



EASTHAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEKEND SERVICES FOR APRIL 21 & 22 - 2018

WELCOME!

Make yourself at home, we're glad you're here! To help you feel more comfortable during your visit:

Kids are always welcome in our services, however if you'd like:

Childcare is provided for kids (infant-age 2) in the nursery.

A Baby Care room is provided for nursing moms & energetic kids.

It's in the foyer to the right as you exit the worship center.

[Dismissed during the service] Preschool Praise for kids (age 2-3)

[Dismissed during the service] Worship celebrations for kids (age 4-9)

There is no childcare at our 8:00am service.

For more information and resources, visit our website at easthaven.org.

We are so happy you joined us at our Kalispell location! We also have churches in Big Arm (West Shore Community Church), Whitefish (Summit Life Church), and Columbia Falls (Gateway Church). Find more information about them online at easthaven.org.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Supper

SERVED 5-6PM ON WEDNESDAYS

AGE 2 AND UNDER: FREE | 10 & UNDER: \$1.50
11+ IS \$2.50 | NOT TO EXCEED \$8 PER FAMILY

MENU FOR APRIL 25:

Burgers, chips,
beans, and cookies



AWANA on April 25: Sparks and T&T Awards Night at 6PM in the Sanctuary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GLACIER BIBLE COLLEGE

Do you know of any students who are looking for direction in life? If you have a lead, call the office for more information about Glacier Bible College.

SERVICE / STUDY TRIP TO ISRAEL

Join us on this unique trip that will lift you out of the typical commercialized tour of the Holy Land and allow yourself to learn from the *past*, engage with the people of the *present*, and see firsthand the stage of the *future*. Contact Darren in the office for more info about this 10-day trip leaving just after Thanksgiving.

EASTHAVEN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are still available for graduating high school seniors. Find the application online at easthaven.church. The final deadline has been moved to Monday, April 23.

NEW CHILDREN'S PROGRAM: EXPLORE

We're launching a new children's program called *Explore* at Easthaven during worship services, and we need to recruit more volunteers. Sign up online at easthaven.church or in the Atrium.

GLACIER BIBLE COLLEGE KITCHEN GIFTS

If you would like to donate supplies for the kitchen at the college, Kathy Schleyer has registered at Bed, Bath, & Beyond and with Norwex. Arlys Moser is hosting a Norwex party on April 24 at 6:30PM in room 405 with all hostess proceeds going to the college.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ALIGN MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Learn what Easthaven is all about at our membership class on April 29 and May 6. See the insert for more details.

LADIES SPRING RETREAT

All ladies are invited to the Spring Retreat May 4-5. Sign up at easthaven.church or in the Atrium this weekend.

VBS 2018

VBS is June 18-22, from 8:45am-noon. Kids will realize God has given them His ultimate playbook, His Word, with the *Game On* theme. Registration will be available soon. If you are interested in volunteering, contact the church office.

SUMMER CAMPS AT TLC RETREAT

All camps are sponsored by Easthaven Baptist Church. Call the church office for more information.

July 11-13: Easthaven Kids Day Camp

July 16-20: Easthaven Middle School Camp

July 20-22: Easthaven High School Retreat

July 23-27: Easthaven Children's Camp

TO GIVE AT EASTHAVEN:

AT CHURCH: PUT YOUR CASH OR CHECK IN AN ENVELOPE AND DROP IT IN THE BLACK BUCKETS AT THE END OF THE SERVICE.

ONLINE: GIVE ONLINE THROUGH MYEASTHAVEN WITH CARD OR BANK TRANSFER. AUTOMATIC REOCCURRING GIVING IS ALSO AN OPTION.

TEXT: TEXT EBC, YOUR AMOUNT, & ACCOUNT TO 73256 (EX: EBC 50 GENERAL)

EASTHAVEN'S TOTAL WEEKEND ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 923 | KALISPELL ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 821

CHURCH PLANTS: 102 (INCLUDES WEST SHORE, SUMMIT LIFE, AND GATEWAY CHURCHES)

FINANCIALS (AS OF APRIL 2, 2018) GIVING TO DATE: \$337,355 | BUDGET TO DATE: \$344,716



Effective Prayer Is...

Not about us.

Whether Elijah prayed for drought, for fire, or for rain, his prayer was all about bringing God glory and bringing about His purposes. God's answer didn't depend on *who* was praying, God had purposed to bring glory to Himself and to bring the people to repentance. He gave Elijah the assignment of praying His purposes into reality.

So it is the same with us. We may think we are too insignificant to pray great things, even if God puts them on our hearts, but that kind of thinking makes prayer about us—and not about Him.

Grounded in God's will.

Much of our prayer—for ourselves or for others—is grounded in *our* will. We pray for an end to the trial we're facing, for a job offer to come through, or for a friend to be healed. Our prayers focus on specific, temporal results rather than God's overarching purposes. Of course, God wants and even commands us to ask, seek, and knock to bring our needs to Him, but it is easy for needs-based prayer to focus on *our* will rather than *God's*.

Pray beyond the situation and focus on ways that He will get the glory and honor.

We'd love to pray for you! Update our online prayer chain by going to easthaven.org. Click *resources*, then *prayer*. Click on *share your prayer request* and fill out the form.

