

Make One
SPRING/SUMMER
2019

Kittery Point
Campus

BETHANYCHURCH

We are All Called to Make Disciples

Then the eleven **Disciples** went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. When they saw him, they worshipped Him; but some doubted. Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and **Make Disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

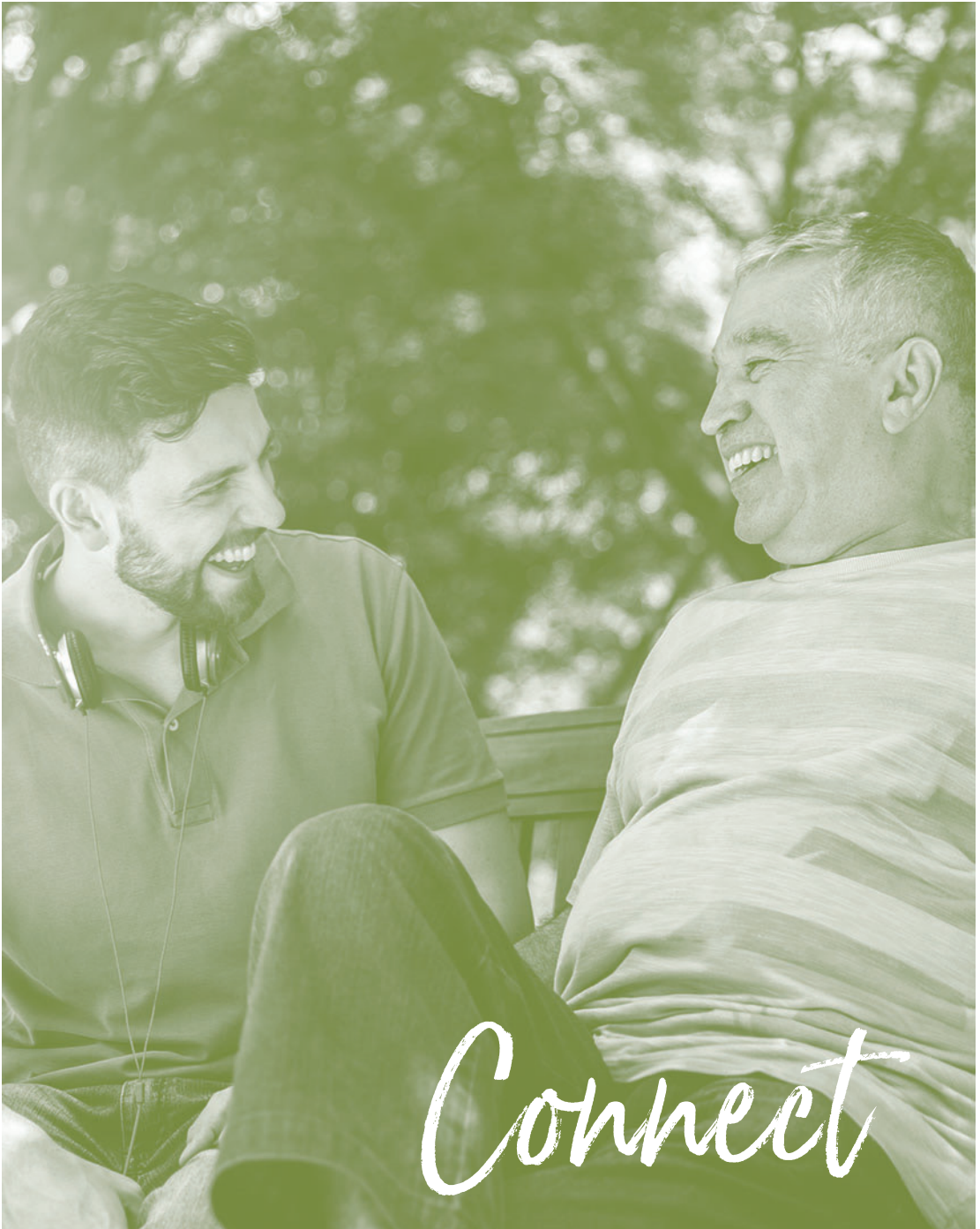
Matthew 28:16-22

How We Make Disciples

Connect with your neighbors

Serve your neighbors

Share your faith with your neighbors



Connect

Connect with Neighbors

BRING A FRIEND WITH YOU

Questions such as, “Hey, what are you doing Sunday morning, want to come along to church with me?” or “There is a Cruise Night coming up at my church, want to come along?” are all it takes to extend an invitation to church. If they say no, do not become discouraged, as it may take multiple invites before they come. Continue to be their friend and wait for other opportunities to arise. When the timing is right, ask them again. Invites will be available for Easter, Cruise Night, and our new Saturday service to help you to invite even easier.

