunits@yahoo.com.

##### **CHANDLER/SUN LAKES**

Tuesdays, January 14 – February 11, 2020

**NOTE:** This session will only cover the first 5 sections  
of the series.

2 – 3:30 p.m.

**The Perfect Place Adult Day Care**, 23914 South Alma  
School Road, Chandler 85248 (The room is located  
*behind* Risen Savior Lutheran Church.)

**RSVP:** Pamela Wood (651) 398-2109 or email  
pamela@essentialservicesinc.com.

\*Free respite is provided.

##### **SCOTTSDALE**

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays, January 13 – May 25, 2020

10 – 11:30 a.m.

**Shepherd of the Desert**, 9590 East Shea Boulevard,  
Scottsdale 85260

**RSVP:** Carol Witt at (480) 314-1851 or email  
wittycarolaz@gmail.com.





## 2019 COB NFL Charity Football Pool

Football Season is almost over! Reminder to all pool participants, Saturday, 12 Noon is the deadline for getting your picks in for the Sunday and Monday games. Please contact Chris Hass or Mike and Nancy Klatt with your picks! UPDATE: We will continue the pool up to and including the Super Bowl. Whoever has the best win record without being sidelined permanently will win the pot for their charity. At present, we have \$690 in the pool currently going to the winning charity!

## HOW CAN I CONNECT AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

### BEATITUDES FAITH IN ACTION!

Faith In Action needs YOU! Outreach has never been easier. Beatitudes Faith In Action ministry connects volunteers with programs like ICM (Interfaith Community Ministry), ShoeBox Ministry, Bishops Pantry and partners with Maryland School. Would you like to do more? Come to our monthly meeting. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 1 pm in the Front Office Conference Room. All are welcome! For more information, contact Dee Sullivan, Chairperson.

## Bishop's Pantry Needs...

Please help restock our pantry!  
We need canned vegetables,  
spaghetti, dried beans, canned  
soup and tuna packets or  
Vienna sausages  
with pop tops for our non-  
cooking bags. You can drop  
your donations at the church  
front office.



We will be hosting the  
families from Family  
Promise once again  
starting January 26, 2020.  
For more information on  
how you can help, please  
contact Kris Nyman at  
[kanboise@msn.com](mailto:kanboise@msn.com)

## CHURCH OF THE BEATITUDES MINISTRIES

### FAITH IN ACTION & ICM



#### BISHOPS PANTRY

**WANTED: PLEASE HELP KEEP OUR PANTRY STOCKED!** We especially need the following: **CANNED VEGETABLES!**, spaghetti, dried beans, canned soup and tuna packets or Vienna sausages with pop tops for our non-cooking bags and hygiene items (e.g. travel size shampoo, body wash, lotion, etc.).

Helping the homeless couldn't be easier! Next time you do your grocery shopping, simply pick up a few of the items listed below and drop it off at the front office. We'll take care of the rest! **Please make note of the expiration dates on your donations-We can't accept items with expired dates!**

For a complete list, stop by the information desk in the foyer. Some of the essential staple items needed are: CANNED FRUIT, VEGETABLES, PEANUT BUTTER, JELLY, CRACKERS, SOUPS, BEEF STEW, CHILLI. RAVIOLI, DRY PASTA, SPAGHETTI SAUCE, MAC & CHEESE BOXES, CANNED TUNA & MEATS, & BREAKFAST BARS & CEREAL. WE HAVE PLENTY OF APPLESAUCE AND DRIED BEANS & RICE FOR NOW. HYGEINE ITEMS ARE ALSO NEEDED.

**ICM (Interfaith Community Ministry)** is always in need of clothing, food, and household items. If you are cleaning out cupboards and closets, before you discard, give thought to the possibility that ICM clients could use it. ICM serves the low income working people, after they pay their rent and utilities, there is very little money left. We can lend a helping hand!

**WANTED: EMPTY SHOE BOXES FOR THE HUMANE SOCIETY!** Shoe boxes of any size, with or without lids, are needed for the kittens to provide them a place to feel secure and snuggle. You can add a small towel or soft fabric if you wish. The box is theirs during their stay. We will be a designated collection point, and the Humane Society will pick empty boxes up on a certain date each month. **Please bring any shoe boxes you can part with on the last Sunday of the month.** Place them next to the Faith in Action baskets in the Narthex or you can also drop them at the front office. Make a cuddly kitten happy and secure!

