

Welcome to  
**RESERVOIR VIRCH!**

February 14, 2021



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We'll get started  
at 10:03!

**Grab your breakfast or  
beverage and enjoy some  
music until then...**

# Lent: What is Most Important



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# NEWS & INVITATIONS



Reservoir calendar at [reservoirchurch.org/news-events/news](https://www.reservoirchurch.org/news-events/news)

- **Lent Starts Today: Here's How You Join the Experience**  
<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/more-on-getting-ready-for-lent/>
- **Jerry's Pond Renovation story on WBUR**  
<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/news/community-helps-resurrect-jerrys-pond/>
- **The Beloved Community Fund Provides Short-Term Assistance**  
<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/reservoir-introduces-the-beloved-community-fund/>
- **Give Online to Reservoir**  
[pushpay.com/g/reservoirchurch](https://pushpay.com/g/reservoirchurch) or text Reservoir to 77977

# EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

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## Lent: What Is Most Important

Today - 4/4



This year we will read the Bible's minor prophets as we seek to reconnect with God and ourselves, grounded in *What is Most Important*.

Sermons, Bible guide, weekly embodied spiritual practices, and gifts.

## Lent in a Bag: Gifts for Pickup and Delivery

TODAY, 11:30a - 5p

Also Mon - Wed, 11-2

Reservoir campus



@Sanctuary Lobby: TODAY, 11:30a - 5pm

@Ministry Center: 2/15, 2/16, 2/17, 11a-2p

Delivery form if unable to pick up:

<https://forms.gle/bfpKSN8nyZfnARjFA>

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## Ash Wednesday Service

Wednesday, 2/17  
7:00 - 7:15 pm



Join millions of worshippers worldwide, and Reservoir via Zoom for a short DIY Ash Wednesday Service of readings and prayer. You'll find a tiny pots of ashes in your *Lent in a Bag*.

Link in chat, and shared by email.

## Members Meeting Save the Date!

Sunday, 3/28  
11:00 - 12:00 pm



Save the Date for our next members meeting! This meeting will follow our online worship service, and be part of the culmination of the Lenten season of spiritual formation towards “What is Most Important.”

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## Join a Community Group for Lent

All the places!



If you've missed connecting with others, and would love to deepen a relationship with God, try out a group for Lent. Many groups will follow the Bible Guide and spiritual practices for the 6 weeks leading to Easter. Join the “wave” call after Virch today to hear more! Or fill out [this form](#).

## Beloved Community Fund



A new resource within Reservoir’s community, for

- short-term financial assistance
- long-term networking in Reservoir and beyond.

<https://forms.gle/FMjNUgEMjvxcPBt>  
[A6](#)

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## PreK and K Kids Church

Sunday, 2/21, 9:30 a



We begin Lent together with the Godly Play story series called The Faces of Easter. New artwork for this series features Jesus as a Black person. I wonder how God will speak to us in new ways? Will, Angel and Kim host this session of prayer, song, storytelling, wondering, and blessings. Contact [kim](#) for her newsletter and links.

## Elementary Virtual Kids Church

Sunday, 2/21, 9:15a



We explore another episode from Jesus' life. [Dan Archibald](#) and his team host this session of conversation, prayer, song, storytelling, and wondering for 1st through 5th graders. Watch stories you missed:

<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/visit/or-families-and-children/>



# HIGHLIGHTS

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## Lent: What is Most Important

TODAY, February 14 - Sunday, April 4, 2021

This year in the six weeks leading to Easter, we will read the Bible's minor prophets and seek to reconnect with God and ourselves, grounded in *What is Most Important*. We'll have a daily Bible guide and weekly embodied spiritual practices.

***Ash Wednesday service on 2/17 - ashes within your Lent in a Bag.***



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## Want to Get Plugged In?

Take a step forward and connect more at Reservoir!

- Ask for personal prayer from our team: [\*\*steve@reservoirchurch.org\*\*](mailto:steve@reservoirchurch.org)
- Try one of our 30+ community groups: start with [\*\*this form\*\*](#).
- Give financially: **text Reservoir to 77977** or [\*\*pushpay.com/g/reservoirchurch\*\*](https://pushpay.com/g/reservoirchurch)
- Follow Cambridge Reservoir Church (Facebook), @reservoirchurch (Instagram), or [\*\*www.reservoirchurch.org\*\*](https://www.reservoirchurch.org).
- Email [\*\*info@reservoirchurch.org\*\*](mailto:info@reservoirchurch.org) to get Steve's weekly emails.
- Fill out a [\*\*"New or Feeling New" form\*\*](#).

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## Join a Community Group For Lent

Meeting during the week!

Join a community group for Lent!

Many of our community groups will be following along with the Bible Guide and spiritual practices for this 6 week season that leads up to Easter. If you've missed connecting with others, and would love to deepen your relationship with God, try out a group for the season of Lent. Please fill out [\*\*this interest form\*\*](#) and join us on the [\*\*post-Virch wave call\*\*](#) for an opportunity to hear more about our community groups!



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## Lent in a Bag Pickup:

**Reservoir Sanctuary Lobby:** TODAY, 11:30 am - 5 pm

**Reservoir Ministry Center:**

Mon 2/15, Tues 2/16, and Wed 2/17, 11 am - 2 pm



## Lent in a Bag Delivery:

If you are *unable to pick up* your bag, and need delivery fill out this form:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf56MzeF38jGg7HjcwRtpKL\\_LjL7FddZg\\_wOK9IPpK-hV8Eg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf56MzeF38jGg7HjcwRtpKL_LjL7FddZg_wOK9IPpK-hV8Eg/viewform)

Email Trecia with any questions at [trecia@reservoirchurch.org](mailto:trecia@reservoirchurch.org).

# Walking Toward the World as It Should Be

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Lent 2021: What Is Most Important



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ISAIAH 11: 1-9

FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

A shoot will grow up from the stump of Jesse;  
a branch will sprout from his roots.

2 The Lord's spirit will rest upon him,  
a spirit of wisdom and understanding,  
a spirit of planning and strength,  
a spirit of knowledge and fear of the Lord.

ISAIAH 11: 1-9  
FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

3 He will delight in fearing the Lord.

He won't judge by appearances,  
nor decide by hearsay.

4 He will judge the needy with righteousness,  
and decide with equity for those who suffer in  
the land.

ISAIAH 11: 1-9

FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

He will strike the violent with the rod of his mouth;

by the breath of his lips he will kill the wicked.

5 Righteousness will be the belt around his hips,  
and faithfulness the belt around his waist.

6 The wolf will live with the lamb,



ISAIAH 11: 1-9

FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

and the leopard will lie down with the young  
goat;

the calf and the young lion will feed together,  
and a little child will lead them.

7 The cow and the bear will graze.

Their young will lie down together,

ISAIAH 11: 1-9

FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

and a lion will eat straw like an ox.

8 A nursing child will play over the snake's hole;  
toddlers will reach right over the serpent's den.

9 They won't harm or destroy anywhere on my  
holy mountain.



ISAIAH 11: 1-9

FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

The earth will surely be filled with the  
knowledge of the Lord,  
just as the water covers the sea.