

Events Planned for Jan/Feb:





Hello Friend!

We are excited to be launching another "season" of LifeConnect small groups. As a community who seeks to journey through life together as we "love Jesus, serve like Jesus, & follow His Word", let me remind you of some of the Biblical reasons why these groups are important:

- You'll meet with friends who can help you flourish in your faith (Prov. 27:17).
- You'll have fun with people who understand life's struggles (Eccles. 4:9-10).
- Praying with others helps you get through life (Phil. 4:6, 1 John 5:14-15).

The LifeConnect Fall season will be September 21-December 31. Looking forward to connecting with you!

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P.S. Our next "season" will run April 5- July31, 2025. Start thinking of a group you'd like to lead!



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How do I sign up?

- 1. Look through the group information and find which group(s) you want to join.
- 2. In most cases you can just attend! If the group asks for an RSVP, please pay attention and do so. If you need more info or have questions, contact the leader listed.
- 3. Show up!*

*Note: Please be respectful of our hosts' willingness to open up their homes. Keep to the listed start & end times.

You may have noticed some changes today. The Church Board approved a lobby "refresh" last year & empowered the elders to do it.

It's not done! There is paint/lighting/etc coming. Stay tuned for a work bee date.

As always, there is a comment box in the lobby should you wish to share your opinion!



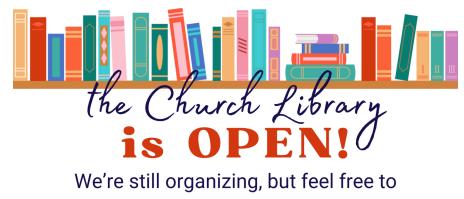
Beyond the Book:



Can we pray for you?



Scan the OR Code above to share requests or concerns



come in & look around



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(Dec 21)

Picturing the Living Word Group



<u>Picturing the Living Word</u> - Have a favorite Bible quote? Love being creative?

Using Scripture as our inspiration, we will use God's Word and an assortment of beautiful images and/or embellishments to create a lovely and unique Scripture collage on board and/or bookmarks, while drawing closer to Jesus through the creative process.

No art skills required! All materials provided! Feel free to BYO Bible, drink, or snack & come prepared to have fun! Ages 16 and up. *Please RSVP by Sept 22*.

When: Everyother Sun, 1-2p from Sept 29-Dec 8 Sept 29, Oct 13 & 27, Nov 10 & 24, Dec 8

Where: Fellowship Hall

Leaders: Elaine



<u>Christmas Brunch</u> – Join us for Christmas brunch. Leftover cookies from the night before, beautiful décor by Sister Nellie–you won't want to miss it!

No Sabbath school classes this week. Drinks & Potatoes provided. Bring fruit or a pastry to share.

When: Dec 21, 9:45am Where: Fellowship Hall

Contact: Church Office 503-223-0623

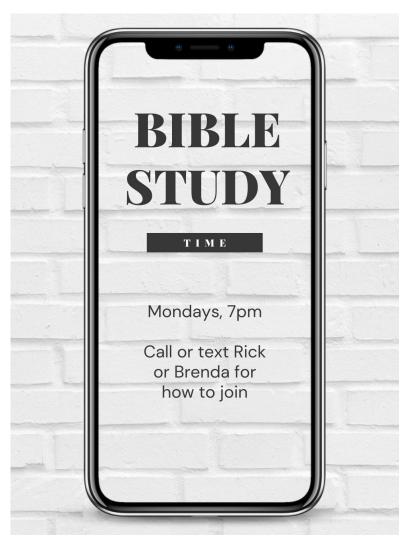


<u>Christmas Concert</u> – Our Christmas concert will be on December 20 at 7pm. Stay tuned for more details as we get closer.

Bring cookies to share. Musicians wanted! See "Sabbath Singers" (pg 12). Have an instrument? Contact us!

When: Dec 20, 7pm

Where: Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall Contact: Church Office 503-223-0623



Phone Bible Study—Bible Study on the phone

Mondays, 7pm

Meeting: Weekly

Location: Wherever you are!

