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JUNE 27, 2019

CHURCH OF THE BEATITUDES

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This Sunday's PRIDE Roundup!

10 am | Nelson Hall

10:00 am - Service of Worship - Nelson Hall

11:00 am - Congregational Meeting (Members Only) - Britt Chapel

11:15 am - Community Life Ministry Social Hour - Nelson Hall

Parents: Childcare will be available for anyone attending the Congregational Meeting in the Brides Room.

Youth Enrichment Class will not be meeting this Sunday.

Interrobang will **not** meet this Sunday so members can attend the Congregational Meeting. It will resume July 7.

Ruminate will not meet for the months of May and June. It will resume on July 14.

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Listen to the Sermon
Again!

"Healing & Community
through Words"

Listen Here





PRAYER CONCERNS

Heidi Eberenz,
Florence Wilkenson,
Lynne Buckwald Coor,
Ken Buckwald,
John Evans III,
Sylvia Thorret Evans,
Bill Hall, Nancy Campbell,
Dick Paulus, and
Kinzie Atkinson

How Our Prayer

List Works

Please submit your prayer requests including first and last name. As the congregation is drawn, individuals will pray in their own way in service of deep trust that God knows what is best.

To add someone to the list, please email Janelle at jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org or call 602-264-1221 x 103. Or ask our ushers for a request form at service.

New prayer requests remain on the list for 30 days. Please resubmit if needed longer.

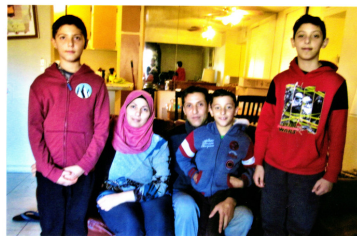
"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding"

Proverbs 3:5

30TH JUN

CELEBRATE PRIDE
WITH US AT WORSHIP!

Join us this Sunday for our celebration of PRIDE, diversity and inclusion of LGBTQ! To show your support, wear your favorite **multicolored/rainbow** attire to worship!



Rodain and family

Can you help?



Ruwaida Abu Zaid, and sons



Our Muslim church sister, Rodain, who lives here with her family in our church campus apartment is asking for your help to travel to Turkey to see her very sick sister, Ruwaida Abu Zaid. Recently, Ruwaida was brutally attacked in Syria suffering a blow to her head resulting in severe epilepsy. They do not expect her to live very long. Ruwaida has two young children and Rodain feels it necessary to visit and see what she can do to help her sister. She is scheduled to leave July 10th and will be there two months and return to us in September. Rodain is in need of \$400 to help with living expenses and to assist the family in Turkey while she is caring for her sister and her two children. Please consider donating to help ease the burden of travel and time away from her family. You can make your contribution to Church of the Beatitudes with a note to direct it to : Abu Zaid Refugee Fund. Thank you for showing the love of Beatitudes in a tangible way!

Congregational Meeting this Sunday, June 30



JUNE 30:

Motion 1: Church of the Beatitudes is calling a special congregational meeting to discuss and vote on recent developments on the NW lot lawsuit. This meeting will be a restricted meeting for members only. Members will be checked in according to our official membership rolls maintained through the church office. Should you have any question on your membership status and wish to vote in the meeting please contact the office before **June 27**.

Motion 2: The Board of Directors recommends that Church of the Beatitudes enter into an agreement with Redden Construction for renovation of the worship center, including the restrooms. According to the contractor's general summary, costs for these interior and exterior renovations are projected to be \$755,000.

Acceptance of this motion allows the board to exceed the \$450,000 already approved by the congregation and a voice vote to include renovation of the restrooms at \$104,804. These figures represent actual construction costs from Redden. Costs beyond these amounts are to be funded through an upcoming capital campaign, already approved by the Board of Directors. Interim funding will come from the NW parking lot settlement (expected) and/or BMO Managed Investment Fund.