INVITE A FRIEND TO WHERE IS GOD IN ALL THE PAIN?

In our hurting and broken world it can be easy to ask, “God, where are You in all of this?” During this one-evening program, Pastor Tim will offer some insights on this thorny issue, followed by a Question & Answer Session. We will be joined by Will Tant and Louis Phillips of Ravi Zacharias International. Engage with us as we consider the Christian response to one of the hardest questions we all have to face.

Wednesdays | March 20 | 6:30pm–8:00pm

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

INVITE A FRIEND TO DOES GOD REALLY CHANGE PEOPLE?

At this one-night event, we will consider what the Scripture teaches on this topic and see real-life evidence proving that God can, and has transformed people’s lives. Our very own Casey Mancuso, Bethany Church Worship Arts Coordinator, will courageously and transparently share her story of addiction and pain. Come hear how God seriously transformed her life.

Wednesday | April 24 | 6:30pm–8:00pm

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

Connect with Neighbors

INVITE A FRIEND TO CULTURAL HOT TOPICS

Spend 5 Wednesday evenings delving into some of the hottest and more decisive issues in our culture today. Topics such as abortion and human sexuality are just a couple examples. We will discuss the topics, considering each from a Christian perspective, and how to lovingly engage with others on these issues.

Wednesday | May 1–May 29 | 6:30pm–8:00pm

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

CRUISE NIGHT

Enjoy great music and a Pig Roast! View classic, vintage, new, antique, really cool and really hot cars, trucks and motorcycles. Bring your ride to show or just cruise on foot. Invitations will be available to share as the date draws near.

Monday | June 3 | 4:00pm–7:00pm | Greenland Campus

Contact: Tom Haslam | tomhaslam@bethanychurch.com

TEACHER APPRECIATION OUTREACH

The month of March brings us an opportunity to come alongside teachers in our community. If you'd like to get involved by making light snacks to help tide the teachers over during an upcoming busy stretch with testing, plan to hop onboard the team!

Shapleigh Middle School | Kittery Point

Contact: Deb Herrington | debjeremiah29@gmail.com

KITTERY BLOCK PARTY

Every year Kittery hosts a fun neighborhood block party. We will have our own Bethany booth at the celebration and there will be lots of opportunities for our congregation to join in and connect with the community. Keep an eye out for the details about how you can join the fun!

Downtown Kittery | June 15



Serve

Serve at Bethany

Look for what you enjoy doing, find your place and make an impact. Join a serving team today!

I ENJOY SINGING AND PLAYING INSTRUMENTS

Worship Team

Help lead people into a worshipful experience on Sunday mornings by sharing your gift of music.

Contact: Casey Mancuso | cmancuso@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY COOKING & BAKING

Compassion Meals

Share your love of cooking by making a meal for those going through a difficult time. A compassion meal can be a blessing for a family struggling through a loss or illness. Join the team and you will be notified when the need arises.

Contact: Leanne Knight | 603.570.9029 | lknight@bethanychurch.com

Seacoast Family Promise

Seacoast Family Promise is a non-profit organization that services temporarily homeless families. Bethany Church provides evening meals and lodging at our Missions House on our Greenland Campus for these families as they work to get back to independent living. Find out about the opportunities to cook a meal and visit with these families during our upcoming weeks: February 3–17 or March 31–April 14.

Contact: Joan Schaeffer | 603.498.9979 | jmsfiesta1@aol.com

Cafe' on Sunday Mornings

Join our Cafe' team on Sunday mornings as we prepare the food and coffee for the congregation.

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

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Cafe' on Wednesday Nights

Join the team preparing food for our Wednesday evening meal or help clean-up afterwards. Free Dinners provided to team members.

Contact: Leanne Knight | 603.570.9029 | lknight@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY CRAFTS

From the Heart

The launch of our Christmas Season at Bethany happens with From the Heart, our largest annual outreach event on December 10 & 11 at our Greenland campus. Believe it or not, we've been thinking about Christmas 2019 since January. Come July we'll need to start forming teams and creating décor elements for the Bethany Campus Christmas Season, and for the event. Watch the bulletin and the weekly email for the date and time of our first meeting being planned for July. If you can't wait until then, reach out now!

Contact: Rosanne Palombi | rpalombi@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Facilities Team

Our Facilities Team takes care of the general maintenance of the building. There is regular upkeep and new projects that arise.

