

CEREMONY OF WORSHIP

Announcements

Song: *Come Worship Christ the King*

Welcome & Scripture Reading

Song: *I Stand in Awe*

Prayer

Song: *Hallelujah! What a Savior*

Communion

Offering

CBH Dismissal **

Song: *Give Thanks to the Lord*

Sermon

Song: *Faithful Love*

Final Blessing

Song: *Blessed Be the Name of the Lord*

** In observance of the Lord's Supper, (Communion) each participant takes some of the bread and a small cup of unfermented grape juice as it is passed. All believers are invited to participate. This is how we remember Jesus each week. See 1 Corinthians 11:23-25.*

➔ *Gluten-free bread is available in the Communion Prep room.*

**** Our Children's Bible Hour** is available for children ages 3 years through 2nd Grade in the Education Building during the 10:45 AM service. We ask that a parent or guardian check-in their child for CBH and check them out at the close of worship service.

LESSON NOTES

Mexico City Missions ~ Matthew 28:18-20

ON THE TRAIL

Sunday Worship (1st):	70
Sunday Worship (2nd):	123
Sunday Bible Classes:	81
Contribution for 5/20:	\$9,530
Weekly YTD Average:	\$10,936
Weekly Budget:	\$10,500

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LOCATION & HOURS

Church Offices are open
Tuesdays - Fridays, 9 AM - 4 PM

34975 N. North Valley Parkway
Phoenix, AZ 85086

Worship Center - Bldg. 2
Education/Classrooms - Bldg. 4
Offices - Bldg. 8, Suite 152

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GATHERING TIMES

Sunday Morning

8:30 AM 1st Worship Service
9:45 AM Bible Studies
10:45 AM 2nd Worship Service

Small Groups

Our small groups meet at various times and locations throughout the valley. This is a great way to become involved in a short amount of time and get to know other people or families who are in the same phase of life as you, or even have the same interests as you. See the printed list or visit our website for details on our current groups.

CHILD SAFETY

We strive to make Canyon Church a safe place for all ages, including children. Our security desk is staffed Sundays from **9:30 AM to 12:00 PM** in the Education Building, and we ask that a parent or guardian check-in and check-out their child (ages newborn to 5th Grade) for nursery, classes, and Children's Bible Hour.

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

- **Restrooms** are located in the north worship center lobby, and in the middle of the education building.
- **Water and refreshments** are available at the canteen, located in the north worship center lobby.
- A **cry room** is available for use in the rear of the worship center, accessed from the north lobby.
- A fully-staffed **nursery** for newborns to children up to 2 years old is available in the education building, room 403, during the 10:45 AM worship service.
- **Listening devices** for the hearing impaired can be obtained at the worship center sound booth.
- **Sheet music** for today's service is available in the worship center lobbies.



MAY 27, 2018

TODAY'S GUEST SPEAKER

Please join us in welcoming today's guest speaker and AIM Missionary, Princeton Palmer. Continue reading below for an overview of their work in Mexico City, and if you're interested in knowing more about our International Missions, please contact our ministry leaders, Micah Walker or Isaiah Etukeren.



I was born and raised in India, moved to the UK at age 14, and to the US at 18. I met my wife, Dani, in Lubbock, TX, as we both enrolled for a missions apprenticeship program called Adventures in Missions (AIM). We would go on to work as apprentice missionaries with the Leon Sur Church of Christ in Leon, Mexico, for nearly two years. Upon graduating from AIM, I continued my studies at Sunset International Bible Institute and graduated with a Bachelor's in Biblical Studies. We were married in September 2013, and our baby boy, Elijah, was born April 2016. We have been working in Mexico City with the Metropolitan Church of Christ since April 2015, and we plan to be here for at least another couple years more. Our ministries include:

- An evangelistic outreach effort designed to bring the Good News of Jesus through free English classes. I currently offer classes three times a week, with a combined average attendance of around 45 students. In the past three years, we've had six people obey the gospel with five faithfully following.
- For those of my students that are interested in studying the Word of God further, I offer one-on-one Bible studies. There are currently four students in whom I'm heavily invested.
- I lead a small group Bible study during the week at the home of a church member on Thursdays.
- I actively disciple four young men; ages ranging from 16 to 22.
- I work in partnership with another missionary to develop the teaching curriculum for our congregation. I teach extensively and would consider it the backbone of my ministry. I also preach and lead songs from time to time, and serve in other ways as needed.
- Besides being a full-time mom, beginning late last year, Dani assumed the role of Children's Education Coordinator for our congregation.

This is just a brief overview of our main ministries here in Mexico City. I would like to extend an invitation for you to come see first-hand the work that God is accomplishing in this enormous city through these fragile "jars of clay." ~ *Princeton Palmer*

*Our mission is to lead people to a growing relationship with Jesus Christ...
• Loving God • Connecting People • Unleashing Compassion •*



NEW SUMMER CLASSES START NEXT SUNDAY!

Next Sunday is the day! Our new adult summer classes will be starting on Sunday, June 3rd at 9:45 AM. We offer classes for adults and all ages of children and teens. See below for more details on topics and locations. Don't miss out - plan on trying out a new class next Sunday.

