

Monthly Calendar

The Men's Breakfast: The first Saturday of the month, 8:00 am at the Lakeview church of Christ. The cost is \$4.00 with the proceeds supporting Delano Bay Christian Camp. Contact person: Gene McCaul.

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

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. Class topic will be "The Gospel of John." 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. Contact person: Gene McCaul.

Speakers and Sermons

Nov. 30 **AM Sermon: Robert Henton - "Experience"**
Philippians 3:12-14

PM Sermon: John Dacca - "Taking Things for Granted"

To Request Recordings: jcdstorm300@yahoo.com

Class Topics



Sunday Morning Adults: Auditorium -
"The Barnabas Factor"
Adults: SIBI classroom - "Personal Evangelism"
Wednesday Evening Adults: Auditorium -
"Timothy and Titus"

ATTENDANCE 11/23: 133 CONTRIBUTION 11/23: \$2,278.00
AVG. CONTRIBUTION OCT.: \$2,830.09

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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 - Dec. 3
Elder for Dec.
Deacon for Dec.
Ladies' Committee for Dec.

NOV. 30

H. Kile
J. Johnson
G. McCaul
J. Bailey
J. Santiesteban
J. Monts
B. Reiff
M. Farely
R. Henton
M. Farnsworth
C. Bartlett

M. Brown
J. Johnson
J. Dacca
J. Monts
J. Monts
B. Sallee
K. Wilson
J. Dacca

L.A. Henton and J. Harmon

DEC. 7

G. McCaul
M. Brown
G. Linton
G. Gilbert
R. Miller
J. Monts
J. Dacca
C. Ebenstiner
B. Stump
J. Santiesteban
H. Kile

M. Brown
G. McCaul
TBD
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

Abounding Love and Unity

Although the Apostle Paul was incarcerated many miles away, his heart was solidly with the **Philippians**. Christian bonds are immune to distance.



Most have had to move and leave brethren, but the unity we enjoy in Christ extends beyond time and space. In Christ, we remain tethered together in the same household (Ephesians 2:19; Galatians 3:27).

The bond of love is powerful when we're "filled with all the fullness of God" (Ephesians 3:19, NKJV). Love, inspired by Christ, is the rule of fellowship in his household (Acts 2:47; Ephesians 1:22-23; 1 John 4).

Unity comes not from human agreement but by being bonded with Jesus. Harmony with the Lord and his Word constitutes unanimity (Ephesians 3:14-18). With human consensus we decide the boundaries, when Christ is the rule (2 Timothy 3:16-17; Hebrews 11:6).

Paul called to God as his witness for the depth of his love for the brethren at Philippi (Philippians 1:8). He yearned for them over the miles with great

affection and tenderness.

We simply can't have a love for God without a love for the brethren. God won't allow us that option. An unselfish love must dominate our lives (1 Corinthians 13:4-8).

"Beloved, let us love one another, for love is of God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God" (1 John 4:7).

God brought us together and it's our job to get along in love and humility. We put the Lord first in everything and glorify him completely (Ephesians 3:20-21; 4:11-16).

Paul continues by praying that they abound in knowledge and discernment (Philippians 1:9). Ralph Martin wrote in his commentary on Philippians, "A better knowledge of God and his ways will promote greater harmony within the fellowship."

We must learn as much as we can about God in order to live the life he dictates for his children (2 Timothy 2:15). Taking that knowledge and converting it to righteous living requires humble discernment and the courage to say no to the flesh.

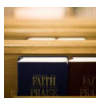
Abide in Christ and abound in him daily and extraordinary blessings will happen (Malachi 3:10).

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Family News



Monthly Fellowship Meal: The monthly fellowship meal will be Sunday, December 7th, after the morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay and join us for some good food and fellowship.



5th Sunday Area-Wide Singing: The 5th Sunday Area-Wide Singing is today, 5:00 pm at the Lakeview church of Christ. There will be a potluck meal after the singing. Puyallup has been asked to bring cookies or brownie type desserts.

Family News (cont'd)



Friday Night Singing: The Friday Night Singing will be Friday, December 5th, 7:00 pm. At the printing of the bulletin, no one has yet volunteered their home. We will announce where the singing will be as soon as we know.



Bowling: Everyone is invited to join us Saturday, December 6th, 1:30 pm for an afternoon of bowling at Daffodil Bowl in Puyallup. The cost will be \$5.00 per person and includes 2 games of bowling and shoe rental. All ages are welcomed! Please RSVP to John or Shannon Dacca to let them know you will be coming.



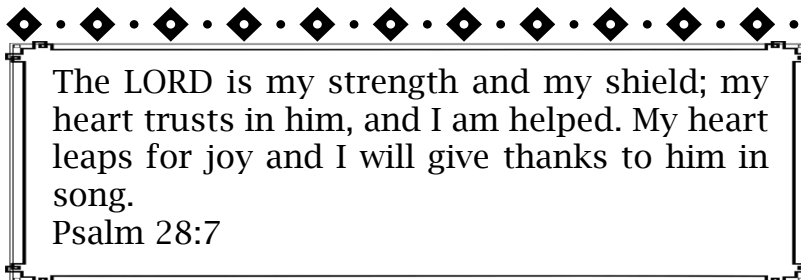
Ladies' Night Out: Ladies' Night Out will be Tuesday, December 9th, 6:00 pm at Mazatlan on South Hill. All ladies are invited to join us for some sister fellowship.



Meeker Elementary Holiday Giving: There is a list on the bulletin board for gift-giving for children in need. If you are able, please sign up to help make the holidays special for these children. Please remember to label each gift with the family's letter and the child's number. All gifts need to be in by Wednesday, December 10th.



A Special Note of Thanks: To the Ladies of the Puyallup Church, We want to especially thank you all for the acts of love and encouragement you have shown our family. We have been blessed with a family away from home that reminds us of how mindful the Lord has been toward us. Thank you for the beautiful baby shower and the gifts! In Christian love, Adrian, Jacqueline, Eliana and Baby Thomas



Prayer List

- ♥ **Brad Harrub's** wife, **Melinda**, has a small tumor on one of her ovaries. The doctors don't think it is cancerous. She will be having surgery early December. Please pray for the surgery to go well.
- ♥ **Martha Thompson** (Lakeview member) has been diagnosed with colon cancer. Please pray for any treatments to be affective in destroying the cancer.
- ♥ **Elaine Dahl** is recovering from surgery. Please pray for a fast recovery with no complications.
- ♥ **Little Javy** is recovering from surgery. Please pray for complete healing.
- ♥ **Jessica**, Barbara Clark's granddaughter, needs prayers for a better diagnosis and healing.
- ♥ **Jolene Bartlett** is waiting on the results of her MRI she had last Saturday. Please pray for favorable results.
- ♥ **Jeff**, Lucy Shaffer's grandson, is still recovering from an accident he had a while back. Please pray for healing for Jeff.
- ♥ **James Heath's mother** will be having surgery soon. Please pray for the surgery and her recovery to go well.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **SIBI NW Students:** Doug Sears.
- ♥ **Healthy Babies and Mothers:** Elizabeth Chafins, Jacqueline Thomas.
- ♥ **Traveling:**
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, Logan Peterson, Eric Buggeln, TJ Bostic, Ryan Brown, Curtis Ringus.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Clio Eldred, Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Funda West, John Harmon, Kim Speck, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Jolene Bartlett, Elaine Dahl, Linda Dayton, Darrell Minica, Bob Speck, Ruth Bailey, Michael Seay, Worley Graham.

Recent Visitors: Shane Morris & Alex Deaton, Bonney Lake, WA.