

Sunday, December 13th, 2020

Praise Report

General Month to Date: \$6,982/Missions Year to date: \$86,334

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 17th.***

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

Isaiah 55:6-11

Corporate Worship

"Joy to the World"
"He Who Is Mighty"

Gathered Confession
Prayer
Scriptural Assurance

Corporate Worship

"Hope of the Ages"

New Testament Scripture

Hebrews 4:11-13

Pastoral Prayer

Corporate Worship

"Dear Refuge of My Weary Soul"

Offertory

Sermon

Corporate Worship

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

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 – 1st Floor

KidsClub ♦ 4 years old – 6th Grade

2nd Floor Faith Bldg.

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

9:30 am Lesson - Faithful to His Promises

Lifepoint Youth

2nd Floor Faith Bldg

9:30 am Sunday

7:00 pm ***Wednesday***

Adult Bible Study

9:30 am

1 Corinthians

What Is Biblical Worship?

Sanctuary

Chapel

Worship Service

10:30 am

Sanctuary

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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

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 truth, and you reveal truth to us through your word. You have removed our condemnation, covering us with the righteousness of Christ. You have placed our feet in the gospel, not only giving us faith, but as the object of our faith. We have hope in our salvation because of your faithfulness. You have spoken to us through your word so that we might know you and glorify your holy name.

Congregation: Yet we are arrogant and full of pride. Neglecting your word, we have abandoned your truth.

Pastor: But you are merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. You do not delight in sacrifice but a broken and contrite spirit you do not despise.

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