Background Information: The Board of Directors' recommendation takes into account the recommendation of the Design Committee who studied plans and information from the architect in conjunction with needs of Church of the Beatitudes as we move forward. The Design Committee recommended to the board that we accept Redden's general summary that includes: general requirements for renovations; existing conditions; concrete; masonry; metals; wood, plastics and composites; thermal and moisture protection; openings; finishes; specialties; plumbing; heating, ventilating and air conditioning; electrical; electronic safety and security; earthwork; exterior improvements; contingency; insurance; overhead; sales tax.



CONGRATULATIONS

Gayle Lawson

on your appointment
as President Elect
of our Board of
Directors!

WELCOME



Help us to welcome
and get acquainted
with the Via de Cristo
community as they join
us for our 10:00
worship service on
July 7. Then see our
Beatitudes family grow
as we begin a second
worship service on
July 14 and 28 at
11:30 a.m. in Britt
Chapel as Via de
Cristo launches a new
journey with
Beatitudes!

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RENOVATION TO BEGIN SOON!



Do you have a cell phone or tablet? Just download a QR Reader to your device, hold your device over one of the QR Codes above so that it's clearly visible within your smartphone's screen and tap "Open Link." Then move your device around (or use your finger or stylus to move around the screen) to view a panorama of each concept drawing of our new worship space.

Join us Sunday, July 7 for New Summer Worship Series



MARYLAND SCHOOL: 3 WAYS YOU CAN HELP

The new school year will soon be underway at our community partner school – Maryland Elementary – on Monday, August 5th. Teachers will soon be meeting, having professional development and planning sessions, preparing their rooms, and getting acquainted with new students and families. As always budgets for supplies are tight, certain items are in high demand and short supply, with teachers very often spending their own money to make them available in their classrooms. It is especially true in a school like Maryland where families are financially unable to help provide these supplies.

Our Faith in Action (FIA) committee wants to help meet those needs. For several years, FIA has made a powerful impact by standing in the gap partnering with Maryland School to provide school supplies, volunteer tutors and staffing for events, and a garden team engaging a small group of students in garden activities. This year we are looking specifically to collect hand sanitizer, sanitizing wipes and super sticky Post-it notes (not 99¢ variety).



Now you can help continue the tradition. Here are three easy ways you can help kickstart a new school year at Maryland School:

1. **DONATE SUPPLIES -- CLICK HERE FOR LIST** [SUPPLY LIST](#)

2. **VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME AND TALENTS**

[SIGN ME UP!](#)

3. **BE A GARDEN CLUB SPONSOR OR VOLUNTEER**



If you do not wish to shop for supplies, monetary donations are always very welcome – checks can be made to Church of Beatitudes, indicate Maryland School in note line. Please see any Faith in Action member for more information and details. Look for the flyers on Sunday with school supply lists and volunteer opportunities. Contact Cathy Kim – ckim248@yahoo.com or (602-708-6423) for more information.



THIS IS WHAT ENRICHING SOCIETY LOOKS LIKE

Meet Christopher Warren. He is a scout from Scout Troop 329 working with our Bruce Brown, the Assistant Scoutmaster for this troop. Christopher is working to complete his Eagle Scout award. Eagle Scout is the highest achievement or rank attainable in the Scouts BSA program of the Boy Scouts of America. Since its inception in 1911, only four percent of Scouts have earned this rank after a lengthy review process.

Beatitudes Church was in need of more privacy rooms to use during Family Promise hosting weeks in our Nelson Hall. Christopher along with his fellow scouts stepped up to meet the challenge. They created two more rooms for us to use and have also volunteered to help with our next Family Promise.

Thank you Christopher and Troop 329! You're well on your way to Eagle Scout!

CHILDREN & YOUTH FAMILY MINISTRY UPDATES

-As contributed by Deni Nordmeyer, Family Ministry Coordinator



This Sunday, children have enrichment during service. Family Seating (for families with children 5 and younger) has been moved towards the front of the church on the left side as you enter Nelson Hall.

Children in Service: The Children will attend the first part of the service in Nelson Hall every Sunday, and at a posted moment during the service, those children who sign-in and have a wristband, will be excused to the foyer and escorted to Room 4.

