

# Events & Happenings

## MEMBERS' MEETING

Today, May 19, 1:00-3:00 PM  
Reservoir Chapel

If this is your church, come to our member meeting today. Eat, pray, and join in the conversation about our community life. This time: a preview of a 5-year church vision conversation that will continue in community groups.

## HELP RESERVOIR THRIVE BEHIND THE SCENES

Sunday, May 19, 11:00 AM

If you love Reservoir and care about details, please join us on the logistics team. We count money, sort welcome cards, put away the communion, take out trash and generally keep things running during and after 2nd service.

## DOME GALLERY AWARD PRESENTATION

Thursday, May 23, 5:00 PM  
Reservoir Church Dome Gallery

Newton Watercolor Society 5th Annual Show  
Juried and Judged by Iain Stewart. Reach out to [jbeltsmith@gmail.com](mailto:jbeltsmith@gmail.com) for any information.

## NO CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS ON MAY 26

Sunday, May 26, 9:30 AM  
Kids & Youth Spaces

Kids Programming for babies through youth takes a break over the Memorial Day long weekend. There will be no childcare, Kids Church or Youth group next Sunday, May 26. We hope our children and youth will join us for worship in the sanctuary.

## WORSHIP AND PRAYER NIGHT

Sunday, May 26, 5:00 PM  
Reservoir Church Dome

Spend an hour in worship led by Director of Worship & Arts, Matt Henderson. The prayer focus this month is "Intention". We'll hear briefly about the life of Brother Lawrence from Michaiah Healy and participate in an intentional spiritual exercise.

## INTERFAITH IFTAR DINNER

Saturday, May 25, 6:30 PM  
362 Rindge Ave Community Room

We're excited to host our 12th Iftar dinner for our Muslim neighbors, celebrating with them as they break the Ramadan fast at the end of the day. We need people to set up, bring desserts, and host the dinner. Contact: [michaiah@reservoirchurch.org](mailto:michaiah@reservoirchurch.org)

## VOLUNTEER FOR SOCCER NIGHTS

Monday, June 24, 5:30 PM  
Russell Field, North Cambridge

Volunteer for Soccer Nights, a free evening soccer camp. Reservoir hosts for the North Cambridge community. No soccer experience necessary. Sign up: [tinyurl.com/sn19nc](http://tinyurl.com/sn19nc)

## MEND: RESERVOIR'S CHURCH-WIDE RETREAT

September 13 & 14

Sturbridge Host Hotel & Conference Center

Registration is open for Reservoir's fifth annual retreat, featuring guest speaker Laura Everett. Come to experience lots of opportunities to rest, renew, and mend your broken places. Many people point to our annual retreat as one of the highlights of their year. Sign up for yourself or contribute to a scholarship for someone else here: [2019ReservoirRetreat.eventbrite.com](http://2019ReservoirRetreat.eventbrite.com). Pay what you can options available.

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## get connected

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**Discovering the love of God, the joy of living,  
and the gift of community.**

## Today's Worship Service

MAY 19, 2019  
9:30 & 11:30 AM



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# Order of Service

## Opening Worship

Song: *I Will Arise & Go To Jesus*

## Welcome & Announcements

## Sermon

Steve Watson, "The World-Saving Power of Inner Work"

Scripture:

Amos 2:6-8 (CEB)

<sup>6</sup> The Lord proclaims:  
For three crimes of Israel,  
and for four, I won't hold back the punishment,  
because they have sold the innocent for silver,  
and those in need for a pair of sandals.

<sup>7</sup> They crush the head of the poor into the dust of the earth,  
and push the afflicted out of the way.  
Father and son have intercourse with the same  
young woman,  
degrading my holy name.

<sup>8</sup> They stretch out beside every altar  
on garments taken in loan;  
in the house of their god they drink  
wine bought with fines they imposed.

Matthew 5:21-26 (CEB)

<sup>21</sup> "You have heard that it was said to those who lived long ago, Don't commit murder, and all who commit murder will be in danger of judgment. <sup>22</sup> But I say to you that everyone who is angry with their brother or sister will be in danger of judgment. If they say to their brother or sister, 'You idiot,' they will be in danger of being condemned by the governing council. And if they say, 'You fool,' they will be in danger of fiery hell. <sup>23</sup> Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, <sup>24</sup> leave your gift at the altar and go. First

make things right with your brother or sister and then come back and offer your gift. <sup>25</sup> Be sure to make friends quickly with your opponents while you are with them on the way to court. Otherwise, they will haul you before the judge, the judge will turn you over to the officer of the court, and you will be thrown into prison. <sup>26</sup> I say to you in all seriousness that you won't get out of there until you've paid the very last penny.

Try this:

1) *An Invitation to Whole Life Flourishing:*  
Fuel up in the morning with love, and look for who and what in your community and work is in your power to heal, build up, and make right.

2) *Spiritual Practice of the Week:*  
Get to know your default reactivity. If you don't have an inner work practice, ask someone you respect what theirs is.

## Musical Worship, Prayer, & Arts

Song: *Everything*

Song: *Reckless Love*

## Communion

Song: *Come Thou Fount*

All are welcome to receive Communion.

Gluten free and juice options are available in the back left of the room.

## Final Song

Song: *Living In The Overflow*

An offering basket will be passed during this time. If you're new, please don't give!

# Welcome

We're so glad to have you with us! We hope and fully expect that you'll encounter God this morning and even meet a few warm-hearted people as well.

You can expect the service to last around an hour and a half.

If you have questions, we invite you to ask someone with a nametag. If you'd like more information about Reservoir, visit our website at [reservoirchurch.org](http://reservoirchurch.org).

## Reservoir Kids

We're excited about your kids! We have designed special programming and services just for them that happen at the same time as the 9:30 AM service. Kids are also always welcome in the main services.

For more info, contact:  
[kim@reservoirchurch.org](mailto:kim@reservoirchurch.org)

**1<sup>st</sup>- 5<sup>th</sup> graders:** Join us downstairs in the multipurpose room in the church basement (accessible from the chapel/bagel room).

**All other kids (0-18):** Join us across the parking lot in the Ministry Center.



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