Events & Happenings

LENT EVENTS AT RESERVOIR

Ongoing through Easter Sunday, April 12
Get the most out of our current sermon series "The Cross," the Daily Bible Guide, and ongoing special events for you, your friends, or your family. More information on flyers and slides in the lobby, this program, Facebook, and reservoirchurch.org/lent.

MEMBERS MEETING AND POTLUCK

TODAY, 1:00 - 3:00 PM
Sanctuary Chapel
Come with something tasty to eat to our quarterly members potluck! We'll enjoy each other's company, hear updates from Steve and our board, get better engaged with our Reservoir Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (REDI) team, and pray for the church's vision

UNPACK YOUR BAGGAGE

Tuesdays, March 3 - April 7, 6:30 - 8:30 PM
Ministry Center Dining Room
This class will afford you the opportunity to unpack baggage you've accumulated along your faith journey, due to the institution of church. We'll make space to revisit what might be worth taking along with you in your continued faith journey and what might be worth tossing out. Register at unpack2020.eventbrite.com or email questions to ivy@reservoirchurch.org.

DWELLING IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Friday, March 6, March 20, April 3, 6:30 - 7:30 PM
Ministry Center Living Room
A time for those who identify as women to dwell
together with the Holy Spirit. A short time of
connection together, then time to spend as you
feel led. Bring knitting needles, art supplies, tea, a
journal or nothing at all.
Contact: mary@injoyoga.com.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT WITH AFRICAN WOMEN

Sunday, March 15, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM Ministry Center Living Room

Please join us for snacks and stories with Patricia Ali and Shelley Chapman. They will give updates on their work in leadership development for African women working to create grassroots, systemic, and sustainable change in rural African communities.

BANGLADESHI ART AND DANCE NIGHTS

Fridays, 6:00 - 10:00 PM

Fresh Pond Apartments Community Room 364
Kids can learn drawing 6-7pm and dance 7-8pm. Teens and adults dance from 8-10pm. Fun connection with our neighbors! RSVP to lydia@reservoirchurch.org for details.

BOARD OPENINGS

Our Board has openings for up to 2 new members. If you'd like to nominate yourself or somebody else to serve, send their name to board@reservoirchurch.org before March 15th. Info on criteria and commitment available from steve@reservoirchurch.org.

RESERVOIR CHURCH IS HIRING!

We are in search of a part-time Operations Project Administrator. This position will assist in managing the business of our church across our campus and congregation. Check out the full job posting and qualifications at reservoirchurch.org/news.

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Today's Worship Service

MARCH 1, 2020 9:30 & 11:30 AM





Order of Service

Opening Worship

Song: So Good to Me

Welcome & Announcements

Sermon

Steve Watson, "God Became Like Us So We Could Become Like God"

Second in the Sermon Series, "The Cross"

Scripture: Luke 23:32-43 (NRSV)

³² Two others also, who were criminals, were led away to be put to death with him. 33 When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. 34 Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. 35 And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God. his chosen one!" 36 The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, 37 and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" 38 There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews."

³⁹ One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" ⁴⁰ But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹ And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done

nothing wrong." ⁴² Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." ⁴³ He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

II Corinthians 3:18, 4:7 (NRSV)

(scripture continues on slides)

Try this:

Invitations to Whole Life Flourishing

Give and receive criticism with room for weakness - less personally, more gently, with more curiosity and compassion.

Spiritual Practice of the Week

This week, you'll be invited to hold our wounds and sin and failings before Jesus, to ask for mercy, and to ask Jesus to grow the life of God in us in their place.

Musical Worship, Prayer, & Arts

Song: So Will I

Song: Thank You Jesus

Communion

Song: How Great Thou Art

All are welcome to receive Communion, which consists of a gluten free wafer & juice. You can dip the wafer in the juice before eating.

Final Song

Song: Living in the Overflow

An offering basket will be passed during this time. If you're new, we'd love just your welcome card!

Welcome

We're so glad to have you with us! We hope and fully expect that you'll encounter God this morning and even meet a few warm-hearted people as well.

You can expect the service to last around an hour and a half.

If you have questions, we invite you to ask someone with a nametag. If you'd like more information about Reservoir, visit our website at reservoirchurch.org.

Reservoir Kids

We're excited about your kids! We have designed special programming and services just for them that happen at the same time as the 9:30 AM service. Kids are also always welcome in the main services.

For more info, contact: kim@reservoirchurch.org

1st- 5th graders: Join us downstairs in the multipurpose room in the church basement (accessible from the chapel/bagel room).

All other kids (0-18): Join us across the parking lot in the Ministry Center.