Sign-in instructions: The children need to be signed-in by 10:00 am at the table at the entrance of Nelson Hall. The parent and child will receive a matching wrist band to wear while the children are in our care. A parent can also sign-in their child, after the children have been excused, by walking their child to Room 4 and signing-in there to receive a wristband.

Children Pickup: Please pick up the children in Room 4 directly after service.

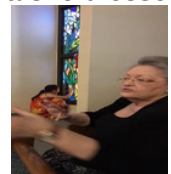
Childcare will be available this Sunday for the Congregational Meeting in the Brides Room. Please pick up the children directly following the meeting.

Youth Group will not be meeting this week.

Summary

Children's Enrichment Class 06/16: After passing out the candy bars to the fathering figures at church, we had a lesson about the fathers in our lives. The class made a list of words that express the traits of their fathers. Next we made a card for our fathers using watercolor paints and wrote some words to tell our fathers that they are loved.

Children's Enrichment Class 06/23: Sherrell Miller, expert in Beatitude's stained-glass, captivated our children and youth as she gave the story of our church's stained-glass windows. Sherrell focused on the North Aisle III window called Our Ways of Teaching. She explained the symbols of the Jewish, Christian and Muslim faith expressed in the top three panels. With a brief religion lesson, she explained what each symbol represented, and that these religions all share Abrahamic roots. Then she shared that the 4th panel represented Education and Literature, and that the last panel represented medicine, agriculture, and printing. Sherrell gave a short lesson on the symbols used and its significance in history.



The Summer Arts Program

The Beatitude's Arts Council will be offering their talents to our Children's Enrichment class and the youth group as we explore different art mediums. We plan to have an Art Show of the artwork in the fall.

Looking Ahead:

June 30th - Marcia Nix will be doing a project using the stained-glass concept with the children.

July 7th - Communion Sunday (No classes)

July 14th - **Last Day to get our 15 people for Legoland Discovery Center.** Marcia Nix continues with stained-glass project, and starts faux stained-glass project with Youth Group.

July 21st - Marcia finishes stained-glass projects with children and Youth Group.

July 28th- **Lego Art** starts with a trip to **Legoland Discovery Center at Arizona Mills Mall in Tempe**

We need 15 people to attend to get the group discounted price. <https://arizona.legolanddiscoverycenter.com/> . The group ticket price would be \$12.00 tax included for each person over the age of 2 yrs. (2 yrs. and younger are free). I will need the money in advance, so please pick-up a form and make a check out to Church of the Beatitudes for the amount required.

We want to include all families, so please talk to me if this ticket price is prohibitive to your family's attendance.

Where in the World is Flat Jesus?



**With Joan Bailey at
White Sands Monument,
New Mexico**



**With Minear's, Gleason-Davis Family,
Ellie Hutchison and friends at a
Phoenix Mercury game**



**With Grandkids of
Linda & Bruce Bear
at Camp Verde Campground**



**With Jenny McNutt
(friend of Janelle) at
Reykjavik, Iceland!**



Flat Jesus at the Last Supper



**With Mike Klatt on
the Springwater Corridor Bike Trail
Portland**

Going on vacation this summer? Take **Flat Jesus** with you wherever you go this summer! Ask Janelle Tapphorn or Deni Nordmeyer for your own Flat Jesus, then snap a photo or two of his adventures and send them (along with your name and location) to email at jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org to post your pics in The Beat and in church throughout the summer! Or post them to Social Media and **TAG** them with **@BeatitudesChurch**

Where in the World is Flat Jesus?



*With Grandkids of
Pastor Tony & Karen Minear
in Nebraska*



*With Minear's at the Phoenix Sky
Harbor Airport ready to board the plane
to Nebraska!*



*With Mike Klatt at The Basha
Museum in Chandler*



*With Jack Evans & Rev. Judy Green Davis at
the General Synod in Milwaukee visiting the
New York delegation and synod floor*



*With Bobbie Rauch and her cousin, Cathy,
in Michigan*

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Where in the World is Flat Jesus?

Now, Flat Jesus wants you to play a game! Remember the famous children's book series, "Where's Waldo?" Now it's your turn! Can you spot Flat Jesus in the picture below at a thrift store in Reykjavik, Iceland??



