

Village Online Bulletin

March 14, 2021

Stay in the know as you go about your week!

Announcements

Leadership Updates

This past Sunday, Elder Chair Ron Henricksen and Lead Pastor Paul Kyu-Jin Choi announced exciting new changes and additions to our ministry leadership. Our current Elder Board and Advisors team is complete thanks to the additions of women Advisors Kafi Carrasco, Kim Christensen, and Macrina Valdez. The team of Elder Board, Advisors, and Lead Team are now called the **Village Council**. We welcomed two new staff, Director of Students and Their Families, Drew Fajen and Director of Disciple Making and Asian American Fellowship, Tony Huynh. Our own Pastor John Jordan is now Associate Lead Pastor as he continues to guide and lead our church to continue to grow in our missional calling. Ben Spotts is now Executive Director as he leads our church operations and Insil Kang is Senior Director of Integration as she furthers our multicultural vision. Pastors Paul, John, Ben and Insil make up our Lead Team. **[View our Village Staff here.](#)**

Spring 2021 Special Giving Opportunities

Are you an Ebay or Craig's List master? Do you enjoy video, sound, or graphic design? Have extra paint brushes sitting in your garage? Bought too many allergen approved snacks and need to donate some? Feel led to help chip away at our building mortgage? Want to give specifically to local needs? Then join us in our special **Spring 2021 giving campaign!** There's opportunities for everyone to get involved. Whether you give finances, time, or items, we look forward to connecting

with you! Please consider partnering with us this spring above and beyond your normal giving to meet these goals. **Questions? All Details Here!**

Village Family Camp Update

Last year, due to COVID-19, we had to pivot from our tradition of Village Family Camp weekend at the coast and instead came together for Village Family Camp-ish right here on campus. We are unable to safely offer Family Camp weekend at the coast again this year, but are planning an all ages, everyone invited day of Village fun at our church on Saturday, August 7, 2021. If you would like to join our fun times planning team, please email **Cori Christian**. **For those Villagers who have made Family Camp a personal tradition, please know that we have intentionally planned our on campus event for the first weekend of August to ensure that you can still plan camping with your pod of family and friends.

Baptism Class

Village will start a 4-week Baptism class in April! The class will primarily be an introduction to the core commitments of the Christian Faith, and what it means to be baptized. For more information, contact **tony@villagebeaverton.com**

Lebanon Medical/Dental Teams

Now recruiting medical and dental professionals to participate in a relief team to Beirut, Lebanon this summer June 23 – July 11. For more information contact **vbcm@villagebeaverton.com**.

Free Food Market – Donations needed!

Donate supplies to show extravagant love to our Village neighbors on March 26, 2021! Pass on the news to people you know who are experiencing food insecurity. **See all donation needs here.** Download the **Postcard**.

Join Our Facilities Teams!

We have two facilities shifts that we are looking to hire to fill as soon as possible! **Questions?**

1. Thursday-Saturday, 7am-4:30pm, 24-32 hours
2. Flexible Hours, 12-15 hours a week. Works around scheduled activities

Village Community Garden is Open!

Watch this fun video to see and hear all about our Garden! Our Village Community Garden is ready for you! \$20 for your own garden bed to plant whatever fruit, vegetable or flowers you'd like this Spring and Summer season! Our garden is all organic and open to all Villagers and our community members. Villagers Dan and Susanna Ballard are our trusted garden coordinators this year and are available to encourage you no matter your expertise level! To rent a garden bed with us,

please bring your \$20 to the Front Office by Friday, March 19. You'll be able to sign up for the exact bed location then.

Questions? Register [here](#).

