

Welcome to
RESERVOIR VIRCH!

April 18, 2021





We'll get started
at 10:03!



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



NEWS & INVITATIONS



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

- **Reservoir Covid Vaccine Site on Pause While Awaiting FDA/CDC Updates**
<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/reservoir-vaccine-site-on-pause-while-awaiting-further-fda-cdc-information/>
- **Lydia Shiu and Steve Watson Respond to the Violence in Atlanta**
<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/hate-crimes-and-violence-against-asian-americans-and-the-beloved-community/>
- **Nominations Open for Reservoir Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (REDI) team**
<https://www.reservoirchurch.org/news/redi-team-is-recruiting/>
- **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 or text Reservoir to 77977

EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

Reservoir calendar at reservoirchurch.org/events



Prayer Vigil for Hope & Healing

Sunday, May 2,
11:15 a.m.

All Are Welcome
For a
Time of Healing

Come with a prayer, a song or favorite word for hope and healing centered on the experiences of Black, Indigenous, Asian American, and People of Color (BIPOC). All are welcome to attend and stand in solidarity.

[Sign up if you'd like to register.](#)

Poetry Night

Sunday, April 25,
6 p.m.



Join us at poetry night! Feel free to flex your creative muscles by writing an original poem, or sharing a favorite poem! Invite a friend! **[Join us!](#)**

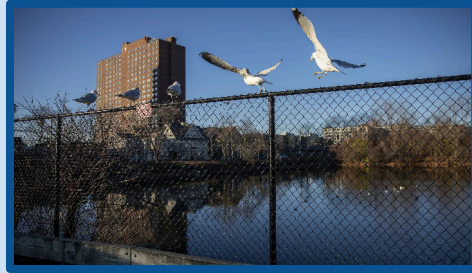
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Jerry's Pond Cleanup ,

Sunday, April 25,
2 p.m.



Beautify our community and meet your neighbors as we clean the perimeter of Jerry's Pond. Live band and Bengali dancers will join! Masks required and social distance guidelines will be followed. Gloves and trash bags for clean up will be provided. Email lydia@reservoirchurch.org to join us.

REDI team is recruiting!

Deadline
extended - May 1!



Reservoir's Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (REDI) team is accepting nominations for new members. To nominate yourself or someone else, email redi@reservoirchurch.org or [visit this link](#). Deadline is Saturday, May 1st.

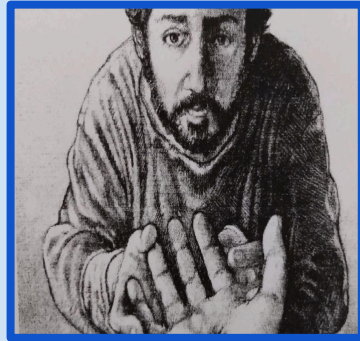
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Pre-K and Virtual Kindergarten Kids Church

Sunday, April 25,
9:30 a.m.



Kim & Will Messenger and Angel Jackson will host this gathering of sharing and blessings. Next Sunday we explore how Thomas needed to see with his own eyes that Jesus really was alive again. Contact [Kim](#) for her weekly email and meeting link.

Elementary Virtual Kids Church

Sunday, April 25,
9:15 a.m.



Dan Archibald and his team host this online gathering for first through fifth graders. Come at 9:15 for conversation and visiting and at 9:30 for storytelling, wondering, and prayer. Contact dan@reservoirchurch.org for his weekly email and meeting link.

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Poetry Night

April 25, 6 p.m.



Poetry night is back! Join us and feel free to flex your creative muscles by writing an original poem, or share a favorite poem! All are welcome, so invite a friend. Email ivy for more information or [join us on the 25th.](#)

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Help beautify our community and come meet your neighbors at a day of service and environmental justice as we clean up around the perimeter of Jerry's Pond. Live band and Bengali dancers will join as well! Please come masked and prepared for social distance guidelines. Gloves and trash bags for clean up will be provided. Email lydia@reservoirchurch.org to join us.

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Reservoir's Equity Diversity and Inclusion (REDI) Team is looking for new members! We're committed to representing the diversity of our church in this important work. If you care about justice and love diving deeper into EDI conversations and efforts, nominate yourself or others by emailing redi@reservoirchurch.org or [visit this link](#).

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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: [**cate@reservoirchurch.org**](mailto:cate@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**](#).

Spiritual Practice Images

Trecia Reavis

Listening to the Spirit

WITH FREEDOM & POWER











**STOP
RACIST
VIOLENCE**

RESIST SUPREMACY SUPREMACY RESIST

**ASIAN
IS NOT
A VIRUS
RACISM
IS**



















The Spirit of God Who Calls Us Out

ACTS

Ivy Anthony

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WITH FREEDOM & POWER



ACTS 7:45 - 51

FROM THE NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION BIBLE

⁴⁵ Years later, when Joshua led our ancestors in battle against the nations that God drove out of this land, the Tabernacle was taken with them into their new territory. And it stayed there until the time of King David.

⁴⁶ David found favor with God and asked for the privilege of building a permanent Temple for the God of Jacob.



ACTS 7:45 - 51

FROM THE NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION BIBLE

⁴⁷ But it was Solomon who actually built it.

⁴⁸ However, the Most High doesn't live in temples made by human hands.



ACTS 7:45 - 51

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As the prophet says,

⁴⁹ ‘Heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool.

Could you build me a temple as good as that?’ asks the Lord.

‘Could you build me such a resting place?

⁵⁰ Didn’t my hands make both heaven and earth?’

⁵¹ “You stubborn people! You are heathen at heart and deaf to the truth.

Must you forever resist the Holy Spirit?

