

Bethany Lutheran Church

“We are a family of believers, gathered in Christ, called to be disciples, nourished in the word and sent to serve.”

26418 Mountain Highway East
Spanaway, WA 98387
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Fall Worship Schedule:
Sundays 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:15-10:15 a.m.



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Newsletter

August 29, 2014

Mark Your Calendar!

Men's Breakfast

The Bethany Men's Breakfast is **Saturday, Sept. 6th, 8:00 a.m.** at Mary, Mary's, 16511 Pacific Ave S, Spanaway.

National Day of Service

Join us for a day of community service, a way to give back to others, on Saturday, Sept. 6th, 9:00 a.m. at Cougar Mountain Middle School. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex.

Sunday School Resumes

The first day of Sunday School will be Sunday, Sept. 14th, 9:15-10:15. Registration will be held on this day as well.

Confirmation

This year Confirmation class will be held during the Sunday School hour, from **9:15-10:15, beginning Sunday, Sept. 14th**. Confirmation is open to all 6th, 7th, and 8th graders and will be taught by Kristi Gallimore this year. The first class will include a meeting for **both parents and students**.

Senior Social

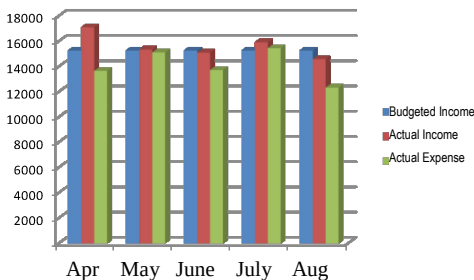
The September Senior Social luncheon will be held on **Thursday, Sept. 18th at noon**. Please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex. The theme for this month is "Back to School!"

Worship Volunteer Training

Pastor will be holding training in between services in October for:
Ushers and Greeters – Oct. 5th
Altar Guild – Oct. 12th
Lectors – Oct. 19th
Make-Up Session – Oct. 26th

Financial Update August 2014

Budget	Actual Income	Actual Expense
15239.26	14572.05	12314.80



Trading Post Parking Lot Sale a Success!

A huge thanks to everyone who participated in the Trading Post Parking Lot Sale. It was a great success! However it could not have been done without the help of Nori Cash and her family and friends. They completely ran the Bethany booth. Special thanks to Ashley Roberts and Stephanie Lemar for helping with the set-up, as well. I would love to see this fundraiser continue in the years ahead; the vendors that rent space from us are eager for us to continue, but we must have more volunteers if we would like to keep it going. Please consider volunteering next year! It's a fun day. ~ Sandy Cooper

Youth News

Thank you for all the prayers and support for thie summer's Mission Trip to Shoshone Mountain Retreat. In total, 21 people traveled, worshiped, prayed, served others, and had mountain-top experiences.

Youth Group: If you are currently in 7th-12th grade, please join us on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 5:30 p.m. for youth Group! We invite all youth and their friends. The first Youth Group meeting for this school year will be on **Wednesday, Sept. 24th**

Youth Service Opportunity: The Youth are invited to participate in the National Day of Service on Saturday, Sept. 6th, 9:00 a.m. at Cougar Mountain Middle School.

Rave Reviews

"The Diaries of Adam & Eve" got lots of great comments. We're ironing out some wrinkles, but would like to do more theater here at Bethany. It was a great evening of fun and we raised almost \$1500 for the parking lot fund! Thank you to all who brought desserts, helped in the kitchen, at the box office, and for all who came to enjoy the show!

Hunger Walk

Join the Bethany peeps for a walk against hunger! Register online to be part of the BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH team at: <http://associatedministries.donorpages.com/HW14/BETHANYLUTHERANCHURCH>

What: 5K & 10K Fundraising Walk/Run, for hunger relief in our community and abroad

When: October 5, 2014. Run starts 1pm, Walk begins 2pm. Entertainment, food, and family fun Noon to 5pm.

Where: Ft. Steilacoom Park, 9601 Steilacoom Blvd, Lakewood

A Note of Thanks

"Bill and I are so very thankful to our Bethany family for all your prayers. What blessing you are. Bill came through the surgery and is recovering well. I know God hears our prayers for his continuing journey. Thank you to the Women's Bible Study group for the comforting and uplifting card." ~ Noreen Wright

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We ask God's Blessing for:

Those Scheduled to Serve

8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Date: September 7, 2014 Greeter- Wendy Sandor Acolyte- Volunteer Lector- Candice Crosetto Ushers- Gary Christensen Jon Crosetto Sound- Kirk Woodward Altar Guild- Lynda Duncan	Date: September 7, 2014 Greeter- Laurie Litzer Acolyte- Will Almond Lector- Gail Egbers Ushers- Walt Birdseye Kathy Birdseye Sound- Dylan Walters Altar Guild- Kelli Baecher Cantor- Barb Rosdahl Kitchen- Sharon Edmunds
Date: September 14, 2014 Greeter- Diane Schroeder Acolyte- Volunteer Lector- Julie Martin Ushers- Lynda Duncan Steve Duncan Sound- Dave Kohler Altar Guild- Kathy Mettler	Date: September 14, 2014 Greeter- Cheryl Popek Acolyte- Jon Williams Lector- Karen Andrascik Ushers- Doug Kotiba Noreen Wright Sound- Samantha Foster Altar Guild- Lisa Olson Cantor- Daleen Hatley Kitchen- Shirley Hines
Date: September 21, 2014 Greeter- Nancy Woodward Acolyte- Volunteer Lector- Bob Lingenfelter Ushers- Steve Vert Lew Sandal Sound- Kirk Woodward Altar Guild- Wendy Smitherman	Date: September 21, 2014 Greeter- Peggy Zurfluh Acolyte- Daniel Bacher Lector- Michelle Parker Ushers- Sandy Cooper Paulette Van Cleve Sound- Dylan Walters Altar Guild- Ruth Anderson Cantor- Shardele Thompson Kitchen- Kathy Birdseye
Date: September 28, 2014 Greeter- Gary Christensen Acolyte- Volunteer Lector- Nancy Woodward Ushers- Greg Johnson Richard Shaffer Sound- Dave Kohler Altar Guild- Jeannette Kuhlmann	Date: September 28, 2014 Greeter- Sally Williams Acolyte- Gwen Pederson Lector- Vivian Ogren Ushers- Arlene Kohtala Karen Crockett Sound- Samantha Foster Altar Guild- Pam Hurtych Cantor- Marge Fife Kitchen- Eric Porter

September 2014						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Labor Day Office Closed	2	3 7:00 Choir	4 6:45 Bell Choir	5 <i>9:00 Graham Patchers</i>	6 8:00 Men's Breakfast Mary Mary's 9:00 Day of Service
7 13 th Sunday/Pentecost 8:00 Worship 10:30 Worship	8	9 10:00 Sr. Social Planning 6:30 Council	10 7:00 Choir	11 10:00 Retired Men 6:45 Bell Choir	12	13
14 14 th Sunday/Pentecost 8:00 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship	15	16	17 1:00 WELCA Bible Study 7:00 Choir	18 12:00 Sr. Social 6:45 Bell Choir	19 <i>9:00 Graham Patchers</i>	20
21 15 th Sunday/Pentecost 8:00 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship	22	23 7:00 WELCA Bible Study	24 5:30 Youth Grp. 6:00 W&M 7:00 Choir	25 10:00 Retired Men 6:45 Bell Choir	26	27
28 16 th Sunday/Pentecost 8:00 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship	29	30				