# Our Beliefs in Brief: #15— Baptism

Baptism symbolizes and declares our new faith in Christ and our trust in His forgiveness. Buried in the water, we arise to a new life in Jesus, empowered by the Holy Spirit.

By baptism we confess our faith in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, and testify of our death to sin and of our purpose to walk in newness of life. Thus we acknowledge Christ as Lord and Saviour, become His people, and are received as members by His church. Baptism is a symbol of our union with Christ, the forgiveness of our sins, and our reception of the Holy Spirit. It is by immersion in water and is contingent on an affirmation of faith in Jesus and evidence of repentance of sin. It follows instruction in the Holy Scriptures and acceptance of their teachings. (Matt. 28:19, 20; Acts 2:38; 16:30-33; 22:16; Rom. 6:1-6; Gal. 3:27; Col. 2:12, 13.)

If you are interested in Bible Study, contact Pastor Kimbrough.

# Today

Luncheon Lead

## Fellowship Luncheon

No Luncheon

Sermon Terry Vipond Elder **Todd Rigby** Deacon In Charge Don Kirk III Greeters Sonja Mosier, Meredith Van Leer Luncheon Lead Bev Rigby Next Week March 30, 2019 Sermon Barry Kimbrough Elder Cheri Hoie Deacon In Charge Dale Hoie Greeters Teri Knighten, Charlotte White SS Teacher Room 1 **Bob Biegel** SS Teacher Room 3 Lucille Semenak **NAD Evangelism** Offering

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"And being assembled together with them, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, "which," He said, "you have heard from Me; for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now." Acts 1:4-5 (NKJV)

Our mission is to be a Christ-Centered, Spirit-filled church that demonstrates the power of grace and intentionally shares the good news of Christ's soon return.

Sabbath, March 23, 2019

### **SERVICES**

#### SABBATH SCHOOL

Adult Lesson Study "Judgment on Babylon"

Classroom #1: Bob Biegel

Classroom #3, Downstairs: Shernette Wallace Children meet in Classroom #5, leader is Sarah Kirk

## Worship Hour—10:45 AM

#### **CHURCH IN PRAISE**

Song Service Brandi Van Meter

Call to Worship\* "I Love You Lord"

Invocation\*

"What a Friend We Have

Opening Hymn\* in Jesus" #499

CHURCH IN GRATITUDE Oregon Conference Lucille Semenak
Youth Support

Children's Offering

### **CHURCH IN SHARING**

Children's Story

Community Fellowship Todd Rigby
Joys, Requests, Prayer Shernette Wallace
Response Song "Amen" #663-F

### **CHURCH IN WORSHIP**

Scripture Reading Acts 2:1-8 Wayne Howard

Sermon Let it rain! Terry Vipond Let it rain!

Closing Hymn\* "Spirit of the Living God" #672

Benediction\* Terry Vipond

Piano Diana Cefalo

\*Please stand

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Visitors are invited to join us for our Fellowship Luncheon today downstairs in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service.
- ◆ Joys and Requests: Please write your praises and prayer requests on the slips of paper provided in the pews and give to deacon when the offering is being taken up. Be sure to print legibly for ease of reading.
- ◆ For a replay of the Call-em-all message call toll-free 844-358-1565.
- Doug Cross is having a Bible Study on the Life of Christ using the Bible & the Desire of Ages, every Tuesday evening at 6 pm in Classroom 1.
- ♦ Save the Dates:
  - ⇒ Last week's board meeting was postponed. This Tuesday, March 26, 6:00pm, Church Board Meeting, will be meeting in Classroom 3. Agenda items include church secretary, spring evangelism, and church dedication service. If anyone has any other agenda items, please inform the pastor by Monday
  - ⇒ This Wednesday, March 27: Pastor Charles Shultz and his wife, Linda will be visiting the Brookings area and will join us for our mid-week service at 6:00pm. This will be a prayer meeting, as Pastor Kimbrough will be out of town and will not be able to host our Revelation series bible study. Don't miss this opportunity to see them and get an update on their mission work!
  - ⇒ March 29-31, Oregon Prayer Conference at Twin Rocks Friends Camp, Rockaway Beach, Oregon. The featured speaker will be Dr. Paul Dybdahl from Walla Walla University. Please contact Shernette for more information.
  - ⇒ **April 6**, 8pm-12am **Prayer and Fasting.** Join us as we pray that God will bring changes in our lives and community.
  - ⇒ **April 20 Let Freedom Ring!** Youth Evangelism series, more details will follow.
  - $\Rightarrow$  May 25, Church Dedication Service to burn the mortgage!
- Wednesday at noon is the deadline for all bulletin information and bulletin inserts for the coming Sabbath to be submitted to Bulletin Secretary.

