

Monthly Calendar

The Men's Breakfast: The first Saturday of the month, 8 am at the Lakeview church of Christ. The cost is \$4.00 with the proceeds supporting Delano Bay Christian Camp. No Men's Breakfast during the summer months. Contact person: Gene McCaul.

Ladies Night Out: Usually, the second Monday of the month, 6:00 pm at an area restaurant. Contact person: Carolyn McCaul.

Teen Devotionals: The Teen Devotional will start back up in the fall. There will be planned activities during the summer for the teen to participate in. Contact person: John Dacca.

The Monday Night Bible Study: Monday nights, 6:30 pm, at the home of Keith and Lindsey Petty. They are currently studying on the Holy Spirit. Contact person: Keith Petty.

The Senior Saints Bible Study: Tuesdays, 10:30 am in the downstairs SIBI classroom. This Bible study is taking a break during the summer months. Contact person: Ken Wilson.

Friday Night Singing: Every other Friday night 7:00 pm at various members homes. We are going through the songbook starting at the beginning and singing each song. The singing group will take a break during the summer months. Contact person: Gene McCaul.

Speakers and Sermons

July 13 **AM Sermon: Roman Halamicek - "What Do You See?" John 3:1-21**

PM Sermon: John Dacca - "Who Is It?" Revelation 3:20

To Request Recordings: soundbooth@puyallupcofc.org

Class Topics

 **Sunday Morning** Adults: Auditorium - "The Life of Christ"

Adults: SIBI classroom - "Personal Evangelism"

Wednesday Evening Adults: Auditorium - "Looking into Luke for Christ-like Examples"

ATTENDANCE 07/06: 126 CONTRIBUTION 07/06: \$3,181.00
AVG. CONTRIBUTION JUNE: \$2,818.80

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Worship Assignments

MORNING SERVICE

Announcements/Prayer
Song Leader
Head of Lord's Table
Assist
Assist
Assist
Assist
Scripture Reading
Sermon
Closing Prayer
Greeter/Usher

EVENING SERVICE

Announcements
Song Leader
Sermon
Table
Closing Prayer
WEDNESDAY - July 16
Elder for July
Deacon for July
Ladies' Committee for July

JULY 13

B. Sallee
D. Reitan
G. McCaul
G. Linton
C. Johnson
B. Stump
J. Towell
C. Ebenstiner
R. Halamicek
J. Santiesteban
D. Collins

J. Johnson
G. McCaul
J. Dacca
M. Brown
M. Brown
C. Bartlett
G. McCaul
H. Kile

L.A. Henton and J. Harmon

JULY 20

C. Bartlett
B. Sallee
B. Stump
M. Farley
M. Brown
J. Santiesteban
B. Reiff
J. Towell
R. Henton
J. Monts
J. Johnson

G. McCaul
M. Brown
J. Johnson
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WELCOME VISITORS!

Sunday Bible Study: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

Doing Good and Stewardship are on the Same Side

Christians must glorify Christ by living, thinking and walking a certain way (Romans 12:1-2; Ephesians 3:20-4:1). Jesus came to serve (Matthew 20:28) as he "went about doing good" (Acts 10:38, NKJV).

Yet, so often, we think doing good deeds is optional. Someone else will do it. There are too many scammers. No one is grateful. They're just lazy. Let the government take care of them.

It's largely true that the truly needy aren't the ones seeking assistance. Yet, whatever our reasons or rationalizations, we can't eliminate it from God's word by closing our eyes and hearts (Psalm 119:89). The world is filled with needy people.

God commands us to be good stewards of the blessings of God (Matthew 25:14-30). However, the call to stewardship is a guide to benevolence, not an enemy. While we must be wise and discerning, God calls us to have an open heart, not a closed fist.

As Christians, we must do God's will by helping others (Colossians 3:23; 1 Corinthians 10:24). In fact we will lose our souls if we don't (Matthew 25:31-46).

"And let us not grow weary in doing good" (Galatians 6:9).

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As we live for Christ, we must “be a pattern for good works” (Titus 2:7). When we “withhold good from those to whom it is due,” we have disobeyed God (Proverbs 3:27).

“Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith” (Galatians 6:10).

What does “all” mean? Does it mean those who look, act and think like us? Does it mean those who survive our checklists or interrogations?

God gave us wisdom and discernment to make proper decisions and we must use them in situations like this. But do we have stricter rules than God?

