



*"I have come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly." - John 10:10*

March 2016

## Save The Date!

### **Family Bible Study**

**When: 6:30pm - 8:30pm**

- June 30th
- July 28th
- August 25th

**Where:**

Fairview Community Center  
300 Harrison St.  
Fairview, OR 97024

**Details:**

We are excited about the upcoming summer Bible and book study. Adults will be going through the book *Held: Learning to Live in God's Grip: A Bible Study for Special-Needs Parents*. There will be a separate kids study during this time.

Register before may 1st and get a free copy of the book!

### **Women's Bible Study**

**When: 10:00am - 11:30am**

- June 11th
- July 9th
- August 13th

To register and receive more information email us at:  
[thriveministries.co@gmail.com](mailto:thriveministries.co@gmail.com)  
or visit [ThriveMinistriesDS.com](http://ThriveMinistriesDS.com)

## Preparation

It's been a season of preparation as we have finished our promotion video, we are about to send our ministry information packets, and we have finished up our plans for the woodworking and gardening classes (see below). We are still working hard at raising support and awareness for this ministry and the Lord is providing every step of the way!



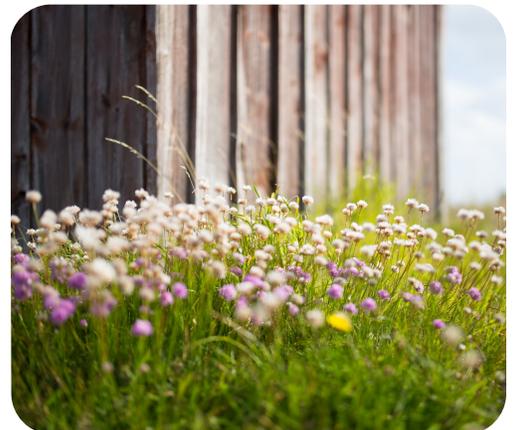
## Spring Break and Summer Kid's Program!

Are you looking for a FUN and FREE way to keep your kids busy during spring break? On March 23rd we will be offering a special spring break class where students will work on a fun and simple project! This class will be split up into two groups:

- Special Needs Class: 10:00am - 12:00pm
- Foster/Adoptive Class: 1:30pm - 3:00pm

And on March 25th from 10:00am - 12:00pm we will have a seed planting party for kids ages 6-14 in our very own Thrive Garden!

Will will also offer summer sessions in July - August featuring woodworking and gardening classes for foster, adoptive and special needs kids. Register by emailing us at [thriveministries.co@gmail.com](mailto:thriveministries.co@gmail.com) or on our website at [ThriveMinistriesDS.com](http://ThriveMinistriesDS.com)



## Summer Classes

### When: June - August

Starting in June, we will be putting on woodworking and gardening classes for foster/adopted and special needs children. Classes will be split up into teams:

- Team Bolt - Ages 6-9
- Team Chisel - Ages 10-14
- Team Axel - Special needs ages 6-14

## Bolts & Chisels Schedule

**Bolts meet 10am - 12pm**  
**Chisels meet 1pm - 3pm**

### Session 1

- June 21st
- June 23rd
- June 28th
- June 30th

### Session 2

- July 19th
- July 21st
- July 26th
- July 28th

### Session 3

- August 2nd
- August 4th - Open House!  
Come see all of the kids' projects

## Axels Schedule

All times 10am - 12pm

### Session 1

- June 25th

### Session 2

- July 2nd
- July 30th

### Session 3

- August 4th - Open House!  
Come see all of the kids' projects.

# Prayer Requests

- Please be lifting up our little Friend Ethan and his family. Ethan has just gone through brain surgery to remove a tumor that was found recently. His whole family is new and dear to our hearts. Please keep them in your prayers for a complete recovery!
- Prayer for the children who are coming into care right now, please pray for the Caseworkers and certifiers who are working so diligently to find homes for everyone.
- Prayer for the Foster Closet at Gresham Branch! We are really happy to be helping with this HUGE project. Our team has a lot of ideas and hopes so be praying that things come together smoothly.
- Prayer for the Willard Family who are adopting internationally once again. Please pray for their funding to come in and that every detail would come together in the Lord's timing.
- Prayer for the adoption process for 3 precious kids who need permanency and the foster family who is seeking to adopt them - patience and endurance for the roller coaster ride!
- Continued prayer for Thrive to grow, for the summer programs to go well, and for each and every child who is able to participate to be completely blessed!

*“As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, rooted and built up in Him and established in the faith, as you have been taught, abounding in it with thanksgiving.”*

Colossians 2:6-7

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