



This Sunday

"When Jesus Shows Up" *Matthew 21*



Palm Sunday is a day of celebration that speaks of the time when Jesus entered into Jerusalem that final week before His crucifixion, death and resurrection. The Bible tells us that He's coming again someday. What can we learn from him coming to Jerusalem so we are prepared for His second coming? Join us this Palm Sunday as we see what happens, "When Jesus Shows Up".

Ministry Focus

Praying for Adult Christian Learning (ACL)

Pray that God would encourage all 6 teachers as they prepare to teach adult classes Sunday's at 9 am starting after Easter. Ask the Lord to send many more LBC adults to sign up to be spiritually strengthened in these classes, and to encourage the teachers each week. Also, ask the Lord that ACL Director John Wecks & his wife Carley would be Spirit-filled as they minister to missionaries in Guatemala April 5-11. They fly out April 4 and return April 12.

Laurelwood Calendar of Events



Men's Bible Study *Ecclesiastes*

Wednesdays
6:00am-7:30am
or
Thursdays
6:30pm-8:00pm.
Room 306.

This week's topic: Men's Roundup Recap -
Session 4



Beautifully Rooted April 20-22

Guest Speaker: Shelley Cramm

Where: Falls Creek Retreat Center in Raymond, WA

Time: Arrive anytime between 4-7pm on Friday, stay until 2
pm Sunday

Gift Scholarships: Visit the kiosk to purchase a gift scholarship in any desired amount to bless another.

What a great gift for that special woman in your life!

Family Meeting



Join us for an LBC Family Meeting after services on March 25th. Followed up with a Business Meeting during service on April 8th.



Thinking about serving?

Social committee needs someone to set up the coffee and cookies on Sunday mornings, even if only 1 Sunday a month. If you are able to serve in this way please contact Pat Moeller.



This parenting community group will be at 9am in room 301 at Laurelwood. THIS SUNDAY (4/25) and on April 8th.

This discussion will potentially be a more difficult topic than the previous meetings. We will be watching a video and discussing the topic of gender and sexual identity and how to talk to our children about it. This is a larger topic so we will be splitting this discussion into two weeks, **March 25th and on April 8th**. Even though it's potentially an uncomfortable subject, we believe that God calls us to seek out his wisdom and to address all difficult topics in life. We hope that you can make it this Sunday and be a part of this community. God bless!



Easter Sunday Services

9am & 10:30am on April 1st

Also Join us for

Good Friday Service March 30th, 6pm

Children's classes available for all services.



High School Spring Retreat

[Sign up today!](#)

What – High School Spring Retreat at Battle Ground Lake Cabins

Cost - \$40

When – March 30th to April 1st

Who – High School Students and Youth Leaders

Where – Pick Up and Drop off will be at Laurelwood

Why –To be able to unplug from the busyness of life and be able to connect with God

and each other. Also to have lots of fun!

See you there!

Boomers & Youth Wii Bowling & More!



Join us...

Wednesday, April 4th at LBC from 4:00—6:00pm

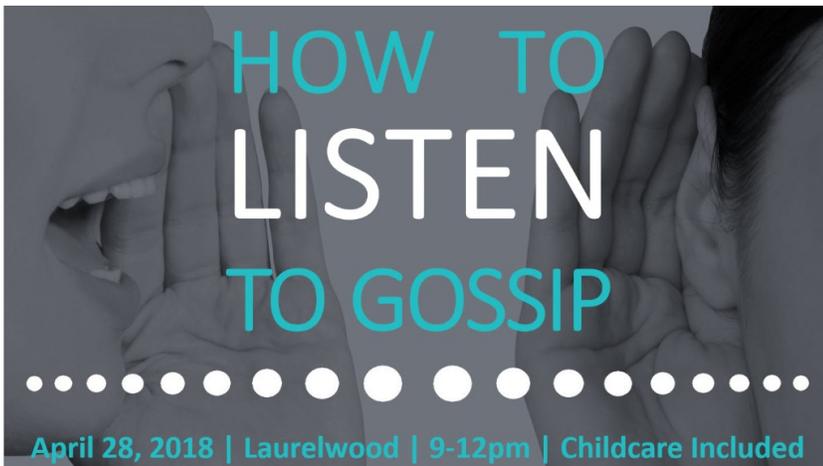
Come and have great fun and laughter even if you do not want to participate in playing. There will be PRIZES!

Taco / Nacho bar dinner provided by Boomers & Youth ministry.



RSVP at the
Information Kiosks March 25th & April 1st

**HOW TO
LISTEN
TO GOSSIP**



April 28, 2018 | Laurelwood | 9-12pm | Childcare Included

Discover ways to improve your communication for healthier relationships. This seminar teaches God's people listening skills during normal conversations. How do you know when something you are listening to is gossip? If it is, of course you should not repeat it. The Bible teaches that we should do more than that. In this seminar, John Wecks will present God's way to respond to gossip, and will involve group discussion of case studies and lively interaction during the 3 sessions.

Join us Saturday April 28, 9-12 at Laurelwood Baptist Church. Child care and refreshments are included. Cost is \$10. You can sign up [online](#) or at the Kiosk on Sundays.