The command to do good is a separate issue from how it will be taken by the recipient. The giver and the receiver are both responsible before God (Ezekiel 18:19-23).

We must do good to all as we give priority to members of the Lord’s Church. It’s not an either or, but both. Stinginess and stewardship are two different concepts. Let’s find the truly needy and do God’s will.

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Family News



Monthly Fellowship Meal: There will be a fellowship meal today after morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay and enjoy the good food and fellowship. We will be honoring Mike and Mary Sant as this will be their last Sunday with us before moving to Texas.



Baptisms: Angels are rejoicing! Austin Kile was baptized Wednesday evening out at DBCC. Also, Gayle Kronewitter’s grand daughter, Bella Edmonston was baptized last week. It is so wonderful to see our young ones grow up and become faithful Christian men and women. Praise God!



Directory Change: Please make the following change to your church directory: Fred Reiff’s new phone is 253-861-7198.



Ladies’ Night Out : Ladies’ Night Out will be Monday, July 14th, 6:00 pm at Red Robin on South Hill near the South Hill Mall. All ladies are invited to join us for some sister fellowship.

Family News (cont’d)



Lesson Series: The Graham Street church of Christ in Seattle will be presenting a series of lessons on “The Power of Contentment” July 10th - 13th. Please check the flyer on the bulletin board for more information.



Change-A-Life: Remember the Change Can Campaign for Mountain States Children’s Home. The goal is to have at least \$40 in each can! If you prefer to write a check for your donation, just drop it in your change can. Folding money is also encouraged! You can find a change can on the shelf by the foyer bulletin board. All cans need to be returned to the building by Sunday, August 10th.



Teachers Needed: Teachers are needed for Sunday mornings in both the 3 & 4 year old and the 2nd-3rd grade classes. Please see Mike Farnsworth if you can help out teaching on Sunday mornings.



Ice Cream Social

Ice Cream Social & Singing: Please join us for an ice cream social and singing at the home of Gary and Sue Linton on Friday, July 18th at 6:30 p.m. Vanilla ice cream will be provided. Please bring your favorite sundae toppings to share. Everyone is invited for a fun evening of fellowship and singing songs of praise to our Lord! The Linton’s address is 8310 172nd Ave. Ct. E. Sumner, WA 98390.



FaithBuilders: What an awesome workshop! A great time was had by all. If you were unable to attend and would like to order a set of the recordings, order forms can be found on the shelf by the front doors. Just fill one out and return it to Carolyn McCaul.



“Ah, Sovereign Lord, you have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and outstretched arm. Nothing is too hard for you. Jeremiah 32:17

Prayers of Thanksgiving

- ♥ **John Harmon** is rejoicing over the fact that his blood tests just keep getting better and better.
- ♥ Praise God! **Bob Stump’s** test come back negative. His doctor still doesn’t know what it is; they just know what it isn’t.

Prayer List

- ♥ **Amber Kile** came forward Sunday morning asking for prayers to have more faith and to make the most of the opportunities given to her.
- ♥ **Denny Collins** came forward Sunday asking for prayers for have more faith and strength to be a better example to his children and grandchildren.
- ♥ **Jolene Bartlett** is having problems with her eye and is now having to do daily treatments. Please pray for complete healing of her eye.
- ♥ **Carolyn**, Paris Roger’s ex sister-in-law, is in the hospital and not doing well. Please pray for her health as well as Paris to show God’s love to her.
- ♥ **June**, Janet Harmon’s aunt is in the hospital and not doing well. Please pray for June’s health to improve.
- ♥ **Barbara Clark** is waiting on the results of her heart stress test. Please pray for favorable results.
- ♥ **Darryl Reitan** is waiting on the results of his MRI scan. Please pray that it is nothing serious.
- ♥ **Byron Reiff** is still recovering from his cyst removal. Please pray for complete healing.
- ♥ **Gayle Putman**, Amber Kile’s mother, is not doing well with the chemo treatments. Please pray for her to have strength, but also to realize her need for Christ.
- ♥ **Sandy Webster** is currently looking for an inexpensive rental and would appreciate prayers and leads if you know of any. They must be out of their current apartment by the end of July.
- ♥ **AIM Students:** Sarah Harmon.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children’s Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **Traveling:** Hugh and Esther Kile.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, Logan Peterson, Paul Ramos, Eric Buggeln, TJ Bostic, Ryan Brown.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Russ Pedersen, Clio Eldred, Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Funda West, John Harmon, Kim Speck, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Jolene Bartlett, Elaine Dahl.