

# Broadway Blast-Off



Explore  
the Way  
with Broadway

"I am the WAY the truth and the life." (Jn. 14:6)

## Sunday Worship

April 28, 2019

**9:30 a.m. Education Hour**

**10:30 Worship**

Rev. Rob Hughes

So, how did you do with your Lent disciplines? From as far back as the Early Church, Christians have associated the period leading up to Resurrection Sunday (Easter) with Christ's fasting and preparation in the wilderness. Fasting became a key spiritual discipline during Lent, which then became giving up all kinds of different things during this important season.

I typically give up some significant things (or add new disciplines) along with some fun things. One of the "fun" things this year was to give up Mexican food, a real favorite. On that I completed the task although we decided that homemade chili could also be Southwest or Texas in origin. To be a disciple, one must show some spiritual discipline. That means identifying what influences us, what lures us, and what controls us. Do emotions control us (anger, sadness, worry, disappointment), do aspects of culture control us (TV, sports, shopping), does work define us, and are we dependent on something other than faith in Christ?

I learned at a young age that our most important battles are not typically with outside forces, but are instead within ourselves. Lent gives us 40 days to assess our priorities, consider to what degree we are growing in faith, and examine how we might become a more disciplined disciple. It is not self-punishment, but self-reflection and self-refinement.

So, how did you do on your Lent disciplines? I am now allowing myself a taco once in a while, but post-Lent should not be just a return to pre-Lent self. Our now better disciplined self should continue as we become a more Christ-like disciple in worship, in prayer, in Bible reading, and in service to others.

**See you in worship as we hunt BIBLE EASTER EGGS.**

*Pastor Rob*

**Each week, The Broadway Blast highlights several people to lift up in prayer:**

**Alma Schupp, Ron Hardy**

**Mary Frances Sneed, and**

**Tyler Dake - Brenda Dake's grandson**



4 — Schyler Cowen

8 — Dick Parrish

9 — Max Mitchell

10 — Cora Singer

11 — Jim Callis

12 — Bob Heitmeyer

14 — Mary Frances Sneed

15 — Laura Heitmeyer

Bob Lebow

18 — Betsy Wiley

19 — Nick Carroll

Sandy Terrell

22 — Libby Gillespie

23 — Henry Lopez

24 — Melissa Guffin

26 — Sandy Parkhurst

29 — Mark Callis

Steve Parkhurst

19 — Mike & Bobbie Cowen (35)

25 — Robbie & Millie Cavanagh (17)

27 — Bob & Laura Heitmeyer (57)

# Together Tuesday

April 30 at 5:30 pm in the  
Fellowship Hall

Fried chicken and drinks  
will be provided.

Please bring a side dish to share.

Join us for a wonderful time  
of fellowship.

## Presbyterian Women's Association

will meet May 2 at 10:00am in Fellowship Hall.

## Friends & Dominos

Friends meet on Thursday, May 9 at 11:30am  
at Best Western. Following lunch, return with  
the group to Fellowship Hall for dominos.



# Friends & Fellowship



The names of graduates will be listed in the Blast and bulletin. Please contact the office by May 8, if you have a graduate in your family! We would like to acknowledge them on their success.



## LUNCHEON

May 3 — noon

at Christ & Trinity Lutheran Church

Tickets can be purchased from Betsy Wiley by April 30.



## Katie Dake & Danny Baker Piano Concert

Saturday, May 4  
6:00-8:00 pm  
in the Sanctuary  
Reception following  
in Fellowship Hall

May the fourth be with you!



# Good Friday Workshop

Thanks to all the adults that helped with this event and all the children that participated!



Church property mowing, trimming, and clearing walks (including the playground, lot beside it and south of the alley) is maintained weekly by custom mowing service. Donations are welcome! To cover the cost for one or more weeks (\$100 per week), please sign your name on the list by the office. Donations should be made payable to: BPC, Memo: Mow. Questions should be directed to Building & Grounds leader, Cliff Callis.



The signup sheet for May, June, July, and August is outside the church office.

Please signup to help with this ministry!



You are cordially invited to join us at the Sedalia Senior Center to celebrate *National Teacher Appreciation Day*.

Tuesday, May 7 we will be recognizing the contribution you have made to our community by inviting you to be our guest for lunch, cookies and punch.

The Superintendent of Schools and the Mayor will be joining you to thank you for all you've done to educate and support your students in your careers.

We hope that you will be able to join us at **10:45 on Tuesday, May 7.**

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"I told you we wandered too far from the hotel.  
This looks nothing like Waikiki Beach!"