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY WORKING WITH TECHNOLOGY

Tech Arts

Would you like to learn to run a sound board, produce video programming or operate a camera? Or learn to produce live webstream, weekly TV and radio programming? Join our Tech Team and we will train you.

Contact: Casey Mancuso | cmancuso@bethanychurch.com

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Kids' Ministry Tech Arts

Technology is important for Kids' Ministry check-in and in the classrooms. Keeping everything running smoothly is an important role on Sundays. We are looking for IT support on Sunday mornings before the 9am service.

Contact: Amanda Parkhurst | aparkhurst@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY MAKING PEOPLE FEEL WELCOMED

First Impressions

Do you love to make people feel right at home? Help us create an environment that makes people feel welcome, cared for, and connected. There are openings on our Guest Central Team, Usher Team, Greeters Team, and Parking Team.

Contact: Adelle Gabrielson | agabrielson@bethanychurch.com

Check-In

Join a team and use the touch screen computers to check in the kids and guests on Sunday mornings.

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

Guest Calls

Every week we welcome guests to Bethany. Would you like to be part of a team who reaches out to personally answer questions and invite them back?

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

Office Reception Desk

We are looking for friendly people to welcome people and answer phones at our reception area in the church office at our Greenland Campus.

Contact: Julie Huwe | 603.570.9023 | jhuwe@bethanychurch.com

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I ENJOY ADMINISTRATIVE TASKS

Office Support

If you enjoy data entry, filing, printing, among other tasks there is a place for you in the church office.

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

Kids' Ministry

If you like organizing and inventorying, then Kids' Ministry has a fit for you.

Contact: Amanda Parkhurst | 603.570.9350 | aparkhurst@bethanychurch.com

Communion Prep Team

This team sets up bread and juice for Communion which is served once-a-month. Team members serve a few times a year.

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY SUPPORTING KIDS

Serve in the Nursery

Give young parents time to grow...we're looking for caring adults and teens to share love with our babies during the 9:00am or the 11:00am service.

Contact: Amanda Parkhurst | aparkhurst@bethanychurch.com

KIDS' MINISTRY

Early Elementary Teacher needed at 9:00am service two Sundays a month. Our Kindergarteners through second graders are looking for a loving adult to encourage them as they grow in their faith.

Contact: Amanda Parkhurst | aparkhurst@bethanychurch.com

MOPS MINISTRY

Wednesdays | Twice-a-Month | 9:00am-11:00am

Join our Kids' Serving Team to share God's love with young children, while their moms enjoy learning and connecting with other moms.

Contact: Tonia Pelletier | toniapelletier524@gmail.com

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Preschool Helpers

Sunday Mornings | 11:00am

Enjoy discovering the excitement of the Bible through the eyes of a preschooler. Join the team and support the kids and teacher.

Contact: Amanda Parkhurst | aparkhurst@bethanychurch.com

I ENJOY HELPING PEOPLE

Security Team

Help congregants feel safe by joining our Security Team. Our Team patrols the building during services and events, helping when needed.

Contact: Lisa Trial | ltrial@bethanychurch.com

Medical Team

Are you a doctor, a nurse, an EMT, or other trained medical professional? We would love to add you to the team, which helps in a medical emergency at church.

Contact: Leanne Knight | lknight@bethanychurch.com

SATURDAY SERVICE SERVING TEAMS

Sundays don't work for everyone so we are adding a Saturday service to allow more people to invest in their spiritual growth. Adding a service means adding all the serving teams. If you are interested in being part of this service, please join in the information meetings. You will have an opportunity to find the right serving team for you: First Impressions, Worship, Tech Arts, and Kids' Ministry.

Information Meetings | Sundays | March 31 | April 14 | May 5 | 10:30am

Service Starting | June 15 | 5:00pm-6:30pm

Contact: info@bethanychurch.com

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Care Ministries Team

Are you a great listener? Do friends come to you for support? Then being part of our Care Ministry Team might be a good fit for you. Find out how you can support others.

Contact: Debbie Groder | dgroder@bethanychurch.com

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT Everyone Has Influence

We hope you are planning on attending the Summit. Whether you are able to attend or not, you might be able to help us make this event a success. There are opportunities for set-up, break-down, snack prep, registration check-in, greeting and ushering.

Greenland Campus

Wednesday–Friday | August 7–9 | Miscellaneous Timeslots

Contact: Martha Kiper | mkiper@bethanychurch.com

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NEW ENGLAND FAITH & JUSTICE SUMMIT

Human Trafficking

Learn about the work being done by anti-trafficking organizations in New England. Explore how your faith and heart for justice can help bring an end to this social evil. Be inspired and equipped by national and local leaders.

