

## Notes

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**Puyallup church of Christ**

*March 5, 2017*

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## WELCOME VISITORS!

*Sunday Bible Study: 10 am      Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm*  
*Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm*

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

### Amazing Grace

There was a preacher from a small Texas town who showed up one Sunday morning with an old, rusty, bent bird cage, and set in on the pulpit. He spoke of running across a young boy in town the day before who was carrying the cage with three birds inside. He asked him what he had, to which the boy replied, "Just some old birds." He asked him what he was going to do with the birds, and the boy said, "Take 'em home and have fun with 'em. I'm gonna tease 'em and pull out their feathers to make 'em fight. I'm gonna have a real good time!" He told the boy that he would soon tire of that, so he asked what would he do then. He said, "Oh, I got some cats - they like birds, so I'll take 'em to them."

After a brief silence, the preacher asked him how much he would take for the birds. The boy said, "Huh?? Mister, you don't want them birds - they're just plain field birds. They don't sing, and they ain't even pretty." He asked again how much. The boy said, "10 bucks!" The preacher took \$10 from his pocket and gave it to the boy, who quickly vanished.

He gently carried the cage to the end of the alley where there was a tree and a grassy spot. Setting the cage down, he opened the door, softly tapping the bars, and set the birds free.

One day Satan had just come from the Garden of Eden, gloating and boasting to Jesus, "I just caught a world full of people down there - set me a trap, using bait they couldn't resist, and got 'em all!" Jesus asked what he would do with

## Speakers and Sermons

Mar. 5 **AM Sermon: Mark Jamieson - "Sycamore Trees" John 1:35-42**

**PM Sermon: Mark Jamieson - "Guyana 2017 Report"**

**To Request Recordings:** mark.brown77@me.com

## Class Topics



**Sunday Morning** Adults: Auditorium - "Genesis"

Adults: SIBI classroom - "Ephesians"

**Wednesday Evening** Adults: Auditorium - "How to Study the Bible"

Elder for March: G. McCaul

Deacon for March: H. Kile

Ladies' Committee for March: D. Sallee & E. Kile

ATTENDANCE 02/26: 155      CONTRIBUTION 02/26: \$3,221.00

AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION Feb.: \$3,364.75

## Worship Assignments

### MORNING SERVICE

Announcements/Prayer

Song Leader

Head of Lord's Table

Assist

Assist

Assist

Assist

Assist Upstairs

Scripture Reading

Sermon

Closing Prayer

Greeter/Usher

Family Greeters

### EVENING SERVICE

Announcements

Song Leader

Sermon

Table

Closing Prayer

**WEDNESDAY - Mar. 8**

### MAR. 5

K. Wilson

J. Holland

M. Farnsworth

J. Santiesteban

J. Zakem

C. Pfeiffer

C. Charpentier

J. Kemp

T. Jensen

M. Jamieson

M. Brown

D. Collins

Vizguerras

J. Monts

G. McCaul

M. Jamieson

B. Stump

B. Stump

C. Bartlett

### MAR. 12

H. Kile

A. Wilson

C. Johnson

J. Bowers

K. Petty

G. Chiapetta

J. Ravet

F. Reiff

B. Zakem

M. Jamieson

D. Sergent

D. Collins

Pettys

G. McCaul

M. Brown

M. Jamieson

J. Monts

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them. "I'm gonna have fun - teach them how to marry and divorce, hate and abuse, drink and curse. I'm gonna teach them how to invent guns and bombs to kill each other." Jesus then asked what would he do then. He said, "Oh, I'll kill them!" "How much do you want for them," Jesus asked. Satan replied, "You don't want those people - they're no good - they'll just hate you, spit on you, curse you and kill you." Jesus asked again, and Satan replied, "All you blood, tears and your life!" Jesus said, "DONE!" Then He paid the price.

The preacher picked up the cage and walked from the pulpit.

Anonymous

## Family News



Fellowship Meal

**Monthly Fellowship Meal:** The monthly fellowship meal is today after morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay and join us for some good food and Christian fellowship.



**Elders/Deacons/Minister Meeting:** There will be a meeting for the Elders, Deacons, and Minister today after the fellowship meal.



