

Missionary Updates ...Todd & Penny Beaudin



The Beaudin family is finally unpacked! Not bad for our first six months on the field here in Oahu. Ministry at Home Port is speeding along and we are seeing growth as our service members invite people to the House.

The other night we had 40 for dinner and Bible study. Todd is finishing the book of James on Friday nights and has been leading a study of Nehemiah on Monday nights for men.

Penny has been busy with a women's Bible study on base and spending time with spouses, loving on the ladies that God has put in her life. She continues to cook fabulous meals every Friday night.

Home Port is also now serving a homeless kitchen once a month in Honolulu and we also take people from the House for a hike on this beautiful island monthly.

Our girls are doing well. Kelsey is finishing up 10th grade and is excited for summer vacation. Emily has done well in college but has had some health issues. She is doing her best but is a bit stressed out.

We were honored that our friend Derek Black came and made a video of our ministry, working with the military. As always, pictures tell a better story than just words.

Prayer Requests:

1. For their outreach to service people and their families.
2. For the different Bible studies they are involved in as they teach the Word.
3. For Emily at college; health and tuition.

	March 2019	
	Offerings	Expenses
General Fund YTD	\$77,660	\$79,178
Missions Fund YTD	\$74,740	\$70,396

The ABC's of Becoming a Christian

A — **Admit** to God that you are a sinner. Repent, turning away from your sin.

"For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." Romans 3:23

B — **Believe** that Jesus is God's Son and accept God's gift of forgiveness from sin.

"While we were sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

C — **Confess** your faith in Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord.

"If you will confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved." Romans 10:9

Prayer: Dear God, I am sorry for my sins. I believe Jesus died on the cross for my sins. Please forgive me. I ask Jesus to come into my life to be my Savior and Lord. Thank you for loving me and saving me from my sins. In Jesus name, Amen.

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Welcome to Worship!—We're so glad you have joined us this morning. If you are a guest today, please fill out a Covenant Connect card and place it in the offering. **Children's Church** (10:30am service) is for 3-year olds—2nd grade. The children gather in the Cubbies Room downstairs after the announcements are given.

Communion Sunday — Today is Communion Sunday and all who have accepted Christ as their Savior are welcome to participate. The bread that is being served is gluten-free for the convenience of all participants.

Compassion Offering—will be received today to be used for emergencies or other unforeseen needs of those in our congregation or community. The collection plate will be at the rear of the church. You may use your offering envelope and mark the section “other” as Compassion Fund.

Faith Promises — We have received \$78,246 in Faith Promises! Thank you for your generosity. It will enable us to continue to share Jesus with so many different people groups.

 **Easter Flowers** — We will be decorating our worship center with spring flowers for Easter! If you would like to participate, you can purchase an Easter Lily, Tulip, or Begonia plant for \$15. How? Pick up an envelope in the lobby, fill out the information, insert the money and give to an usher, place in the offering plate, or bring to the office by April 15.

Good Friday Service — will be on Friday, April 19, at **7pm**. Please note the time change.

Expo—Spring is coming and that means it is time for Expo! We are looking for venison burger and hamburger. Donations can be put in the large freezer in the kitchen. Thank you!



Our Condolences — go out to the family of Pastor George Wold. You may send cards to Joyce Elkjer at 2200 6th Ave SE, Willmar, MN 56201.

 **Bridal Shower** — Ladies, you are invited to a bridal shower for Jess Pollino on Sunday, April 28 at 11:45am. See her online registry at www.theknot.com/us/wayne-schrock-and-jess-pollino. She is also registered at City Drug. Bring a copy of a favorite recipe for Jess as she starts her married life.

Senior LinkAge Presentation— There will be a presentation for seniors on Saturday, April 27, 1-3pm in Room 200. Medicare A-D and other services will be discussed. Please call 1.800.333.2433 to register.

Newsletter — April newsletter is available online or in the lobby.

Encountering Prayer

John 17:20-23

My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message. John 17:20

1. _____ John 17:1, 10, 22, 24

Then the cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. Exodus 40:34

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. John 1:14

So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God. 1 Corinthians 10:31

2. _____ John 17:11, 12, 15

As soon as Judas took the bread, Satan entered into him. John 13:27

We know that we are children of God, and that the whole world is under the control of the evil one. 1 John 5:19

Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. Ephesians 6:11

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. John 10:10a

The name of the LORD is a strong tower, the righteous run to it and are safe. Proverbs 18:10

They overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony. Revelation 12:11

3. _____ John 17:17 – 19 (AMP)

All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work. 2 Timothy 3:16, 17 (NLT)

4. _____ John 17:20, 21, 23 (NIV)

Read Acts 2:44 – 47 (NIV)

Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died – more than that, who was raised to life – is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us. Romans 8:34