Arts Council Mélange



Enriching Society One Work at a Time...

-As contributed by Janelle Tapphorn, Communications Specialist

PHOENIX, AZ: Church of the Beatitude's Arts Council is an integral and robust facet of our church. This is due in large part to its many art exhibits, jazz concerts and involved individuals like Julie Frye. You'll easily recognize her from her dedicated service as a member of the Beatitudes Choir every Sunday, and perhaps more importantly from the exhibition of her artwork currently hanging in Nelson Hall that has yielded an

impressive nine purchases thus far!

Julie has been a member of the church for 61 years, joining just after her marriage to Lowell. She shares, "Being a member of Church of the Beatitudes has been a very positive experience for me. There have been numerous pastoral changes over the years, and I have appreciated the support of not only the ministerial staff but also the administrative staff." Her journey spiritually and artistically has been an enriching experience from the many art exhibits and classes (Lily Ham - watercolor) of which she has participated to teaching the church's watercolor group. "I have grown through the efforts of Bill Nelson and the pastors who followed him. I have a very strong faith and it has brought me through many hardships over the years, including the recent loss of my husband of 62 years. I thank God daily for COB's support," she relates.

Being a member of the Arts Council has been a joyous experience for Julie. "I enjoyed assisting with hanging the Narthex exhibits, helping with the Jazz series performances and working with those responsible for the West Window brochure, the restoration of the Mosaic by Grace Farnell, and most particularly being given the opportunity to show my work in Nelson Hall which has been the most successful (sales-wise) in my artistic journey," she adds.

Perhaps, Julie's most impactful connection with Church of the Beatitudes, however, can best be understood through a recent experience. She relates a moment during the reception at the memorial service of her husband, Lowell, when a close friend who attended was deeply moved by her work entitled, "The Horse Whisperers." Julie had painted it during her husband's illness. She shares, "It was the first painting sold, and I was surprised and pleased that it created such an emotional response."

If your journey into wholeness resonates in such a way as it did for Julie, then Church of the Beatitudes can be that place of making God's love real in a tangible way. You can learn more about Julie's passion for art by visiting her exhibit in Nelson Hall.





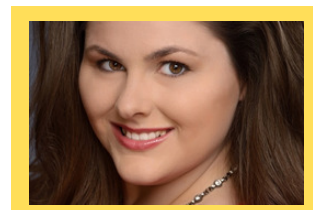
Nelson Hall resounds with the BEAT!



Be Empowered with AARP Drum Circles



Join AARP AZ the last Tuesday of every month in the Worship Center for a fun and interactive drum circle led by trained HealthRhythms® facilitator, Frank Thompson. Drum circles are a form of recreational music-making proven to reduce stress, boost the immune system, promote joy, a sense of well-being and to build community. All drums and percussion instruments provided. No musical experience required.



Dr. Katherine Thilakaratne, soprano soloist, accepted into the Music Academy International program in Fiera di Primiero

She will be singing the role of Vitellia in La Clemenza di Tito by Mozart. The program runs from the beginning of July to early August and includes:

- *Staged Opera with orchestra
- *Opera Gala performances with orchestra
- *Master classes
- *Voice lessons, vocal coaching, and acting classes
- *Audition preparation workshops
- *Artist management consultations and auditions

Through hard work and benefit recitals, She has raised enough money for over half of the tuition. She is still actively fundraising for the remaining tuition and the cost of airfare and food. Donations of any amount are greatly appreciated. To support her, you can write a personal check or donate on her Go Fund Me page at <http://gf.me/u/sxqynf>

CALENDAR 2018

Beatitudes Choir: We are currently in our summer schedule. If you are interested in joining the choir, please contact our Director of Music, Stephen Schermitzler, at (602) 264-1221 x104 for more information.

Arts Council: We will meet Sunday, July 7, at 9:00 am in Nelson Lounge. We welcome anyone who is interested in learning more about our projects. We continue to exhibit the works of Julie Frye in Nelson Hall--an inspirational element to complement our new worship services during the renovation project.

