

A stylized illustration of two palm trees with long, thin trunks and large, feathery fronds. Above the trees, three small birds are flying in a V-formation.

# Mesa + Palms

*Seventh-day Adventist Church*

God's Love: Knowing, Growing, Showing



**September 6, 2025**

# Church Life

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## CALENDAR

**Today:**

**Fellowship meal**

**Sunset 6:45 p.m.**

**After church**

**Tuesday: Bulletin deadline**

**7:00 p.m.**

**Church board meeting**

**6:30 p.m.**

**Friday:**

**Sunset 6:36 p.m.**

**Sabbath, September 13**

**Speaker: Elder Ray Navarro**

**Offering: World Budget/Radio Ministries**

**Presiding Elder: Sharon Judd**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**A warm welcome** to all of our visitors here today. We are blessed by your presence and hope that you are blessed, too.

**Celebration of Life** for Bob Mitchell today at 2:00 p.m.

**Stop by the cart** in the foyer and take a sackful of books to add to your home library.

**Pastor Tunnell** has accepted the call to be the pastor of Mesa Palms. He will continue his sabbatical during September and plans to move to Arizona in October. His first Sabbath at Mesa Palms will be Nov. 1, 2025, as our new pastor.

**Although the MP Projects** goal amount has been raised, funds can still be accepted. Please continue to mark offerings given as either "MP Projects" or "Building Fund Phase 2," so that funds can be applied as desired.

**A Celebration of Life** will be held for Rick Kowalski on September 28 at 3:00 p.m. here at the church

**Hey Kids!** Pathfinders and Adventurers will be starting up again soon. Plan now to join the fun of these great clubs. Watch for more information to come.

**Ladies!** Save the date of October 5 to join the next women's ministry gathering. Watch for more upcoming information.

### TODAY

**Elder of the Week**  
**Worship Team Leader**  
**Organist**  
**Pianist**

**Sharon Judd**  
**Dan Simmons**  
**Alice Ray**  
**Cindy Ellis**

# Welcome to Worship

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## SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES—9:30 a.m.

Cradle Roll/Kindergarten

Nancy Baker

Primary

René Morehouse

Junior

Jo Shuck

Youth

Crystal Stevenson

Adult 1

*Sanctuary*

Pastor Buursma

Adult 2

*Fellowship Hall*

Don & Randy

Adult 3

*Last classroom in NE hall*

Allen Morehouse

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## CHURCH SERVICE—10:55 a.m.

### GOD GATHERS

Prelude

Alice Ray

Meet and Greet

Congregation

Invocation, Welcome, & Announcements

Francis Obaigwa

### PEOPLE SURRENDER

Children's Offering & Story

Crystal Stevenson

Worship in Giving

*Church Budget*

Francis Obaigwa

Worship in Singing

Worship Team

Garden of Prayer

Cynthia Obaigwa

Special Music

Dan Simmons

### GOD SPEAKS

Scripture Reading

*Matthew 24:5-6*

Shayla Nyarombe

Sermon

*The Last Days*

Randy Brower

### PEOPLE RESPOND

Hymn of Dedication

*Be Thou My Vision*

Worship Team

Benediction

Randy Brower

### GOD SENDS

Postlude

Alice Ray

*Be Faithful*

“While it looks like things are out of control, behind the scenes there is a God who hasn't surrendered His authority.”  
~ G.W. Tozer ~



**Mesa Palms Mission Statement**

**Following Christ by creating an environment for a healthy, loving relationship with Him and His family.**

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