

GATHERING

WORSHIP

Come Thou Fount

I Breathe You In, God

I Will Trust You

SERMON SERIES

Our sermon series will continue in the Psalms through May 10. Our new sermon series after that will focus on Exodus for 8 weeks. Follow along as we journey with the stories of the Israelites as they faced major change, challenges, all while led by a faithful Father. Online Services here.

CORONA CONVERSATIONS

Join mental health professionals for a live Zoom conversation to discuss current mental health challenges and what you can do to help yourself or others navigate them successfully. Conversations are every Sunday at 1:00pm. Zoom

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE VOLUNTEERS

Due to the critical need for blood and plasma donations, Village is exploring the opportunity to partner with the Red Cross by making our facility available for community blood drives. To do this, we need a small team of Village volunteers that would be willing to help host the Red Cross one Thursday a month 11:30am-6:30pm. Questions?



BEAVERTON DISTRIBUTION CENTER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

In partnership with the City of Beaverton, our Village gym will be used as a Commodity Point of Distribution for the month of May. City-wide donations of non-perishable food items, diapers, and face masks can be dropped off on the south side of Village gym, Mon-Fri between 8:30am & 4:00pm. *We will no longer have donation drop offs on Sundays.

Village volunteers are needed to sort donations for local food pantries, Meals on Wheels, and non-profit groups working with at-risk populations. Able-bodied volunteers are needed Monday to Friday to work alongside city personnel in processing the supplies. Half-day and whole day shifts are available. Learn More.

DONATIONS NEEDED MONDAY

We are moving our Sunday donation opportunity to this method of collection. You can help the city organize the distribution center by bringing your donations on Monday, May 4, giving them practice in receiving and categorizing before greater donations arrive later in the week. Donations of non-perishable food items, diapers, Lysol wipes, gloves, and face masks can be dropped off on the south side of Village gym, Monday to Friday, between 8:30am & 4:00pm. Contact free drop off or with assistance is available. Learn More.

YFC REFUGEE SUPPORT - \$4000 GOAL

Youth For Christ staff will be distributing \$60 vouchers to refugee families with whom YFC staff have ongoing relationships and whose youth are part of their outreach programs. (Read More) If you would like to provide vouchers for refugee families in Lebanon, donate to the Village Disaster Relief Fund this week. Pushpay.



INDIA HINDUSTAN BIBLE INSTITUTE - \$4000 GOAL

Donations are needed to enable our partner in India, Bobby and Linnet Gupta, to care for people impacted by the shut-down in India. Your donations to Village's Disaster Relief Fund will not only provide food for those without but will also make it possible for unreached people to hear and experience the love of Jesus. Pushpay.

GRACE FUND

All donations to Village's Grace Fund will go exclusively to help Village families impacted by lay-offs as a result of COVID-19. Your gifts will help Villagers in extreme financial need. <u>Pushpay.</u>

PRAYER GROUPS

"To get nations back on their feet, we must first get down on our knees." – Billy Graham An online prayer group will meet via Zoom on Tuesday mornings at 11am for 30 minutes, led by Mikel & Karen Neumann. To join click on link below, fill out a short form and instructions on how to connect online will be sent to you. Sign Up

IN LOVING MEMORY

We express our condolences to the family of Doug Russell who died Friday morning, April 24, of double pneumonia. Doug was a regular attender at the Seniors' Koinonia Class and an active Life Group member. Cards may be sent to the son, Douglas and Paula Russell, at 26700 SW Glendora Lane, Newberg, OR 97132. Plans with a funeral home are pending.

We extend our love and prayer for Chalamar Sarfati in the unexpected homegoing Saturday of her mother, Andrea Sarfati, with whom she lived. Andrea and Chalamar attended our 11:00am services and Andrea was an active member of The Well for a few years. Memorial plans are pending.



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CONFESSION

GREETING TIME

We miss being and worshiping together. Please take this time to text, call, facetime, skype, beep, send a pigeon to your friends, family, and Villagers during this time. And please enjoy the greetings submitted by our Villagers!

OFFERING

We practice worship through giving. Please continue to partner with us to meet our monthly budgeted needs, to zero out our deficit every quarter and to increase our Cash Reserve Fund. As we grapple with increasing effects of the COVID-19 virus on our Sunday worship service attendance, we humbly ask that you continue to give as though you attend Sunday worship services. 70% of our congregation currently gives in person in a Sunday service. You are welcome to mail in your offering, drop it off at the locked box outside our Front Office, or utilize Pushpay.

PRAYER POINTS

- Please pray as we finalize plans to work with the City of Beaverton to use our gym as a central distribution point for supplies, they deliver to shut-ins, people experiencing homelessness, and other vulnerable groups
- Pray for city officials to have wisdom as they seek to help the community



 Praise God for the generosity of Villagers in meeting the church's needs. More than \$30,000 given to our Grace Fund and the COVID Disaster Relief projects in India and Lebanon

LISTENING

Lead Pastor – Ken Wytsma

A Lamp Unto My Feet: Finding Our Way In the Midst of Uncertainty
Psalm 119

COMMUNION

As you feel comfortable, we encourage you to partake in communion with your family, friends, neighbors as we remember the sacrifice Christ made on the cross.

SENDING

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What is your favorite scripture and why?
- 2. There were several different words referencing God's word in Psalm 119. What are some of the ways besides scripture that you have heard, learned, or sensed God's words and desires?
- 3. Pastor Ken talked about the heritage we have with God's words and resulting joy. Who are some people in your life who were known for their love of God's word?



4. What is one thing you could do this week (scripture reading, solitude, prayer) that would allow you to create some space to hear from God. Try to schedule that time and think of it with joy!