Interrobang Schedule: Regular meetings are held on Sundays, from 11:15-12:00 pm, in Nelson Hall Lounge. We will not meet this Sunday so all members can attend the Congregational Meeting. We will resume Sunday, July 7.

Cruisin' Cuisines: We meet monthly at different dining venues for good food and fellowship. We will be taking an official vacation for July and August. In the meantime, contact your fellow cruisers if you would like to get together 'informally' for dinner and try out some new spots to suggest for the Fall. Contact Mike and Nancy Klatt at dklatt0785@aol.com/or call (602) 246-2606 for more information.

Community Life Ministry: CLM meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 6 pm in the Nelson Hall Lounge. CLM will not be meeting in June or July. Our August meeting will be a planning meeting so it will be closed. Our next open meeting will be September and everyone is welcome!

The Nonfiction Book Group: The Nonfiction Book Group is on vacation and will not meet in July.

Women In Faith: The Women in Faith Breakfast Club meets Saturday, July 13, 8:30-10 a.m. at the Plaza Club, Beatitudes Campus. Summer programs consist of discussions of children's books whose messages are important for all of us. Feel free to purchase breakfast items in the Bistro prior to 8:30 and enjoy them while listening to the reading of the book. The program will be lead by Kathy Corbet and Carol Sorgee. The book this month is "THE RAINBOW FISH."

Beatitudes Book Club: Our next meeting will be August 1st. We are changing from the last Thursday of the month to the first Thursday of the month. On August 1st we will be dining and discussing "The Book That Matters Most" by Ann Hood. We will meet in the boardroom adjacent to Buckwald's Grille at 5:30 p.m. Please join us.

Faith In Action Monthly Meeting: Do you contribute to ICM, ShoeBox Ministry, Bishops Pantry, Maryland School? Would you like to do more? Come to our monthly meeting. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 1 pm in the Front Office Conference Room. All are welcome.

Ruminate-Conversations on Things That Matter: Join the discussion! Sunday mornings after worship at 11:30 am in Room 4 for lively dialogue on ethical subjects such as – sanctity of life, public health, sex and gender, and work. We will not meet May-June. We will resume July 14.

**Did I miss something? Click the form: <https://www.beatitudeschurch.org/beatitudes-communications>

justa
center

Donations are needed to purchase food. Please make your donation to the Church of the Beatitudes designating Justa Center. Volunteers are needed to serve lunch to approximately 140 people at the Justa Center on Labor Day, Monday, September 2 from 9:30am to 12:00pm, 1001 West Jefferson, Phoenix. Located on the Southeast Corner of 10thAve and Jefferson. Register with Doris to volunteer to serve lunch at damcvey@cox.net or send a text message with your name and email address to 602-908-7671.

Justa Center Overview:

Beatitudes Bunch at Justa Center with Rosewood Rascals:

LOOK FOR THE SIGN UP SHEETS THROUGHOUT NELSON HALL AND HELP FILL THE GAP!



CHURCH OF THE BEATITUDES MINISTRIES

FAITH IN ACTION & ICM



BISHOPS PANTRY

WANTED: PLEASE HELP KEEP OUR PANTRY STOCKED THROUGH THESE LONG (AND HOT) SUMMER MONTHS! We especially need the following: **CEREAL BOXES!**, jars of peanut butter (large and small), soup (pop tops preferred), cans of vegetables, chili, ravioli, canned fruit and hygiene items (e.g. travel size shampoo, body wash, lotion, etc.).

Helping the homeless couldn't be easier! Next time you do your grocery shopping, simply pick up a few of the items listed below and drop it off at the front office. We'll take care of the rest! **Please make note of the expiration dates on your donations-We can't accept items with expired dates!**

For a complete list, stop by the information desk in the foyer. Some of the essential staple items needed are: CANNED FRUIT, VEGETABLES, PEANUT BUTTER, JELLY, CRACKERS, SOUPS, BEEF STEW, CHILLI, RAVIOLI, DRY PASTA, SPAGHETTI SAUCE, MAC & CHEESE BOXES, CANNED TUNA & MEATS, & BREAKFAST BARS & CEREAL. WE HAVE PLENTY OF APPLESAUCE AND DRIED BEANS & RICE FOR NOW. HYGEINE ITEMS ARE ALSO NEEDED.

