

COUPLES, SAVE THE DATE!

BSLC Couples' Dessert - **Saturday, February 27, 7:00-9:00 p.m.**
Fun, Fellowship and yummy dessert. All couples are invited, from newlyweds to 50+year-weds! The last day to sign up is TODAY.

Great Opportunities for Guys

#1 Men's Breakfast and Evergreen Air Museum

All Men and Boys are invited for a day of fun and fellowship on Saturday, **February 27th**, starting with an 8:00 a.m. breakfast at BSLC. Cost is \$20 at signup, and bring a sack lunch or money to buy your lunch. Sign up in the lobby today. Questions: Raul F, Steve S or Lee L

#2 Muscles for Foster Kids

We will provide some physical labor for Royal Family Kids Camp in Silverton on **March 5 or 12**, depending on weather. We will have supplies and tools and food also provided. You can sign up for either or both days. The bus leaves BSLC at 7:00 a.m. and we should get back between 2-4 p.m. Contact Pastor Pete with questions or to sign up.

How Do You Spell Fun...B-I-N-G-O! Come one, come all to a fun evening of food and bingo on **Saturday, March 5**, from 5-7 p.m. We will start with a potluck, and after our tummies are happy, we will get into some active and exciting games of BINGO. There will be prizes...brought by you. Everyone will bring a white elephant gift to put in the prize pile. Your gift can be something that you don't need or use anymore (a knick knack, kitchen tool, game or an item you are ready to part with). For more info, contact Trish M.

First Communion - This year we will be helping you prepare your 5th or 6th grade kids on Sunday, March 6th 2016 from 3:00-5:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. This is an opportunity for child and parent(s) to participate in learning and discussing the gift of Communion. We see it as necessary for at least one parent to join with their child. Each person should bring a Bible and writing instrument.

We usually offer a first Communion on Maundy Thursday (March 24th @ 6:30), but your child is welcome to begin receiving communion any time after they have been prepared by you.

2016 Mexico Mission - The trip dates will be **June 17 – June 28.**

Prayerfully consider joining us this year. For questions, please contact Patty C.

If you are looking for ways to help financially support this year's Mexico mission trip, we are pleased to announce the annual BSLC Mexico Mission Sandwich Giveaway Sunday, March 13. Look for order forms in your church box or in the lobby beginning Feb 28. Each year we provide roll up sandwiches and only ask for a free will offering. 100% of the offering donation goes toward building and ministry projects.

CHILDREN'S TIME - Available during the 11:00 worship service for children 4 yrs. thru 2nd grade in Room 201/203 during the message time. Kids get to be active and parents are free to listen and learn. Children have the option to stay during the sermon or leave with the volunteers after the children's message and return after the sermon message (about 25 min.). Parents are encouraged to volunteer on a rotating basis. **Leaders: Kari S and Judy J**

BSLC Connections

SUNDAY 2/21

8:15/11:00 Worship Services
9:45 am Classes for ALL
6:00 pm Women's AA-Spkr/Disc

MONDAY 2/22

4:45 pm Stretching & Breathing

TUESDAY 2/23

11:00 am Parkinson's Movement
7:00 pm Elders
AA Meeting

WEDNESDAY 2/24

9:00 am Clothing Ministry
10:30 am Pray for all Nations (Women)
4:15 pm Directors Board
4:45 pm Stretching and Breathing

WEDNESDAY (continued)

6:00 pm Refuel Meal: Chicken pot pie, salad and cookies.
6:30 pm Jr. & Sr. High Groups
Kids Community
Pinochle

THURSDAY 2/25

7:00 pm AA Mtg-Big Book Study

SATURDAY 2/27

8:15 am Stretching & Breathing
8:30 am Men's Air Museum Event
7:00 pm Couples Dessert

SUNDAY 2/28

8:15/11:00 Worship Services
9:45 am Classes for ALL
6:00 pm Women's AA-Spkr/Disc

The LWML thanks all of you that have contributed empty prescription bottles for the DayBreak Shelter. We are no longer collecting these bottles as the shelter no longer has this need.

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Growth Groups

If you desire to connect with more people and/or want to mature in your walk with CHRIST, then check out the groups that would love to have you join. Below are the groups that have openings. Contact Kathy or Paul Potter in the office to get information about a group, including where they meet and contact information of the leader.

