



EASTHAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEKEND SERVICES FOR OCTOBER 1 & 2 - 2016

WELCOME!

If you're visiting Easthaven for the first time, make yourself at home, we're glad you're here! Here's some info to help you feel more comfortable during your visit:

- Please stop by the Welcome Center at the end of the service for an espresso coupon and more info about any of Easthaven's ministries.
- Kids are always welcome in our services, however if you'd like:
 - Childcare is provided for children (infant-age 2) in the nursery.
 - A Baby Care room is provided with a changing table for nursing moms & energetic kids. It is in the foyer to the right as you exit the sanctuary.

[Dismissed during the service] Preschool Praise for kids (age 2-3)

[Dismissed during the service] Worship celebrations for kids (age 4-9)

For more information and resources visit our website at easthaven.org.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT supper

SERVED 5-6PM ON WEDNESDAYS

AGE 2 AND UNDER: FREE | 10 & UNDER: \$1.50

11+ IS \$2.50 | NOT TO EXCEED \$8 PER FAMILY

BAKED CHICKEN,
BAKED POTATO,
GREEN BEANS, AND
COOKIES



The theme on October 5: Pastor/Director Appreciation Night. If Sparks or T&T clubbers bring a card/note thanking a Pastor, Director, or Ministry Associate, they will receive 10 points (per card) for their team.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

AWANA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We celebrate the record breaking numbers we have on Wednesday nights, but we need more volunteers! Sign up on the yellow forms in the atrium.

SANCTUARY CHAIR CLEAN-UP VOLUNTEERS

If you are interested in tidying up chair-back pockets each week, call the church office. This is a great job for a mom with kids!

MONTANA MISSIONS OFFERING

The final amount raised is \$4,160. Praise God!

CHURCH MEMBERS IN 1991

Were you attending EBC in December 1991? As we celebrate the Lambert family in January, we are looking for those who joined them at the start. Call the office if this applies to you.



UPCOMING EVENTS

W.E.L.L. GATHERING (WOMEN'S MINISTRY)

Women, plan on attending a potluck brunch with special guest speaker, Cindy Bassett, as she speaks about her recent South Asia mission trip on Saturday, October 15, 9:30-11:00am.

CHILD DEDICATION WEEKEND

Child Dedication will be on October 22 & 23. Contact Trish in the office by October 11 if you would like to have your child dedicated.

EASTHAVEN UNIVERSITY WITH MESSIANIC JEW, BILL KATZ

Save the date on October 27 for our next Easthaven University. Come for fun appetizers and a Seder dinner presentation with speaker, Bill Katz, from Chosen People Ministries. This class is great for those interested in Israel. Sign up in the atrium.

MUD-OUT & RECOVERY DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING

Come on October 28 & 29 in room 206. The two-part training will be Friday evening, 6-9pm and Saturday 9am-5pm with an "on-your-own" lunch break from noon-1pm.

WOMEN'S PRAYER MEETING

The Women's Prayer Meeting is on Friday, October 14, at 10am in room 206 (not on October 7!) For info, contact the church office.

DEACONS THIS WEEK:

If you need any assistance, our deacons are prepared to help.
Dale Brandeberry, Suny Cheff, Dale Motley

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 803 | SUMMIT LIFE CHURCH: 43 | NIGHTLIFE: 519

FINANCIALS (AS OF AUGUST 31, 2016): GIVING TO DATE: \$814,244

BUDGET TO DATE: \$790,523 | GIVING VS. BUDGET: \$23,701 | YTD EXPENSES: \$777,046

WANT TO USE TEXT GIVING? TEXT "EBC", THE AMOUNT AND FUND TO 73256



Report from South Asia Team

“Yesterday proved to be another phenomenal day of ministry among our initial people group. They gathered with us for the day and it proved to be a very special time with the Lord. If what happened visibly is carried over internally, true, deep, generational changing decisions were made that will bear fruit for future generations. There were about 80 people, the vast majority of them in their early 20’s. They are the face of the future of this people group. They are going to school, many at the University level, are literate, and motivated to overcome the stigma and reputation of the past generations of their people. Of the 80, about 15 were not believers when they arrived, but seemingly all left with a deep-seated commitment to follow the One True God and His Son Jesus. Also very encouraging was their awareness that they are doing so in community together with one another. The team shared Biblical truths, personal stories and testimonies with the attendants. Their attentiveness to the teaching, even on a very warm and humid afternoon was amazing. The difference in the appearance of this crowd in comparison to the people I met two years ago is astonishing. Those older representatives were hard, weathered and leery of new truth. They were respectful, but resisted to embrace change. It appeared a long uphill battle was before us. Yesterday’s crowd were young, full of life, zeal and very eager for a different, better future. By the end of the day, there was a communal sense of a brighter day dawning and these people are the bearers of the hope for that future.”

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We’d love to pray for you! Update our online prayer chain by going to easthaven.org. Click *resources*, then *prayer*. Click on *share your prayer request* and fill out the form.

WE PRAY FOR AN EFFECTIVE WITNESS OF THE GOSPEL BY THE FOLLOWING MISSIONARIES:

Andy and Janet Kerr: Emmaus Encounter, Lakeside
'Northern Lights': Middle East

We are looking for our service niche in our host country. How can we plug in and advance the Kingdom here as we keep an eye to our people group focus?

