

PRAYING HANDS

Members of our prayer ministry, "Praying Hands" are available to pray for you or with you following each Sunday worship service. If you have a joy, concern, celebration, or any other request, and would like someone to pray for you, or to pray with you, please look for these individuals (wearing blue scarves/stoles) near the corners of the sanctuary. Every member of this ministry is a trained Stephen Minister who will treat your concern with complete confidentiality.

HEARING AIDES AVAILABLE

Our sanctuary is equipped with assisted hearing devices for those who have a difficult time hearing. They are simple to use and very effective and are available from the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary.

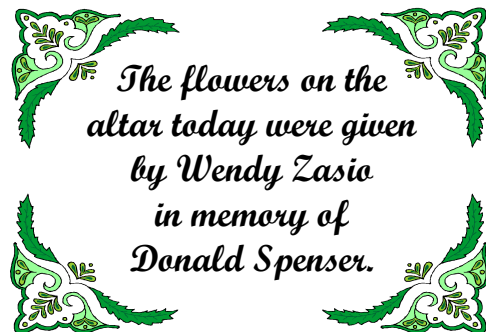
RECYCLE YOUR BULLETIN!



In an effort to be friendly to our environment, we are printing less bulletins each week to be reused in all of our services. We encourage you to take the bulletin home and note all of the "happenings" in the church; but, if you don't need it, please leave your bulletin on the table in the foyer to be recycled.

COPIES OF WORSHIP SERVICE ON CD

Look for a CD recording of today's service and past services on the ledge of the sound booth. If there isn't another copy available, write your name and date of service on the slip of paper at the booth and a copy will be made and placed in the slot with your name on it. Or listen to the sermon through our website www.eagleumc.com.



If you, your family or group would like to place flowers on the altar one or more Sundays in 2012, please sign-up on the sheet in the foyer by the north entrance. Flowers may be placed in honor or memory of someone, in recognition of a special anniversary or occasion, or simply to the Glory of God!

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Office hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am-3:00pm

WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP LEADERS

(If you are unable to serve on the scheduled date, please trade with another volunteer.)

TODAY	"Being Christian in a Secular World." 9:30am		11:00am
Music Today	YOUTH SUNDAY / YOUTH LEAD WORSHIP		
Ushers			
Greeters			
Liturgists			
Acolyte			
Coffee	Ralph & Margery Anderson	Louise Curtis/Richard Gledhill	
NEXT SUNDAY	The Good & Beautiful God: "God is Good" ~ Luke 13:1-5 & John 9:1-7 9:30am		11:00am
Ushers	Dennis Downs & Ross Ely	Bill & Shannon London	
Greeters	Craig & Annette Christensen Jana Ronsse & Sherry Shepherd	Emma Waddell & Leona Burt George Jones & Shirley Law	
Liturgists	Jana Ronsse	Bea Grimsted	
Acolyte	TBD	James Shattuck	
Coffee	Dorothy Dutton & Emmaus Men	Walk to Emmaus Men	



EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Our Church Mission Statement is: *To Grow Disciples for Jesus Christ.*

Welcome! We are pleased that you are worshipping God with us today. If you would like more information about our church, please write your contact information in the Attendance Registration Binder and a Minister of Visitation will contact you. All are welcome to participate in any of our Eagle United Methodist Church programs and events. **Please join us!**



"Being Christian in a Secular World."

NEXT WEEK IN WORSHIP

The Good & Beautiful God
"God is Good" ~
Luke 13:1-5 & John 9:1-7
Why do bad things happen to good people?

ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 19, 2012



The most important event in history was the death and resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. We remember and celebrate Christ's victory over sin and death every Easter. Easter is so important to the church that we have a period of time, called Lent, just to get ready for it.

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 22. At 7:00pm we'll have one of the most special services we do all year.

It will be a service of repentance where we write down our sins and nail them to the cross. Later we take down the sins, burn them and then use them to make the mark of the cross that is traditional for worshipers to receive on Ash Wednesday.

Many people find this to be one of the most meaningful services we do all year. Please plan to join us for this celebration of the grace and forgiveness of God.

Oregon-Idaho Leadership Institute 2012

RETURN TO ACTS
ALIGNING. CLARIFYING. TRANSFORMING. SERVING.

March 8-9, 2012

**At Boise First United Methodist Church-
The Cathedral of the Rockies**

Oregon - Idaho Leadership Institute — RETURN TO ACTS: Aligning...Clarifying...Transforming...Serving.

Whether you are a pastor, lay staff member, or volunteer leader, plan to attend for ministry-specific workshops, dynamic speakers, and the opportunity to energize and enhance your ministry.

\$30 registration fee. Register online at www.cathedraloftherockies.org/oili or call EUMC church office at 939-0108 and we will add you to the list.



Everyone is invited to join in bathing the sanctuary in prayer 15 minutes prior to our worship services. Unless you are praying, the sanctuary will be closed until five minutes before the service begins.

This is an opportunity for us as a congregation to grow in prayer. A prayer suggestion list is available at the back of the sanctuary.



