

EASTHAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEKEND SERVICES FOR MARCH 25 & 26 - 2017

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:

Kids are always welcome in our services, however if you'd like:

Childcare is provided for kids (infant-age 2) in the nursery.

A Baby Care room is provided for nursing moms & energetic kids. It's 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)

There is no childcare at our 7:45am service.

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



SERVED 5-6PM ON WEDNESDAYS AGE 2 AND UNDER: FREE | 10 & UNDER: \$1.50 11+ IS \$2.50 | NOT TO EXCEED \$8 PER FAMILY NO WNS THIS WEEK ENJOY SPRING BREAK!

NO NIGHTLIFE ON MARCH 29

(This includes AWANA, Fusion, Ignite & Adult Studies)

Enjoy Spring Break!



UPCOMING EVENTS

50+ Luncheon

Coming on April 7. Guest speaker is Chris Baker, he will be presenting, "From the Shadows of the Cross - A Roman Soldier's Story" April's lunch will be Oven Roasted Ham, Baked Potatoes, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Garlic Rolls, and Cheesecake for only \$5.00. You won't want to miss this this exciting performance!

PRISCILLA SHIRER SIMULCAST

All women are invited to join us for the simulcast on April 8. Doors open at 7:30am, the simulcast is 8:00am-3:30pm. Tickets are available in the church office or in the Atrium after service. Cost is \$20.

Passover Dinner

Easthaven University will be hosting a Passover Dinner here in the sanctuary on April 9th (Palm Sunday) from 6-8:30pm. This is a ticketed event and we only have a few seats left. Contact the church office to get signed up or for more information.

EASTER SERVICE TIMES ~

Saturday, April 15: e3-6pm

Sunday, April 16: 7am, 8:30am, 10am, 11:30am (Easthaven)

No childcare @ 7 am, Brunch between all services

9am & 10:30am (Summit Life in Whitefish)

10am (Gateway in Columbia Falls)

LOTS OF PLACES TO SERVE-SIGN UP IN THE ATRIUM!!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALIFORNIA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

Save the Date! The CBU choir is coming to the valley in May! They will perform at EBC on Monday, May 15 and Wednesday, May 17. We will need housing for them for 3 nights - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights (May 15, 16 and 17). Sign up sheet is on the east counter in the Atrium.

VBS

June 12th - 16th from 8:45 a.m. to Noon each day. Kids in Preschool - 5th grade can attend. Registration forms online or pick one up in the Atrium. Register your kids early! Space is limited. We will need volunteers to help make this a great week. Please contact Trish in Church office or sign up in the Atrium.

ATTENTION WORSHIP TEAM

If you are a vocalist for any of our weekend services, please plan to attend ONE (1) of the following trainings that pertain to you:

WIRELESS IN-EAR MONITOR TRAINING (for Vocalists)

Saturday, March 25 (after e3)

Sunday, March 26 (after 11am)

all trainings held in the sanctuary

LOST & FOUND

Our Lost & Found is located in the north hallway across from the Gym. All items will be donated at the end of March.

TLC RETREAT WORK WEEKS

We plan to set aside the first two weeks in May for work weeks at our camp, with a big push for the weekend of May 5-7. Mark your calendars and plan to come out to help get our campground ready for the summer camping season!

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 820 | SUMMIT LIFE CHURCH: 51 | NIGHTLIFE: 499

FINANCIALS (AS OF MARCH 5, 2017): GIVING TO DATE: \$199,200 BUDGET TO DATE: \$214,959 | GIVING VS. BUDGET: (\$15,759) | YTD EXPENSES: \$218,348



Raising a Child who Prays (cont)

There were two guiding principles at work in Daniel's life as a young boy. As a captive of war, Daniel was brought against his will into Babylon. This Israelite boy, a foreigner in a new land, quickly distinguished himself among the other young men inducted into the Royal Academy (Dan. 1:4-17). One principal reason was that he knew the power of prayer and continued in that lifestyle throughout his youth and adulthood. From Daniel's life we conclude that:

Children must know the purpose of prayer.