Mixed Adults (couples & singles)

Mondays 7pm (Every and 1st/3rd)
Wednesdays 10am (over 55's)
Thursdays 7pm (2nd/4th)

Women

Tuesdays 7pm
Wednesdays 9am (Moms)
Thursdays 9 am

Men

Tuesdays 5am & 7am
Wednesdays 10am (Senior Men)
Thursdays 6am
Saturday 7:30am

High School

Wednesdays 6:30pm - 8:00pm



8:15 a.m. • 11:00 a.m. February 21, 2016

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Worship

See JESUS

Welcome

Children of the
Heavenly Father

Follow JESUS

Family Message

See JESUS

Matthew 167:24-27
Message

Follow JESUS

Good, Good Father
Nothing is Holding Me
Back

Communion

Announcements

Offering

Facing a Task
Unfinished

Benediction

Next Week:

Sunday: Matthew 18

Message Outline

Prayer ministry is available in the prayer chapel during the communion time.

Gone Fishing

What I want to remember or think more about...



Pray for One Another

We would like to pray for you! If you have public prayer requests you can share them on your communication card or call the office.

Pray for Family

- Provide strength and comfort for those struggling physically:

Pray for Community

Draw to faith in CHRIST JESUS: Janet, Scott G., Jenn, Jeny, Tanya, Rob, Leah, Alyxis, Ed, Sarah

Caring for this facility takes a little extra work throughout the year. We could use some volunteers for some inside cleaning from now until Easter (perfect for when it is raining).

- Deep cleaning in the kitchen
- Dust upper & lower lobby
- Clean prayer chapel
- Dust on top of cupboards in the office
- Wipe down window sills in fellowship hall, sanctuary, and lower level classrooms
- Clean the blinds in the lower classrooms
- Wipe down the wood on pews in sanctuary
- Clean the thresholds on all entrances

If you would like to give a labor of love, please contact Patti in the office and she will help you with materials and access to the building.

The Trustees have scheduled our Spring Beautification Days for Saturdays, **March 12th** and **March 19th** (weather backup day). Put those dates on your calendar and invite family and friends to join you.

LIFT YOUR VOICE

The next BSLC Choir offering is for Easter on March 27. Rehearsals for that day will be on Sunday evenings from 6:30 -8:00 p.m. starting March 6. All ages from Jr High up are welcome to participate; no training is necessary. Questions can be directed to Rebecca B.



Classes For All

Kids Community

4yrs – Kind.: Easter - I Know That Jesus is Our Lord
1st - 2nd grade: Easter - I Know That Jesus is Our Lord
3rd – 4th grade: Easter- I Know Jesus is Alive!
5th – 6th grade: How Do I Know the Bible is True?

Youth

Jr. High: New Testament - John

Sr. High: New Testament - Hebrews

Adults

Apologetics - This class will present the reasonableness of the Christian faith as well as competing world views so that we will then be better equipped to communicate the gospel, not by debating, but through wise responses and real dialogue with the people in our world. (Facilitated by Jan W - Fellowship A)

Faith & Finances - Navigating a maze of financial challenges is difficult for everyone. In this class we will get a glimpse of God's plan for our finances in a practical, be-in-control kind of way. People from varied financial backgrounds will help us explore money-management skills and biblical stewardship principals that will lead us to long term change. (Facilitated by Steve C - Fellowship B)

Family Member Orientation - We want to invite you to discover what a commitment to follow JESUS with us would look like. We meet for eight Sundays to explore that together. Come and know our story and how we walk together in following JESUS. (Facilitators: Pete L and Paul P - Fellowship C)

SELAH - Join us March 6 at 12:30pm at BSLC for a Holy Interruption from the pace of your life. A chance to breathe deep, slow down and listen for the voice of God who speaks into our hearts unforced rhythms of grace and calls us daughters. **If you are in a small group**, we are giving groups everything they need to do this same thing with the women in your group. You can choose the time and date and location. We'll give you everything else you need. Write "Selah" on your communication card if you are interested in either!

Communion Information

Elders: John R, Chuck, John J

Altar: Sharon

Steve H, Brad, Joe

In *1 Corinthians 11*, Paul tells us of the power of Communion to forgive sins and unite us to JESUS and each other. Paul invites each of us to examine our self so that we receive this gift well. Those who receive communion well are baptized Christians who:

1. Trust in JESUS as their SAVIOR who provides full forgiveness through His death on the cross.
2. Repent of all known sins, wanting to change their life.

In this gift we received the real presence of JESUS and a real unity with each other. If you are not in agreement, it is best to refrain and then come and discuss this with the pastor. If a child has been prepared for communion by formal instruction, they are invited to receive this gift. Anyone may come to receive a blessing. Grape juice and gluten/soy/dairy/nut/corn/yeast-free options are available upon request.

Our Monthly Verse

We love because He first loved us.

1 John 4:19