NEW CLASSES STARTING ON JUNE 3 AT 9:45 AM

- **Adults - What's So Amazing About Grace**, led by Steve Huffman in the Worship Center Auditorium. How can Christians contend graciously with moral issues that threaten all they hold dear? If grace is God's love for the undeserving, then what does it look like in action? And if Christians are its sole dispensers, then how are we doing at pouring out grace on a world that knows far more of cruelty and unforgiveness than it does of mercy?
- **Adults - The Basics for New Christians**, led by Jay Carter and Bob Lamkin in the Office Conference Room (Bldg. 8, Suite 152). So Jesus died for our sins, now what? Explore what it means to live a life full of purpose and meaning, in light of God's bigger story for our lives.
- **Adults - The Source of My Strength**, led by Wyane Atkinson in the Education Bldg. (Bldg. 4), Room 406. This Biblically-based class will examine how to overcome fear, loneliness, guilt, abuse, and other such things that bring pain into our lives.
- **Adult Women - Anxious for Nothing**, led by Eva Atkinson, BJ Huffman, and Davina White in the Worship Center Conference Room. This class will help you find calm in a chaotic world. Experience more joy, clarity, physical renewal, and contentment.
- **Jr. High & High School Students - Where Do I Fit?**, led by Dalton Johnson in the Education Bldg. (Bldg. 4), Youth Room (Room 407).
- **3rd - 5th Graders - HeartShapers Curriculum**, led by Sindy Green, in the Education Bldg. (Bldg. 4), Room 402.
- **Kindergarten - 2nd Grade - HeartShapers Curriculum**, led by Carissa Houston in the Education Bldg. (Bldg. 4), Room 404.
- **Preschool (3 to 4 Years Old) - HeartShapers Curriculum**, led by Taran Mason in the Education Bldg. (Bldg. 4), Room 403.
- **Cradle Roll (Newborns - 2 Years Old)**, led by Gina Browné in the Education Bldg. (Bldg. 4), Nursery (Rm 401).

COMING EVENTS

THIS WEEK - Small Groups meet at various times and locations.
TODAY- Guest Speaker, AIM Missionary to Mexico City, Princeton Palmer.
May 28 - Church offices closed for Memorial Day.
June 2 - Prison Ministry Information Session, 8:30 AM, more details within.
June 3 - New Summer Classes start at Canyon, more details within.
June 3 - Guest Speaker, Canyon Member, Mike Jones.
June 6 - Ministry Meetings, contact your Ministry Leader for details.
June 12 - Trailblazers Luncheon, 11 AM, watch for more details soon.
June 24 - Potluck to Celebrate 15 Years at Canyon Church, 12 Noon.

Visit our Calendar at canyonchurch.org for all upcoming events.

PRAY FOR OUR ELDERS

Please pray for Canyon's elders as they continue to search for a new Senior Minister.



STAY CONNECTED

We have many ways to stay connected here at Canyon. We send out important reminders through twice-a-week emails. There is always good information on Canyon's website and online calendar at canyonchurch.org. You can also follow us on Instagram, Twitter (@canyonchurch), and Facebook. If you are not receiving the weekly emails, or if your contact information has changed (phone, email, address) please contact the church office at 623-889-3388 or staff@canyonchurch.org.



CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED

Our church offices will be closed tomorrow, Monday, May 28 in observation of the Memorial Day holiday.



GUESTS - LET'S CONNECT!

If you are a guest with us today, we thank God for you and are so glad you were able to join us. Please let us know you were here with us today. Take a moment and fill out the orange Guest Connection card (located in the pocket on the chair backs) and place it in the offering tray when it is passed today during the giving portion of our service. If you're interested in learning more about Canyon church and how you can get plugged in, be sure to flip the card over and check the interest boxes on the back.

HOW CAN WE PRAY?

Prayer requests can be made by filling out the gold colored prayer card (located in the pocket on the chairs) and placing it in the offering tray when it is passed today during the Giving portion of our service. Copies of these cards are made available at the end of the sermon for individuals to take one home and pray over. The full list of prayer requests is published in our weekly email and paper copies are also provided at the member table. Prayer cards marked "confidential" will not be copied or published and will only be seen by our elders and ministers.

PRESENTATION ON PRISON MINISTRY

We are proud to partner with Alongside Ministries and their work with incarcerated Christians while in prison and after they are released and transitioning back to society. To learn more, we encourage you to attend their *Beyond the Bars* presentation on this coming Saturday, June 2 at 8:30 AM at their main center (2601 W. Belmont Ave.). Tour their facilities, hear testimonies, and listen to how they aid our Christian brothers and sisters to transition from prison to society. This is a great opportunity to live on mission and unleash compassion right in our own community. Be sure to RSVP to sstaub@asmaz.com (or 602- 995-9484) if you would like to attend. You can also learn more from Canyon member and ASM Women's Ministry Director, Brenda Gentry, (pictured above) at 602-885-0767 or bgentry@asmaz.com.



PRAY FOR ALL OUR MISSIONARIES

 Princeton & Dani Palmer Mexico City, Mexico	 Emmanuel Essien Uyo, Nigeria	 Prince & Regina Ugbe Obudu, Nigeria
 Tim & Mary Henderson Aruba Dutch Caribbean	 Sarah McClue Missionary in Training Sunset Intl. Bible Institute	 Theresa Killingsworth Short Term Missions Dominican Republic

CANYON YOUTH GROUP (CYG) CALENDAR

- ★ **ONGOING** - Registration is now open for summer camps. Check your email for full details.
- ★ **TODAY** - 9:45 AM Bible classes for Junior High (Room 405) & High School (Youth Rm).
- ★ **TODAY**- CYG Sunday, cancelled.
- ★ **May 30** - CYG Wednesday, 7 PM, Youth Rm.
- ★ **June 3-9** - High School Summer Camp at Copper Basin Bible Camp.
- ★ **June 16** - CYG Game Night, 6 PM.

Get involved! Contact our Youth & Family Minister, Dalton Johnson at dalton@canyonchurch.org

