

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. 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: Every other Thursday, 6:30 pm, either at the church building or at a family home. They share dessert and have a short devotional and/or activity. 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 from the book "Radical Restoration." Contact person: Keith Petty.

The Senior Saints Bible Study: Tuesdays, 10:30 am in the downstairs SIBI classroom. They are studying from the book of Job. 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

Apr. 27 **AM Sermon: Robert Henton - "R.U.N" Acts 8: 5-8**

PM Sermon: Gene McCaul - "To Whom Shall We Go" John 6:68

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 - "Historical Christian Evidences"

ATTENDANCE 04/20: 126 CONTRIBUTION 04/20: \$2,520.00
AVG. CONTRIBUTION MAR.: \$2,559.80

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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 - Apr. 30

Elder for May
Deacon for May
Ladies' Committee for May

APR. 27

B. Sallee
C. Bartlett
D. Collins
M. Farnsworth
J. Harmon
D. Reitan
J. Dacca
M. Farley
R. Henton
M. Sant
B. Stump

J. Johnson
M. Brown
G. McCaul
J. Monts
J. Monts
G. McCaul
B. Sallee
M. Farnsworth

C. McCaul and S. Dacca

MAY 4

K. Wilson
G. McCaul
M. Farnsworth
J. Monts
M. Sant
K. Petty
B. Reiff
J. Bailey
R. Henton
H. Kile
D. Collins

G. McCaul
J. Johnson
J. Santiesteban
B. Sallee
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WELCOME VISITORS!

Sunday Bible Study: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

Driving in the snow

Has this happened to you?
There's three inches of snow on the ground. You drive your car out into the road as gingerly as a cat on a hot tin roof. You settle into a slow but steady speed, nervous and alert.



Suddenly there is a big vehicle right behind you, headlights seemingly in your back seat.

He seems to be thinking: "There's three inches of snow on the ground yet I can still drive 55 mph!"

He's also saying to you, "Speed up or get out of the way!"

Which raises two issues:

"Yes, you can drive 55 mph in your wonderful big vehicle; but can you stop?"

And also, "Perhaps you have the right to risk your life (you might ask your wife and children if they feel the same way, however), but you do not have the right to risk mine, and that of my family."

When sin takes control of our lives, we think we control it. We drive along life's highway convinced we can stop at any time. But horrific things happen when we try to stop. We spin out of control, we slam into other people, we cause dismay and fear to all those around us.


Paul suggested it was like being “enslaved” to sin (Romans 6:16-19). Slaves are not in control of their lives. They can’t come and go as they like. They can’t even quit!


But our sin is more serious than that. We endanger others with our reckless behavior. We careen, out of control. We have convinced ourselves that our actions are our own affair, but mark this, it never is! What we do affects others, whether you are a teenager who has broken your parents’ hearts by your behavior, a husband who has decided he has the right to abandon his wife and children, or a church leader who wants out.


In the snow and ice, it’s hard to stop. And when living lives of sin we become thoughtless of those whom we affect.


Long ago Cain asked, “Am I my brother’s keeper?” (Genesis 4:9). Yes, O first son of Adam, you are. Used by permission from Forthright Magazine (forthright.net). Copyright © [2014] [Stan Mitchell].

Family News

 **Baptism:** Angels are rejoicing! Steven Gonzalez (Omar Barajas’ brother) was baptized last Sunday. Please give him some encouragement on his Christian walk and pray for him as he will be going back to California when the Barajas’ move.

 **New Member:** Bob Nicholas would like to place membership here at Puyallup. He comes from the Springbrook congregation. He has been a Christian for over 60 years. His address is 4610 6th Pl. SE Apt. 338, Puyallup, WA 98374 and his phone number is 253-229-4397. Welcome to Puyallup Bob!

 **VBS Meeting:** There will be a follow-up meeting today, 4:00 pm at the church building for anyone who would like to be involved in the planning and preparations for VBS. Our VBS will be Saturday, June 21st, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. We need everyone’s help to have a successful VBS that we can invite the community to participate in. Please see Jim Johnson if you can’t make this meeting but would like to help out.

 **Friday Night Singing:** The Friday Night Singing will be Friday, May 2, 7:00 pm at the McCaul’s home. Everyone is invited to join us for this fun time of song and fellowship.

Family News (cont’d)



Bring Your Neighbor Day: Bring Your Neighbor Day will be Sunday, May 4th. There are postcards on the shelf by the bulletin board to give to your friends and neighbors.



Fellowship Meal: The monthly Fellowship Meal will be Sunday, May 4th, after morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay for some good food and good fellowship.



Special Collection: Delano Bay Christian Camp is taking donations for two commercial-sized water heaters. DBCC has an anonymous donor who will match each dollar donated. Please see Gene McCaul if you wish to donate.



Change-A-Life: We will be helping with Mountain States Children’s Home and their Change-A-Life Change Can campaign through August 10, 2014. They care for 25-30 children each year who came from troubled family situations. Funds raised will help purchase clothing, school needs and perishable food items, which normally cost about \$53,000 per year. You can find a change can on the shelf by the bulletin board. This is a great way to help children in need.



Men’s Breakfast: The Men’s Breakfast will be Saturday, May 3rd, 8:00 am at the Lakeview church. The cost is a suggested donation of \$4.00 and all proceeds support Delano Bay Christian Camp. DBCC board members will be hosting the devotional.



Fatherhood 1-Day Workshop: Lakeview church of Christ will be hosting a Pathways to Responsible Fatherhood Workshop on May 10th. This free workshop is presented by the Northwest Marriage Institute. Lunch and all materials will be provided, plus completing male participants will receive a \$40 Fred Meyer gift card! Please check out flyer on the bulletin board for more information.



Cle Elum Men’s Retreat: Men, the Cle Elum Men’s Retreat is right around the corner. The retreat will be May 15th-17th. Please see the flyer on the bulletin board for more detailed information or check out the web site at www.CERetreat.org for registration and more information.

Prayer List

- ♥ Please pray for **Jolene Bartlett** and her ongoing health issues. Please pray that the doctors will be able to give her some answers .
- ♥ **Marcia Cline**, Gene McCaul’s mother, will be having a MRI scan Tuesday. Please pray for good results and continued improvements to her health.
- ♥ Please pray for **the Davis family** as the they are going through a rough time right now.
- ♥ **Ida Reiff** is struggling with pain at this time. Please pray for the pain to lessen.
- ♥ **Bob Stump** is waiting on results of medical tests. Please pray for good results.
- ♥ **Ruth Bailey** is still dealing with pain in her back and leg. Please pray for healing and relief from the pain.
- ♥ **Barbara Clark’s grandson** is looking for employment and a place to live. Please pray for him and for Barbara to be a godly example for him.
- ♥ **AIMI Students:** Sarah Harmon.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children’s Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **Traveling:** Brandons, Fabbries.
- ♥ **Those Looking for Employment:** Paris Rogers.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, Logan Peterson, Paul Ramos, Eric Buggeln.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Russ Pedersen, Clio Eldred, Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Barbara Clark, