

Community Life Beginning 5/24/2015

Today

- **Be our guest:** to access mobile device apps, please connect to wireless with password *connected*.
- **Community Lunch:** Come join us in the Fellowship Hall.

Looking Ahead

- **Church Building & Office Closed** tomorrow in observance of Memorial Day & also closed Friday May 29th, 2015.
- **Special Church Office Hours:** Tuesday May 26th, 9:30 am-12:30 pm. Wednesday May 27th, Noon – 4 pm. Thursday, May 28th Noon to 4 pm.
- **Next Sunday: Special Congregational Meeting, after 10:45am Worship,** to elect new Elder to Leadership Team.
- **June 8th, Noon: Welcome Lunch and “Covenant Life” seminar.** We invite you to attend if you want to join this church or are looking for more information about our mission and ministry. Please call Church Office to RSVP.
- **Pregnancy Resource Center Fund Drive:** Sippy cups available in foyer. Fill it with spare change over the next four weeks. If writing a check, make payable to PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER. Return either to the area provided at the Welcome Center. These will be collected on Father’s Day, June 21st, and all the proceeds will be given to the Pregnancy Resource Center: Door of Hope, in Astoria

Needed

- **Volunteer for 2nd service:** We still need a **Sound Technician for month of December.** Training will be provided. If interested, please sign up above lobby drinking fountain. Someone will contact you to schedule training.

Sunday Children’s Schedule

Kid’s Church is provided for both the 1st & 2nd Service. At the 1st Service kids 5-8 years old begin in the service & at the 2nd service children 5years old – 5th grade begin in the service & then both are dismissed during the respective services.

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 (4th Sunday, Basement)

11:45am Fellowship Time (Fellowship Hall)

6pm Evensong (1st & 3rd Sundays)

Through the Week at Church:

Women’s Prayer Group – Tuesdays 8 am

Women’s Bible Study – Not meeting until Sep.

Knitting-Stitchery-Crafts—Not meeting presently.

AWANA—Wednesdays 6-8pm, kids 3-12, adults (Oct.-Apr.)

Men’s Prayer Breakfast – Thursdays 6:30am

“Brush Away the Blues”– Thursdays 1-4pm

Sacred Dance Rehearsal – Thursdays 7pm (Sanctuary)

Home Groups:

Bob & April Ray - 717-1793 – Seaside, 1st & 3rd Wednesdays

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

Laura Chen, 920-284-1525 – Gearhart, Women’s Home Group, 2nd Saturday

Buzz & Nance Johnson – 436-1728 –Cannon Bch, 1st & 3rd Wednesdays @ 7pm

Leaders, Staff, Reaching Us:

Leadership Team: David Robinson, Buzz Johnson, Doug Wood, Doris Stephens, Cole Horsley, Cat Wollen, Dale Thompson, Mattias Ekstrom, Marki Grenon, Doran Lower, Trina Robinson **Deacons:** Eileen Nordquist, 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 9:30am-12:30 pm; Tues-Thurs 1:30-4 pm.

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

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

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ATHENS
Study Questions
June 1-7, 2015

READ Acts 17:16-34

EXPLORE Acts 17:16-34

Find the most important aspect of each paragraph in this passage and write it below:

16-21

22-23

24-28

29-31

32-34

APPLY Acts 17:16-34

- What distresses Paul in Athens and what does he do about this?
- How does Paul speak to the Athenians? In what ways does he seek to connect with them?
- How does Paul describe God in verses 24-28? How does this compare with your view of God?
- In what ways have you sought to overcome your spiritual ignorance and get to know God?
- What do you think about the resurrection of Jesus from the dead?
- In what ways do people mock Christians and the message of Christ today?
- What have you learned from this passage?

PRACTICE & PRAY: How can you apply the lessons of this study in Acts 17 to your upcoming week?

OUT OF THE NIGHT, LIGHT SHINES

Acts 17:10-15

Buzz Johnson, Assoc. Pastor

Message Notes

May 31, 2015

INTRO: Scrutinize the Message

SCRIPTURE Acts 17:10-15

MESSAGE

- (vs 10, 11a) The Disciples leave under the cover of darkness for Berea where they meet Jews, men and women, of noble character.
- (Vs 11b) Searching Scripture to test the veracity of the message.
- (vs 12) Intently hearing the gospel lead many, Jews and Greeks, to salvation.
- (vs 13-15) Persecution follows the Disciples to Berea. Paul leaves for Athens with instructions to Silas and Timothy to join him.
- Lessons from Acts 17: 10-15.

**SECOND MISSIONARY JOURNEY
PAUL & SILAS IN BEREIA**

Study Questions
May 24-31, 2015

READ Acts 17:10-15

EXPLORE Acts 17:10-15

- Locate Berea and Athens on a map, tracing the route of Paul & Silas through them.
- Who sent Paul from Thessalonica? When and why did they send them away?
- Where did Paul & Silas go upon arriving in Berea?
- How are the Jews of Berea described and why? How did the Jews of Berea test the message of Paul?
- What was the response of some of the Jews and Greeks and how are the “Greeks” described?
- Who followed the disciples to Berea and for what reason?
- How did the Missionary team divide itself up and how does Paul show his concern for those left in Berea?

APPLY Acts 17:10-15

- Have you ever felt led to leave a place as a means of furthering your life’s goals?
- What does this text teach us when arriving in a new place in life?
- What model is suggested in this text as to how to best hear the gospel preached?
- Have you witnessed others stirring up opposition to the gospel? What is the response of the disciples here and how can that speak to us?
- In vs 15, Paul shows his concern for those he left behind. How can we continue to show concern for those we’ve “left behind”?

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**CHURCH GROWTH
IN THESSALONICA**

Acts 17:1-9
David Robinson, Pastor
Message Notes
May 24, 2015

INTRO: Lessons from the Vineyard

SCRIPTURE Acts 17:1-9

MESSAGE

- Arrival (1-3)
- Acceptance & Church Growth (4)
- Opposition to Growth (5-9)
- Lessons from Acts 17