ICM (Interfaith Community Ministry) is always in need of clothing, food, and household items. If you are cleaning out cupboards and closets, before you discard, give thought to the possibility that ICM clients could use it. ICM serves the low income working people, after they pay their rent and utilities, there is very little money left. We can lend a helping hand!

WANTED: EMPTY SHOE BOXES FOR THE HUMANE SOCIETY! Shoe boxes of any size, with or without lids, are needed for the kittens to provide them a place to feel secure and snuggle. You can add a small towel or soft fabric if you wish. The box is theirs during their stay. We will be a designated collection point, and the Humane Society will pick empty boxes up on a certain date each month.

Please bring any shoe boxes you can part with on the last Sunday of the month. Place them next to the Faith in Action baskets in the Narthex or you can also drop them at the front office. Make a cuddly kitten happy and secure!

BEATITUDES VOLUNTEERS: IMPACTING LIVES TODAY!

VOLUNTEERING *INSIDE* BEATITUDES

CLM COOKIE CUPBOARD

Are you a baker? CLM Cookie Cupboard is bare and needs your goodies to serve during social hour after church. These can be store bought or homemade. You can freeze your goodies and bring them to Gayle Lawson who is always accepting donations. Thanks so much!

PLAZA GREETERS

A church greeter is the first- and last-person people see when visiting a church. But it's more than a hand shake. Greeters play a vital role in forming a visitor's first impression of our church and, to some, their first impression of Jesus. You play a significant role in ensuring that people see and experience the love of CoB. If this sounds like you, please contact Janelle Tapphorn

jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org for further information on becoming the face of Beatitudes!

USHERS

Do you have a servant heart? Sign up to Usher today! Ushers play a vital role in our weekly service by greeting people, handing out bulletins, and helping direct people to find restrooms and locations of other campus meeting rooms, taking up the offertory collection and serving communion to our members. After service, they go through the aisles and pick up lost items and used bulletins. This is an easy way to get involved with our church as well as get to know everyone better. If you're interested in being a difference maker, please sign up by contacting Joyce Glazner at jagphxaz@q.com

VOLUNTEERING *OUTSIDE* BEATITUDES

ICM

ICM Food & Clothing Bank is looking for volunteers Monday – Friday from 8:45 – 11:30a.m. There are several positions open where volunteers of all ages can help. Please contact beth@icmaz.org or 602-254-7450 for more information.

FAITH IN ACTION

Faith in Action extends a grateful "thank you" to all of you who bring items regularly for Bishops Pantry. Your donations are a vital help in filling bags for our clients who come to our door every week. See list above on page 9 for items needed.

JUSTA CENTER

Justa Center serves homeless senior individuals. They are in need of donations to purchase food and volunteers to serve at the Justa Center, 1001 West Jefferson, Phoenix (SE corner of 10th Ave and Jefferson). You can make your donations to COB designating Justa Center. To volunteer, register with Doris or Pat at damcvey@cox.net

Learn more about the Justa Center - Watch these videos

Overview: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dKLDwbDeUdY>

The Beatitudes Bunch serve lunch: <https://youtu.be/54oK2uZ9vPU>

Our Friends at Duet Have Good News...



A Message from Duet's Board of Directors

Welcome Our New Executive Director, Ann Wheat

On behalf of the Duet Board of Directors, we are delighted to announce the appointment of Ann Wheat as Executive Director, effective June 12. We know many of you have been following our leadership transition over the past few months, and we greatly appreciate your support, dedication, and investment in making this transition such a positive one.

Ann was selected for this role after serving as Duet's interim executive director since March, following the departure of Elizabeth Banta, who retired from the organization after 23 years of dedicated service. An extensive search-and-interview process was conducted by a search committee that received a vast response from the job opening and felt fortunate to have had such a rich pool of qualified candidates.

Ann's deep passion for and understanding of the organization, and her respected partnerships with key stakeholders, paired with her forward-thinking strategic vision, made her the clear choice to boldly lead Duet into the future.

