

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 27 **AM Sermon: Robert Henton - "Branding Jesus" Mark 8:34-38**

PM Sermon: Bob Stump - "The Criminal on the Cross" Luke 29:39-43

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 07/20: 101 CONTRIBUTION 07/20: \$2,019.00
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 30

Elder for Aug.
Deacon for Aug
Ladies' Committee for Aug

JULY 27

G. McCaul
C. Bartlett
G. Linton
J. Ravet
C. Ebenstiner
D. Reitan
J. Dacca
C. Pfeiffer
R. Henton
K. Wilson
B. Sallee

M. Brown
J. Johnson
B. Stump
G. McCaul
G. McCaul
B. Stump
K. Wilson
J. Dacca
S. Wilson

AUGUST 3

K. Wilson
G. McCaul
M. Farnsworth
J. Bailey
D. Collins
K. Petty
B. Reiff
M. Farley
R. Henton
B. Sallee
C. Bartlett

J. Johnson
M. Brown
D. Shaner
G. McCaul
G. McCaul

D. Johnson

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WELCOME VISITORS!

Sunday Bible Study: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

"The Only True God"

"And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (John 17:3).

When Jesus prayed in the garden of Gethsemane, it was his desire that all men come to know "the only true God." That can't be done through drawings or carvings or other images.

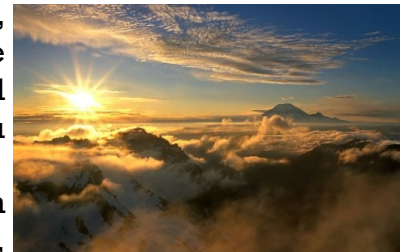
J.I. Packer quoted Calvin, who wrote:

A true image of God is not to be found in all the world; and hence...His glory is defiled, and His truth corrupted by the lie, whenever He is set before our eyes in a visible form...Therefore, to devise any image of God is itself impious; because by this corruption His majesty is adulterated, and He is figured to be other than He is.

Packer added, "The heart of objection to pictures and images is that they inevitably conceal most, if not all, of the truth about the personal nature and character of the divine Being whom they represent" (Knowing God, p. 40).

Little wonder God required his people to abstain from making such images (cf. Exodus 20:4).

Knowing the only true God is not the same as knowing some things about God, or even deducing



the very existence of God (cf. Psalms 19:1-4; Romans 1:18-25). Rather, it involves comprehending God's nature – his “Godhood” (Romans 1:20, KJV). For this, man requires a special revelation from God himself.

That special revelation is the Bible. There is no other source material. There are still boundless things about God that are outside the realm of nature and special revelation – “And these are but the outer fringe of his works; how faint the whisper we hear of him!” (Job 26:14a, NIV) – but what he has revealed to us through the Spirit will lead us to him (cf. 1 Corinthians 2:9-12; 2 Peter 1:19-21).

Jesus' incarnation served many purposes. One of them was to reveal the divine nature. As we look to him, we see the divine nature in bodily form (cf. Matthew 1:21; John 14:9; Colossians 2:9).

This, Jesus said, is life eternal.

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Family News



Moving Day: Alethea Brown and her son Kye will be moving to an apartment in Lakewood Friday, August 1st, and they are in need of some help, especially someone with a truck or SUV. Most of their things are in storage but a few things are at the Hevly's home on Fox Island. Alethea will pay the tolls and provide food for anyone who can help. Please talk to Alethea if you can help out.



Monthly Fellowship Meal: The monthly fellowship meal will be Sunday, August 3rd, after morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay for some good food and fellowship.



Teachers Meeting & Work Day: There will be a teachers meeting and work day for all teachers, except adult class teachers, Saturday, August 9th, 10:00 am to 12 noon at the building. Please see Mike Farnsworth if you have any questions about this meeting.

Family News (cont'd)



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.



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.



Nature Walk: There will be a nature walk on Saturday, August 16th, 10 a.m. at the Nisqually National Wildlife Refuge. The refuge is located at 100 Brown Farm Road in Olympia. There is a \$3 cash only entry fee per car. Please see John or Shannon Dacca asap if you are interested in carpooling. Feel free to bring a sack lunch to picnic together after our walk. ***Please note that the refuge does not allow any pets or bicycles on the premises.**



Thank You: Dear Friends, Many thanks for your invitation and many kindnesses to us during your wonderful workshop, the wonderful goody bag, your support, your prayers and encouragement- - all mean much to us. Special thanks to Robert and Laurel-Anne, Chris, and Gene and family for taxi-ing us all around. Just many thanks! All for Him- Glenn and Cindy Colley.

His divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. 2 Peter 1:3

Prayer List

- ♥ Please pray for those family members who lost loved ones in the crashes of both the Taiwan Trans Asia flight and the Air Algerie flight.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for those fighting fires in Eastern Washington and those who lost their homes in the fires.
- ♥ **Elaine Dahl** will be having surgery Thursday. Please pray for her surgery to go well.
- ♥ **Russ Pedersen** will be going to a nursing care facility for about three weeks. Please pray for his recovery.
- ♥ **Ida Reiff** is still in the hospital. Please pray for her health to improve.
- ♥ **Barbara Clark** had a heart stress test done. Please pray for favorable results.
- ♥ **Melody's**, Karen Eckert's friend, foot is not healing properly. She may lose her foot if new antibiotics don't work. Please pray for healing for Melody and for Karen as she ministers to her.
- ♥ **Linda Collins** is recovering from surgery on her hand. Please pray for a quick recovery.
- ♥ **Reece**, Denny and Linda Collin's granddaughter, will be seeing a neurologist this week to see if she had Bell's Palsy or something else. Please pray for favorable results for Reece.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **Healthy Babies and Mothers:** Elizabeth Chafins
- ♥ **Traveling:** Kiles, Wilsons, Harmons, McCauls, Browns, Shawn Reiff.
- ♥ **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.



Happy moments, Praise God.
 Difficult moments, Seek God.
 Quite moments, Worship God.
 Painful Moments, Trust God.
 Every moment, Thank God.