



# Tigard Covenant Church



Worship ~ Love ~ Community

11321 SW Naeve St. Tigard, OR 97224

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## WORDS OF LIFE FROM PASTOR DAVID



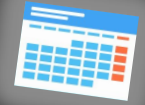
### Repay Evil with Good

Life is not always a bowl of cherries. Sometimes we have good days and sometimes we have bad ones. No matter what we face, God has promised to take us through our struggles and pains. It comes naturally for most of us, when someone treats us in a bad way, to fight back and want to get revenge. Jesus told us to love our enemies and even turn the other cheek when someone strikes us. We are told to repay evil with good. As we go through times of suffering and bad treatment, God is setting us up for the opportunity to actually bless the person that is persecuting us. This can only happen with the power of the Holy Spirit working in our lives. When we ask the Holy Spirit to fill us, we are reminded of the example of Jesus Christ on the cross, where he forgave the people that were crucifying him. We can endure our tough times of suffering by following the example of our Lord. Do good to others even when they do you wrong.

Much love coming to you always from my heart to yours,

*Pastor David*

## WEEKLY EVENTS



**MONDAY:** Food bank prep

**TUESDAY:** Foodbank from 12 - 2:00 pm  
ZOOM Bible Study at 7:00 pm

<https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/84191862255>

**SUNDAY:** Live stream service at 10:00 am  
Facebook or YouTube



Give your tithes & offerings online through our website or through the PushPay app on your Apple or Android device! You can also send your checks to the church office at 11321 SW Naeve St., Tigard, OR 97224.

## LADIES 4th Cup of Coffee SATURDAY MAY 30 on ZOOM

Please join us Sat., May 30, from 10:30 AM — 11:30 AM to dive into the Word. This will be a Zoom gathering and use this link to join the meeting:

<https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/84686874711>



Sharon Felix will be leading the teaching this time. Have your coffee or tea ready to go!

\* Bible study leader - LaTasha Beal

## Pacific Fruit Company received a LARGE grant to distribute boxes of food



These boxes contain produce and dairy products from farmers and dairy farmers. **Mon. through Thur. 2 - 5 pm and Fridays 1 - 4 pm in front of St. Anthony Community Center (9905 SW McKenzie St. Tigard, OR 97223 503-639-4179)** volunteers will be handing out these food boxes. Families and individuals can come once per week to pick up a box. The contents of the boxes will vary from week to week. No questions are asked besides your name. If you are doing fine and you have neighbors who are not, share the information with them. If your neighbor doesn't drive, you can pick a box up for them.

## TESTIMONY TIME

By Connie Clark

What a season this has been; COVID!! On one hand I tried to view the restrictions as opportunity to rest but instead I found no place for it with too much really hard stuff entangling me! I so easily move into the "control seat"; to assess and fix the problem! Simple, - - right? Well, no! Not intending to trap myself in the short comings of my own efforts and the resulting stress and discord that comes with it. But somewhere in the middle of all the noise and upset, God kept urging me to read Romans again. As I read and prayed the Word, sleep, rest, and hope returned. Praise God! Romans 8:28 *And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.* <sup>31</sup> .....*If God is for us, who can be against us?* <sup>35</sup> *Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword?* <sup>38</sup> *For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers,* <sup>39</sup> *neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.*