

## WEEKLY PRAYER & PRAISE GUIDE

“Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray.  
Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise.” *James 5:13*

### Our Missionaries

#### Pray for:

#### FBC-Supported Missionaries

- ◆ Andyshak, Buhler, Calva, Gervasi, Guest, Harris, Hubbell, Humble, Kelley, Lomilo, Lovelady, Pittman, Rasmussen, Matute, Swenson, Tice, Tissell, Trussel, and Wernow.

#### FBC-Supported Ministries

- ◆ CEF Benton County, CEF Linn County, Compassion Ministries, Love INC Benton County, Options Pregnancy Center, Southside Youth Outreach, Volunteer InterFaith Caregivers, Western Seminary, and We Care.

#### Len Andyshak

- ◆ Len has been serving with Intervarsity Christian Fellowship (IVCF) for over 3 decades. He and his wife Mary served in Kansas to international students until 3 years ago when they moved to Bend, OR. Len is on the IVCF Interim Ministry Team (south & central coast) where he mentors leaders of IVCF teams. Please pray for: wisdom and insight as he mentors college campus leaders; The campus of Ventura - ask the Lord to encourage their one remaining student as she and her staff reach out and seek to rebuild a witnessing community again to be a source of healing and blessing on that campus; Students in the fellowship of Cal Poly - they have turned a corner, rather than being intimidated by this Covid situation on campus, the students in the fellowship are really desiring to move forward and see the Lord do new things this quarter.

#### Jonathan and Annalyn Guest

- ◆ Jonathan and Annalyn serve with International Student Inc., a college ministry to orient and acquaint international students to their new home and cultural experience. Please pray for: Upcoming Virtual All-West Regional Retreat from March 14-16, 2021. Pray also for the following people he recently interacted with: Muslim man, African believer, Bible study of 6 believing students. Finally, pray for conversation partners from Asia and the Middle East.

### Church Leadership

**Staff:** Pastor Russ Richmond, Pastor Rick Harpel, Pastor Bill Knopp, Kathy Ferrier, Jim Hinckley, Brooke Staples, Mitchell Henderson

**Elders:** Matt MacClary, Jeff Harris, Daniel Peterson, Mike Rinkin, Russ Richmond, Dale Durrell, Rick Harpel

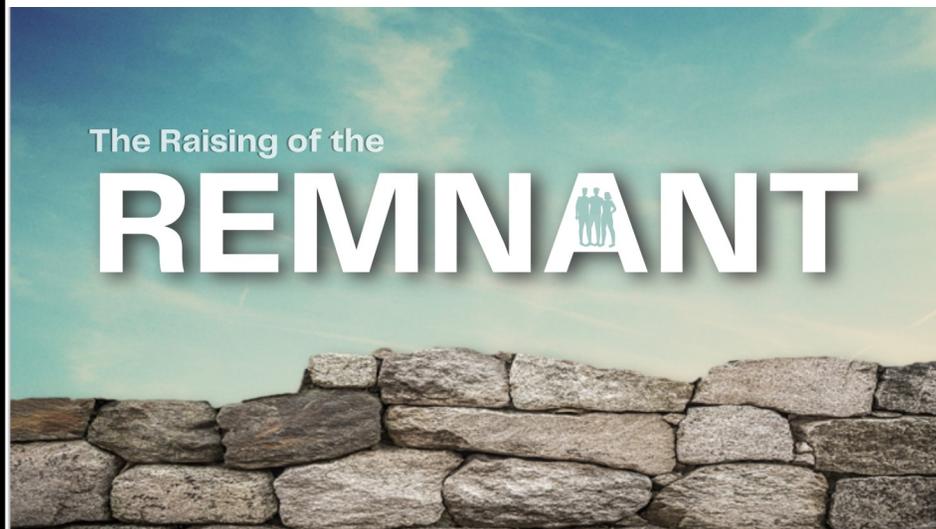
# WELCOME

to  First Baptist Church Corvallis

March 7, 2021

The Raising of the

# REMNANT



**“Nehemiah: A Responsible Leader for the Remnant”  
by Pastor Russ Richmond**

*Nehemiah 1:1-2:6*

**Worship Leader: Sean Sullivan**

*We are many generations 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



## TRANSITION REPORT ZOOM MEETINGS

Thursdays, 7-8:30PM

As a follow up to our congregational meeting and the transition report, Pastor Rick will be hosting a Zoom discussion each Thursday evening through March 18th.



## TOWN HALL MEETING: COVID

March 7th at 1pm on Zoom

This is a time for an update and conversation about our building use policies in light of COVID. Daniel Peterson will be hosting this conversation, if you have any general questions or a particular area you would like to hear about please let him know at Dpeterson04@gmail.com or (503) 803-3992.



## PROJECT LIVING HOPE: SOCCER CLEAT DRIVE

Now through March 14th

Help youth in Haiti by donating your gently-used or new soccer cleats to Project Living Hope's Soccer Academy. Donations can be brought to the box outside of the FBC office. Please rubber band pairs of shoes together if possible. Or cash donations may be made at PLHOPE.ORG.



## TIME CHANGE: SPRING FORWARD

Daylight Savings Time begins next Sunday, March 14th at 2:00AM. Be sure to set your clocks forward 1 hr. before that time!

## IMPORTANT DATES:

**Sundays**—Adult Bible Class: “Ephesians” - Fellowship Hall with Zoom Option, 9am  
Adult Bible Class: “Jesus and Money,” Zoom Only, 9am  
Impact Sunday School, In-person with Zoom Option, 9am

**TODAY! - Sun, Mar 7**—Town Hall Meeting: Covid, 1pm via Zoom

**Tues, Mar 9**—Campus Ambassadors Worship on Zoom, 7pm

**Wed, Mar 10**—All Church Prayer Zoom, 6pm

**Wed, Mar 10**—Awana (meeting virtually), 6:30pm

**Thur, Mar 11**—Transition Report Zoom Meeting, 7pm



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# MESSAGE NOTES

## Nehemiah: A Responsible Leader for the Remnant

Nehemiah 1:1-2:6

**BIG IDEA:** Every disciple should respond to challenging realities with repentance and responsibility, sorrow, prayer, and sacrifice.

### Nehemiah's Response to the Remnant Report

1. He Took the Report **Seriously and Personally** – 1:1-4

*How was Nehemiah's heart prepared?*

2. He Took it to Prayer with **Corporate Confession and Covenantal Claim** – 1:5-11

*How do we learn to pray from Nehemiah?*

3. He Took the Challenge with **Responsibility and Courage** – 2:1-6

*How will rebuilding begin?*

*How did Jesus respond with humble responsibility?*

### What is Your Response to the Report?

1. Looking over the Evangelical situation in our nation

**The Great Evangelical Recession**, John S. Dickerson

2. Looking over your place in the FBC transition

“Get wrecked, get on your knees, and get to work”