

BAYSHORE CHURCH NEWS

FEBRUARY 26, 2017: TRANSFIGURATION

YOU BELONG HERE.

We are delighted you're here today! Please introduce yourself by filling out the Connect Card provided in this newsletter and place it in the offering or in the bins by the doors.

PARENTS: Our nursery is a safe and comfortable environment available for children age 2 years and younger during the service. Our KREW Kid's worship and learning experience for age 3 through the 5th grade is provided during the service. Children must be registered **in the main lobby** prior to service and checked out from the media center immediately following service.

BAYSHORE CHURCH Youth Fellowship

Our ministry for middle school students, high school students and beyond, is a great place to learn how to walk more closely to God, begin and grow a deepening relationship with Jesus Christ, learn how to share our faith, and have fun with friends. We meet on Wednesdays at 6.30pm (middle school)/7:00pm (high school) at Sarasota Christian School for Bible study, contemporary worship, prayer and games. We have loads of fun and are involved in community service. Join us!

VISIT US ONLINE and sign-up for our weekly email, listen to sermons, get notes and Home Church questions, the weekly Newsletter, and check our calendar! bayshoresrq.org

DON'T MISS THIS:

+ SPECIAL LENT & EASTER EVENTS AT BAYSHORE CHURCH

To Help You Reach Out and Go Deeper Into the Life of Christ!

- 1. MAR. 1: ASH WEDNESDAY**, 12:00 noon, Community Room (3375 Fruitville Road) or 6pm, Sarasota Christian School (Courtyard), prior to Bayshore Youth (High School/Middle School). A short spoken service that concludes with the imposition of ashes (optional).
- 2. PRAYER:** We invite the church to pray at noon on Wednesdays (wherever you are) to know the Lord more and be still in His presence.
- 3. APR. 14: GOOD FRIDAY TENEBRAE**, Service of Shadows, 7pm, Sarasota Christian School Gym
- 4. APR. 16: EASTER SUNDAY** - A Special Invite & Outreach Sunday!
 - 8am - Sunrise Hymns and a devotion in the courtyard around the cross
 - 9am - Light breakfast fellowship
 - 10am - Resurrection Celebration! With Worship, Teaching and Baptisms
 - 11:15am - Easter Brunch (youth fundraiser), games for kids (inflatables and lawn games).

CALENDAR:

- + **MAR. 5:** Welcome to Bayshore/First Steps Class with Pastor Shel, 9am, Sarasota Christian School
- + **MAR. 19:** Membership/Next Steps Class (three weeks - March 19, 26, April 02), 9am, Sarasota Christian School, with Pastor Shel
- + **MAR. 25:** Upside-Down Leadership Saturday with Neo-Anabaptist Leader, David Fitch! Details are developing. We are planning an ALL-LEADERSHIP afternoon gathering with David, and a special ALL-Church worship/teaching evening gathering. Learning to be the Presence of Christ in our Neighborhoods
Three Circles of Living the Christian Life
- + **APR. 9:** Baptism class, 9am, Sarasota Christian School, with Pastor Shel

Home Church ARE YOU IN?

GET CONNECTED: The smaller groups in our church community are home churches where you can go deeper, build friendships, and walk out the Christian life with others. Often the discussion is based on reviewing the sermon bible text and topics and then challenging one another to see how to apply it in thinking and living. Dave Barkema meets with each group's leadership team (facilitators, hosts, care, and compassion coordinators) to share our common structure and strategy for home church and answer questions. Check our updated list of groups online at: bayshoresrq.org/home-church.html or contact Dave to get involved!

WE ARE ANABAPTIST. PEACE, SIMPLICITY, HOSPITALITY & JESUS SINCE 1945

BEYOND SUNDAY MORNING:

- + **TODAY!** High school parent meeting at 9:15 by the picnic tables to discuss Encounter information and summer mission trip.
- + **TODAY!** Unity to Strengthen Our Community, 4pm, Light of the World International Church, 3809 Chapel Drive, Annual MLK, Jr. Unity Service.
- + **MAR. 4** Sunnyside Foundation's 30th Annual Benefit Sale, 8-12 Noon, Sunnyside Village, 5201 Bahia Vista St., Free admission, volunteers needed. 941-371-2750, x370
- + **APR. 22** Gator Wilderness Camp Trail Run 5K/10K \$35 Register online: <http://runsignup.com/Race/FL/PuntaGorda/GatorWildernessCampTrailRun> Race (registration ends 4.20.17) 6-7:15am Registration/packet pick up, 8am Race, 11am Kids Fun Dash (FREE for children ages 2-12).

COMPASSION:

- + **Thank you, Bayshore Church,** for giving \$10,149.96 to Mennonite Mission Network in 2016! Your donations, prayers, participation, and enthusiasm for mission play a vital role in our global church. Thank you for doing your part. -Sandy Miller, Director of Church Relations MMN
- + **March 24-25 World's Attic Thrift Store Yard Sale** Fri, 8 - 5pm, Sat., 8 - 2pm, 4041 Bahia Vista St. Proceeds go to Mennonite Central Committee (MCC), Volunteer: 574.238.3971

SERVE: Make a difference! There are many teams that serve throughout the month. Email contact@bayshoresrq.org to get on a team!

- + **SAFE PLACE SCREENING** - All volunteers working with children must complete Bayshore's Safe Church program with background screening and online training. **Contact Patti Bos for Safe Church screening!**

PRAYER:

- + Pray for Kristi Barkema, Tony Colton, Betty Garber, Maynard Schlabach, Juanita Miller, Phil Sprunger, Marissa Stutzman, Estella Yancey, Angeline Zehr, Ransford Nicholson, Wayne Yoder and Daphne Bontrager's brother Dion Renno.
- + Remember Andrea Wittmer at Discipleship Training School (DTS) YWAM in Colorado; and Logan Miller and Kelsey Miller as they prepare to go this summer.
- + Pray for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

ORDER OF SERVICE

10:00AM Call To Worship
Worship: Zachariah Miller
Body Life: Doug Hershberger
Welcome!
Congregational Prayer/Offering
Teaching: Lead Pastor Shel Boese
Closing/Sending
Song of Response
Benediction/Sending/Prayer Teams

KREW:

Today: Juanita Miller
February 26: Caitlin Miller

NURSERY:

Today: Allison Byerly
February 26: Angie Schlabach

SET-UP TEAM

Today: Team #1
February 26: Team #2

WELCOME TEAM:

Today: Team #1
+ Dale & Pat Aschliman
February 26: Team #2

meeting location:

Sarasota Christian School
5415 Bahia Vista St.
Accessible parking: northwest of gym

church office location:

First Church of the Nazarene
(first floor of Education Building)
3375 Fruitville Road

mailing address:

P.O. Box 50157, Sarasota, FL 34232

EQUIPPING TEAM:

Drop-in office hours are Tuesday-Thursday 9-11:30am. In order to follow basic ministry ethics guidelines, our staff or pastors will not meet in the office facility alone with members of the opposite gender. A third person must be in the building or the meeting needs to take place in a more public location. All staff are available to meet in coffee shops/restaurants or out in the community.

Lead Pastor - Shel Boese shel@bayshoresrq.org 941-554-7777
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