Paul': Christian Aid Mission, Central Asia

Pray for 'Paul's' safety, effectiveness of translation work, and witness in a hostile environment of unreached Muslim people.

Jorene Williams: BCM, After School Bible Club

Pray for helpers at Helena Flats and Edgerton School.

Kveta a Vladimir Zemanov: Vysoke Myto, Czech Republic

Pray for teams that are being formed to go this winter.

Easthaven Ministries: Pray for the launch of Small Groups and the direction of the new 50+ program.

Chris & Kim Baker: Summit Life Church plant in Whitefish

Pray for a penetration of the Gospel in Whitefish.

Bruce & Jessica Crockett, Kyle & Marisa Rosas: Flathead Valley Church Plant. Pray for Divine appointments as they seek to make contact with people in Columbia Falls. Pray that they would be received with favor.

South Asia Project: (See back page)

New Tribes Mission: Pray for Carmen DeVries in Papua New Guinea and Jake and Katie Oyler as they attend classes.

Aaron Benson: Pray as he is with YWAM and serves in Nepal. Continue to pray for safety and effective witness and ministry.

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BE IN PRAYER FOR THE FOLLOWING:

St. Matthew's Catholic Parish, Kalispell

First Baptist Church, Deer Lodge

Columbia Falls Jr. High, Columbia Falls

Hope Pregnancy Center

We often forget that it was the politics of His day that were the immediate cause of Jesus' death. Much of Jesus' teaching dealt with how to live in such a politically tense situation. So in our day, as we struggle sometimes with even knowing how to pray for our nation, this is a critical command to embrace: Fix your eyes on Jesus. He understands political and national situations and struggles. Hebrew 12:2 says, "*Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith...*"

50+ LUNCHEON & PROGRAM

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, AT 12:00PM



GUEST SPEAKER:

Tom Osborne will join us in sharing about issues of Islam and Terrorism. Come and be informed of ISIS, Iraq, and Syria.



INSPIRATIONAL SPEAKER:

Dexter Hamilton

WHAT: Our 50+ luncheons are for anyone 50 years and older. The program offers inspiration, information, and friendship. We'd love for you to invite a friend. Guests are always welcome!

WHEN: Friday, October 7, at 12:00PM

WHERE: In the Theater at Easthaven Baptist Church (2010 Whitefish Stage, Kalispell)

COST: Lunch is provided for a \$5 donation to cover the cost. We have an outstanding meal this month: savory vegetable beef stew, garlic biscuits, tossed green salad, and apple pie.

QUESTIONS? Contact the church office at (406) 752-7021.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We need many volunteers for setup, tear down, and help in the kitchen. If you'd like to volunteer one Friday a month, call Mike Marrs in the church office.

OCTOBER IS PASTOR AND DIRECTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

Join us as we celebrate and thank them!



PASTOR DANIEL LAMBERT

Thank you for 25 years of service

Daniel is a native of Louisiana, but spent most of his formative years in Texas. It was during his junior year in high school that he felt God's call to preach the message of salvation in Jesus Christ. Daniel came to Easthaven at the age of 26 and has been the pastor since 1991. Daniel and Vicki have two children: Daniel William and Adrianna. His desire is to see others come to faith in Jesus Christ, plant new churches, and fulfill the great commission around the world. Daniel holds a Bachelor's degree in Communications from Baylor University in Waco, TX, a Master of Divinity degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, TX, and a Doctorate degree from Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary through their extension on the Canadian Southern Baptist Seminary campus in Alberta.

VICKI LAMBERT

Thank you for 25 years of service

Vicki was born and raised just north of Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Music was a significant part of Vicki's childhood. She developed a great love for singing very early in life and participated in church and school choirs for years. Vicki holds a Bachelor's degree in Education from Louisiana State University and spent several years teaching children in both public and private schools in Louisiana, Texas, and Montana. Vicki has been serving the Lord through leading worship at Easthaven every Sunday morning since the early years. She teaches elementary Latin at Stillwater Christian School and accompanies their chorale program.



SAVE THE DATE! We are celebrating the Lambert's 25th church anniversary on January 29, 2017 at Easthaven. We would love to have everyone join us in *honoring* the Lamberts and *celebrating* what the Lord has done in 25 years.

NEIGHBORS

IN NEED



A N N U A L NEIGHBORS IN NEED CHILI LUNCHEON

DATE: Friday, October 7

TIME: 11:00am—1:30pm

EVENT: Sit down luncheon at Northridge Lutheran Church and/or deliveries to businesses

COST: \$10 per person

MENU: Chili, corn muffins, salad, and homemade pies

Call 752-7266 for Tickets

The purpose of Neighbors In Need is to give aid in the name of Jesus Christ, who fed the hungry, clothed the naked, freed the oppressed, and met people's physical and spiritual needs.

During 2015, Neighbors In Need provided assistance to over 800 families in the Flathead Valley. Over 51% of the Neighbors In Need funds were used to provide temporary emergency shelter to people in need in our community. Your support of this event will enable Neighbors In Need to continue helping local people who are struggling to make ends meet in our community.