LBC Discipleship

Small Groups

It's not too late to join a small group! Laurelwood has a number of different small groups that meet all throughout the week. Contact [Pastor Kevin](#) to get connected with a small group of fellow believers to grow and share life with this year!

[Click here to register for classes!](#)

Discovery Series

Our Discovery series classes are for you to meet our pastors and leaders, hear what we believe, know our vision for discipleship and discover along the way how God is prompting you to grow in your faith. Pastor Mike's Discovery class is an introduction to our church and what it looks like to be a disciple of Christ. The other classes will unpack each area of discipleship in greater depth. Each class not only shares our faith and vision, but also practical steps for spiritual growth. Classes are offered periodically at the 9am hour as announced in the e-bulletin. While you may not take all the classes at once or in any particular order, we encourage you to plan on eventually attending them all as a way to get to know your church but also to get a clear vision for your own discipleship journey.

Sundays at 9:00 am

April 8 - May 20 | Bible Study Methods | Rm 306 | Sundays 9am | Matt Johnson The Bible is the Word of God and the sole authority for all matters of faith and practice. This class will inspire and walk you through how to effectively study the Bible for yourself.

April 8 - April 29 | Stewardship | Rm 303 | Sundays 9am | Bob DeViney Each one of us has time, talents and treasure: get a vision in this class for making the most of what God has entrusted to you.

May 6 - May 20 | Personal Reflection | Rm 303 | Sundays 9am | Pastor Mike Understand how God has designed the body of Christ to connect and grow together and how you can be a part of it.

Deeper Life Series

God has a desire that you become stronger and spiritually more mature. The Deeper Life Series provides solid Bible exposition through various books of the Bible to move you deeper into the Lord and the LBC Discipleship Process.

These Classes are designed to provide increasing spiritual stability and strength in your life as an adult at LBC. Special attention is given to the verse by verse explanation of what God is teaching within each paragraph of every section of the Bible book. Then these truths are applied specifically and personally to your life situation. Subjects and topics are covered when they are raised by the order of the message found in the book being taught.

Sundays at 9:00 am

April 8-June 10 | 2 Timothy | John Wecks | Room 204

While Christians fearfully cower to cultural pressures and spiritual leaders fail, learn how to remain courageous in His power, love, and discipline. Learn to avoid the chatter of the latest Christian sound bites and off-beat twittering to remain strong in God's Word. In this class you will learn how to endure hardship, fulfill your individual purpose, fight the good fight and finish well.

April 8 – May 20 | Book Exposition (Joshua) | Room 301

A number of correlations have been made between the book of Joshua and the books of Ephesians and Revelation. A few examples are: in both Joshua and Ephesians we find each opened by a divinely appointed leader, each given by grace-received by faith and each the scene of warfare and conflict. In both Joshua and Revelation we find a military commander dispossessing the usurpers, a seven year campaign and enemies confederated under a leader in Jerusalem.

The name Joshua in Hebrew is Yeheshua. Yeheshua is a variant of Yeshua and Yeshua gets translated for us as Jesus. Come join us as we dig deep into the book named "Jesus" to find more than just a history lesson on the journeys of Israel into the Promised Land.

Other Classes / Midweek & Sunday AM

April 28 | How to Listen to Gossip | Saturday Seminar | 9-12pm | \$10 Childcare included | Dr. John Wecks

Discover ways to improve your communication for healthier relationships. This seminar teaches God's people listening skills during normal conversations. How do you know when something you are listening to is gossip? If it is, of course you should not repeat it. The Bible teaches that we should do more than that. In this seminar, John Wecks will present God's way to respond to gossip, and will involve group discussions of case studies and lively interaction during the 3 sessions.

Watch for these classes:

Financial Peace University, Love & Respect (marriage enrichment), Parenting Classes, and Pastor Mike's classes on Depression and Grief are offered periodically. Watch the bulletin for dates of the next class or contact the office to be put on the invite list and we will notify you when the class is scheduled.

Links



Click here and listen to the current sermon series.

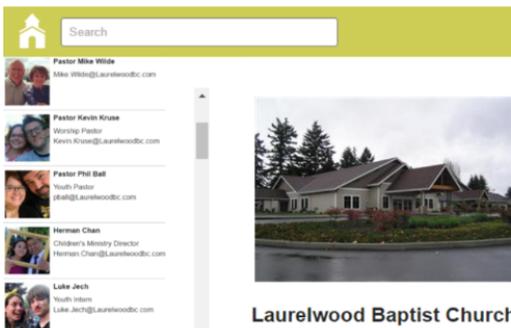
READ *the Bible in* **1 YEAR**

BIBLE READING GUIDE

Mar 26	Joshua	12-15
Mar 27	Joshua	16-18
Mar 28	Joshua	19-21
Mar 29	Joshua	22-24
Mar 30	Judges	1-2
Mar 31	Judges	3-5
April 1	Judges	6-7

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Bible Apps:

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Download this App from your Phone's/Tablet's App Store. You can now find Laurelwood Baptist Church under "Events" using it to follow along with Pastor Mike during his message. (Note... "Events" not supported on some tablets.)



LBC Budget

Budget To Date 502,867

Giving To Date 509,873

Expenses To Date 464,540

Weekly Budget 11,973

Offering Last 3 Weeks 42,315

Capital Campaign Last 3 Weeks 33,691

Capital Campaign To Date 696,569

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