PRAYING FOR LABORERS IN THE HARVEST: Pray that God would open the eyes of believers and give them hearts of love and compassion for the lost.

Matthew 9:27-28, John 4:35, Romans 5:5

Andy and Janet Kerr: Emmaus Encounter, Lakeside

'Northern Lights': Middle East. Pray for wisdom with future plans of service for family and ministry.

'Paul': Christian Aid Mission, Central Asia

Pray for 'Paul's' safety, effectiveness of translation work, and witness in a hostile environment of unreached Muslim people.

Jorene Williams: BCM, After School Bible Club

Kveta a Vladimir Zemanov: Vysoke Myto, Czech Republic

Pray for the follow up of the contacts that were made on the recent trip.

Chris & Kim Baker: Summit Life Church, Whitefish

Pray for a Children's Ministry Coordinator.

Bruce & Jessica Crockett, Kyle & Marisa Rosas, Steve Crews: Gateway Church.

Church Planters: Adam & Jeanne Hartley, Capital Baptist

Fellowship, Helena, MT. Pray for unity among the core team.

Satan often looks for ways to tear down churches starting with leadership. Pray for these leaders to set aside pride and preference. Pray that they would seek to encourage each other as they pursue the task ahead.

South Asia Project: Pray for rain! In one city, they have water once a month for two hours. Wells are being dug, which will strengthen the church planting efforts in that region.

Carmen DeVries: Ethnos 360 in Papua New Guinea

Jake & Katie Oyler: Ethnos 360 in missionary training

Be praying for their summer trip to Indonesia.

Zach & Carrie Wolfe: Pioneers Ministry

Carrie & Vera will be traveling to Hong Kong April 16-May 7 to assist Carrie's parents at an International Church. Carrie will assist in the women's ministry. Pray for safe travel and that Vera will sleep well. Zach will stay in Orlando.

Glacier Bible College: Pray for the funds needed to build the dorms and staff house. As of March 31, \$207,856 has been raised. Pray for the recruitment of students to start in the Fall of 2018.

We have four applications so far!

Persecuted Church: Pray that they will boldly share the Gospel.

BE IN PRAYER FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Fresh Life Church, Kalispell

Prairie Baptist Church, Terry

Somers Middle School

Headstart—Kalispell/North Valley

ALIGN

COME JOIN THE JOURNEY

BECOME A MEMBER OF EASTHAVEN

THE ALIGN CLASS:

- Outlines our statements of beliefs and doctrines
- Is a requirement of membership
- Includes lunch both days with pre-registration

THIS TWO-PART CLASS IS ON:

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

SUNDAY, MAY 6

12:30-2:30PM BOTH DAYS

**SIGN UP IN THE ATRIUM OR
ONLINE AT EASTHAVEN.CHURCH**

Ladies Spring Retreat

GATHER TO GROW



All ladies are invited to our spring retreat at the church camp, TLC Retreat on May 4 & 5. We'll gather together for a great time of worship, lots of food, fun, and a wonderful time of sharing with our sisters in Christ.

WHERE: TLC Retreat (church camp)

DATES: May 4 & 5

CHECK-IN: 4PM on Friday

CHECK-OUT: by 3pm on Saturday

COST: \$25

*We also have the church vans available to drive any ladies to and from the camp. Just let us know when you sign up.

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MEMBERS AT EASTHAVEN

NEED TO KNOW INFO

CONSTITUTION CHANGES

As our church grows bigger, we've decided to transition two volunteer positions to two staff positions to be more effective in our ministry. Contact the church office if you have any questions or would like more information.

- Church Clerk responsibilities will be assigned to an office administrative staff position
- Treasurer responsibilities will be assigned to a staff position to include stewardship committee chairman responsibilities

NEW MEMBERS TO MISSIONS COMMITTEE

By recommendation of the nominating committee, **Larry Meadors** and **Joel Landis** will be added to the International Missions Committee.

If you are a member at Easthaven, please take time to vote using the papers in the chair backs. We will collect the votes at the end of the service in the black buckets.



GO 101 CLASS

TWO DAY CLASS IN MAY

Saturday, May 5 | 10AM-4PM

AND

Sunday, May 6 | 12:30-4PM

No sign ups required.

Room 206 at Easthaven | Lunch provided both days
Call Mike Myers at (406) 249-2560 for more info.



This class will give you the **TOOLS** and **CONFIDENCE** to be effective on any Mission Trip.

Sharing the Gospel is easier than you think. We won't just *tell* you how to do it, we'll *show* you how to do it.

This class is done in conjunction with the Missions Committee. Completion of GO 101 is required if you wish to receive additional funding for an EBC Trip.



EASTHAVEN

Kids



*God, His Word, and
our part in His Story*

Easthaven will be launching a brand new children's program called Explore!

Starting this fall, all kids from nursery to 5th grade will explore God, His Word, and our part in His Story during our worship services. Nursery through 3 year olds can be dropped off at any point, but 4 years and older will be dismissed during the service to Explore.

We need more volunteers!

Sign up online at easthaven.church or in the Atrium.

Volunteer positions can be every week or on a rotating schedule, ranging from teaching, acting in skits, running sound/media, and building relationships with kids. Give us a call if you have any other questions.

