

The Church of the Red Rocks - United Church of Christ
An Open and Affirming Faith Community

March 16, 2025
Second Sunday of Lent

*Congregation standing in body or in spirit

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Come in, make space in your heart and thoughts,
for the Divine presence of God.*

PRELUDE "O Jesus, I Have Promised" arr. David Smither
Alec Wilkes, piano

*** CALL TO WORSHIP** Judith Glenn

When the world around me is disturbing, where do I turn?

The psalms say, "The Lord is my light and my salvation."

When I am afraid, what can I count on?

"The Lord is a fortress protecting my life."

We gather in the assurance of God's love.

Let us worship God together!

*** OPENING HYMN** "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" #472

*** PRAYER FOR TRANSFORMATION**

Loving God, too many of us have been victims of violence. Too many of us have committed or contributed violence. Forgive us, O God. We desire to follow the Prince of Peace. We desire to be made anew. This we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Please be seated

NEW MEMBER JOINING

Greg and Louise Bridges

Beth Hawkins Kingsley

John and Linda Hogenson

Betsy Wallace, Lance and Patty Lamons (in absentia)

Visitors, before you leave, visit our welcome table and help us stay in contact with you by filling out the Visitor Contact Card.

We want to keep our beloved members and friends in our prayers. Please pray for: **Gene M. • John M • John & Antonia S. Davis H. • Diane VM. • Helene L • Chuck G. • Elaine G. • Jeri •**

If you know anyone in need of prayers, please contact the church office.

Coming up in March

March 16 - Instant Church Directory Pictures in PCH

March 17 - The Edge

March 18 - Baby Shower for migrant parents

March 18 - Sedona Winds Bible Study

March 23 - Rev. Dr. Elizabeth LeMaster

- Guest preacher 9:30 am worship service

March 26 - Journey of Aging

March 27 - Women's Interfaith Luncheon

March 30 - acapella sedona Concert

OUR MISSION

**Through Christian Worship, Education and Mission
we share and celebrate Faith in God with all.**

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