Contact: Rick 503-341-6844 Brenda 360-566-5903

ROCK VOICES America's Community Rock Chorus



Rock Voices Community Choir - Join the community choir that uses our space. You may have heard them at the "Barbur Bash". Not a "Tabernacle sponsored" group—but a lot of fun! If you have questions, ask Keith & Laura (who've been members in the past!).

Fall song list includes: Billy Joel, Natalie Cole, Radiohead, and Taylor Swift.

When: Mondays: begins Sep 23

Check-in at 6pm

New member orientation at 6:30pm No commitment until the 4th week

Every Mon until Winter concert (date TBD)

Financial aid available (see website or ask Macy)

Where: Tabernacle Fellowship Hall More info: www.rockvoices.com



<u>Tastes & Testimonies</u> — Our second year of having church service in the fellowship hall around food. You won't want to miss it!

Allergy options available upon request. Deaf interpreting services provided. Serving help wanted!

When: Nov 23, 11am Where: Fellowship Hall

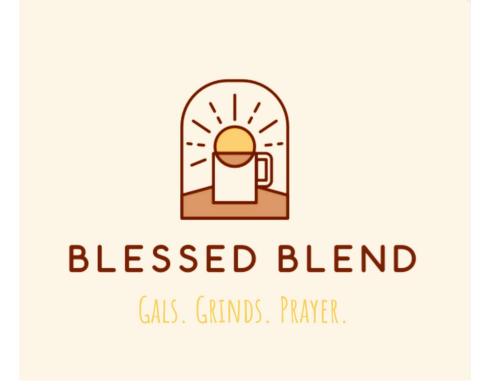
Contact: Church Office 503-223-0623



<u>Taste of Fall Social</u>— Come experience a taste of fall and play games around tables. More details to come.

When: Nov 16, 7-9:30 Where: Fellowship Hall

Contact: Beth 503-860-8327



<u>Blessed Blend</u> - Tuesday morning prayer group that meets bi-weekly over tea/coffee. Zoom option available upon request. RSVP helpful, but not required. Ladies only, please.

When: Every-other Tuesday, 9-10am

Oct 1, 15 & 29, Nov 12 & 26, Dec 10

Where: Fitzpatrick Home

1228 SW Falcon St, Portland, OR 97219

Leaders: Marilyn & Aileen

Contact: text: 210-264-2105 or

email: marilyndeoliveira@yahoo.com



<u>The Game Table</u> - Join others around a table and over a game. Get to know each other better! Play old favorites or learn a new game.

Max 7 participants a week. Please RSVP.

When: Every-other Tuesday, 6:30-8pm

Oct 8 & 22, Nov 6 (a Wednesday), Nov 19,

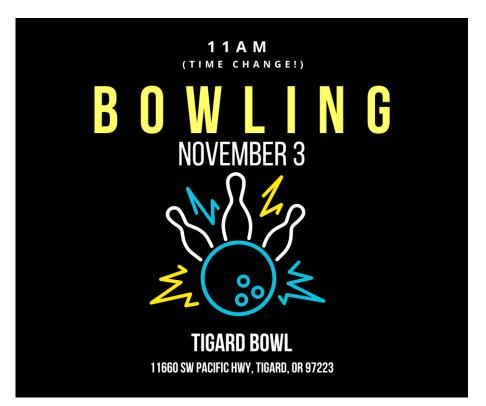
Dec 3 & 17

Where: Yvonne's House

9457 SW 62nd Dr, Portland, OR 97219

Leaders: Yvonne

Contact: call: 503-246-8064



<u>Bowling Time!</u>— Come one, come all! Bowl together on Sunday morning! Meet at Tigard Bowl and put your skills to the test. All skill levels welcome!

When: Nov 3, 11a-1p

(Remember the time change!)

Where: Tigard Bowl

11550 SW Pacific Highway, Tigard, OR

Cost: \$6.50 per person/game \$4 shoe rental/person

Contact: Keith 971-255-9081

Doug golfn529@gmail.com



<u>Family Movie Night</u>— Join us for a family-friendly movie night complete with snacks & fun. Bring a snack to share!

