

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Widows and Widowers Luncheon | Today

Meet at Barro's Pizza at 410 North Wilmot Road for lunch and fellowship following the morning service.

### Missions Conference | October 15th-18th

Missions Conference begins in two short weeks on October 15th. The conference schedule begins Sunday in each Growth Group at 9:15 AM followed by a combined worship service at 10:30 AM. Then, we will have lunch together and jump right into our second service from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday services all begin at 6:30 PM. Childcare will be provided for all services! Mission's Conference is all about hearing from missionaries about the need for the Gospel around the world and taking action to support them in spreading the Good News!

### SALT Trip | October 27th

Enjoy a visit to the Amerind Museum in Dragoon, Arizona and then eat lunch at the Horseshoe Cafe in Benson. The cost is just \$30 which covers transportation, museum entry fee and lunch. Please sign up in the lobby.

**Please take a moment to recognize those who are celebrating their special day! If your name is missing, please contact the church office.**

#### Birthdays

- 1 Emma Dawson
- 2 Esther Haines
- 2 Peggy Holder
- 2 Sandy Lukehart
- 3 Peg Lavergne
- 5 Daniel Baltierrez
- 5 Alice Homola
- 5 Gene Yager

#### Anniversaries

- 2 Aaron & Alexis Yost
- 3 Rodrigo & Kassy Gonzalez
- 3 Rudy & Lourina Grijalva
- 3 Mack & Deborah Piotrowski
- 6 Kevin & Irma Copeland
- 6 Bob & Kay Crouch
- 6 Dave & Virginia Deschamps



## BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL

Tucson Baptist Church  
October 1, 2023  
AM Worship Service  
Pastor Brent D. Armstrong

**Text Passage:** Matthew 5:7

🕒 **Lamentations 3:22-23; Psalm 103:11, 145:9**

<b>DISCOVERY #1:</b>
<b>THE _____ OF MERCY</b>

- Mercy is \_\_\_\_\_ that goes into \_\_\_\_\_.

**Mercy** | to be compassionate, to show compassion

🕒 **Isaiah 42:3; John 8:7-11**

- Mercy is not \_\_\_\_\_.
- Mercy is more than just a \_\_\_\_\_.

⊙ Luke 6:21

Pity is a feeling. Mercy steps into action.

Mercy is the loveliest of the virtues.

The quality of mercy is not stained,  
It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven.  
Upon the place beneath: it is twice blest;  
It blesseth him that gives and him that takes.  
– *The Merchant of Venice* William Shakespeare

- Mercy is a mark of true \_\_\_\_\_.

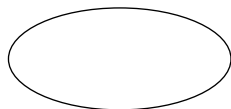
**DISCOVERY #2:**  
**AN \_\_\_\_\_ OF MERCY**

⊙ Luke 10:25-29, 36

1. Mercy can come from \_\_\_\_\_ sources.
2. Mercy throws off racial prejudices, cultural bias and religious self-righteousness and gets involved.
3. Mercy makes a \_\_\_\_\_.

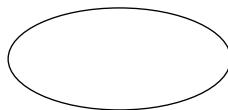
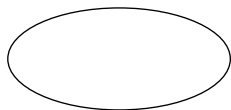
**DISCOVERY #3:**  
**\_\_\_\_\_ OF MERCY**

- Mercy and \_\_\_\_\_



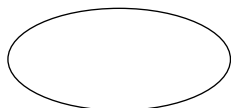
⊙ Ephesians 2:4-5

- Mercy and \_\_\_\_\_



⊙ Titus 3:5

- Mercy and \_\_\_\_\_



Justice gives exactly what is due. Mercy gives less than is due.

**DISCOVERY #4:**  
**THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF MERCY**

- Mercy comes only from \_\_\_\_\_.
- The greatest act of mercy was the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ.

*All the mercy that God ever will give man He has already had, when Christ died. That is the totality of mercy. There could not be anymore... The fountain is now opened and it is flowing and it continues to flow freely. – Donald Barnhouse*

*Mercy there was great and grace was free;  
pardon there was multiplied to me;  
there my burdened soul found liberty,  
[where] at Calvary!*

**DISCOVERY #5:**  
**THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF MERCY**

- We practice mercy by having \_\_\_\_\_ for others.
- We practice mercy by \_\_\_\_\_ for others.

⊙ Luke 23:34; Acts 7:60

- We practice mercy by \_\_\_\_\_ the Gospel to others.

**DISCOVERY #6:**  
**THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF MERCY**

- Those who \_\_\_\_\_ mercy shall obtain mercy.
- It is only those who are \_\_\_\_\_ that obtain mercy from God.

⊙ II Samuel 22:26; James 2:13; Matthew 6:14-15