Saturday | April 6 | 9:00am–4:00pm | Greenland Campus

\$35 per person | \$15 per person for groups of 8 or more

To view speaker line-up and to register visit faithandjusticesummit.org

SHORT-TERM MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITIES

Juarez, Mexico

Our Bethany Church Missions Team is planning a trip to Juarez, Mexico. This trip will focus on repairs to community centers and providing medical assistance. You're invited to prayerfully consider making a global impact. The trip is one week in duration and we'll be serving *Amigos en Cristo*. All skill levels are welcome to inquire. For more information on the organization visit aecministries.org

June 8–15 | Destination Juarez, Mexico

Contact: Bob Whittet | bwhittet@bethanychurch.com

Student Missions Trip | West Virginia | Kittery Point Campus

Do you want to use your summer to make an impact? We're taking our senior high students, Grades 9 – 12, to Rosedale, West Virginia! We will be partnering with Black Rock Church meeting needs of flood victims. Our trip will be helping out with anything from building playsets, to landscaping, to repairing houses.

June 21 – June 30 | Registration Fee \$500*

Contact: Paul Huebner | phuebner@bethanychurch.com

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Student Missions Trip | Fundraising & Prayer | Kittery Point Campus

Our students will be partnering with Black Rock Church and heading to Rosedale, West Virginia to serve those in need. Please pray for the team and the impact they'll make on those they meet...and the impact that will be made on the students themselves, as they serve. You can also consider supporting the team financially by contributing to our Student Scholarship Fund.

June 21 – June 30 | Destination West Virginia

Contact: Paul Huebner | phuebner@bethanychurch.com

Student Trip to Costa Rica | Fundraising & Prayer | Greenland & Raymond Campuses

A group of our students will be traveling to Costa Rica this summer where they will serve with *6:8 Ministries* working with children who are victims of poverty, drug abuse and prostitution. They'll help serve meals and play with kids who come to one of the feeding centers, and help construction, maintenance and farming projects at the Living Waters Children's Ranch. Additionally, they will assist at a local community center's after school care program. Short-term mission experiences have a long-term impact in the lives of the team members that serve as well as the local people they meet and work alongside. Over the coming months, there will be a variety of fundraising events to help defray expenses. Please watch for those opportunities in upcoming bulletins and keep our students in prayer as they prepare for the trip.

June 24–July 1 | Destinations Alejuelita & Horquetas, Costa Rica

Contact: Sam Larrabee | slarrabee@bethanychurch.com

ChildVoice | Uganda

We are planning a Bethany Church 2-week mission trip to ChildVoice's Lukome Center in Spring 2020. ChildVoice has been providing spiritual and therapeutic counseling, education and vocational training for teen girls and their children in war-torn regions of Africa since 2006. This trip will be led by Pastor Jon and the exact dates will be determined when flights become available. The approximate cost of the trip is currently

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\$3,200 per person. Please prayerfully consider participating. An informational meeting will be held this spring.

Late April-Early May 2020 | Destination Uganda

Contact: Pastor Jon LaMontagne | jlamontagne@bethanychurch.com

Additional Upcoming Short Term Missions Opportunities

Cotoca, Bolivia | Summer 2019

Juarez, Mexico | Fall 2019 | September 14-21

San Jose, Costa Rica | Fall 2019

If you would be interested in going on one of these trips or if you would like to help the teams that are going by sponsoring someone else and would like more information, please contact Bob Whittet.

Contact: Bob Whittet | bwhittet@bethanychurch.com

COMPASSION INTERNATIONAL | Sponsor a Child

For the past several years members of our Bethany family have sponsored children of Compassion International, a child advocacy ministry that helps release young ones from spiritual, economic, social and physical poverty. We dedicate two Sundays each year to "introducing you to" so many children whose lives would be significantly impacted should they be sponsored.

Sundays | April 28 & May 5 | Before & After Church Services

Contact: Sandy Stowe | sandy.goldie.19@gmail.com

FRESH AIR CHILDREN

Make this a summer to remember for a child age 7-12. *The Fresh Air Fund*, an independent, non-profit agency, has provided free summer experiences to more than 1.8 million New York City children from low-income communities since 1877. Is there room for one more on that picnic blanket? As part of the *Friendly Towns Program*, hosting a child for a summer experience is as simple as packing an extra PB&J. Welcoming a child to your home for a week or two isn't about planning lots of activities. it's about

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grass-stained knees and sandy feet. It's about opening your heart, sharing your home, and changing a life. Hosts are needed in the Rockingham and Strafford County areas. You select the age and gender of the child you invite, and choose one of several one-week trips in July & August. FAF covers all costs for transportation and insurance. Celebrate summer differently this year. Take a Fresh Air child along for the ride. For more about FAF visit freshair.org.

