East Valley Church

Visitors
Thank you for joining us for this celebration of worship!
It is our hope that you find the service uplifting and that you will come again. Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service.

Our Mission Statement
“Helping each other follow Jesus Christ.”

Our Vision Statement
“To be people who delight in worshipping Jesus, seek to know him more and are being shaped by God to be a redemptive presence in our community through proclaiming the gospel, feeding the hungry and nurturing one another in love.”

Interim Pastor Phil Assink

Committees
Outreach/Vice President: Don Linder
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Approach to God

Ringing of the Bell

Call to Worship (Read Bold Together)

God promises to “...be our hiding place...to always protect us.”

**We come to worship God, and to give thanks for God’s great promises.**

God promises to “...guide you along the best pathway for your life...”

**We come to give our thanks and praise for all God’s blessed guidance.**

God promises to surround with unfailing love and songs of victory those who trust in God.

**We come to offer to God our thankful prayers and songs of joyful celebration—because we are forgiven, freed from our past mistakes; and can start again. Amen.**

*(From Psalm 32 - Adaptation of Timeless Psalms by Joan Stott)*

*Opening Hymn #89  “Our Great Savior”

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance: John 3:17, 8:11

Songs of Praise

(Prayer Requests Collected) (Kidz Church Release 4-12 Yrs.)

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**The Word of God**

Scripture: John 8:1-11 Tammy Gregory

Message: The Gospel of John Series, Pastor John Barry

“*The Woman Caught in Adultery: Jesus leads with Grace*”

**Response to God**

*Prayer for the Offering

*Congregational Prayer Dan Tucker

*Closing Hymn #505 “Love Lifted Me”

*Benediction

Song of Departure

Postlude

*Please Rise in Body or Spirit

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**Sunday, February 23, 2020 The Gospel of John Series**

Message by Pastor John Barry

“*Thomas: Belief Rooted in Doubt*”

Scripture: John 20:24-29

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**Sunday Announcements**

**Potato Feed: “Thank You!!”**

A big THANK YOU to all who helped make the Potato Feed such a great success this year. We had about 240 people attend and made $2,909.50 in raffle and potato feed donations!

**Third Wednesday Potluck 02/19/20 12:00 Noon**

Join us for our monthly potluck in the Fellowship Hall this Wednesday for wonderful food and great conversations...everyone is welcome!

**The Pantry: February Happenings**

**Tuesday 02/18**

If you volunteer with or are interested in The Pantry ministry, you are invited to a meeting with John Barry on Tuesday, February 18 at 10 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will be exploring ways to further help those in need around us.

**Wednesday 02/19**

NW Harvest Delivery, Neighbor Helping Neighbor deliveries, distribution set up.

**Thursday 02/20**

Pantry Distribution Day

**Biography of Sunday Speaker**

**Pastor John Barry**

John D. Barry is a pastor, nonprofit CEO, and Bible scholar. As a Minister of Word and Sacrament, John currently serves at Faith Reformed Church (Lynden, WA) and with church plants in Whatcom County. John also serves with Jesus' Economy, an innovative nonprofit creating jobs and churches in the developing world.

After a career in Christian publishing and Bible software, John and his wife, Kalene, sold their house and nearly everything they owned to dedicate their lives to spreading the gospel and empowering the impoverished. Both John and Kalene volunteer their time for Jesus' Economy. On JesusEconomy.org, people can shop fair trade from hundreds of artisans around the world, and give to the cause of their choice, such as church planting, empowering women, or providing clean water. 100% of giving goes directly where the donor designates, every time.

John is the general editor of the highly acclaimed *Faith life Study Bible* and *Lexham Bible Dictionary* and the former editor of *Bible Study Magazine*. His most recent book is *Jesus' Economy: A Biblical View of Poverty, the Currency of Love, and a Pattern for Lasting Change*.

Learn more at JesusEconomy.org.