When: Nov 2, 6pm

Where: Fellowship Hall

Contact: Dannika or Church Office

503-223-0623

FOOD PANTRY &

CLOTHES CLOSET



4-6p - monthly

Food, clothes, diapers, & wipes Completely free for all

<u>Food Pantry & Clothes Closet</u>— Partner with PACS to clothe & feed God's people. Volunteers always needed day-of and to prep. Donations of disposable water bottles & snacks great appreciated!

Monthly, 4th Thursday of the month

Sept 26

Oct 24

Nov 27 (Wed due to Holiday)

Dec 26

Location: In-person, Tabernacle gym & lobby

Contact: Sharon F 973-735-4004

Yvette spookykeim@aol.com

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Eat together, make a joyful noise unto the Lord and get ready for the annual TSDAC Christmas concert!

<u>Sabbath Singers–Choir Practice</u> - Time to get together, fellowship & make a joyful noise unto the Lord! Mark your calendars & send contact info to Marilyn to receive choir email & text chains w/ more info.

Non-singers needed for childcare, potluck coordination, & administrative stuff. We'd love to have you!

When: Sabbaths, 1:30-3:30p, Oct 19-Dec 20

Where: Chapel

Contact: Marilyn 210-264-2105

or marilyndeoliveira@yahoo.com



<u>Light Party</u> - Reclaiming the light in a normally dark night. Wish you could wear a costume & celebrate—without all the scary stuff? Now you can! Fun—without the scary, without the darkness. Invite your friends!

Trick-or-treating down the hallway, DIY caramel apples, games, bounce house, glowsticks, scavenger hunt, crafts and more! Non-scary costumes encouraged.

When: Oct 31, 7pm

Where: Fellowship Hall

Contact: Macy 509-301-4918

or macy@tabernaclesda.org



Game Night— Calling all card game enthusiasts and wanna-be millionaires. DARK to Light (Divorce Adjustment Recovery for Kids) is hosting our 3rd annual game night in the Fellowship Hall at Tabernacle SDA church. Come with a card-playing partner of your choosing (or we can pair you up) and get ready for fun, snacks, and Make-a-Million Rupees! Novices welcome as we will be doing a demonstration before the tournament begins. Our prize packages have only gotten better this year! It is free to play but donations are most welcome with all proceeds benefiting DARK to Light.

When: Oct 19, 6:30pm Where: Fellowship Hall

Contact: Dr. Raj, <u>pritham.raj@duke.edu</u>



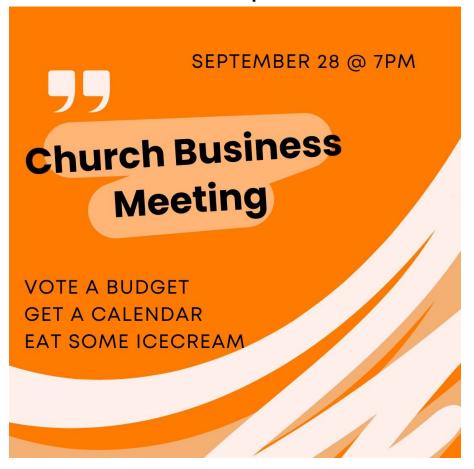
<u>Pickleball Gym Nights</u> - Come ready to play pickleball! Ping pong, etc. also available. Bring your own racket—if you have one and let's have fun together.

When: Nov 30 & Dec 28 at 5:30pm

Where: Gymnasium

Contact: Hao 503-830-1355

One-Time Groups:



<u>Church Business Meeting</u> - Come hear about how the church is doing & what our plans are for the coming year. Vote on the budget, get a calendar, & eat some ice cream!

When: Sept 28, 7pm Where: Fellowship Hall

Contact: Church Office 503-223-0623



<u>Pumpkin Patch Hangout</u> - Enjoy the fun of a pumpkin patch w/ your church family! Free parking & entrance—both free & paid activities.

Corn maze, donuts, corn hole, bounce house, petting zoo, farm stand, playground, and more!

When: Oct 6, 11a-1p Where: Fir Point Farm

14601 Arndt Rd, Aurora, OR

Contact: Pastor Macy

509-301-4918 or macy@tabernaclesda.org