



EUGENE

CHURCH OF CHRIST

GROWING, WORKING, SHARING...TOGETHER

REACHING OUT

One important thing, as the church, is to reach out with the Word into the community, and to share the Good News with those who don't come to worship or who don't have the opportunity to do so.

Sharing some of our *outreach*: on the fourth Monday of each month 4 or 5 men go to the Eugene Mission to do the Chapel Service. We lead the singing, prayers, and those men who are willing, give a short lesson from God's Word. The men at the Eugene Mission, who attend Chapel, must feel the need to Worship because they voluntarily attend.

Being involved with the Mission one evening a month we have learned more of what the Mission is doing. Not only do they feed a lot of men each day and house them for the evening, but more important, they offer—to those who volunteer—the Eugene Mission's "**Wellness Program**". The Wellness Program helps them to get off of drugs and alcohol, etc. It is a year long program and at the end of the program they have a graduation ceremony where they are recognized in becoming free of their addictions; and, some have already found jobs. This is an excellent program to help the homeless, those who are addicted—men and women—to get their lives back.

Another outreach is singing at Nursing Homes, where the men's ensemble does that occasionally on Sunday afternoons.

There is an after-school program, which a faithful family has taught for many years, and are to be congratulated. They, too, sing in Nursing Homes, and also to some of our own shut-ins.

Those are just a few small ways we are reaching into our community.

— Roy

OH YEAH, HOW ABOUT VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL !!!

SCRIPTURE READING: Hebrews 12:1-2

¹Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, ² fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

APRIL 3, 2016

Week's Schedule

Sunday,

9:30 A.M. Bible Classes
10:30 A.M. Worship
11:00 A.M. Children's Hour
Nettie and Dillon: *The Birth of Jesus*
11:00 A.M. Brian Lewis
6:00 P.M. Life Groups

Monday,

Tuesday,

10:30 A.M. Ladies Bible Class

Wednesday,

7:00 P.M. Bible Study

Thursday,

Friday,

Saturday, 8:30 A.M.
Gateway I-Hop (no host)
Men's Prayer Breakfast, then fellowship at 250 51st St. Spfld.
McKenzie Church of Christ

Mission Support

Disaster Relief Effort

Ashcrafts, in Africa

Mt.States Children's Home

Spanish Lit. Ministries

**LADIES:
BIBLE CLASS
APRIL 5, 2016**

**10:00 A.M.
CARD MINISTRY**

**10:30 A.M. — Noon
BIBLE STUDY**

Immeasurable Power
by Casandra Martin

Lesson #5

Immeasurable Grace

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"In examining..."

Ladies

April 16th, 11:30 A.M.
Meet at Gateway I-Hop
For NO-Host Lunch
Then, sing to our sisters
In Nursing/ Assisted living
Homes.

TEACHERS

of **Sunday 9:30 A.M. classes**

} Mike Duffield and Education Committee request your attendance after services on the 10th to discuss curriculum. We value your input. Lunch provided.

BIBLE CLASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 9:30-10:15 A.M.

Teenie-Weenies 6 mo - 3 years Downstairs. Teacher: Nettie R.

Pre-School K-1st Grade Downstairs. Teacher: Cecelia E.

Grades 2 - 5 Upstairs. Teachers: Shawna & Lisa S.

Middle School Upstairs. Teachers: Lynn & Karena S.

High School Downstairs. Teachers: Shane & Lauren C.

Young Adults Upstairs. Teachers: Mike & Ruth D.

Adult Class Fellowship Rm. Teacher: _____, "The Minor Prophets"

11:00 AM. Children's Bible Hour: Nettie an Dillon: Birth of Jesus

Sermon: Brian Lewis: "Above All"

Sunday evening: Life Groups

Tuesday, 10:30 A.M.: Ladies' Class

Wednesday, 7:00 P.M.

Adult Class: Brian L., *1 Thessalonians 1*

Youth Class: teacher, Stacey L.

Faith and Example

Last week, we began a new study on Wednesday evenings on Paul's letters to the Thessalonian church. When we read his letters, it can be an interesting window into his relationship with the church in different locations. We can see a lot about what he wants to encourage and where he needs to correct. In Thessalonians 1:2-3, he commends the church for what he sees them doing right. "We give thanks to God always for all of you, constantly mentioning you in our prayers, remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ." Their faith, love and hope leads them to specific work, labor and steadfastness.

It led us to the question, "What would Paul commend the Eugene Church of Christ for?" We thought of some good things the church is doing and some things we could do better. But I wonder, what would Paul commend each of us for? After all, the Christian life is not designed to be paused at 11:45 a.m. on Sunday to be resumed the next time we get together. The Christian life is 24/7. We should be working daily to live the kind of lives that the Thessalonian Christians were: lives that would be noticed for good works of faith, hope and love. We don't do it for the commendation. We do it to honor our God and help people see Him more clearly.