Worship Pastor Search Update

Our Worship Pastor Search Committee, chaired by Elder Adam Christian, and made up of Villagers Charlene Du, Kwang Kim, Insil Kang, Tori Rask and Omar Valdez, has been reviewing applicants since Fall of 2020. After the committee was formed, a job description and application form has been made public to our networks. We know that our community members may be just a connection away from our next Worship Pastor, so please share this opportunity to join our team and serve our church. **How to Apply.**

Life Group Ministry

As announced several Sundays ago, Dan Crawford and Jim Smith are joining our Village staff leadership as Ministry Associates, in their roles of Director of Life Group Ministry and Associate Director of Life Group Ministry, respectively. We are so grateful for our own Villagers who are stepping in as volunteers, but taking on the responsibility and leadership to partner with the rest of our pastors and directors. We encourage all Villagers to experience being in a Life Group. To find out more about Life Groups ready to welcome you, please email lifegroups@villagebeaverton.com.

Missionary Housing Needed

Some of our Village missionary families are coming home this summer and need housing. If you have options, please contact the **missions office**.

- Brian and Melissa Leak are looking for a private environment July 5 – August 31.
- Matt and Esther Doyle and their two children are looking for a place for a couple of months beginning July 1 as they resettle in the area.

Condolences

We thank God for His loving care for Sally Pontier and her family as she finished her last year on hospice care at her son's home. She received her home call from the Lord on March 4. Sally and her husband, Steve, who predeceased her in death last April, were members of a Life Group and the choir among other ministries.

Dig Deeper

Acts 10:1-16

Lead Pastor Paul Choi – Missional Multicultural Community in Christ

Prayer Requests

Please keep these prayer requests in mind this week.

- Pray for medical professionals to join the Lebanon team for this summer's outreach. COVID, the port disaster and the economic collapse has left many in need of even basic health care.
- Pray for the preparation of training for the Lebanon team as we move to a hybrid of online and in-person training. Pray for technical adjustments to go smoothly.
- Pray for our long termers coming home this summer who are in need of housing. The Matt and Esther Doyle and family need housing for 3 months and Brian and Melissa Leak need housing for 2 months.

Sharing and Listening Guide

Take some time alone or with a small group to discuss the following questions based on today's sermon:

- Pastor Paul described the third ministry directive as being a missional, *multicultural* community in Christ. Discuss how our call to be a missional, multicultural community is to be called to be a reconciling community. Had you made this connection before?
- Take time to further dive in to the Scripture with the story of Peter and Cornelius, Acts 10 and 11. Consider the context of the story of the city of Sepphoris. What are your take aways? Are you surprised? What does this reveal about the heart of God for us?
- "Conflict" comes with the territory when we are a missional, multicultural community in Christ with authentic relationships. Think about your own experiences with conflict—perhaps even experiences at Village. In light of today's sermon teaching, can you see the experience with fresh, spiritual eyes? What parts of the conflict still remain with you? What do you think were the most difficult parts of the conflict for the other parties? *If you would rather not share, please take moment to sit and write down your answers.
- From this last discussion question, create a group prayer to cover and close your group and conversation.
 - *"It is only under His leadership that we come to the place of forgiveness and reconciliation. Forgiveness and reconciliation is a spiritual process. The Spirit is the ultimate mediator. Jesus is the prince of peace."*

Responsive Worship

Worship is often described as ‘response to the Word.’ We have inquired how we as a community can best worship in this time of COVID, where we, instead of watching, can participate in our services, with as much engagement as possible. Our worship response is both personal and corporate–communal. Our online services have aimed to share the hearts of our Villagers, especially while we are physically distanced.

Please consider participating in Responsive Worship this week, in response to this week’s sermon: Missional Multicultural Community in Christ

Take a moment to share your response from this Sunday’s sermon; it can be a few thoughts of reflection addressed to God, a paragraph, a prayer inspired by the teaching. Please consider this as an act of worship, in response to His Word. We will share your reflections anonymously by adding them to our following week’s service, as our community grows together in Responsive Worship. *Due to service time limitations, we may not be able to share all submissions.

Participate in Responsive Worship now.

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Fri 9am-noon

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Worship Center
Mon-Sat 8am-8pm
Sun 8am-5pm

Village Cafe & Workspace
Mon-Fri 8am-2pm

Distribution Center
Tues-Fri 9:30am-4pm