

## This Week, January 19 - 25

Mon	1/19	<b>OFFICE CLOSED FOR MLK DAY</b>
		10:15 am Prayer Force
Tues	1/20	9:45 am Serve @ St. Mary's 1:00 pm Staff Meeting 4:00 pm Finance Committee 6:00 pm Spiritual Visioning
Wed	1/21	9:00 am Women's Bible Study OR 10:30 am Women's Bible Study 1:00 pm Grief Group at Fellowship Square 1:00 pm Missions Committee 6:00 pm Choir practice 7:30 pm Praise Team practice
Fri	1/23	8:00 am Co-Ed Breakfast & Bible Study at Fellowship Square
Sat	1/24	10:00 am Eve's Cookers 1:00 pm Youth meet for Feed My Starving Children
Sun	1/25	9:00 am Adult Sunday School 10:00 am Coffee/Fellowship 10:30 am Worship with youth, elementary & Pre-K Sunday School 11:45 am Handbell Rehearsal

## Worship Attendance Last Week: 142

### Sunday School Attendance

Adult: 13 Youth: 2 Elementary: 1 Nursery: 2

### Scripture for Next Sunday

Luke 13: 10-17

Noisy Offering for 1/11: not collected

## First-Time Guests!

### Welcome to New Song!

We are delighted you joined us for worship. It is our prayer that you will find friendly people and experience the presence of God.

To learn more about New Song, pick up a Visitor's Booklet at the Information Center.



### Parents, your children are welcome here!

Children and youth are dismissed to Sunday School after the Children's Message except for Communion Sundays when they stay in Worship. Nursery/Preschool is available every Sunday. There are Busy Bags in the back of the Sanctuary and Children's Bulletins at the Information Center. Please ask an Usher if you need help.



Need a Stephen Minister?  
Look for people wearing the blue Stephen Minister name badge before or after the service.

### Ministries to Pray for in January

Ajo Federated, Ajo  
Arizona Korean UMF, Peoria  
Calvary UMC, Phoenix

Be sure to follow us on our Facebook page:

New Song UMC Surprise AZ

New Song Surprise ([youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com))



## RING AND RESOUND: A HANDBELL EXPERIENCE

Curious about the music you *see* and *hear* from our handbell choir? Join us for a one-hour workshop open to the entire congregation! We'll explore the **history and mechanics of handbells**, learn a few **music-reading basics**, and end with a **hands-on try-the-bells session**—no experience required. Come discover the joy of ringing together **Saturday January 31st at 10:00** in the New Song Sanctuary.

## WE ARE GETTING CLOSER!

Our 2025 Yearbook/ 2026 Directory is taking shape. We have pictures for almost 100 families! All members and friends of New Song are welcome to be part of it.

The pictures are taken on Sundays after church. Walk down the hallway after services to have your picture taken. Or contact the church office at 623-584-9418 or [newsong.surpriseaz@gmail.com](mailto:newsong.surpriseaz@gmail.com) to reserve your date.

Don't forget to fill out your information! We want to be sure we have permission to print everyone's information.

## GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP IS MEETING!

The Grief Group is held at Fellowship Square in the Granite Mountain Room (GMR 2<sup>nd</sup> floor). It is held once a week on **Wednesdays at 1 pm** until April 1, 2026, and runs about 2 hours. People are still welcome to join.

The GriefShare Program is used, which has a subject video, then a break, and then small group discussions. Workbooks will be provided, and a \$20.00 donation would be appreciated

## THE LIFE OF JESUS IN 100 DAYS

New Song is studying the Life of Jesus in 100 days. This includes daily readings as well as the sermon series.  
Look for Part 2 next week.

## FARMER'S MARKET GRAND RE-OPENING

Saturday, February 7  
3 - 7 pm or when it gets dark

Need something included in the Sunday bulletin insert or blast?  
Email information by Tuesday to:  
[newsong.surpriseaz@gmail.com](mailto:newsong.surpriseaz@gmail.com)