

THE WAY OF FORGIVENESS

Pastor Jonathan Armstrong | July 12, 2026

TEXT: Luke 23:26-38

BIG IDEA: The cross reveals the forgiveness we have received and the forgiveness we must extend.

Matthew 26:38, 47-49, 55-56; John 18:22-23;
Mark 14:65, 15:15; Isaiah 52:14; Mark 15:16-20

#1: FORGIVENESS _____ CHRIST.

Ephesians 4:32

#2: FORGIVENESS _____ YOUR DEBT.

Colossians 2:13-15; Isaiah 53:6; Romans 5:12

#3: FORGIVENESS _____ MERCY.

Jesus shows us that forgiveness is choosing mercy when justice feels justified.

Romans 6:23

#4: FORGIVENESS _____ FREEDOM.

John 8:36; Colossians 3:13-15

LEARNING TO LIVE

#1: What past hurt still has you in bondage today?

#2: Do you choose to extend mercy or seek justice for those who have hurt you?

#3: Have you experienced true forgiveness in Christ?

ANNOUNCEMENTS

68th Anniversary of Tucson Baptist Church | July 19th

Join us as we look back and celebrate all that God has done in and through Tucson Baptist Church in the last 68 years. We will begin the celebration service at 10:30 AM followed by lunch.

SALT Day Trip | July 20th

Senior adults, enjoy fellowship on the SALT Day Trip to Tombstone. The trip itself is completely free, though you will need to cover the cost of your own lunch. Sign up today in the lobby with Dave and Beth Siress.

Marriage Retreat | July 23rd - 25th

Invest in your relationship at our Marriage Retreat in Flagstaff, Arizona. We will hear from Pastor Matt Teis & his wife, Breanna, from Liberty Baptist Church in Las Vegas. The cost is \$350 per couple. Sign up on the Church Center app or website under events.

Birthdays

28 Wyatt Newbern
29 Vicky Curtis
30 Jerry Helton
1 David McBride
1 Savannah Merkel
2 Haim Kiemde
3 Richard Edens
4 John Coleman
4 Nick Reeder
5 Alexa Englert
5 Jesus Jr. Padilla
5 Tamina Abdukarimov
6 Rafael Pivaral
7 Ada Polan
7 Gail Reames
7 Jody Lawton
7 Josh McLaren
7 Karla Cruce
8 Briella Garnett
10 Albert Winn
10 Clare Borboa
10 Jack Walton
10 Marlene Erickson
11 Darcel Molen
12 Alison Yonai

12 Diego Muñoz
13 Caleb Craft
13 Karen McCarthy-Lee
14 Elijah Phillips
15 Dan McCarthy
15 Ezra Salazar
15 Kassy Gonzalez
16 Roberta Blair
17 Eric Nelson
17 Jeffrey Abdukarimov

Anniversaries

5 Jeremy & Alayna Traynor
5 Justin & Rebecca Benard
9 Robert & Kum Hensley
10 Joe & Janet Jones
14 Dave & Beth Siress
15 Daren & Chloe Hatfield
15 Greg & Renee Markling

Pastor Armstrong loves to celebrate our church family! If your birthday is this week, stop by Guest Services to pick up your gift!