

***Sunday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020***

### **Praise Report**

General Month to Date: \$25,795/Missions Year to date: \$84,559

*Online giving available at lifepointbc.org*

### **Sunday School**

Currently we have 2 Sunday School Classes to offer.  
*1 Corinthians (located in the Sanctuary) and What Is Biblical Worship?* (located in the Chapel in the Hope Building)

### **Wednesday Psalm Study**

Join us at **7:00pm** as we sing songs of worship, offer up prayers of thanksgiving and confession, and study the book of Psalms.

### **Thursday Men's Bible Study**

Join us as we prayerfully grow in our understanding of who God is. Study will be held *every other Thursday morning at 6:30am* in the Hope Building, room 101. The next meeting will be held ***Thursday, December 17<sup>th</sup>.***

### **Friday Ladies Bible Study**

Join us in a study on the book of **Romans** on **Fridays** at **1:00 pm** in the office conference room. *If you are in need of child care, please contact Cynthia Rose.*

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

We can show the love of Christ to even the youngest of our family. Help give our babies and toddlers lots of love, play time, and snacks! Please consider serving for 1 hour a month in this invaluable ministry.

Lifepoint has 4 beautiful buildings on its property, all of which are cleaned by the members of Lifepoint. **Many hands makes light work!** Please consider serving for 1 hour a month by helping clean our facilities.

## **Lifepoint Liturgy**

Welcome & Announcements  
Core Commitment

Old Testament Scripture 1 Kings 19:9-13

Corporate Worship "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"  
"May the Peoples Praise You"

Gathered Confession  
Prayer  
Scriptural Assurance

Corporate Worship "Hope of the Ages"

New Testament Scripture Galatians 6:6-10

Pastoral Prayer

Corporate Worship "Christ Surrendered All"

Offertory

Sermon

Corporate Worship "Amazing Grace"

Benediction

Silence for Reflection and Preparation: *After the benediction, we will spend the next few moments silently reflecting on our time together this morning.*

*When the piano resumes, we invite all to stay around for conversation - while practicing social distancing ☺*

## **Sunday Gatherings**

**Nursery ♦ Newborn – 3 years old**

Faith Building – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

**KidsClub ♦ 4 years old – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Faith Bldg.

9:15 am Opening – Bible Skills, Science, Games, and Missions

9:30 am Lesson - Faithful to His Promises

**Lifepoint Youth** 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Faith Bldg

9:30 am Sunday

7:00 pm ***Wednesday***

**Adult Bible Study**

9:30 am

1 Corinthians Sanctuary  
What Is Biblical Worship? Chapel

**Worship Service** Sanctuary  
10:30 am

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**Lifepoint Cleaning Ministry**

Thank you to all the **volunteers** who help to keep our facilities clean! If you are interested in volunteering, email **[frontdesk@lifepointbc.org](mailto:frontdesk@lifepointbc.org)**

## Why Church Membership?

Obey your leaders and submit to them, for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with groaning, for that would be of no advantage to you.

*Hebrews 13:17*

### Consider these biblical truths:

- The Church is God's Work
- God's Vision for the Church is Glorious
- Membership in the Church is a biblical idea
- Church Membership is an implicit requirement of the Christian life

Church membership is for our **encouragement**, our **protection** and our **instruction**.

When you commit to Church membership, you are called to a higher degree of responsibility, service, and sacrifice to one another.

"Do not go where it is all fine music and grand talk and beautiful architecture; those things will neither fill anybody's stomach, nor feed his soul. Go where the gospel is preached, the gospel that really feeds your soul, and go often."

- Charles Spurgeon

## Gathered Confession

***Pastor:*** Lord we come this morning acknowledging that you are both the just and the justifier of those who are in Christ. You are the author and finisher of our faith. You are wise, we are foolish. You call us to holiness, as you are yourself are holy. You have given us a great inheritance in Christ. You have given us hope in every promise of your word. You need nothing, and yet you have come to us in Christ to redeem we who at one time walked in darkness. Father the whole universe declares your glory, your might, and your majesty.

***Congregation:*** Yet we forget your glory. We are poor, needy, sinful and stubborn. Our days pass away like vapor.

***Pastor:*** "But you, O LORD, are enthroned forever; you are remembered throughout all generations."

*From that time Jesus began to preach saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." - Matthew 4:17*