**VBS Planning Meeting:** There will be a planning meeting for VBS today, 4:00 pm, at the building. We are in need of volunteers to teach, help assist teachers, lead singing, help with snacks and food, acting out skits and more. If you can help in any way, please come to the meeting. Come, even if you don't know where you want to help. We will find a place for you to help. Please see Jim or Debbie Johnson if you have questions or want to help but can't make it to the meeting.



**Spring Forward:** Daylight Saving Time begins Sunday, March 12. Please remember to set your clocks ahead one hour before going to bed Saturday night.



**Baked Potato Feed and Game Night:** We will be having our annual baked potato feed and a game night Saturday, March 18th, 5:00 pm at the building. Please see the sign up sheet on the foyer bulletin board to sign up to bring something. Don't forget to bring your favorite games!

## Family News (cont'd)



**Bowling:** Let's Bowl Saturday, April 8th, 1:30 pm at Pacific Lanes in Tacoma. The cost will be \$5.00 per person and includes 2 games and shoe rental. All ages and abilities are welcomed. Please see John or Shannon Dacca to RSVP and prepay.



**Portal Way Meeting:** The Portal Way church of Christ invites you to their upcoming meeting, "**Discipleship**," March 26th-29th. Guy Orbison of Durango, CO will be the speaker. Please see the flyer with more detailed information on the foyer bulletin board.

## Prayer List

- ♥ Please pray for **our nation** to return to honoring and serving God. Pray for **the government leaders** to lead with Godly wisdom.
- ♥ Please pray for **the search for our new building/property**. Pray God's will in all that needs to occur for this to happen.
- ♥ **Heidi Petak**, Amber Kile's friend, had surgery Friday. After her recovery, she will continue with more chemo. Please pray for her recovery to go well. Pray for **Amber** as well as she ministers to Heidi and her family.
- ♥ Please continue to keep **Alyssa Wilkie**, Ken & Sandy's granddaughter, to your prayers. She is pregnant and there are serious concerns for the health of the baby. Please pray God guides the doctors in the treatment.
- ♥ **Jean-Pierre Charpentier** has pneumonia. Please pray for a speedy recovery.
- ♥ **Shelia**, Glenda Reiff's niece, had an infection and was in ICU. Because of the infection, she may lose some of her toes. Please pray for Shelia as she has had a kidney transplant and that kidney is now failing.
- ♥ **Arlene Luton** is recovering from knee replacement surgery and has a blood infection. Please pray for her health to improve.
- ♥ **Jim Johnson** is recovering from knee replacement surgery and has a blood clot in his leg. Please pray for the clot to dissolve without complications.

## Prayer List (cont'd)

- ♥ **Karen Lance** had surgery last week. Please pray for her recovery to go well.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Betty Williams** as she recovers from surgery.
- ♥ **Connie Sergent** is recovering from an infection. Please pray for her health to improve.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Ida Reiff** and her health to improve.
- ♥ **Marjorie Eldred** is recovering from a broken hip as well as her other health concerns. Please pray for her recovery to go well.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Clasina Brummett** as her kidneys are only working at 26%. Pray that the treatments the doctors use will help to improve their function.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Jimmy Zakem** and his job search. Pray God would bless him with a great job.
- ♥ Please pray for our **many visitors** to have open, seeking hearts.
- ♥ **Our Bible Studies:** Private studies with individuals.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman & Johanna Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO), Ray & Maricela Dennis (Cuernavaca, Mexico).
- ♥ **SIBI NW Students:** Doug Sears, Bobby Lumpkin, Jimmy Zakem.
- ♥ **Healthy Babies & Mothers:** Bryna Santiesteban, Stephanie Marzolf.
- ♥ **Traveling:** Paris Rogers, Mellicks, Mark Farley, Randy & Tawnya Johnson & boys.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, TJ Bostic, Curtis Ringus, Tim Chafins, Kimberly McGuire, Sergio Vizguerra.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Jorene Dake, Clio & Marjorie Eldred, Carter & Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Don Jackson, Brian Hevly, Arlene Luton, Jeanette Thomason, Marcia Cline, Bill Brown, Wendy (Elaine's co-worker), Connie Sergent, Jody (Connie's sister), Sheila (Glenda's niece), Ed Bryant, Clyde Lanford, Clasina Brummett, Heidi Petak, Lloyd Elliot, Shawna Jank, Larry Sallee.

## Prayers of Thanksgiving

- ♥ Praise God! **Stephani Ebenstiner's** test results came back with good results.
- ♥ Praise God! **Guy Gilbert** has found employment.