



EUGENE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brothers & Sisters Together in Christ

SUNDAY Mar. 28, 2021

****Worship Servers****

All worship servers, please meet up front by the communion table at 10:20 a.m.

This Week!

Tues. Mar. 30 9 a.m.
Prayer Group—ZOOM & at Building

Wed. Mar. 31 6 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study
Rediscovering Peter

Thurs. April 1 9 a.m.
Prayer Group—ZOOM & at Building

Thurs. April 2 12:30 p.m.
Parent & Toddler Playdate (Katie S.)

This is the day the Lord has made!
We come together to rejoice and be glad in Him! We are happy to worship with you. Please let us know how members of this congregations can pray for you and/or serve you.

Morning Worship

Sunday, Mar. 28 10:30 am
Meeting in the building physically distanced, with masks. Or listen on 98.7 FM radio from the parking lot.

Song Leader—Rob Wood

Nursery—Matt & Torie Heater

Sound Board—Maurice Paschel

Opening Prayer— Luis Hoffman

Communion—Dan Herold

Children's Hour — Alicia Groen

Sermon—"The Word Art of Peter: Living in the Shadow of a Hostile World" Calvin Groen

Announcements & Closing Prayer— Norm Hoffman





Brothers & Sisters, how to get

INVOLVED



Daily Prayers

Pray without Ceasing
1 Thessalonians 5:17



Dear Lord,

Thank you for each day you set before us and the big dreams that you hide in our hearts. We pray that as a church we can dream big together for your glory. Please help us to deeply consider what plans you have for us at Eugene Church of Christ. In all things, may your will be done. Help us not be afraid or insecure when it comes to pursuing the big dreams. We pray for patience, courage, and discipline to do all that you desire of us in Jesus name, Amen.

Praying for:

May Family (passing of Jeanie's sister), Mykaila Grossnicklaus (Sharon Gregory's granddaughter car accident/concussion) Brittany Pitt, Christy Love, David & Debra Breninger, Dustin Astbury, Ken & April Latham, Roger Dale, Janet TwoHawks, Christy Thornton, Hannah Thornton, Taryn Sosnoski, Learning Center Ministry, Larry Honaker, Azalea Kimball, Barbara Dixon, Cindy Gregory, Pat Wignes, Vicki Houser

Micah 7: 1-2

¹What misery is mine!

I am like one who gathers summer fruit
at the gleaning of the vineyard;
there is no cluster of grapes to eat,
none of the early figs that I crave.

²The faithful have been swept from the land;
not one upright person remains.
Everyone lies in wait to shed blood;
they hunt each other with nets.

Do you need to put on
the Lord in baptism?
Or do you know
somebody who does?
It's time to talk!



If you or somebody you know would like to move into a closer relationship with Christ through baptism, please contact Calvin or one of the Elders through the Church Office for guidance and more information.

Missions Support:

*Disaster Relief Effort, Inc.

*Mt. States Children's Home

*Ashcrafts in Africa

*Spanish Literature Ministries

Dear Brothers & Sisters,

What is the greatest obstacle we face in becoming the church that God desires us to be?



The thing I keep coming back to, is that we don't spend enough time together for real love to grow. I think we recognize that there are good people here... and these people are trying to do good things... but can you shout from the depths of your heart... "These are my people!"???

Some of us can say "These are my people!" and do... others cannot. Some will not, and for whatever reason we keep each other at arms-length. Over years of ministry I've heard a lot of people gripe and whine over what the church did for them or didn't do for them... some keep long elaborate lists of wrongs done... real or not.

But did you know that the church is a training ground for relationships that will last for eternity?

John puts it this way: "If anyone says, 'I love God,' yet hates his brother, he is a liar. For anyone who does not love his brother, whom he has seen, cannot love God, whom he has not seen. And he has given us this command: Whoever loves God must also love his brother." -1 John 4:20-21

Most of us wouldn't necessarily say we hate anyone here at our church... but also, there are many whose actions don't show love either. Sometimes we use the word love, but these are empty words because love requires intentionality, commitment, vulnerability and above all... **A WHOLE LOT OF TIME TOGETHER!**

One way I want to try to build community at our church is to make myself more accessible to the congregation. I want to do this by building a parsonage on this property that includes a recreational "hang out" space for more informal types of fellowship.

Further, I want to build this parsonage and hospitality space based on some kind of winsome theme... (Think medieval village modeled on J.R.R. Tolkien's "Lord of the Rings"). And I want the church involved in building this together as a form of fellowship and discipleship and artistic expression.

Later down the road I would like to add guest quarters as well... (maybe tiny homes) to accommodate intentional community and more formal "in residence" discipleship programs.

I'll be talking more about this after my sermon to explain more and get feedback, so get ahold of me and let me know your thoughts.

I know I'm a dreamer, but it's time to find more winsome ways to let the light in.

- Calvin Groen, Preacher for the Eugene Church of Christ



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Monday 9 a.m.—3 p.m.

Tuesday 9 a.m.—3 p.m.

Wednesday By appointment only, please

Thursday 9 a.m.—3 p.m.

Friday By appointment only, please

Leadership & Staff

Elders

Michael Duffield

Norm Hoffman*

Carl McGlothin

Deacons

Gary Brown

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Dan Herold

Mel Johnson

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Calvin Groen

Sequoia Campus

Ministry

Kirk Golliher

Jonathan Young

Makenzie Young

Church Secretary

Denise Foreman

*Elder/Deacon of
the month

CELEBRATE!

Birthdays

3-25 Makenzie Young

3-26 Juanita Kornman

3-30 Raelynn Shepard



Church Attendance

For March 14, 2021

In Car: 12 and In Building: 87

What a blessing it is to return a portion of
what has been given to us!

- In Person each Sunday
- Online thru Church Website
- Snail Mail to Church Office

Vounteering is Beautiful!

3/28 ASL: Amanda Coburn (unavailable today)

Children's Hour: Alicia Groen

Nursery: Matt & Torie Heater

Sound Booth: Maurice Paschel

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