—Brian

NEEDING PRAYER WITHOUT CEASING

1 Thessalonians 5:17

Regan M., Barbara D., Alice A.; Dena J.; Paul and Steven C. moving to Oregon City; cancer: Dennis R. Bernice's son; others: Brittany and Jamee P.'s grandmother, Marie P. suffered a stroke; friend of George R., JoAnn health problems. Sandy K., liver failure, send cards to home of Sandy and Lenard K.

Unborn and unwanted children.
Each of our "teen-agers"!

Sunday Evening Life Groups.

Our Military, Veterans and their families.

Civil Servants....Police Officers....(Hebrews 13:17)

Our President, Congress, United States of America.

World Bible School. Missionaries in foreign countries.

Peace in and among nations.

Pray at every opportunity for victims suffering from Terrorist attacks.

Pray at every opportunity for victims suffering from severe weather in the United States of America.

Keep Philippians 4:8 in heart.

Because of the Christ, focus on JOY!

Kare-n-Bear - pick a tag today!

In Lane County there are currently almost 1000 children in Foster Care.



Our Kare-n-Bear ministry provides much needed supplies for these children who often have nothing. The Bear is out in the lobby today for three weeks and we have tags for specific items needed for our care kits. Return purchased items to the bear by April 17.

Thanks for participating and impacting the lives of so many children.

If you have any questions, please contact Juanita or Stephanie K.

TRAINING for CPR/AED/First Aid

May 7 9:00 A.M. CPR/AED/First Aid class. Instructor: **Tim C.**
\$15 per person. Sign-up with Denise F. as soon as possible.

BIRTHDAYS

Sunday, 3

Betty M.

Monday, 4

Tuesday, 5

Wednesday, 6

Thursday, 7

Friday, Apr. 8

Saturday, 9

Christy T.

ANNIVERSARIES

April 3 — April 10
No records

MARCH 2016
Financial Statement

2016 1st Quarter
Jan.- Mar.
Financial Statement

(Some copies of statements are available in the office.)

RECORDS

Last Week

Sun.A.M.Bible Study.....77
Sun.A.M.Worship.....168
Sun.P.M.Life Groups.....12+
Wed.P.M.Bible Study.....44
Contribution.....\$2,353.
Mar.Weekly Av.....\$2,889.
2016 WeekNeed.....\$3,269.

SUNDAY SERVICES

SONG LEADER

A.M. — Ron P.

P.M. — Life Groups

OPENING PRAYER

A.M. — Larry H.

P.M. — Life Groups

COMMUNION

Norm H.

Servers: Dustin A., Tyler C.,
Shane C., Josh D., Roy G.,
Sub: Tony I.

CHILDREN'S HOUR

Nettie and Dillon: The Birth of Jesus

PREACHING

A.M. — Brian L.

P.M. — Life Groups

CLOSING PRAYER

A.M. — Luis H.

P.M. — Life Groups

CONTACTS

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THE SOUTH SIDE

AT THE NAME
OF JESUS
EVERY KNEE
SHOULD BOW

Phil: 2-10

APRIL GREETERS

03-Bob & Carol E.
10-Freddie & Jeanie M.
17-Paul M.
24-Ken & April L.

CONGREGATIONAL
READING THIS WEEK:
I Thessalonians 1

WEDNESDAY EVE SERVICE

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Mike D.

PRAYER:

April 6 — Tony I.

Next Week April 13 — Jim S.

SONG LEADER:

April 6 — Josh D.

Next Week April 13 — Roy G.

SUNDAY SERMONS

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INSTEAD, SPEAKING THE TRUTH IN LOVE, WE WILL GROW TO BECOME IN EVERY
RESPECT THE MATURE BODY OF HIM WHO IS THE HEAD, THAT IS, CHRIST.

FROM HIM THE WHOLE BODY, JOINED AND HELD TOGETHER BY EVERY
SUPPORTING LIGAMENT, GROWS AND BUILDS ITSELF UP IN LOVE, AS EACH PART
DOES ITS WORK.

EPHESIANS 4:15-16

SUNDAY, APRIL 3, 2016

ANNOUNCEMENTS/Welcome: (Roy)

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 12:1-2

SONG LEADER: Ron P.

SONG: #22 G Glorify Thy Name

SONG: #37-38 G Holy Ground

OPENING PRAYER: Larry H.

SONG: # 74 I Love My Savior, Too

SONG: #93 Because He Lives

COMMUNION SONG: #155 The Old Rugged Cross (v.1,3,4)

COMMUNION THOUGHT: Norm H.

Servers: Dustin A., Tyler C.,

Shane C., Josh D., Roy G.,

Sub: Tony I.

Children's Hour

Nettie and Dillon: The Birth of Jesus

SONG: #119 I Stand Amazed

SERMON: Brian L.

INVITATION SONG: #553 Do You Know My Jesus

CLOSING SONG: #490 To Canaan's Land (v.1,3,5)

CLOSING PRAYER: Luis H.

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The End

Which actually is the beginning of next week