



APRIL 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 9 Bible Study Easter	2	3	4 5:45—7:00 pm Youth Group	5	6	7
8 9 Bible Study 6 Oaks Service	9	10	11 5:45—7:00 pm Youth Group	12	13	14
15 9 Bible Study	16	17 2:00 Martha at Stillwater 6:30 Elders 7:00 Board	18 5:45—7:00 pm Youth Group	19 Pastor Zane will be gone thru April 22	20	21
22 9 Bible Study Patty Evans will be quest speaker	23	24	25 5:45—7:00 pm Youth Group	26	27	28 District Youth Event @ Keizer Christian Church
29 9 Bible Study 3 "The Mask You Live In" Kuhn theater FREE	30					

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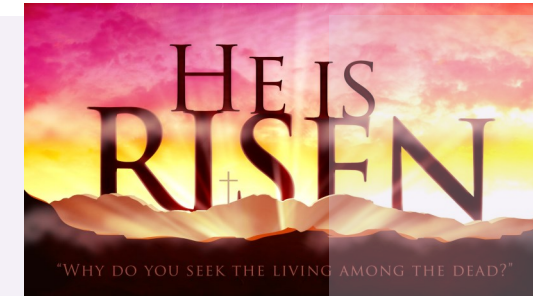
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FROM THE PASTOR

HE IS RISEN!

Happy Easter church! We have come through the "lengthening" time of lent, and into the glorious season of Eastertide. This is a time in the year where we focus on what happened after the resurrection, so be ready for preaching from the later parts of John and Luke, plus bits from everyone's favorite church history: the book of Acts!

Also happening in April is our new weekly youth group (see page 3 for more details), children's programming with Donna and Sheila, and continued mission projects (page 2). Pastor Zane will be gone the weekend of



Sunday April 22nd, but Patty Evans of Albany will be preaching.

I have been jumping in and doing the ministry that God seems to be calling me to do, but I still want to get to know you, the church, better and hear what ministries ignite your heart and how myself and the church can support you.

Blessings during this time of resurrection and celebration, and I know that the work that God has begun in you will be completed to the glory of God!
Peace,
Pastor Zane



Regional Assembly
May 18-19, 2018
"Through These Hands"



Birthdays

Kelsey Wray	3
Chris McKellar	13
Nick McKellar	13
Mike Kizer	13
Sheryl Kizer	30

Anniversaries

Van & Cathy Johnson	10
Mike & Sheryl Kizer	10
Earl & Judy Hunter	13
Richard & Lori Slavenski	20

CHURCH EVENTS

- EASTER April 1, Service at 10:45 AM**
- Sunday Morning Study 9:00 AM All are welcome!**
- Service at the Oaks Sunday, April 8, 6:00 PM**
- Martha CWF Group Tuesday, April 17, 2:00 PM**
Sixth lesson, "The Tax Collector" **All women invited**
- Church Board & Elders Meetings Tuesday, April 17**
6:30 PM Elders 7:00 PM Church Board
- Pastor Zane will be in Pennsylvania from April 19-22**
- District Youth Event Saturday, April 28**
Keizer Christian Church
- Free Showing of "The Mask You Live In" April 29, 3:00 pm**
the Kuhn Theater

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MISSIONS

"Therefore go and make disciples..."

YOUTH Activities

Praise for the beginnings of a youth group!

The last two weeks John West and Pastor Zane have begun hosting a youth group here at Lebanon FCC! There have been 6 different youth who have shown up, and we've been focusing on games, music, and a short conversation about something of interest. Last week, the youth watched some clips from Jesus Christ Superstar and had a rousing conversation about who Jesus was and how the film was received in the 1970's. I look forward to further news about our youth group and its growth. The youth group meets from 5:45-7:00pm every Wednesday night.

SOMETHING TO THINK AND PRAY ABOUT

Our town has a few resources that are designed to help struggling youth, and one of the only after-school programs for high-school age youth is a small "drop-in center" called the V.A.U. L.T. It stands for: VERSATILITY ACCEPTANCE UNDERSTANDING LEADERSHIP TENACITY. This program, a collaboration between the Boys & Girls Club, Jackson Street, and Lebanon Mennonite, has amazing potential to make positive change in the lives of our youth. The conversation that has begun between our church, Lebanon First Presbyterian, and Lebanon Mennonite, is how we can help to ensure a more reliable funding stream for this program, and to discern if there is a way that we can help provide mentors for the teenagers. If you are interested in helping to fund this fantastic local program dedicated to our young people, or to consider being a mentor, please contact Pastor Zane.

DISTRICT YOUTH EVENT International Table Top Games

Saturday, April 28
7:00—9:00 pm
Keizer Christian Church



ATTENTION: ANOTHER LOCAL MISSION

Our church has been partnering with Presbyterian Churches in Linn County and CARDV to offer free showings of the film "the Mask You Live In." This film is designed to have conversations with men and their families about how to end domestic violence and foster healthy masculinity. The showings are Sunday April 29th at 3pm at the Kuhn, and Sunday May 6 at 3pm at the Whiteside. KGAL and KSHO radio stations are providing us with advertising throughout the month of April, including inviting Pastor Zane to the Valley Talk Morning Show at 9:30 on April 25th! If you have any questions about this mission project, please contact Pastor Zane.



CROSSROADS COMMUNITIES A Nonprofit Organization

We are a 501(c)(3) based in Lebanon, Oregon dedicated to providing transitional housing for those recovering from life's challenges. This service is primarily for veterans, but no one will be denied service because they are not a veteran. For more information see K.J. Ullfers.

ATTENTION WOMEN

If you are new to Lebanon FCC or just visiting, We'd love to have you come to our CWF Martha Group which meets at 2:00 PM on the Third Tuesday of the month in someone's home. Call the office for more information. This month's meeting will be at Stillwater.

MEET SHEILA BLEVINS, OUR NEW NURSERY ATTENDANT

for children 0-2

Sheila is a LBCC student and a South Salem native. Be sure to introduce yourself as Sheila is trying to meet everyone as she becomes a part of our ministry here at FCC.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

For children ages 3-11 there is a weekly Children's Church led by Donna Lewelling. Children leave service after the children's moment then are reunited with parents at the end of service.

Nursery is available for those younger.

IN OUR PRAYERS:

Cathy & Van Johnson	Mariam Swanson	Jim Plymell	Cpt. Tory Petersen
Mary Lee Howell	Patricia Love	Pam Patterson	1st Lt. Kellen Peterson
Millie Patterson	Vila Adkins	Kenny Gagne	Pray for our Church,
Jesse LeSeur	Patricia Heckman	Doris Modderman's	our Ministers,
Judy LeSeur	Gerri Myers	Sister	the Soup Kitchen, and
Wayne McIntosh	James Lenfesty	Ed Dart	our Regional Ministers.
August Flieshman	Cyrus Wendling	Fraser Coleman	If you know of any up-
Diana Johnson	John Morgan	Donna Beamer	dates or corrections to
Dale Johnson	Doug Dornhecker	Service People:	this list, please let the
Mike & Sheryl Kizer	Dorothy Love	Sgt. Coury Gagne,	office know in writing
Dale & Thelma Olsen	Richards Stevens	Sgt. Scot Noss	or by email.