

Do Good with Jesus

Easter is coming! No fooling, even though it's on **April 1st!** We want to celebrate our Beautiful Savior's resurrection with a delicious Ham, Egg and Pancake Breakfast before the 9:00 a.m. service. We can all make this happen by joining in some way before or after the breakfast. Sign up on your Connection Card of how you can add to the celebration by helping with prepping, cooking, decorating, serving or cleaning up.



Volunteers Needed: We provide an invaluable service of providing a reception after funerals. We have a number of women who serve during the reception, but it would help to have some extra hands depending on the size of the reception. There is also an immediate need for one person to coordinate the meals for the Michael Reid service on March 16. Dora Morrison can instruct what that entails. (Pastor Bill and Anne F will be here to do the service). Please sign up on the Connection Card.

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Saints Alive will be gathering on **Thursday, March 8th**, at 11:00 a.m. for a fun St Patrick's Day celebration beginning with our favorite game WHOOPIE (with prizes) followed up with a Corned Beef and Cabbage Lunch and then recognize March birthdays! Wear Green and share in the fun! Sign up in the lobby or fellowship hall.

"Sing yourselves into His presence!"

Psalm 100:4 (The Message)

Here are two opportunities to prepare musically for Easter.

1. Join the BSLC Choir

Rehearse Sunday evenings, 5 pm, March 11, 18th, and 25th. No experience is needed and all ages are invited to participate. Our director, Rebecca B, makes it easy for everyone to learn parts.

2. Sing-along with Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus"

Instrumentalists and vocalists are rehearsing, 8:30 am, each Saturday in March. Come as often as you like. Sheet music available in the BSLC office.

As a contemporary noted, "Music brings the redeemed closer to God."



2018 Mexico Mission: God is revealing His love in many ways in the Baja Peninsula. Our team will be going down to be part of His messengers of hope June 15th - June 26th 2018

Is He nudging you to go this year? If so, please pick up an application in the lobby or download it from the website. Applications will be taken until April 15 or until the capacity of 30 people is reached.

BSLC Connections

SUNDAY 3/4

8:00 am Prayer in Prayer chapel
9:00 am Worship Service
10:45 AM Classes for All Ages
12:00 pm Sr High Youth Group
Heaven's Grace Church
1:00 pm FOL Church
5:00 pm Bethel Church
6:00 pm Women's AA-Spkr/Disc

MONDAY 3/5

4:45 pm Stretching & Breathing

TUESDAY 3/6

11:00 am Parkinson Movement Grp
6:30 pm Stephen Ministry
7:00 pm AA Meeting

WEDNESDAY 3/7

2:00 pm Pinochle
4:45 pm Stretching & Breathing
6:00 pm Soup Dinner

WEDNESDAY (continued)

6:30 pm Youth Group (Middle Sch)
7:00 pm Lenten Service

THURSDAY 3/8

11:00 am Saints Alive Luncheon
7:00 pm AA Mtg-Big Book Study

SATURDAY 3/10

8:15 am Stretching & Breathing
8:30 am Hallelujah Chorus Practice

SUNDAY 3/11

8:00 am Prayer in Prayer chapel
9:00 am Worship Service
10:45 AM Classes for All Ages
12:00 pm Sr High Youth Group
Heaven's Grace Church
1:00 pm FOL Church
5:00 pm BSLC Easter Choir
Bethel Church
6:00 pm Women's AA-Spkr/Disc

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Pray for One Another

We would like to pray for you! If you have public prayer requests you can share them on the Connection 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



BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Repentance

Love your enemies
and pray for those who persecute you

Matthew 5:44

9:00 a.m. March 4, 2018

Beautiful SAVIOR Lutheran Church
9800 SE 92nd Ave
Happy Valley, OR 97086

Today

Message Notes

- Welcome
- Upon the Cross Extended,
- Jesus Refuge of the Weary,
- Family Message
- Reading: Matthew 5:43-48
- Message
- Communion
- Announcements
- His Story - Uganda
- Offering
- Benediction

Repentance

The flowers on the Altar are given by the Altar Guild to the glory of God.

Today, we have Paul H giving the message. He is an ordained pastor and one of our beloved worship leaders.

Our Monthly Verse

"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1:9



CareNetwork

How Will You Live?

Prayer for families is the very foundation that keeps a family unit together. Have you heard the phrase "A family that prays together stays together"? The concept is true - a family that has their focus on praying to the Lord Jesus Christ has a foundation that may be shaken at times, but it will withstand all that comes against them.

It's important for parents to have their children involved in family prayer because this helps build the children's relationship with the Lord and also teaches them the importance of prayer. Families that pray together establish trust with one another, learn to pray in a fellowship, and come in agreement through Jesus. These disciplines help bring unity to the household.

Taken from www.allaboutprayer.org/prayer-for-families-faq.htm

LENTEN SERVICES

We have Lenten services on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. which include a 6:00 p.m. dinner. Pastor Chuck R will be giving the message this next Wednesday. Youth activities will continue as usual.



Flowers of Love - It is special when the altar flowers are given to honor an event, accomplishment, anniversary, birthday or memory. Anyone can sign up to provide the flowers. The flowers can be bought, picked or arranged by hand. You will be reminded a week before your chosen date. After your bring your flowers, you can pick them up after the late service and enjoy them at home. Simply sign up on the flower chart by the Welcome Center.

Communion Information

Altar: Sharon

Elders: Chuck, John, Lee

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 a 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.

Enjoy People & Walk Together

Sundays 10:30-11:30 a.m.

KIDS COMMUNITY SUNDAY

Nursery (infants thru 3yr)
3yrs - 4yrs **2nd - 3rd grade**
K - 1st grade **4th - 5th grade**

YOUTH

Middle School
Sr. High

ADULTS

A Survey of Luke: The Gospel of Luke is where we see Jesus living among us. If we are to become more like Him, then we too will act out our faith as He did on a day to day basis. We will learn from Him how he nurtured His relationships of UP, IN and OUT. Bring your Bible and readiness to view life through Jesus' eyes and live a greater faith. (Leader: Lee L, Fellowship B)

Women Walking Together: A relaxed and informal space for women of all ages, seasons and walks of life to freely connect, form community, and enjoy time together. This is a non-intimidating place if you are new, feel lost or not sure where you fit. (Leaders: Various, Room 101)



Multi-Gen Event - Everyone is invited to our multigenerational event on **Sunday, March 18**, in the Fellowship Hall after worship service. We will celebrate being a church family with special music, refreshments and Palm Sunday/ Easter crafts. This will be a great chance to meet other people and spend some time getting to

know one another. It would be a good event to invite a friend to come along with you. Kids and adults will have fun, good conversations and learn some new things.

All are invited to join others on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. to pray with like-minded brothers and sisters. You don't have to be a vocal pray-er. Having many who silently agree with the prayers prayed is another plea lifted before God. Children and youth are welcome too. Sometimes their faith is stronger than adults.

Going Deeper

Below are the groups that would welcome new people to grow and learn and care together. Contact Kathy in the office to get more information.

Mixed Adults (couples & singles)

Thursdays 7pm (2nd/4th)

Women

Mondays 10am
 Wednesdays 10am & 6pm
 Thursdays 9am & 4pm

Men

Mondays 7:15am
 Tuesdays 5am & 7am
 Wednesdays 10am (Senior Men)
 Thursdays 6am
 Saturday 7:30am