

GREEN LAKE 2021

FALL GUIDE

GATHER

Annual Meeting

Monday, Nov 1 | 7–8:30pm | Green Lake

Members, non-members, and anyone that wants to learn more about Bethany Green Lake are invited to our Annual Meeting where we will take a look back on the past year and share our goals and visions for the future of the church.

Bethany Cycling Club

Monthly | Sept 25, Oct 23 | 10am | Green Lake

What do bikes, the great PNW, and a heart for refugees have in common? This group! Join other cyclists from Bethany to get outside, build community, and learn about creating a hospitable place for vulnerable immigrants.

→ churchbcc.org/cycleclub

Bethany Wilderness Ministry

Greater Seattle Area

Check the BWM website for an up-to-date list of diverse trip options including day-hikes, backpacking, snowshoeing, car camping, and other outdoor excursions.

→ churchbcc.org/wilderness

BIPOC Meet & Greet

Sunday | Sept 26, Dec 19 | 1–2:30pm | Green Lake

An opportunity to welcome BIPOC folks and their families and to create a space to meet one another.

→ glhospitality@churchbcc.org

BIPOC Prayer Meeting

Sunday, Oct 17 | 12:30–1:30pm | Online

We acknowledge the unique challenges for people of color in this season. During this hour-long prayer meeting, we will create space to pray, share, and build community together. This event is intended for people of color who attend Bethany.

→ churchbcc.org/BIPOCprayeroct17

Connect Lunch

Quarterly | Sunday, Sept 19 | 1–2pm | Green Lake

Whether you've attend once or for years, if you're looking to get more involved and learn about Bethany, this event is for you!

→ glhospitality@churchbcc.org

Foster/Adopt Support Group

Third Sundays of every month | 6:30–8:30pm | Green Lake

Monthly support group lead by an experienced and active foster and adoptive family in our Bethany community. A concurrent kids group is available, full of fun and meaningful content, so children can connect with a caring team while parents walk the journey of foster and adoption in community.

→ belong@churchbcc.org

High School Group

Wednesdays | Starting Sept 15 | 7–8:30pm | Green Lake

This is a place to belong, grow, and find rest and renewal in the middle of the week. Evenings are centered around small groups, where we can grow in relationships with friends, leaders, and God.

→ brianv@churchbcc.org

Longest Night Service

Tuesday, Dec 21 | 7pm | Green Lake

A safe place to lament our pain and sorrow, while also turning to Christ who is our hope.

Membership Class

Sunday, Sept 26 | 12:30–2pm

Does Bethany feel like your home church? If you're wanting to commit to be invested in, and invest in the Bethany community, come find out more about what that means at our next Membership Class.

→ churchbcc.org/registration/septmembership

Middle School Group

Sundays | Starting Sept 12 | 7–8:30pm | Green Lake

Join as we learn more about what it means to belong to a community and a loving God. We'll be spending time together in games, worship, the truths of Scripture, small group conversation, and fellowship together.

→ brianv@churchbcc.org

Ministry Fair

Sunday, Sept 26 | 9am–1pm | Green Lake

Talk to ministry leaders from Bethany Green Lake and learn about the ways to Gather, Grow, and Go with Bethany!

→ glhospitality@churchbcc.org

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)

Twice a month | Tuesdays | Starting Oct 5 | 9:30–11am | Cost of supplies | Green Lake

A supportive community of women who are going through the same phase of life and can relate to the joys and struggles that you may be facing. You can expect community and discussion time with other women and a different speaker each week. (Childcare available)

→ kaitlinp@churchbcc.org

Pint Size Choir

Wednesdays | Starting Oct 6 | 5–6pm | Green Lake

Pint Size Choir is starting up again! If you are in Third to Seventh grade and are wanting to join, now is your chance! Come sing with others and have loads of fun!

→ patc@churchbcc.org

Press Play Remix Sundays

Sept 12, 19, 26, Oct 3, 10 | 9:30 and 11am Services | Green Lake

If you enjoyed KSA this year, you won't want to miss our hour-long Sunday School stations, for Pre-K through Third Grade (mostly outdoors).

→ kaitlinp@churchbcc.org

Refuel Day

Saturday, Oct 16 and Dec 18 | 9am–3pm | Green Lake

For our Belong Families (children with special needs, fostering families, adoptive families), Refuel Day helps provide a safe and welcoming environment for a day of rest, relaxation, and fun for the whole family.

→ churchbcc.org/refueldayoct2021

Small Groups

Weekly | Beginning Oct 3 | Off-Site

Connect with others on a deeper level each week! Join a Small Group, meeting weekly beginning October 3.

→ churchbcc.org/page/844?campusId=1

Sunday School

Sundays | Starting Oct 10 | 9:30 and 11am Services | Green Lake

Join us as we open up our classrooms again for Pre-K through Third Graders. Covid policies will be in place and it will look slightly different, but we are so excited to connect face to face again.

