

| ~ October 2020 ~ | | | | | | |
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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
| BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES | | Birthdays are listed in BLUE. Anniversaries are in GREEN. | | 1 10A Virtual Coffee Hour | 2 Office Closed Chuck & Jeanette Cornell (celebrating 66 years) | 3 |
| 4 9:00A LIFE Hour 10:00A Worship Service Communion 11:15A Board of M&W Mtg. Life Chain (2:30-3:30PM) Ken Foster Betty Kahle | 5 Office Closed (Church Staff Retreat) | 6 | 7 Jaime Hudson Marlene Swanson | 8 10A Virtual Coffee Hour 4P Leadership Council Monthly Meeting | 9 Office Closed | 10 Dennis Durst |
| 11 9:00A LIFE Hour 10:00A Worship Service | 12  Dennis & Mary Durst (celebrating 8 years) | 13 | 14 4P Board of Outreach Meeting Brianna Femrite | 15 10A Virtual Coffee Hour | 16 Office Closed | 17 |
| 18 9:00A LIFE Hour 10:00A Worship Service Change Offering Patty Lamberson Kathy Zimmerman | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 10A Virtual Coffee Hour 12P-6P American Red Cross Blood Drive | 23 Office Closed | 24 |
| 25 9:00A LIFE Hour 10:00A Worship Service Bill Burt Dolly Yarnell | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 10A Virtual Coffee Hour | 30 Office Closed | 31 Halloween  |



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1530 Mt. Hood Avenue, Woodburn, Oregon





From the Pastor

Prayer truly is an amazing thing. As we pray—even as one solitary person—we team up with the God of all creation to change situations. And that’s an incredible reality! The Red Letter Challenge has reminded us of the importance of prayer, and with the national election looming just days ahead, need we another reminder of how much we should be praying?

We believe God answers prayer. It’s been said that God answers every prayer, but we may not like the answer because sometimes God says no. I like the way noted evangelist and preacher Luis Palau suggests how there are five ways in which God answers prayer:

Ways God Answers Prayer

1. YES, I thought you’d never ask.
 2. NO, I love you too much.
 3. YES, but not yet.
 4. YES, and here’s more.
 5. YES, but differently than you thought.
- Luis Palau

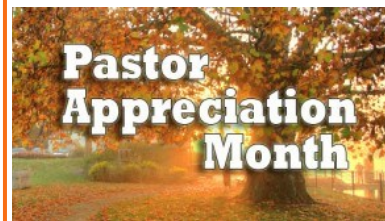
Remember what God’s Word says: *The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective* (James 5:16 NIV). Keep praying! We never know how God desires to answer our prayers!

Blessings,

Pastor Steve Kufeldt

A MESSAGE FROM THE LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

October is ... Pastor Appreciation Month



Everyone this month is encouraged to shower our pastors with love and encouragement. Bring or send a card or letter that expresses your gratitude for the shepherds of our flock. As you know they spend hours praying, planning and preparing for the Word to get out to as many as will receive it. As Jeremiah 3:15 says, “And I will give you pastors according to mine heart, which shall feed you with knowledge and understanding.” Let me encourage you to shower Pastor Steve and Pastor Dan like never before.

—Gary Johnson, Leadership Council Chair



October Bible Drive

“Sowing the SEED to take root in hearts”

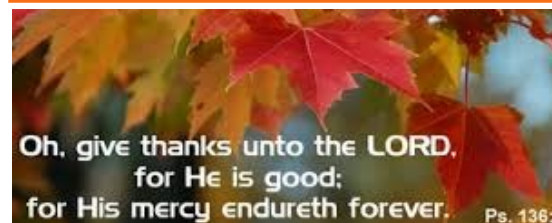
Many of us have more Bibles around our homes than we actually read. You can donate your used Bibles, which then are redistributed through the Bible Foundation, headquartered in nearby Newberg. Both English and native language Bibles are in great demand around the world. Drop off your used Bibles, even portions of the Bible, to the church office or in the box located in the lobby this month. Thanks!



Virtual Coffee Hour

Thursdays @ 10A
Zoom ID: 894 6853 2267
Passcode: 543223

This weekly Zoom gathering is a fun time of connecting and sharing together. Join us!



Quarterly Change Offering Sunday, October 18

It’s time once again for our quarterly “Change Offering,” which helps support the goat ministry of African Hope Mission in South Sudan. Goats are a great source of nutrition and also can be a source of extra income. Your gifts help “change” lives!



Red Letter Challenge Continues

As followers of Jesus, He calls us to “put His words into practice” (see Matthew 7:24-27). When we do, we live lives that reflect Him in all that we do. And that is what the world needs more of! You are encouraged to keep participating in this 40-Day Challenge, which concludes on October 25, by ...

- Attending in-person or watching online the weekly Sunday worship service as a different theme is explored.
- Reading the daily devotionals (books available from the church office) and completing the daily challenges.
- Participating in a weekly small group. You can attend either in-person or online via Zoom, or even on archived video:

LIFE Hour Class/Group
Sundays at 9:00AM
Zoom login information:
Meeting ID: 879 1177 2315
Passcode: 112739

Thursday LIFT Group (Small Group)
Thursdays at 1:30PM
Zoom login information:
Meeting ID: 874 1924 4714
Passcode: 721718



Hoodview Church of God exists to LOVE God and GROW as disciples who GO in God’s love to bless our community and world.