Part of fulfilling our mission statement is to purposefully get into the Word. Please follow along with the scripture reading today! Did you forget your Bible? There are Bibles on the table just outside of the sanctuary. Pick up a red Bible and be ready to follow along. Don't have a Bible? There are soft cover Bibles on the table for you to take and use as our gift to you.

The children will be dismissed for **Children's Church** at our 11:00am service following the Children's Message. We are using the "Live Big" curriculum. Your kids won't want to miss a single Sunday!



Get into the Word!

You won't want to miss a single week of **Bible Hour at 8:15am** prior to our 9:30am worship service. Pastor John is exploring different themes using both the Old and New Testament.

This class is open to teens through adults and meets in the Fellowship Hall. Our Bible Hour is designed so you can just "drop-in". There is no book to buy and each segment can stand completely on its own. Coffee will be on so bring your Bible and get ready to explore and grow!



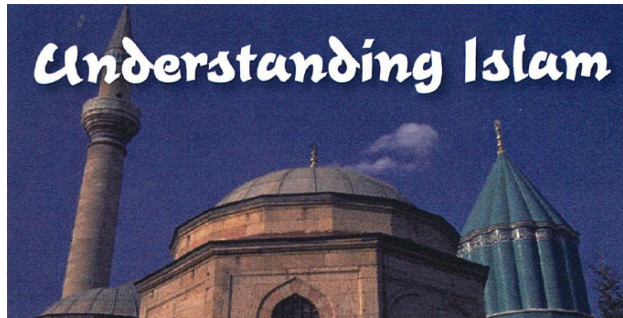
There is **NO** youth group today!

We will meet again next Sunday, February 26th. Junior and Senior High youth will gather at 5:30pm for dinner then a combined Bible study and activity time at 6pm.



Are you interested in becoming a part of a women's monthly book club? We meet on the last Saturday of each month after reading that month's selection.

Our first book "same kind of different as me" by Ron Hall & Denver Moore will be discussed this **Saturday, February 25th**. We'll join together for morning coffee at the **Perks of Life** on Old State street at **9am**, to discuss the book. See you all there!



Understanding Islam

Sunday, March 4, 6:30-8 PM

at Eagle Christian Church • 5 miles west of Eagle Road on State Street

Dr. Steven Crane will present an overview of the basic beliefs of the Islamic faith.

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TODAY is the last day to look through the items we have set out that have been found throughout the church. Please check to see if your "treasure" is among the clothing, dishes, etc. Anything left after today, will be donated to a local cause.



FALLING IN LOVE WITH THE GOD JESUS KNOWS

BEGINNING FEBRUARY 26TH

We all have ideas that we tell ourselves about God and how he works in our lives.

Some are true - but some are false. This series will explore those ideas.

During Lent, we will begin the sermon series, **The Good & Beautiful God** based on the book by James Bryan Smith. This deep, loving and transformative series will help us discover the narratives that Jesus lived by--to know the Lord he knew and the kingdom he proclaimed--and to engage in spiritual exercises that will help you grow in the knowledge of our good and beautiful God.

You can be part of a small group study or purchase the book and follow along with Pastor John on your own.

Sign up to be a part of small group or purchase the book for \$13.50 at the table in the hallway.

THE GOOD & BEAUTIFUL GOD SMALL GROUPS

Wednesday, 9am – Mom's Group

Joy Grimsted, 939-8817, joygrimsted@q.com

This group is for moms with children at home and meets in room 203. Babysitting is provided - please call the church office if needed.

Wednesday, 9:30am – Women's Group

Molly Miles, 286-9126

This is open to women of all ages and will meet at Molly's home at 11465 W Hercules Drive in Eagle.

Thursday, 7pm - Mixed Group

Hancocks/Phillips, 230-2702, jim.hancock@genmills.com

This group is open to all ages. This group meets at the Hancock's.



Sunday, February 19: **YOUTH SUNDAY**

Bible Hour: 8:15am
Sunday School: 9:30am
Worship: 9:30 & 11am
Children's Church: 11:15am

Monday, February 20:

Eagle Bluegrass Gospel Band: 6:30pm
Disciple I: 6:30pm

Tuesday, February 21:

MARCH NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
Men's Small Group: 6:30am
Prayer Group: 9am
Staff Meeting: 10am
Couples Small Group: 2pm (Klein's)
Couples Small Group: 7pm (Van Camp's)
Ad Board Meeting: 8pm

Wednesday, February 22:

Mom's Small Group: 9am
Women's Small Group: 1:30pm
Eagle Bluegrass Gospel Band: 3pm
The Next Generation: 4pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal: 5:30PM
ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE: 7pm

Thursday - Sunday, February 23rd - 26th

Men's Walk to Emmaus Spiritual Retreat

Thursday, February 23:

Women's 4th Day: 9:30am
Women's Small Group: 2pm
Small Group: 7pm (Hancocks)

Saturday, February 25:

Women's Ministry Book Club: 9am

Sunday, February 26: "The Good & Beautiful God"

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
Bible Hour: 8:15am
Sunday School: 9:30am
Worship: 9:30 & 11am
Children's Church: 11:15am
Adult Handbell Choir: 4 pm
Youth Group: 4pm



Women's Walk to Emmaus	March 1-4
OIL Conference	March 8-9
Free Wheelchair Mission	March 11