

Missionary Update

Mike & Rebekah Gervasi

Mike & Rebekah Gervasi are a missionary couple who formerly served in Haiti. Political unrest made it very unsafe for them to stay and they abruptly left the country in 2022. After much prayer they are launching a new mission organization - Next Wave Missions!

Throughout their time in long-term missions they've seen a need for more laborers to reap the harvest around the world. They desire to help get more workers into the field. They see their experiences, gifts, expertise, talents, and passions best used to start an organization focused in short-term mission trips connected with long-term "on the ground" workers.

Next Wave Missions aims to inspire, train, and send the next wave of short-term missionaries to the nations. Their main target is churches with their focus next year being in Thailand, Israel, and Costa Rica.

Current needs: 1) Housing and 2) increased monthly income. They're looking to purchase a recreational vehicle, that way their home can be mobile and go where they need to be. Please join them in praying for these needs. Thank you for supporting the Calvas in prayer.

Church Leadership

Staff: *Pastor Barry Cole, Pastor Bill Knopp, Kathy Ferrier, Cindy Forrest, Tom Kellogg, Mary Law*

Elders: *Dan Barnhart, Barry Cole, Dale Durrell, Jeff Harris, Mark Johnson, Mike Rinkin*

Ministry Teams

Sunday Worship	Leaders: Pastor Barry Cole, Cindy Forrest
Family Ministry	Leader: Matt Robinson
Children's Ministry	Leader: Kathy Ferrier
Missions	Leader: Tracy Sauerwein
Congregational Care	Leader: Pastor Bill Knopp
Men's Ministry	Leader: Daniel Peterson
Women's Ministry	Leaders: Cathy Cunningham, Kathy Ferrier, Cindy Forrest

WELCOME

to  First Baptist Church Corvallis

August 6, 2023



SUMMER OF WORSHIP

Psalms 40: 4-10

Pastor Barry Cole

Worship Leader: Cindy Forrest

We are many generations growing together in love and connecting the next generation to Jesus.

We aim to encounter God through worship, to connect with others through smaller communities, and to engage in missional outreach to our neighbors and the nations.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS



Connect with the Church Center App to see the church calendar and give online! Scan this QR Code or the link:
<https://fbccorvallis.churchcenter.com/>



PRIMETIMERS

THURSDAY, AUG 10
 12:00PM-2:00PM

*A Biblical Understanding
 of Why Our World Has
 Changed So Dramatically*

ACT I

*Pastor Bill Knopp
 "Our Changing World"*

PRIMETIMERS IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

Thursday, August 10, 2023 12:00pm-2:00pm Join us for a delicious lunch and hear ACT I of our series entitled "A Biblical Understanding of Why Our World Has Changed So Dramatically"

August 10th ACT I
 Pastor Bill Knopp "Our Changing World"

September 14th ACT II
 Sergeant Michael Hinckley of the Corvallis Police Department "Our Changing City"
 Senator Tim Knopp "Our Changing State"

COMMUNITY RIVER FLOAT AND BBQ

Join your FBC friends for a community float. We are inviting you and your neighbors to float the river Sunday, August 27th at 2:00pm. Meet us at the Peoria boat ramp at 2:00pm or around 5:00pm at the Richmonds' for a BBQ dinner and campfire. Contact Daniel Peterson for more information: (503) 803-3992 or check the website.



Community River Float
 August 27

SUMMER BIBLE STUDIES

Men's Bible Study
 Every Tuesday at 7:00am
 church choir room

Breakfast Bible Study for International Students
 Every Sunday 8:30am-10:00am
 Welcome House 136 NW 10th St.



Summer Bible Studies

August 10	12:00-2:00pm	PrimeTimers Fellowship Hall
August 27	2:00pm	Community River Float Contact Daniel (503) 803-3992
Ongoing Ministries:		
Sundays	8:30am-10:00am	Breakfast Bible Study for international students Welcome House 136 NW 10th St.
Tuesdays	7:00am	Men's Bible Study Choir Room
Wednesdays	6:30pm	All Church Prayer Meeting ZOOM link on the website
Saturday August 19	6:00-7:30pm	Student Led Prayer Meeting first floor conference room

WORSHIP THROUGH OBEDIENCE

Ps 40:4-10

Aug 6, 2023

Big Idea: The most powerful acts of worship are our acts of obedience.

OBEDIENCE IS FOUNDATIONAL TO WORSHIP (v4-5)

God honors _____ because obedience _____ God. v4, Jn 14:15

Disobedience (in all its forms) is rooted in _____ that God's thoughts and actions toward you are good. v5, Rom 8:28

OBEDIENCE GIVES MEANING TO WORSHIP (v6-8)

Worship activity is a sacrifice of _____ but obedience is a sacrifice of _____. v6, 1 Sam 15:22

Your _____ to obey is directly tied to your _____ about God's Word. v7-8, Ps 119:105

OBEDIENCE MAKES WORSHIP POWERFUL (v9-10)

Praise for God's goodness is the _____ by-product of a heart that's in step with Him. v9, Lk 19:40

The greatest act of worship we can commit is to _____ to _____. v10, Matt 28:19

Key Words:

Obey

Worship

Power