Contact: Tracey Westlake | 508.665.8400 | twestlake@comcast.net

SEACOAST FAMILY PROMISE

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Contact: Joan Schaeffer | 603.498.9979 | jmsfiesta1@aol.com

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Every two seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood. It is essential for surgeries, cancer treatments, chronic illnesses, and traumatic injuries. A single car accident victim can require as many as 100 pints of blood. Whether a patient receives whole blood, red cells, platelets or plasma, this lifesaving care starts with one person making a generous donation.

Thursday | May 30 | 12:00pm–5:00pm | Greenland Campus

Register at: www.redcross.org after April 1

CASA | Advocate for a Foster Child

Nobody longs for a safe and loving home more than a child in foster care. As a court appointed special advocate (CASA), you will be empowered by the court to help make this dream a reality. Volunteers get to know the child by talking with everyone in that

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child's life: parents and relatives, foster parents, teachers, medical professionals, attorneys, social workers and others. They use the information they gather to help judges and others understand what the child needs and to help the child find a safe, permanent home.

Contact: Suzanne Lenz | slenz@casanh.org

BETHANY CHRISTIAN SERVICES | Adoption and Foster Care

Bethany Christian Services is a global nonprofit organization that brings families together and keeps families together. Strengthening families for the well-being of children is top priority. Services include adoption, foster care, and pregnancy counseling. This work equips families to be the answer for children in need—as Christ intended.

Contact: Cindy Thomas | cthomas@bethany.org

2ND ANNUAL CHILDVOICE GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER

The Oaks Golf Links | 100 Hide-Away Place | Route 108 | Somersworth, NH

Come enjoy one of New Hampshire's most award-winning, scenic public courses. There will be prizes to win, raffles to enter and delicious food. Join us and support a great cause—ChildVoice's life-changing programs for war-affected adolescent girls in Uganda, Nigeria and South Sudan. This promises to be a fun day for both duffers and low handicappers! Registration forms will be available at the Information Center. You can also register or provide sponsorship online at childvoice.org/golf. This tournament fills up fast so register now!

Friday | June 28 | Registration Deadline June 17

7:00am Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:30am Best Ball Shotgun Start

Contact: Ken Hoffman | kenhoffman6@comcast.net

\$125 fee per golfer. Includes breakfast, use of driving range and putting facility, scramble format tournament, delicious buffet lunch, prizes for the longest drive and closest to pin, raffles & swag bag.

Share Your Faith

OPERATION BLESSING

Operation Blessing fights poverty by embracing people and families in crisis with compassion, offering hope and healing for changed lives by providing food, clothing and household necessities to those in our local community. Sign up on Operation Blessing's website for a volunteer position.

Contact: www.operationblessingnh.org/volunteer

OPERATION BLESSING | 11TH ANNUAL "ONE DAY TO SERVE"

Join Operation Blessing at this fun one-day event! Teams of business men and women, church groups, youth groups and families eager to help those in need will transform 11 Seacoast neighborhoods in one day. How? By picking up trash, raking, spreading mulch or loam and painting. It's local...within minutes from where you live. It's easy...just email or call to sign up. T-shirt and food provided!

Saturday | April 27 | 8:30am-1:30pm | Rain or Shine

Sign Up | seacoastadoptablock@yahoo.com

Contact: Tammy Joslyn | 603.988.2671 | outreach@theobnh.or

T-shirt sizes needed by April 5

Sandwich selection needed by April 19 | Salami, Turkey or Veggie



Share

Share Your Faith

RESOURCE CENTER TOOLS | VISIT THE HUB

[The Story](#)

[Essential Truths](#)

[Know Why You Believe](#) by Paul Little

ONLINE TOOLS

ESSENTIAL TRUTHS, DISCIPLINES & ENGAGEMENTS

Discover the essentials of your faith so you can share them with others. Go to bethanychurch.com and click on the Be One Essentials button.

SHAPE Survey

Take the SHAPE Survey to find out more about the gifting God gave you and how you can use them to make a difference. Search SHAPE Survey on bethanychurch.com.

Answering the Tough Questions Class

Learn how to answer those faith questions your friends ask. Find this class by searching for "answering the tough questions Bethany Church" on YouTube.

5 Keys to Sharing My Faith Class

Learn effective ways to share your faith. Find this class by searching "5 keys to sharing your faith Bethany Church" on YouTube.