Your donation to Duet could help raise \$5,000 in matching funds

Create *hope*
for seniors



Schedule your gift online July 1-8 at www.GIVE65.org/duetcompassion

Duet: Partners In Health & Aging is excited to participate in the fourth annual GIVE65 online giving event to help nonprofits serving seniors raise funds and increase awareness. Our goal is to raise \$7,500 to support our vitally needed, free-of-charge volunteer services to homebound adults.

Date: Give65 officially runs July 9-11*

Donate online: www.GIVE65.org/duetcompassion

*We are encouraging everyone to schedule donations July 1-8, which gives us a greater chance of earning up to \$5,000 in matching funds from the Home Instead Senior Care Foundation. Donations of \$10 or more are eligible. Thank you for your generosity. Please help us spread the word about this opportunity!



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Our Digital Footprint Just Got HUGE!



Church of the Beatitudes is officially **1000 Followers** strong on Facebook! Keep up the momentum and share, comment and **LIKE** our posts on Facebook!
facebook.com/BeatitudesChurch/



Now also live on:



Instagram: [beatitudes555](https://www.instagram.com/beatitudes555)



Twitter: [BeatitudesUCC](https://twitter.com/BeatitudesUCC)

thank you

Promote

Beatitudes...it's easy!



Here's a list of some of the most effective ways to spread the word:

- Reviews, Reviews, Reviews: How often do you Google search a restaurant and go based on the reviews you've read? The same is true for our digital footprint. Write a review about your experience at Church of the Beatitudes on Google and/or Yelp. Ask Comm. Specialist, Janelle, for assistance if you're unsure how.
- Follow us on Facebook and SHARE our posts with your network of followers.
- A good ole' fashioned in-person invite will also work! Did you know that approximately 82% of the unchurched are at least somewhat likely to attend church if simply invited? That's a lot of people who need your invite!



Reminder: The Beat is Now Bi-Monthly

The **Beat** weekly newsletter will be published every other week (on the 2nd and 4th weeks). You will still receive an email each week with notable events, activities and announcements for that specific week (plus the updates on the back of your bulletin), but the newsletter in its entirety will only be twice a month. **Deadline** to submit an announcement/event is every **Wednesday**. Please submit to: jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org and **specify if your announcement or event is to be included in the bi-monthly edition.**

or use the Events Communication Form found under the Member Portal on our website.

Online Giving is Easy!

You may choose to give to the church in a variety of ways. Our church supports the community as well as programs that help the homeless and school children in our area. If you feel called, please donate here:

[Donate Here](#)

Security & Non-Smoking Reminders:

A reminder for all members:

The Dosia Carlson Center is in full rental use for Beyond Autism and is no longer accessible without prior authorization from the Front Office.

All doors in every building on our campus are to be closed and locked following an event. It is the responsibility of every group to make sure the doors are fully shut and locked before leaving the event. This is an important security issue we can't neglect.

Also, we are a **Non-Smoking Campus! Smoking is not permitted on church grounds.**



What Can I See On The Beatitudes Church Website?

As a Church Member: You have access through the membership portal to the Board and Congregational Meeting Minutes plus everything visitors receive.

As a Church Member/Visitor:

- Calendar of Events
- Access the Beatitudes Radio Show - Weekly Sermons (at the bottom of the home page, you can listen right there), Dialogue and Interviews by Pastor Tony.
- Weekly Blog
- See the most recent Facebook Post (at the bottom of the home page) and Like our Facebook Page
- Sign Up for the Weekly Newsletter *The Beat*

Visit us online at www.beatitudeschurch.org, accessible on your iPhone, Android Phone or device and on your PC.



CONSIDERING MEMBERSHIP WITH CHURCH OF THE BEATITUDES? TAKE THE NEXT STEP AND JOIN!

We will equip you with the essentials of being a part of an open and affirming church and how to connect with our church family and community. To take your next step at Beatitudes and learn more, contact Janelle Tapphorn at (602) 264-1221 ext. 103 or email at jtapphorn@beatitudeschurch.org