## BEATITUDES VOLUNTEERS: IMPACTING LIVES TODAY!

### VOLUNTEERING *INSIDE* BEATITUDES

#### CLM COOKIE CUPBOARD

Are you a baker? CLM Cookie Cupboard is bare and needs your goodies to serve during social hour after church. These can be store bought or homemade. You can freeze your goodies and bring them to Gayle Lawson who is always accepting donations. Thanks so much!

#### PLAZA GREETERS

A church greeter is the first- and last-person people see when visiting a church. But it's more than a hand shake. Greeters play a vital role in forming a visitor's first impression of our church and, to some, their first impression of Jesus. You play a significant role in ensuring that people see and experience the love of CoB. If this sounds like you, please contact Janelle Tapphorn

[jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org](mailto:jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org) for further information on becoming the face of Beatitudes!

#### USHERS

Do you have a servant heart? Sign up to Usher today! Ushers play a vital role in our weekly service by greeting people, handing out bulletins, and helping direct people to find restrooms and locations of other campus meeting rooms, taking up the offertory collection and serving communion to our members. After service, they go through the aisles and pick up lost items and used bulletins. This is an easy way to get involved with our church as well as get to know everyone better. If you're interested in being a difference maker, please sign up by contacting Joyce Glazner at [jagphxaz@q.com](mailto:jagphxaz@q.com)

### VOLUNTEERING *OUTSIDE* BEATITUDES

#### ICM

ICM Food & Clothing Bank is looking for volunteers Monday – Friday from 8:45 – 11:30 am. There are several positions open where volunteers of all ages can help. Please contact [beth@icmaz.org](mailto:beth@icmaz.org) or 602-254-7450 for more information.

#### FAITH IN ACTION

Faith in Action extends a grateful "thank you" to all of you who bring items regularly for Bishops Pantry. Your donations are a vital help in filling bags for our clients who come to our door every week. See list above on page 15 for items needed.

#### JUSTA CENTER

Justa Center serves homeless senior individuals. They are in need of donations to purchase food and volunteers to serve at the Justa Center, 1001 West Jefferson, Phoenix (SE corner of 10th Ave and Jefferson). You can make your donations to COB designating Justa Center. To volunteer, register with Doris or Pat at [damcvey@cox.net](mailto:damcvey@cox.net)

Learn more about the Justa Center - Watch these videos

Overview: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dKLDwbDeUdY>

The Beatitudes Bunch serve lunch: <https://youtu.be/54oK2uZ9vPU>



## Online Giving is Easy!

You may choose to give to the church in a variety of ways. Our church supports the community as well as programs that help the homeless and school children in our area. If you feel called, please donate here:

[Donate Here](#)

---

## How Can I Join Beatitudes Church?



Considering membership with Beatitudes Church? We will equip you with the essentials of how to connect with our church family and community. To learn more and take your next step at Beatitudes, contact Janelle Tapphorn at (602) 264-1221 ext. 103 or email at: [jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org](mailto:jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org)

## What Can I See On The Beatitudes Church Website?

**As a Church Member:** You have access through the membership portal to the Board and Congregational Meeting Minutes plus everything visitors receive.

**As a Church Member/Visitor:**

- Calendar of Events, Spiritual Practices, Renovation Updates
- Access the Beatitudes Radio Show - Weekly Sermons (at the bottom of the home page, you can listen right there), Dialogue and Interviews by Pastor Tony.
- Weekly Blog
- See the most recent Facebook Post (at the bottom of the home page) and Like our Facebook Page
- Sign Up for the Newsletter *The Beat*

Visit us online at [www.beatitudeschurch.org](http://www.beatitudeschurch.org), accessible on your iPhone, Android Phone or device and on your PC.

---

## Promote Beatitudes...it's easy!

- Reviews, Reviews, Reviews: How often do you Google search a restaurant and go based on the reviews you've read? The same is true for our digital footprint. Write a review about your experience at Church of the Beatitudes on Google and/or Yelp. Ask Comm. Specialist, Janelle, for assistance if you're unsure how.
- Follow us on Facebook and SHARE our posts with your network of followers.
- A good ole' fashioned in-person invite will also work! Did you know that approximately 82% of the unchurched are at least somewhat likely to attend church if simply invited? That's a lot of people who need your invite!

*Make God's Love Real*