bethany community church 12.01, 19 inviting people to God, to community, and to wholeness





LEARN MORE

Meet our staff and grab a Welcome booklet in the foyer, or visit us online at: churchbcc.org/greenlake



EVENTS

Visit churchbcc.org/events to learn about what's going on at Bethany Green Lake.



QUESTIONS

Give us a call at 206.524.9000 or send an email to: staff@churchbcc.org.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Request prayer or join the prayer chain by emailing staff@churchbcc.org.



MEDIA

Find us on Facebook, YouTube, and Instagram. Download the Bethany app to listen to sermons or give on your phone.

GIVING AT BETHANY

Bethany is one church with six locations and all contributions go into a single general fund (One Fund) that underwrites each year's combined ministry plan. With Christmas rapidly approaching, this season ushers in an incredible opportunity for greater ministry impact through year-end giving. Consider giving a year-end gift, or set up recurring giving online at churchbcc.org/give or text "Bethany" to 77977. Your generosity truly—is helping transform lives.

ONE FUND UPDATE (FISCAL YEAR SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2019)

	Received	Budgeted
BCC October Giving	\$474,959	\$634,365
BCC YTD Giving	\$1,025,376	\$1,227,560
BCC Green Lake October Giving	\$293,286	\$424,860
BCC Green Lake YTD Giving	\$647,464	\$800,398

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BETHANY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Service Times and Locations

Bethany Ballard

Sundays: 9:30am **Ballard Homestead** churchbcc.org/ballard

Bethany Eastside

Sundays: 10am Peter Kirk Community Center churchbcc.org/eastside

Bethany Green Lake

Sundays: 8, 9:30, 11am, & 7pm 8023 Green Lake Dr N, Seattle churchbcc.org/greenlake

Bethany North

Sundays: 9 & 10:45am Shorewood High School churchbcc.org/north

Bethany Northeast

Sundays: 9:30 &10:45am 3841 NE 123rd St churchbcc.org/northeast

Bethany West Seattle

Sundays: 9:30am 8600 9th Ave SW churchbcc.org/westseattle

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK	2546
Ballard	145
Eastside	65
Green Lake	1538
North	518
Northeast	280
West Seattle	_

UPCOMING EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES AT BETHANY GREEN LAKE

ADVENT: A SEASON FOR LISTENING

Friday, December 6, 9:30am–1:30pm, CLC churchbcc.org/north/events
Do you desire to hear the Holy Spirit but can't find the time or don't know how?
Join us for a facilitated silent retreat where we will pause and listen together for the still, small voice of God.

GOOD NEIGHBOR TEAM INFO SESSION

Sunday, Dec. 8, 12:30-2pm, Classroom A melissa.gossjentz@gmail.com
Come to learn more about how to get involved in helping resettle refugee or asylee families in our neighborhood.

SING & SERVE

Sunday, December 8, 5–7:45pm, CLC chrisl@churchbcc.org
Join us for family-friendly Christmas activities as we sing carols and learn more about the Giving Tree Project.
Dinner will be provided.

FEAR NOT: BETHANY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Saturday, Dec. 14, 5 and 7pm, Sanctuary Come celebrate our God who came to Earth bringing peace to our chaos. Bethany choirs and various worship musicians will share the music of Christmas.

LONGEST NIGHT SERVICE

Tuesday, December 17, 7pm, Sanctuary We recognize those, both in our midst, and around the world, who are in pain, suffering loss, and brokenhearted during this season. Open to all, this hour long service includes silent reflection, music, prayer, and candlelight.

WINTER ENGAGED CLASS

Sundays, Jan. 12–Mar. 22, 5:30pm, Class A bit.ly/winterengaged Engaged? Learn more about yourself and your partner in this eight-week course facilitated by Taylor Moss, MS, LMFTA and Brian Spencer, MS, LMFTA.

STEPHEN MINISTRY INFO DESSERT

Tuesday, January 14, 7pm, CLC donr@churchbcc.org
Looking for a way to serve with your gifts of listening and compassion? Learn how you might care for others at Bethany as a Stephen Minister.

WOMEN'S RETREAT: SAVE THE DATE!

May 1–3, 2020, Leavenworth, WA Retreat registration coming in February!

WE ARE HIRING!

churchbcc.org/careers

Embracing God Within Us John 1:1–14, Isa 52:7–10

Nathan Nelson, Associate Director of Mission and Outreach, nathann@churchbcc.org

The Advent of God's Son Jesus calls us to recognize the presence of God with us and invites us to burst with the joy of God within us.

- II. God With Humanity
 - III. God Within You

I. God In Creation