

## Women's Ministry

**Friday Morning Women's Bible Study** ~ meets weekly, on Fridays, from September through May at 10:00am in the Chapel. We are currently doing a study in the Book of Job. Please contact Gayle Beck for information at 509-751-9918.

**Thursday ReConnect** ~ will meet again this coming Thursday, February 1, 10am-noon. Re-connect meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month in the basement of the Administration Building. Questions? Contact Marcia Barkley, 509-552-9536.

## Senior Ministry

**Senior Exercise** ~ We meeting Monday, Wednesday and Friday of this week for "Fit and Fall Proof". All are welcome to join us for low impact exercise according to the "Fit and Fall Proof" model.

## Youth Ministry

**Youth Group (6th through 12th grade)** ~ Youth Group meets Sunday evenings at 6:30pm in the Youth House. We are need of meals each week so if you would like to prepare a meal for our Youth Group in February, please see the sign up sheet in Fellowship Hall.

## Children's Ministry

**Children's Church** ~ Congo-Pres Kids ages five through fifth grade are invited to Children's Church on Sunday mornings beginning at 10:00am. We meet upstairs in Pilgrim Hall for a great Bible Lesson and fun activities.

**Nursery** ~ Our nursery for infants through age four is available during the 10:00am Service. The nursery is located on the main floor in Pilgrim Hall.

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# Sunday Worship

## Church by the Water



A Sermon Series  
on Baptism

Sharing the Water

January 28, 2024

## Our Mission:

To Know Christ  
To Become Like Christ  
To Share Christ

Rev. Adam Ogg: Pastor

Lisa Huddleston: Administrator

Beth Katzenberger: Director of Music

Laureen Trail: Director of Senior Adult Ministries

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

January 28, 2024 ~ 10:00 am

PRELUDE

Lynn Ridinger

CHORAL INTROIT

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

Chancel Choir  
Beth Katzenberger

NEWS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Adam Ogg

Please sign the Welcome pad that is located at the end of each pew

Loving child care for ages four and younger is available in our nursery in Pilgrim Hall

Children’s Church for ages five through fifth grade meets upstairs in Pilgrim Hall

\*GREETING ONE ANOTHER

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, in baptism You promise forgiveness and new life, making us a part of the church, the body of Christ. We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves, separated from one another. We cling to destructive habits, look for our identity elsewhere, and allow the past to hold us captive. In Your loving kindness, have mercy on us, and free us from sin. By the Holy Spirit, may You fulfill the promise of our baptism so we may rise to new life and live together in grace, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Followed by silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News!

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

\*Doxology

OFFERTORY

“All Things Are Mine Since I Am Yours”

Chancel Choir

MESSAGE

“Sharing the Water”

Ephesians 4:1-10

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CELEBRATION OF OUR LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

Prayers of the People and Institution

Sharing the Bread and the Cup (hold the elements until all have been served)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*SONG OF RESPONSE

“There Is a Redeemer”

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\*BENEDICTION

\*Please stand, as health allows

MESSAGE NOTES

“Sharing the Water”

Ephesians 4:1-10



Let’s be a praying family

Gary Chase (receiving treatment for leukemia)

Wilson Sheppard (preparation for surgery in February)

Gary Delka (treatment for myasthenia gravis)

Kay Solem (preparation for surgery)

Toni Carlyle (preparation for surgery in February)

Cliff and Bobbi Matousek (prayers for their prison ministry travels and as they disciple those in prison)

Please notify the church office if you would like a friend or family member included in this prayer list

Congregational Ministry

Annual Meeting ~ The Annual Meeting of the Congregation will be held in Fellowship Hall today, immediately following our worship service.

Souper Bowl Sunday ~ The Mission and Community Outreach Committee invites the congregation to participate in our annual “Souper Bowl” food drive, beginning today and ending on Super Bowl Sunday, February 11. Your contributions can be placed around the goal posts in Fellowship Hall; there you can also find a list of suggested items. Our goal this year is to collect fifty-eight bags of food.

Deep Roots: Theology for Today ~ Deep Roots has begun a new book, “Life Together” by Dietrich Bonhoeffer. This weekly conversation on Tuesdays, 3:00-4:00pm in Fellowship Hall, is facilitated by Tom and Vicky Boubel. All are welcome to join us for the reading of important Christian texts aimed at enriching our lives today. For more information, contact Tom Boubel (509-993-2142).

Men’s Bible Study ~ This study and discussion is every Wednesday morning, 6:45-7:45am - we are in the book of Matthew. Enjoy coffee, donuts, and fellowship with men of the church.

Small Group ~ One of our Small Groups here at Congo-Pres is looking for one or two couples to join in the Bible study. The group meets from 5:00-6:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Sunday’s of each month. If you are interested in joining please contact Rich Goodwin at 509-780-3410.

Do you have young children? ~ Relax! God put the wiggle in children, so don’t feel like you have to suppress it in God’s house. Feel free to explain the service to your child. Involve your child as you sing along, pray, and voice responses. If you need to leave the service, with your child, feel free to do so, and come on back in when you and your child are ready. Your family is welcome at Congo Pres!