



BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome to our weekly newsletter! <u>Wednesdays at Bethany</u> will include important announcements for the life of the congregation. If you'd like to receive the email without the PDF attachment, please let us know. And if you would rather not receive this newsletter, please let us know and you will be removed from the list.



Jesus answered, "The first is, 'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." - Mark 12:29-31 (NRSV)

Upcoming Meetings

Wed. 4/14 – Wednesday evening Zoom prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. - Prayz rehearsal

Sat. 4/10 – Building & Grounds mtg.

– Story Time With . . .

Mon. 4/19 – Financial Trustees mtg.

Tues. 4/20 – Session meeting, via Zoom

Committee chairs/group leaders: please let me know if you have any changes to these dates.

Donations for San Bruno Hospitality House: There is a plastic bin outside the door closest to the lower parking lot at Bethany for Peter Stiehler's shelter donations so people can continue to donate for the shelter. The box will be periodically checked and items taken down to Peter's Second Ave. shelter. Any questions about this please contact Rina Ranahan: (650) 291-6979.

A current list of shelter needs is on our website: <u>http://bethanypcusa.org/we-do/shelter-needs.html</u>



Prayers from 4/11/2021

- Continued prayers for Aaron and Jamie –they have decided to not sell their house yet, but will be doing some maintenance before trying again (Kathryn Quickert)

Prayers from 4/04/2021

- Prayers for Fred and his siblings, as they have found a nice place for their mom Carol, but she fell and had to go to emergency (Pam Matthews)

- Prayers of thanks for all God has given us and for the glory of the resurrection (Deb McGuire)

- Prayers for Bonnie's friend, who is on her way home from Australia (Bonnie Morgan)

- Prayers for Natalia Kelly in the loss of her husband, and for the celebration of his life next week (Craig Bray)

Prayers from 3/28/2021

- Prayers of thanksgiving for Lyn's mom Paulette's 91st birthday; for successful surgery for Sue Bullis (Lyn Hughes)

- Thanksgiving for Pam's successful hip replacement surgery, and prayers for continued healing (Deb McGuire)

- Thanksgiving for Eddy's 70th birthday and family celebration; for Craig's brother David, who is dealing with side effects of his immunotherapy treatment for cancer, and for David's wife Sandy, whose back went out (Craig Bray)

- Thanksgiving for Kelsy's birthday (Tamra Hollenbeck)

- Prayers for comfort for Bonnie's cousins in the passing of her 98 year old aunt on Saturday (Bonnie Morgan)

- Prayers for Fred's family as they move his Mom into a care home today (Pam Matthews)

- Prayers for Rina's friend Terry, who had melanoma surgery (Rina Ranahan)

- Prayers for Kathy's friend Susan, who has a brain tumor (Kathy Fogle)

Prayers from 3/21/2021

- Prayers of healing for Bob's niece, Barbara Sell, who is battling cancer (Bob Johansen)

- Prayers for the Nazarian family, who lost their matriarch Noreen Nazarian – and also for the wider community of the camp ministries at Calvin Crest and Westminster Woods – Noreen was their Lady of the Forest, and, with her husband Richard, was instrumental in creating their programs; prayers of healing for Christine Gough, and for her husband Matt and young sons, as she battles cancer (Kathryn Quickert)

- Prayers of thanksgiving that all of Brie's puppies have either been adopted or have moved on to the adoption center! Gratitude for both the opportunity to care for those 9 little fur babies, and that they are now moving on to their forever homes (Roberta Henry)





Bethany's Purpose Statement:

Bethany's purpose is to provide a nurturing and energizing environment to feed the soul so we can go out into the world and reflect the glory of God, the love of Jesus Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit.

Bethany's Welcoming Statement:

We don't yet know who you are, but we do know that you are a dearly beloved child of God, and you're already welcome here. We invite you, on your unique spiritual journey, to join us in the life and ministry at Bethany.



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