



# EVANGEL

2010 WHITEFISH STAGE | KALISPELL, MT | 406.752.7021

MAY/JUNE 2017

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Church Family,

On Easter Sunday morning I said, "These are truly great days to be a part of the Easthaven family," and I meant it. Over the course of that weekend, the Easthaven family hosted nine worship services in four locations around the Flathead Valley. We hosted our first worship service at Gateway Church, our new mission in Columbia Falls. Our Whitefish plant, Summit Life Church, held two services on Sunday morning. West Shore Community Church in Big Arm, down on Flathead Lake, also had a great celebration. From our Saturday night e3 service until the final of four worship services on Easter day, we saw over 1600 people join us in worship. Wow, what a day! Our study of the resurrection story focused on the response of the ladies who first discovered the empty tomb. As they left the tomb, they were filled with fear and great joy because only moments later they ran into the risen Jesus on the pathway. We were reminded that once we encounter the risen Christ, we can have joy through anything life brings our way. As we continue to strive to live out that message and share it with others, I pray we are experiencing that same great joy on a daily basis in our lives.

If you've been around Easthaven very long, you know there is rarely time for rest as we "Guide people on the journey to follow Jesus." During the month of May, we will be rolling out an extensive update on the progress of the development of a one-year Bible college. Weekend service attendees will hear explanation of the vital nature of a Biblical worldview, how this new ministry will impact life at Easthaven, and more importantly help us fulfill our overall mission, who the Lord has raised up to lead us into this exciting venture and all that is already happening as evidence of the Lord's leading. This is certainly no small undertaking, but we have learned over and over that where the Lord guides, He provides. In this case, He has given us mounds of evidence of His heart for the next generation to recapture a deep-seated commitment to living according to his Word. Please be prayerful as we consider this ministry endeavor. There will be ample opportunity to hear information, ask questions, and seek His heart, but please engage in the conversation with us. This is a big deal and as exciting as it is, it is still vital that we advance in faithfulness together. I am so humbled and grateful to be your pastor and pray daily that the Lord will pour out His blessings on His people as we partner together to build His kingdom.

Many blessings!  
Pastor Daniel <><

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# WELL

Women Encouraging, Learning, and  
Loving the Lord and Each Other



Women, join us on Saturday, May 13, at 9:30am for a potluck brunch as we celebrate Mother's Day. Bring your favorite sweet or savory dish and your favorite Bible verse to share. Hope to see you all there!



All women are invited to our Wednesday night study at 6:15pm, *Here and Now, There and Then*. Join us for Beth Moore's study on the book of Revelation. Books will be available at the first class (May 3) for \$10.

Need more info? Contact Valerie Gibson @ [valgibson56@gmail.com](mailto:valgibson56@gmail.com).

## CZECH MISSION FUNDRAISER

# BBQ Lunch and Pie Auction

May 21 after 11am service (approximately 12:30pm)

Join us for Dickey's BBQ: pulled pork sandwiches, beans, chips, and water. Pre-order your meal for \$10 or order at the door for \$12. Order forms will be available in the bulletin.

If you would like to donate a pie (or another baked good!) to the Czech team, call Rick Early at (406) 250-0417.

# VBS 2017

**When:** June 13-17 from 8:45-noon

**Where:** Easthaven Baptist Church

**Who:** Kids entering grades Pre-K through 5th grade

Complete our online registration form at [easthaven.org](http://easthaven.org) or pick up one in the foyer.

## VBS Volunteers

If you are 13 years and older and are able to help us this year in VBS, please sign up in the Atrium.

THANK  
YOU

...to all our wonderful Awana volunteers who helped us out this past year! We couldn't do it without you!!



# Child Dedications

...will be on May 13 and 14 during our worship services. If you would like to have your child dedicated during one of these services, please contact the church office by May 10.

## EASTHAVEN CAMPS AT TLC RETREAT

### JULY 5-7 – KIDS' DAY CAMP

Cost: \$75\*

(Entering grades 1-3)

### JULY 10-14 – KIDS' CAMP

Cost: \$125\*

(Entering grades 3-5)

### JULY 17-21 – MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMP

Cost: \$125\*

(Entering grades 6-8)



\*Discounts available for families with multiple children who are attending the same camp.

All registration forms are available on our website or in the church office. Once completed, please drop forms off at the church office with your payment.



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**ATTENDANCE | GIVING RECORDS**

**APRIL AVERAGES**

**WORSHIP ATTENDANCE: 1023 | Sunday Bible Study: 67 | AWANA & Nightlife: 440 | TOTAL GROWAVERAGE: 377**

**FINANCIALS** *(as of April 2, 2017):*

**Giving to Date: \$302,731 Budget to Date: \$338,776 | Giving vs. Budget: (\$36,045) | YTD Expenses: \$320,961**