

NEWS & EVENTS



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We're glad you are here! As a thank you, we'd like to make a gift of \$5 in your honor to one of our community partners. Scan the QR code to the left to choose which organization to receive the donation. Thank you for being our guest today.



"God and Country: The Rise of Christian Nationalism"

Documentary and Discussion

Sunday, March 16th, 4:30 pm in the Chapel

Join us for a viewing of the documentary "God and Country" that addresses the influence of Christian Nationalism in America. There will be time for community discussion following the 1.5 hr film. This event is open to anyone concerned about the growing acceptance of racism and violence in the name of Christianity and how people of faith can resist.

5th Sunday POTLUCK

We're starting a new tradition of a 5th Sunday Potluck! Join us any month we have a 5th Sunday. The first one is in March!

MARCH 30 | NOON IN THE GYM

Last Names A-R: Bring Main or Side Dish
Last Names S-Z: Bring Dessert

JOURNEY CARD

We're glad you're here!

Please complete the card and place in the offering plate.

CHECK IF FIRST-TIME GUEST

FULL NAME – Please Print

CHILDREN & YOUTH PRESENT TODAY

Names & Ages _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ **ZIP** _____

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PRAYER REQUEST

YOUR NAME – Please Print

Person or situation for which you are requesting prayer.

- Share with the congregation.
- For Pastors Only
- For Pastors & Prayer Team Only

OTHER REQUESTS

Wednesday Night on Center Street – March 12th – April 9th

Write the name of adult/teen attendees:

Children/ages:

Adult Classes: Write the number of people in the blank before class.

- ___ Bible with Brittany: The Book of Esther
- ___ The Small and the Mighty
- ___ Roundtable Worship

Dinner Reservations

Menu March 19th: *Homemade Potato Soup, Homemade Vegetable Beef Soup (GF), Grilled Cheese Sandwiches (GF by request), Cornbread, Cobbler and Ice Cream*

Write the number in blanks below:

___ Kids ___ Adults

Wednesday Nights on Center Street – Starts March 12th!

Bible With Brittany: The Book of Esther

This class is for teens and adults! Explore the harrowing and inspiring book of Esther through discussion, creativity, and fun! Short weekly readings are provided but not required. This class is open to adults and youth.

The Small and the Mighty

In today's turbulent world, it's essential to take a moment to remember those who have contributed to making the world more just, peaceful, good, and free. Rev. Natasha will lead us through Sharon McMahon's book, *The Small and the Mighty*. This book highlights twelve ordinary Americans whose courage helped shape the character of our country. McMahon proves that the most extraordinary Americans are often ordinary people who didn't make it into the textbooks.

Roundtable Worship: Current Political Climate

Join us for an intentional space of song, prayer, and conversation to process our current experiences of the political climate. Roundtable Worship is an opportunity to engage in meaningful and thoughtful conversation in an intentional way. Roundtable Worship is a restorative justice practice that seeks to bring people together across varying opinions, theologies, and ideologies to know one another's experience of being human. The experience will be led by Rev. Haley, our Pastor of Community Engagement and a licensed social worker, and Rev. Mary Jane Cole, our Spiritual Director in Residence. Gathering in circle as a community is a powerful tool for holding space for all the emotions that we've been given as beloved children of God. Come ready to listen to your neighbor or utilize your voice if you feel moved. Above all, come open to the way God's grace moves deeply when we sit in circle together.

Kids – First Arts with Ms. Shannon!



Potluck and City Board Meeting

Join our Poverty Abolitionist group for a potluck and City Board meeting on Tuesday, April 1 at 5:00pm. Bring a dish to share to First Cup Cafe at 5:00pm, and then we will head to the regularly scheduled board meeting at 6:00pm. This group has committed to being more involved in local government as a means of transforming poverty in our beloved city. We are called to participate in the life of our community to show the beauty of the Kingdom of God. Let's learn and advocate together! Direct any questions to Rev. Haley.