

April 17-24

Today, April 24

8:45am

9:35am

10:00am

11:00am

12:00pm

Monday, April 25

9:00am

1:00pm

Tuesday, April 26

7:00pm

7:00pm

Wednesday, April 27

Thursday, April 28

9:00am

9:30am

Friday, April 29

7:00pm

Saturday, April 30

8:00am

Sunday, May 1

10:00am

11:00am

Easter Sunday

Worship

Hospitality

Easter Egg Hunt

Worship

Hospitality

Men's Biking

Grace Circle

Mission & Peacemaking

Christian Education

Men's Hiking Group

Brunch Bunch

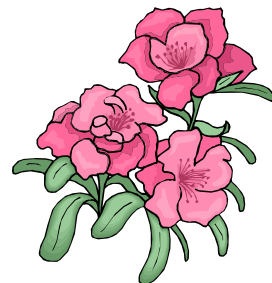
Senior High Spring Retreat

Men's Breakfast

Holy Humor Sunday

Worship

Hospitality



Sanctuary

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Library

In homes

Chapel

Room 23

Home of Dee Tucker

Sound View

Plum Delicious

Sanctuary

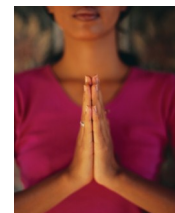
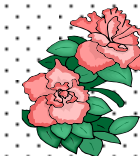
For your to-do list:

- ⇒ Women—sign up for the retreat at Rainbow Lodge May 20-21
- ⇒ Get the kids signed up for Vacation Church School—June 27-29

FISHPOND NEEDS YOU!

Fishpond Preschool is seeking church members from the Newport community to join our Board of Directors. This is a wonderful way to support our school and families in the surrounding community. Meetings are monthly, August through May. Please contact Nancy O'Leary at (425) 430-1307 or nancy@shadylake.net if you are interested.

Weekly Announcements April 24, 2011



Prayer Concerns and Support Opportunities

- **We have an active Prayer Chain.** If you have a concern for which you would like prayers, contact Carib Smallman (206) 588-1277 or Judy Schwab (425) 391-4167. To be listed in the printed list of prayer concerns, contact the church office at (425) 746-6111.

Peace Candle: The votive candle on the communion table is a prayerful reminder of those in danger in the Middle East, including our military and civilians and the people of Iraq, Afghanistan and other nations. Our family members and loved ones serving in the area include SSG James Hallberg who is currently deployed in Kuwait.



May 1st—Holy Humor Sunday: We will have only one worship service at 10:00 a.m. celebrating Holy Humor Sunday. Come wearing bright colors or silly clothing and be ready to be joyful. Holy Humor Sunday has its roots in history. For centuries, the church observed this Sunday as a day of joy and laughter to celebrate Jesus' resurrection. This custom was based on the musings of early church theologians like Augustine, Gregory of Nyssa and John Chrysostom, that God played a practical joke on the devil by raising Jesus from the dead. Easter is "God's supreme joke played on death." (Note: No Sunday School)



BELLEVUE CROP WALK

The 2011 Bellevue CROP Walk will be held Sunday, May 15 starting at 1:00 p.m. from Bellevue First Congregational Church. Enjoy the 3.5-mile walk (or a Golden Mile) through downtown Bellevue while raising funds to relieve hunger, here and abroad, through the work of Church World Service (75% of the funds raised go overseas and 25% are shared by Hope-link and the Emergency Feeding Program). You can register for the Crop Walk on Sundays May 1 and 8 after worship services. Look for the Crop Walk table. Come join the Crop Hunger Walk. Questions? Contact Kim Iverson at kim@geocomputer.com.