

Sunday Children's Schedule

Kid's Church At the 1st Service kids 5-8 years old begin in the service & at the 2nd service kids 5 years old-5th grade begin in the service & are later dismissed.

Nursery care is provided for infants & children up through 4 years old during the 1st & 2nd Services.

Sunday Adult Schedule

8:15AM Sunday Prayer Team (Pastor's Study)

9AM Contemporary Worship

9AM Adult Sunday School (Basement)

10:45AM Classic Worship Service

10:45AM Book Club -2nd Sundays

11:45AM Fellowship Time (Fellowship Hall)

6PM Evensong (1st & 3rd Sundays)

Through the Week at Church:

Women's Prayer Group – Tuesdays 8AM

Women's Bible Study –Tuesdays 9:00AM

Fireside Chats-Tuesdays 7PM Fellowship Hall

AWANA—Wednesdays 6-8PM, kids 3-14, adults (Oct.-Apr.)

Men's Prayer Breakfast – Thursdays 6:30AM

"Brush Away the Blues"— Thursdays 1-4PM

Home Groups:

Young Adult, David & Trina Robinson -436-1303-Cannon Bch,
2nd & 4th Sundays

Laura Chen, 920-284-1525 – Gearhart, Women's Home Group,
2nd Saturday of each month

Giving (Check, Cash, or Online):

Your gifts are always appreciated. To give online, select "Giving" on our website home page.

Leaders, Staff, Reaching Us:

Leadership Team: David Robinson, Buzz Johnson, Doug Wood, Kimberly Ward, Mike Pierce, Cat Wollen, Gordy Wollen, Marki Grenon, Doran Lower, Trina Robinson **Deacons:** Helen Piatt, Janis Lewis, Susan Rice, Katie Paaso, Judy Wood, Deanne Johnson

Church Staff: David Robinson, Pastor
Buzz Johnson, Associate Pastor
Nancy Giasson, Church Administrator

Office Hours: M-F 10AM to 4PM

Building: M-F 9:30AM-5PM; (Closed Church & National Holidays)

Website: www.beachcommunity.org; **Pastor's Blog:** vinea.church

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Know Christ. Grow in Christ together. Go with Christ.

Time of Fellowship

Following the service, all are welcome to join us for coffee, and informal conversation.

Community Life Beginning 12/18 Announcements

Today

- **Christmas Evensong, Tonight, 6pm:** candlelight service of worship featuring Scripture songs, carols, prayers, Bible readings, and Women in Song.
- **Important Church Financial Information:** While giving to the General Fund was OVER budget up through November 30th, giving month to date for the December General Fund is significantly UNDER budget.

December Budget	\$41,811.00
December Revenues Received	\$13,922.71
(includes offerings, designated offerings, church usage)	
Total Dec. UNDER Budget:	\$27,888.29

Looking Ahead

- **Women's Christmas Tea, tomorrow, 1:30PM at Suzanne Elise Assisted Living,** 101 Forest Drive, Seaside, OR. Come for refreshments, singing, & stories. Please bring a plate of cookies.
- **Piano Carols & Prayers: Next Wednesday, December 21st, Noon** in the Sanctuary. David Robinson will play solo piano meditations on carols.
- **CHRISTMAS EVE: Dec. 24, 6pm & 10pm,** Candlelight Service of Carols and Bible Readings.
- **CHRISTMAS DAY (Sunday), Dec. 25th: 10am, one service only next Sunday,** featuring carols, Gospel readings, and our "Impromptu Christmas Pageant."
- **Church Office & Building closed Monday, December 26th & Monday, January 2nd** for the National holiday observances for Christmas & New Year's days.
- **Special Office Hours for 12/27 & 12/28: Tuesday, December 27th, Noon to 3:30PM. Wednesday, December 28th, 9:30AM-12:30PM.**

THE GIFT OF THE ANIMALS

Music: 12th Century French Carol

Words by Robert Davis, 1920s

**Jesus our Brother, kind and good
Was humbly born in a stable rude
And the friendly beasts around Him stood
Jesus our Brother, kind and good.**

"I," said the donkey, shaggy and brown,
"I carried His mother up hill and down;
I carried her safely to Bethlehem town."
"I," said the donkey, shaggy and brown.

"I," said the cow, all white and red
"I gave Him my manger for a bed;
I gave Him my hay to pillow His head."
"I," said the cow, all white and red.

"I," said the sheep with curly horn,
"I gave Him my wool for His blanket warm;
He wore my coat on Christmas morn."
"I," said the sheep with curly horn.

"I," said the dove from the rafters high,
"Cooed Him to sleep that He should not cry;
We cooed Him to sleep, my mate and I."
"I," said the dove from the rafters high.

"I," said the camel, yellow and black,
"Over the desert, upon my back,
I brought Him a gift in the Wise Men's pack."
"I," said the camel, yellow and black.

Thus every beast by God's good will,
In the stable dark was glad to tell
Of the gift he gave Emmanuel,
The gift he gave Emmanuel.

**Jesus our Brother, kind and good
Was humbly born in a stable rude
And the friendly beasts around Him stood
Jesus our Brother, kind and good.**

TENDED & TENDING

Luke 2:8-17

David Robinson, Lead Pastor

INTRO: Growing up on a farm

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 2:8-17

MESSAGE

- Shepherds of Bethlehem (Luke 2:8)
- Good News announced (Luke 2:9-14)
- "Let's go and see!" (Luke 2:15-16)
- Spreading the word (Luke 2:17)

Applying the Word

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.