

Sunday Learning

LIFE – Live in Faith Everyday, Sundays, June 7–August 30, 9:00 a.m. Back by popular demand! LIFE - Live in Faith Everyday is a chance for members to discuss how faith interacts with and impacts their daily living. How do we live out our faith from Monday through Saturday, whether in the workplace, at home, or retired? Come to hear faith stories and reflect on the joys and challenges of living the Christian life. This week's presenter is Amy Meissner. Brenda Greenwald will present on Sunday, July 19.

Children's Faith Formation

Summer Worship Families are encouraged to bring children to worship. Children's sermons will be part of each Sunday worship service through the summer. For an informal family-friendly worship experience, you are invited to come to Worship on Wednesday, 6:30 – 7:00 p.m. each week in the Great Hall.

Weekday Learning & Study

Jeremiah 29:11 Group, Mondays 7:45 a.m., Room 209 Pastor Ron. "For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope." If you or someone you know is looking for work, this is a place of rich resources.

God's Word for the Week: Room 210.

Monday at 9:00 a.m. & Tuesday at 7:00 a.m with one of our pastors.

Joy of Living Women's Bible Study

Hosea: God's Persistent Love, begins Sept. 10, twice a month, Thursdays, 6:30–8:15 p.m., room 224. For info & guidebook (\$10), call Darla Reeves (303) 986-7046. Want renewed hope? Study Hosea. Remember God's unconditional love.

Fellowship

Needed: Additional Sound Techs If anyone is interested in this ministry, which encompasses worship, Festival and other events, please contact Forrest Guittar at 303-758-2820 or forrest@bethany-denver.org.

Prayer Shawl Ministry New ministry for knitters and non-knitters. Due to the strong interest in this ministry, our group is starting early. Our group knit meetings will be the first Monday of each month at 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Please sign up at the Hospitality Desk for this new ministry. Contact Sue Ann Glusenkamp sag821@aol.com 303-282-5775 or Penny Selden seldens4@comcast.net 303-973-3213 for any further questions.

MOPS is in need of Volunteer Teachers!

8:45 - 11:45am for children ages 6 mos. to 5 years old, beginning September 2009 - May 2010. Looking for volunteers to help the 1st Wednesday of each month or the 3rd Wednesday of each month, or both! Please contact Susan at 720-855-031 or seb3@juno.com.

Blood Pressure Checks The Volunteer Parish Nurses will be checking blood pressures today in Room 208 from 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, July 12

Sky Ranch Confirmation Camp through July 17
Nursery 7:45 a.m.
Worship 8:00 a.m.
Worship 9:00 a.m.
Adult Ed LIFE 9:00 a.m.
Blood Pressure Checks 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Nominating Committee 11:45 a.m.

Monday, July 13

12 Step Group 6:15 a.m.
Jeremiah 29:11 Group 7:45 a.m.
God's Word for the Week 9:00 a.m.
Patchers 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, July 14

12 Step Group 6:15 a.m.
God's Word for the Week 7:00 a.m.
Facilities Team Meeting 7:00 a.m.
Staff Meeting 9:30 a.m.
Women's AA 12:15 p.m.
Executive Committee 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 15

12 Step Group 6:15 a.m.
Quilters 9:00 a.m.
Worship 6:30 p.m.
WOW Potluck 7:00 p.m.
Vertical Life 7:00 p.m.
Disciple 1 7:00 p.m.
Foundation Meeting 7:15 p.m.

Thursday, July 16

12 Step Group 6:15 a.m.
Pastoral Care Team 9:00 a.m.

Friday, July 17

Family Camping Trip at Jefferson Creek
12 Step Group 6:15 a.m.

Saturday, July 18

Men's Bible Study 8:00 a.m.
Hunger Network 9:00 a.m.
New Member Orientation 9:00 a.m.
Latin Class 9:30 a.m.

Find the monthly calendar at www.bethany-denver.org.

Men's Fellowship

Bethany Men's Fellowship meets every Saturday from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. at Bethany in Room 209. Please join us for interesting discussion on relevant topics for men and Bible study. We will be reading and reviewing the Book of Acts and the history of the early Christian church and how it relates to our current lives. Please contact Dave Oerke at 720-544-1659 or at davekeise@q.com.

Join the M.O.B. –Men of Bethany

Go to www.bethany-denver.org to add your name to our mailing list! We will contact you by phone or email for all of the Men's Fellowship opportunities at Bethany. Events already planned include: Golf Outings, Camping Trips, Rockies Games, One-on-One Bible Studies, Fly-Fishing trips, Men's Book Studies, and Cooking Classes. Attend any or all of these events to help build authentic relationships with other men at Bethany. Contact Todd Little @ 303-594-9925 with ideas, questions, or to add your name.

Men of Bethany Day with the Rockies

We will attend the Rockies game on Saturday, July 25. We will meet at Bethany for a picnic at 2:00 p.m. and carpool to the Light Rail to the 6:00 p.m. baseball game. Men are encouraged to bring their kids as well to give mom a day off! Register through the church office, at www.bethany-denver.org or contact Jamie Orcutt at 720-987-8486 with any questions. Registration deadline is July 20.

Mission and Outreach

Sign up today for "Ready, Set, School"

(formerly Pack to School). Help us provide 25 needy children with new clothing and school supplies as part of the Inter-Faith Community Services "Ready, Set, School" project. Please stop by the table next to the Hospitality Desk today to obtain information about providing an item of clothing or backpack and school supplies and help delight a child with new things for the upcoming school year. Interfaith reports that the demand

from clients is up and their donations are down, so we want to do all we can to help. For more information, please contact Bruce and Andrea Spronk at 303-688-4483.

Van Drivers Needed for IHN – Interfaith Hospitality Network This would require driving homeless families from the day site to Prince of Peace Church at 5:00 p.m. and back to the day site at 7:00 a.m. Bethany hosts this ministry quarterly; our next scheduled time is August 16-23. We need two drivers a day. If this is your calling, please call Paul Eppard or Maren Diercks 303-221-7883

Green Metro CareRing Bags Please fill them up (pressed down and running over) and return them to church; the need has never been greater.

GLEANNING has been scheduled for Saturday, September 19, 2009. Please mark your calendars so that we can have a good turnout. Contact Susan Pattison @ 303-973-2221 for questions.

Youth Events

Sr. High Vertical Life - This summer vertical life will look a little different. Join us in the enclosed courtyard for Wednesday night Grill and Chill. We will be having weekly campfires and s'mores. We will get together each week after the Wednesday service. Everyone is welcome, and if you're home from college for the summer, please attend too!

Church Announcements



Altar Flowers are given in honor of Clarence Wickstrom's 90th birthday from his loving family and in honor of Pastor Rol and Alli Halvorson as they celebrate 50 years of marriage with their family and friends on Sunday, July 12. Remember a loved one or special occasion. Donation \$35.00.

Oberammergau, Germany An informational meeting regarding attending the Passion Play in Oberammergau, Germany, in August 2010 will be held TODAY. Join Pastor Arnie Voigt in the Fellowship Hall at either 9:00 or 10:30 a.m.

Do You Have some new plastic tablecloths that you'd like to donate to the Hospitality Committee here at Bethany? Our current supply of both round and rectangular table coverings could use replenishing so your donations would be greatly appreciated!

General Fund Update We received \$32,787 on July 5, our first Sunday of the new budget year. Please remember your contributions during the busy summer months!

New Member Orientation For those interested in Bethany membership, join us July 18 from 9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. Sign up at the Hospitality Center or call Janice, 303-758-2820.

<u>Church Staff</u>	
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