→ kaitlinp@churchbcc.org

Thanksgiving Eve Service

Wednesday, Nov 24 | 7pm | Green Lake

Kick off the holiday season with a Bethany tradition—the Thanksgiving Eve service! We'll take some moments to rest before we enter this busy season, worship together, and thank God for the many blessings we've been given this year.

Tweens on the Move

Weekly | Starting Sept 12 | 9:30 and 11am Services | Green Lake

Fourth or Fifth Grader? Don't miss our weekly Sunday School class where you will learn more about God and your own faith, all while playing fun games and connecting with one another!

→ chrisl@churchbcc.org

Youth Fall Kickoff

Sunday, October 3 | 7–8:30pm | Green Lake

Kick off the new school year with fun games, friends, worship, and more. Plus we have some surprises to show you in our youth room—find out what at the kickoff!

→ brianv@churchbcc.org

GROW

Bringing the Scriptures to Life

Wednesdays, Oct 6–Nov 10 | 7–8:15pm | Location TBD

Try a different approach towards Bible reading! Dive into and watch how these “stories” come to life through interacting with God's Word in a tangible way.

→ churchbcc.org/registration/octscripture

Building a Great Marriage

Mondays | Starting Oct | 7–8:30pm | Online

A four-week class blending Biblical principles with research that emphasizes strengthening friendship, managing conflict, and deepening shared meaning. Taught by Dave Penner, PhD, former Clinical Director of The Gottman Institute.

→ churchbcc.org/greatmarriage2021

Crossing the Threshold

Saturday, Sept 18 | 9am–12pm | Cost of supplies | Green Lake

At the threshold of a decision? Want to connect with yourself and the Lord in the midst? This half-day event will feed your soul and give some next steps.

→ churchbcc.org/registration/threshold

Engaged Class Fall 2021

Weekly | Sundays, Sept 19–Nov 7 | 5:30–7pm

This class will cover some of the core issues facing couples as they approach marriage. You and your partner will feel more prepared to enter the covenant of marriage.

→ churchbcc.org/engagedfall2021

Exploring Engagement

Weekly | Sundays, Sept 26–Nov 7 | 5:30–7pm | Location TBD

Through this course, you and your partner join other couples and explore your relationship with honesty and transparency in order to make an educated, biblically-based decision about your future.

→ churchbcc.org/exploringfall2021

Financial Peace University

Sundays | Sept 26–Nov 21 | 4–5pm | Cost of Supplies

Financial stewardship and responsibility frees us up to focus on Christ and the things that matter most. FPU addresses ways to beat personal debt, set and commit to a budget, and maintain financial peace throughout your life.

→ fpu.com/1140168



Global Monastery

Daily

Join this community that equips and accompanies people on their journey toward wholeness and the Way of Jesus, through core practices and daily practical steps.

→ *text "daily" to 64600 and follow on FB and Insta*

Grad Prep Gatherings

Second Sunday of the Month | Starting Oct 10 | 8–9:30pm
Lyons House

High School Juniors and Seniors—discover what faith looks like through the end of high school and beyond, and how to be equipped for the challenges of a new season.

→ *chrisl@churchbcc.org*

Grad Prep Seniors Retreat

Sept 25–26 | 9am–7pm | Cost of supplies | Snoqualmie Pass

Incoming high school Seniors and parents—save the date for a special weekend retreat at the Dahlstroms' house in the mountains. More details on the way!

→ *laurenl@churchbcc.org*

Living Into Your Calling

Oct 13, 20, & 27 | 7–8:30pm | Cost of Supplies | Green Lake

What is calling, how does God see it, and how do we know what ours is? This three-week class looks at the Biblical concept of calling and makes space to think through and discuss how our calling is being lived out in our lives today.

→ *churchbcc.org/registration/callingfall21*

MRJR Youth Book Study

First & Third Sundays | Starting Oct 17 | 7–8:30pm | Green Lake

High school students, consider joining this student-led discussion about the book "Be the Bridge" and putting our faith into action in some significant ways

→ *chrisl@churchbcc.org*

Safe Families Info Session

Sunday, Oct 3 | 6pm

Join a BCC team and form a Safe Family to provide respite and support for vulnerable families. The goal is connection, relationship, preventing family separation, and experiencing Christ's transformation!

→ *churchbcc.org/safeamiliesfall2021*

Spirit, Soul, Body

Sept 28, Oct 5, 12, 19 | 7–8pm | Cost of Supplies

Sign up for this four-week series. Content is designed to help us more fully assume a biblically-focused perspective on whole-life discipleship, with a robust posture of how our spirit, soul, and body all worship and reflect Christ.

