



► **TAIZÉ** | Tuesday, December 2, 7pm
Meets in the Sanctuary – Taizé worship meets the first Tuesday of each month, offering songs, scripture, silence, and prayer in a gentle, reflective service. All are welcome to this calming pause with God. For more information email the Rev. Jennifer Tucker at: jennifer@saintbarnabas.org

► **FRESH HOLIDAY FINDS AT THE BOOKSTORE!** Christmas is near, and it's a perfect time to visit the **Saint Barnabas Bookstore**. Browse gifts, jewelry, Advent calendars, Bibles, chimes, puzzles, children's books, ornaments, and tabletop trees. Come see our new Christmas merchandise and ask our volunteers about their favorite picks. We look forward to seeing you.



► **CHECK THE SIGNUP GENIUS FOR OTHER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES!**

Pick up a gift request tag on the patio after church on Sunday, **this is the last Sunday to get one**, or email **Kate Fimbres** at kate@saintbarnabas.org to receive one by email. Each tag represents a child whose parent is in prison. By purchasing a Christmas gift, you'll help share love and hope with these families during the holidays. Scan the QR code to the right to see the SignUp Genius, and get in the Christmas spirit!



► **ANGEL TREE GIFTS BLESSING** | Sunday, December 7 | Sanctuary

A joyful spirit will fill our altar as we prepare to bless Angel Tree gifts on December 7 during both worship services. Choose a child's name tag, donate funds for a volunteer shopper, or sign up to deliver gifts. Your support brings hope, love, and Christmas spirit to a child in need. Learn more by contacting **Kate Fimbres** at kate@saintbarnabas.org. For other volunteer opportunities, please visit: saintbarnabas.org/angeltree, or scan the QR code to the left!

► **HOLIDAY FLOWER MEMORIALS** | Order Before December 7

Brighten our altar with your love this season! Consider donating toward poinsettias and Christmas trees in memory of or in thanksgiving for a special loved one. Your gift will help beautify our church home for worship. All thanksgivings/memorials will be listed in our Christmas bulletins. **December 7 will be the last day to order. Thank you!** Scan the QR code to the right or visit saintbarnabas.org/donate-flowers to place your order.



► **A CALL TO GENEROSITY (EXTENDED THROUGH DECEMBER 21)**

Let's help our neighbors affected by the government shutdown and SNAP loss. Over 500,000 people in Maricopa County face food insecurity. Bring nonperishable food to church each Sunday. Drop-off bins are outside the Music Center and on the patio. We'll bless all donations as we share God's love in this time of need. Scan the QR code to the right to see the **Rev. Robert Berra's** message.



► **LUNCH BUNCH** | Sunday, December 14, 11:30am
Wildflower Café (Indian Bend & Scottsdale Rd.)

We meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month, except when there's an all-church lunch. It's an easy way to connect with other young adults, share a meal, and unwind after the morning. No sign-up or RSVP needed—just drop in, stay as long as you like, and enjoy good company in a relaxed setting. If you have questions or want to know what to expect, reach out to **Becky Evans** at 602-550-3103.

► **WITH GRATITUDE FOR KATIE VINGER**

After nearly fifteen years of faithful service, **Katie will retire on December 31, 2025**. If you see her in the office, please share your thanks. We are collecting a purse in her honor; to contribute, visit saintbarnabas.org/give and select "**Katie Vinger's Purse**." Your gift helps us celebrate her retirement and her years of caring service. Scan the QR code to the right to donate. **Thank you!**



Pledge Drive 2026

STATUS TO DATE
LAST YEAR

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Number of Pledges

178

183

Total Dollars

\$884,965

\$995,434

End of Year

LAST YEAR

THIS YEAR

Number of Pledges

344

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Total Dollars

\$1,438,746

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Thank you to all who have made a financial commitment to the life and mission of Saint Barnabas. It makes it possible for us to plan our programming for the year ahead. If you would like to make a pledge, please go to: saintbarnabas.org/pledgenow or call the church office. Our second Gratitude Sunday will be **December 14**, when we will bless all gifts (online, mailed, and in person) received between November 30 through December 14.

**MAKE YOUR
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