Worship Participation Options

There are multiple ways you can participate in our Sunday worship services:



➤ Live at Hoodview Church – Sundays at 10:00AM



➤ YouTube – “Live” on Sundays beginning at 10:00AM (also available later on demand) (be sure to “subscribe” to our channel)



➤ Facebook – “Like” our page

➤ Church Website – <https://hoodview.church/worship-services>

➤ DVD – request a copy from the church office



➤ WCAT-5 – If you have Wave Broadband Cable TV in the Woodburn area, watch our services (one week later) on Sundays at 11:00AM on the local public access channel (also available on Sundays at 8:30PM, Wednesdays at 7:00PM and Saturdays at 7:00PM)

LIFE Hour

Sundays at 9:00AM



Learning Is For Everyone

Join us either in-person or via Zoom for a LIFE Hour Class (Sunday school class). Pastor Steve is leading a class on the “Red Letter Challenge.” You can join the class ...

- In-person in Room 250 (socially distanced)

- Online. Zoom login information:

Meeting ID: 879 1177 2315

Passcode: 112739

Make studying God’s Word part of your Sunday schedule!

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Coming November 16-23



It’s not too early to start thinking about Christmas and providing a shoebox packed full of love for a child. Through Samaritan’s Purse, these shoeboxes are delivered to children in hard-to-reach areas around the globe as a way to share the Good News of Jesus in a culturally sensitive way. The National Collection Week is November 16-23. Our church facility will once again serve as a regional collection site. If you would like to help, contact Connie in the church office.

A new option this year is the “Pack a Box Online” option. For only \$25, you can choose items to be included in your box without the need to physically pack your box or to bring it to our church’s collection site. Samaritan’s Purse typically asks for \$9 to offset shipping costs of each box, but with the online option, the shipping cost is included, so the extra items only really cost \$16. Click on the link on our church’s website to start packing your box if you want to choose the online option. You can also still pack your own box, if you desire.



Praying for Our Country

As the national election approaches, it is a good reminder to pray for our country. To help us pray this month, a special non-partisan prayer guide is available from the church. The Scripture-based prayer guides provide seven key topic areas for prayer,

plus eight current interest flash points to pray over, and a prayer journal with space to write down specific things the Lord gives you to pray over national, state and local elections. The books are available for free at the Resource Table or from the church office.

Life Chain

Sunday, October 4
2:30-3:30PM In Salem



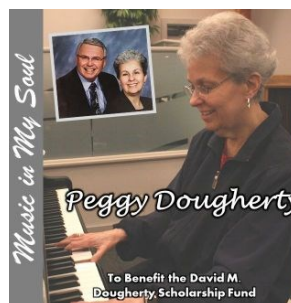
Take a stand for life! We are invited to participate in this annual peaceful, quiet and prayerful demonstration by Christians affirming the sanctity of life along Salem thoroughfares. Participants simply hold signs that affirm life with positive messages and silently pray. Signs are available starting at 1:30PM at Peoples Church or Salem Evangelical Church.

Faith Promise Update

Thank you to everyone who is participating in the faith-building adventure of Faith Promise for missions this year. Through September 20, we have received \$13,149. Each gift helps support our missionaries and projects. Anyone can join Faith Promise at any time. Simply mark or indicate “Faith Promise” on the memo line or on the giving envelope of your gift.



Mark your calendars for November 1, when we will introduce the 2021 Faith Promise theme as Ben Shular, former missionary to Africa and the current Chief of Staff of Church of God Ministries, will join us for the Sunday morning worship service.



Peggy Dougherty Music CD

To benefit the David M. Dougherty Scholarship Fund

Sales of Peggy Dougherty’s music CD have brought in much-needed funds for the David M. Dougherty Scholarship Fund, netting over \$3,500 to date. Thank you to everyone who has donated. The CD features Peggy at the keyboard playing some of her favorite worship songs and hymns and is also available in MP3 format. CDs are still available and make great Christmas gifts. Contact the church office for more information.



Red Cross Blood Drive

Thursday, October 22 — 12:00-6:00PM

Give the gift of life! Our church, in partnership with the Woodburn Area Chamber of Commerce and Salem Health, is hosting several blood drives this fall. Sign up online at redcrossblood.org to reserve your spot. By the way, last month 42 community people donated, including 11 first-time donors! Wow!

WAYS TO GIVE



GIVE IN PERSON using the new Offering Box located in between the main entry doors in the lobby.

GIVE ONLINE:

www.hoodview.church/give

BY MAIL:

PO Box 606

Woodburn OR 97071

(Our physical address does not receive mail!)

DROP OFF donations through the mail slot next to the office door.



PICK UP: Call the church office (503-981-1660) and we can make arrangements to pick up your donation, if needed.

Financial Spotlight

Financial statistics through the month of August:

General Budget Statistics

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| Monthly Average Needed: | \$21,623.50 |
| August Income: | \$20,877.88 |
| August Expenses: | \$19,864.03 |
| Balance for Month: | \$1,013.85 |

General Budget Year-to-Date Statistics

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| Income through August: | \$166,614.04 |
| Expenses through August: | \$161,899.25 |
| Balance through August: | \$4,714.79 |

Designated Giving (Received through Sept. 20)

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| Faith Promise | \$13,149.30 |
| Scholarship Fund | \$4,778.72* |

(*—\$1,125 came in this year to underwrite the CD project costs and is included in the total giving for this fund)

(Note: While giving statistics are available immediately, spending statistics are not available until the middle of the next month when the bookkeeping firm closes the books.)