→ *churchbcc.org/greenlake/classes*

Online

The Way

First and Third Thursdays | 7–9pm | Cost of supplies

The Way is a course inviting people to deepen in their life with God—through group discussion, prayer, and content focused on our belovedness in God, our story, and life as a pilgrimage.

→ *jenm@churchbcc.org*

Thursday Bible Studies

Thursdays | Starting Sept 30 | 10am or 7:30pm | Cost of supplies | Green Lake

Journey through Exodus while growing in community and God's Word this season. There's a spot for you on Thursdays with groups for women, men, and couples. (Childcare available for morning session only)

→ *churchbcc.org/registration/thursdayf21*

GO

Advent Volunteer

Green Lake

Help celebrate our coming King by volunteering for the Advent season with projects intended to bless members of our faith community and neighbors!

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

Aurora Commons Breakfast Prep

Weekly | Mondays–Thursdays | 8–10am | Green Lake

Sign up to help cook and assemble breakfast burritos to support the Aurora Commons in providing meals to their guests during the COVID-19 crisis.

→ *bit.lyburritoprep*

Become a Buddy!

Monday, Oct 4 | 7pm | Green Lake

Come and find out more about how you can partner with and serve families of children with special needs, foster families, and adoptive families.

→ *churchbcc.org/beabuddy2021*

Blood Drive Donor

Jan 4, March 1, May 3, July 5 | 1–6pm | Green Lake | 17+

You can save up to three lives by giving a resource that naturally replenishes! Sign up to donate blood at our Red Cross blood drive.

→ *rcblood.org/2FjF8mh*

Blood Drive Volunteer

Tuesdays | Jan 4, March 1, May 3, July 5 | 1–6pm | Green Lake

Not able to donate blood, but still want to help? We are looking for volunteers to warmly welcome donors and get them checked in.

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

Online

Coffee Service

1–2 Sundays per month | 7am–1pm | Green Lake

Coffee lover? Join our Sunday morning coffee team—setup a coffee station, brew coffee, or tear down at the end of Sunday services.

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

Community Meal

Every Second and Last Monday | 6–7pm | Geen Lake

Through the community meal, connections happen between the church and surrounding nieghbors while meeting a practical need. Sign up to join the team!

→ *churchbcc.org/localoutreachinterest*

Deacon Ministries

Deacon Ministries provides practical care through material assistance, care visitation, practical help, and crisis support. To participate as a volunteer or to receive care, contact Don Riggs.

→ *donr@churchbcc.org*

Food Bank

Weekly | Mondays | 6–7pm | Green Lake

The Bethany Food Bank is committed to providing emergency food to families and individuals in our community. We are currently open every Monday from 6–7pm.

→ *churchbcc.org/localoutreachinterest*

Good Neighbor Teams Info Session

Sunday, Sept 12 | 12:30pm | Sept 19 | 7pm | Green Lake

Join a Good Neighbor Team and become equipped to walk alongside a refugee or asylee family through the initial six-month resettlement process.

→ *churchbcc.org/goodneighbor2021*

Greeters/Ushers

1–2 Sundays per month | 7:30am–12:30pm | Green Lake

Become a Sunday greeter and help make the unseen feel seen at Bethany.

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

Online Host

1–2 Sundays per month | 7:30am–12:30pm | Online

Tech savvy? Sign up to be an Online Host—posting links in the chat throughout the service, monitoring the chat and private messaging, responding to comments, and praying for requests as needed.

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

Online

Prayer Ministry

1–2 Sundays per month | 8am–12pm | Green Lake

Have a heart for prayer? Participate in our prayer chain or weekly prayer meeting—praying for staff, communities, our climate, local schools, loved ones, etc.

→ *meganc@churchbcc.org*

Progressive Prayer Event

Saturday, October 2 | 5–8pm | Green Lake

At this progressive meal event, we will eat at local businesses and walk around the neighborhood praying for those who work there.

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

Sanctuary Host

1–2 Sundays per month | 7:30am–12:30pm | Green Lake

Sign up to be a Sanctuary Host. Hosts float in an assigned area of the Sanctuary, engage with people, help form connections between people, and sit with those who are sitting alone.

→ *glhospitality@churchbcc.org*

The Guest House

Weekly | Fri evening–Sat morning | 6pm–6am | Green Lake

Help with transportation or overnight hosting for our Guest House ministry in the Bethany Green Lake Chapel, which provides overnight shelter and hospitality for asylum seekers.

→ *churchbcc.org/localoutreachinterest*

Urban Impact

Support Black and minority run businesses in under-resourced areas of Seattle by serving as a coach to an entrepreneur.

→ *Email Evelyn at evelyn8@gmail.com*

Youth Student Leadership

Fourth Sunday of the month | Starting Sept 26 | 4–5pm

Learn about leadership as followers of Jesus and grow as leaders in our youth group community. All middle and high schoolers who want to invest in our youth ministry are welcome.

→ *nicholasb@churchbcc.org*

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