



A Great Opportunity To Serve Others!

Sharing a meal together fosters a caring community. We provide those opportunities on Wednesdays and Thursdays, and we would like to continue doing the same. Below are some ways you can lovingly serve.

ReFuel Meals on Wednesdays Starts September 7th

Cooks - Come between 1:00 – 2:00 (Meals need to be ready by 5:30)

Servers (5:30 if eating or be here at 6:00 to serve)

Clean up (5:30 if eating or be here at 6:00 to serve)



CSC Meals on Thursdays 2nd Thursday of each month

Cook or assist in meal preparation (Meals need to be put in the oven no later than 1:00, depending on what is being prepared, and you stay 'til transporters pick up between 4:15 – 4:30.)

You are welcome to coordinate (plan and prepare) all of the meals or ask for office staff assistance. We are here to help you. All food is purchased by our fabulous volunteer shoppers and you simply lend a hand in getting the meals ready. If monthly is too often, you can choose which months you are available.

If either ReFuel or CSC is an area of service that Jesus may be leading you, as often as your schedule allows, please let Patti in the office know.

Judy G's women's group has decided that they will participate in a local BSF (Bible Study Fellowship) on Monday nights at 6:45p.m. at Crossroads starting Sept 12. BSF is studying the Gospel of John this year, which may be one of their best studies. If you are interested in doing BSF with them, they will be carpooling on Monday nights. Give Judy a call for questions or to join them.

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BSLC Connections

SUNDAY 8/21

8:15/11:00 Worship Services
4:00 pm Bethel Church
6:00 pm Women's AA-Spkr/Disc

WEDNESDAY (continued)

4:45 pm Stretching & Breathing
6:30-9:00 Youth (Middle & Sr High)
6:30 pm Pinochle

MONDAY 8/22

7:30 am Youth Wild Waves
4:45 pm Stretching & Breathing

THURSDAY 8/25

7:00 pm AA Mtg-Big Book Study
Bethel Bible Group

TUESDAY 8/23

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

SATURDAY 8/27

8:15 am Stretching & Breathing

WEDNESDAY 8/24

9:00 am Clothing Ministry
Pray for all Nations(Women)

SUNDAY 8/28

8:15/11:00 Worship Services
4:00 pm Bethel Church
6:00 pm Women's AA-Spkr/Disc



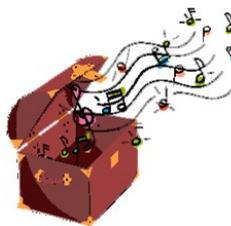
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Loving Beyond Limits

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Perhaps you've heard someone in a failed relationship say, "We always loved each other, but we just couldn't get along." They may have loved much, but they didn't know how to love well.

First Corinthians 13 is great counsel on how to love well in marriage. Loving well is the most essential ingredient for even the most spiritual people. For one thing, loving well brings music to our words (see verse 1). In times of trouble, we can be suspicious of the things our spouse says to us. If our actions don't show love, words of love will only clang in our hearts. But loving behavior makes even our most mundane conversations melodic.



Similarly, loving well adds muscle to our faith (see verse 2). It doesn't matter what kinds of obstacles we overcome or what kinds of insights we have; without acting in love toward those closest to us, even the greatest spiritual accomplishments turn to dust.

Finally, loving well brings value to our sacrifices (see verse 3). In marriage, we often sacrifice for our partner, but there can be a point at which we start keeping track of what those efforts cost us. When we love well, even the smallest sacrifices become treasures rather than points scored.

Excerpt from: NIV Couples Devotional



Examine Yourself



9:00 a.m. August 21, 2016

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

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: Dena & Abi P**

Worship

See JESUS

Welcome

Nicene Creed

Holy Spirit

One Thing Remains

Follow JESUS

Family Message

See JESUS

2 Corinthians 12:14-15,
13:5-9

Message

Communion

Follow JESUS

Announcements

Offering

Benediction

Next Week:

2 Corinthians 12.11 -
13.14

*The flowers on the altar
are provided by Bobbi E in
loving memory of her
sister, Melody.*

In Loving Memory



Message Outline

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

Examine Yourselves
(Message notes I want to remember)

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:

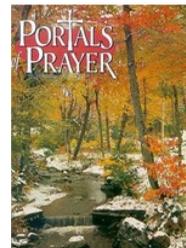
Pray for Community

Draw to faith in CHRIST JESUS: Katie, Tyler, McLissa, Ryan, K.'s neighbors, Joanna, Eric, Tia, Aaron, Alysia

Pray for the World

Kerry - the City Director for International Students, Inc. He and his wife, Josie, lead an outreach to students at WSU-Vancouver. They also oversee the Friendship Corner groups (mostly Asian aviation students) in Hillsboro and Troutdale.

- Pray for enough volunteers and for suitable physical arrangements for the 60 new pilots who are preparing to come to Portland for flight training.
- Pray for the Aviation English classes to help the Chinese pilots with comprehension, accent reduction, and vocabulary in order to better communicate with the control tower.
- Pray for internationals who are currently studying the Book.
- Pray for a strong marriage of Kerry and Josie as they model love, trust, joy, faithfulness, vulnerability and happiness.
- For returning brethren to find a fellowship and continue to grow in learning, understanding and putting into practice what they learn.



The decision has been made to continue the congregation-wide subscription for the Portals of Prayer through the end of this year. The July-Sept issue is available at the Welcome Center and in the upstairs lobby. The Oct-Dec issue will be made available when it comes.

SUNDAY FUN-DAY

SEPTEMBER 4TH FROM 9:45-10:45 AM



Join us for a time of multi-generational fellowship and a chance to get to know your church family! **Between services on Sept 4**, we will gather in the **Fellowship Hall** where we will provide food and a chance for you to enjoy people through times of fun and interaction.

This is for all ages whether single, a couple or a family. Childcare will be provided for children three and under. All other children will be able to engage in the activities (either staying with a parent or mingling in safety). The activities will not be physically active so all may participate.

Boutique EXPOential

We are asking for 40-60 volunteers to join the BSLC Clothing Ministry Team at the EXPO Center on Sunday, Sept 18, from 1:00-7:00 p.m., to assist in bagging up the clothes and shoes for Foster Kids from the resale show. Sunday volunteers can come for a three hour session or the whole six hours (children are welcome if they enjoy working).



We will sort the donations at BSLC on Tuesday (Sept 20), from 9:00a.m.-4:00p.m., and could use 20 people to help with this service of love. If there are still clothes to sort after Tuesday, we will work a short time on Wednesday and would appreciate any available help.

There will be a table next Sunday in the lobby for signing up for dates and times. You can also register online at bslc.com/DoGood/Local. Contact Judy G or Diane S for questions.

Communion Information

Altar: Sharon

Elders: John / John / Chuck
Lee / Scott / 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

Then JESUS came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to ME. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the FATHER and of the SON and of the HOLY SPIRIT, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age. **Matthew 28:18-20**