# Welcome to **RESERVOIR VIRCH!**

April 25, 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

- Reservoir Covid Vaccine Site on Pause While Awaiting FDA/CDC Updates <u>https://www.reservoirchurch.org/reservoir-vaccine-site-on-pause-while-awaiting-further-fd</u> <u>a-cdc-information/</u>
- Lydia Shiu and Steve Watson Respond to the Violence in Atlanta <u>https://www.reservoirchurch.org/hate-crimes-and-violence-against-asian-americans-and-th</u> <u>e-beloved-community/</u>
- Nominations Open for Reservoir Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (REDI) team <u>https://www.reservoirchurch.org/news/redi-team-is-recruiting/</u>
- The Beloved Community Fund Provides Short-Term Assistance <u>https://www.reservoirchurch.org/reservoir-introduces-the-beloved-community-fund/</u>
- Give Online to Reservoir
  <u>pushpay.com/g/reservoirchurch</u> or text Reservoir to 77977

## EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

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**Prayer Vigil for Hope & Healing** Sunday, May 2, 11:15 a.m.

All Are Welcome For a Time of Healing **Poetry Night** TONIGHT 6 p.m.

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**.

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**, TODAY 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!



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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, May 2,

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, May 2, 9:15 a.m.



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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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Come with your prayer, your song or your favorite word of declaration for hope and healing centered on the experiences of Black, Indigenous, Asian American, and People of Color. (BIPOC) Communities. **Sign up to register and if you have something you'd like to share.** All are welcome to attend and listen and stand in solidarity.

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#### **Poetry Night** TONIGHT 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. You can use the link to **join us tonight!**.

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#### **Jerry's Pond Cleanup** TODAY at 2 p.m.



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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 this afternoon.

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## **REDI team is recruiting!** Deadline extended to May 1



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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: **<u>cate@reservoirchurch.org</u>**
- Try one of our 30+ community groups: start with **<u>this form</u>**.
- Give financially: text Reservoir to 77977 or pushpay.com/g/reservoirchurch
- Follow Cambridge Reservoir Church (Facebook), @reservoirchurch (Instagram), or **www.reservoirchurch.org**.
- Email **info@reservoirchurch.org** to get Steve's weekly emails.
- Fill out a <u>"New or Feeling New" form</u>.

## How to Live By the Spirit? GALATIANS

#### Lydia Shiu Listening to the Spirit WITH FREEDOM & POWER



#### GALATIANS 5:16 - 26 From the common english bible

<sup>16</sup> So I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.

<sup>17</sup> For the flesh desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the flesh. They are in conflict with each other, so that you are not to do whatever[a] you want.

<sup>18</sup> But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.



#### GALATIANS 5:16 - 26 FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

<sup>19</sup> The acts of the flesh are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity and debauchery;

<sup>20</sup> idolatry and witchcraft; hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions

<sup>21</sup> and envy; drunkenness, orgies, and the like. I warn you, as I did before, that those who live like this will not inherit the kingdom of God.



### GALATIANS 5:16-26

FROM THE COMMON ENGLISH BIBLE

<sup>22</sup> But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,

<sup>23</sup> gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

<sup>24</sup> Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

<sup>25</sup> Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.

<sup>26</sup> Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other.