Children must establish a pattern of prayer.

Purpose of Prayer: Daniel prayed for strength to deal with an oppressive law, and survived a night with the lions. *Prayer is talking to God about anything that you're facing.*

Pattern of Prayer: Good patterns provide focus and strategy to achieve goals. Children thrive on predictability. Jesus said, when you pray, go into your room. Daniel went to his upstairs room. Heartfelt prayer is best done in a private familiar space with limited distractions. Equally important is a specific time to pray. Daniel prayed three times a day. Like any habit it takes discipline and practice i.e. brushing your teeth, practicing the piano.

What to pray about? Daniel focused and visualized his prayer on the welfare of his people back home. Teaching children to cut out a picture of something that helps them visualize one of God's unmet promises for their life or a need in the family can help them find the right words to use in prayer—a prayer board-like a vision board representing things your child longs to see God do for them or thanking God for His blessings. Maybe a picture of Grandma who is in need of God's healing are ways of making prayer practical.

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

upcoming summer camps.

'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

Kveta a Vladimir Zemanov: Vysoke Myto, Czech Republic Be praying for the team that will be going to the Czech 3/25-4/2. They will be working with the youth at the church, and making contact with the schools, preparing the way for a team for the

Chris & Kim Baker: Summit Life Church in Whitefish Praise for answered prayer re: the purchase of a home. It is now under contract with closing in the weeks to come

Bruce & Jessica Crockett, Kyle & Marisa Rosas: Gateway Church in Columbia Falls. Pray along with them as they prayer walk neighborhoods—that God would open the eyes of their neighbors to see their need for Jesus, that God would grant opportunities to minister, would bless them and their families, and for any believers on the street to be witnesses to their neighbors.

South Asia Project: Pray for future strategies in maximizing the work, and new team members for the trip in June.

New Tribes Mission: Pray for Carmen DeVries in Papua New Guinea and Jake and Katie Oyler. "Join Jake and Katie in praying for the right housing option to come along for their two months in MT this summer.

Zach & Carrie Wolfe: Pioneers Ministry

Prayers for the Church: Lord, we lift up our worship leaders. Help them lead us faithfully in thanks for Your enduring love. Use their praise to defeat the enemy. Let them glory only in You.

BE IN PRAYER FOR THE FOLLOWING:

First Baptist Church, Kalispell Crossroads Memorial Church, Great Falls Russell School Flathead Youth Home

Our brothers and sisters in the persecuted church.

Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem.

Pray for the President, V.P., and Cabinet for protection, wisdom & clarity in their decision making. Pray for Judge Neil Gorsuch, the nominee for the Supreme Court, and his confirmation hearings, for the establishment of righteous judges in the land and that the subversive activities of the enemy would be thwarted.

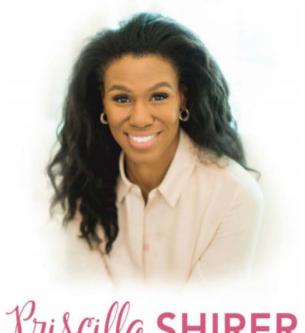
Palm Sunday & Easter Sunday Plants

This is your opportunity to purchase an Easter Lily for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday décor, as well as to honor the memory of someone special in your life.

SUGGESTED DO	NOITANC	
Easter Lilies	\$10.00	# Requested
Total Donation \$		
Name of person donating (print clearly)		
In honor OR mo	emory of	(print clearly)

A list of those to be honored will be placed in the bulletin on Palm Sunday & Easter. Plants can then be taken home the Monday after Easter!





Priscilla SHIRER SIMULCAST

worship with ANTHONY EVANS



All women are invited to join us at Easthaven Baptist Church for the simulcast. Bring your friends and join us for a great day with the Lord. Brunch and snacks will be served. For more info: valgibson56@gmail.com

DOORS OPEN: 7:30AM

START TIME: 8:00AM

END TIME: 3:30PM

TICKETS: \$20

Tickets available in the church office during business hours or in the Atrium after service.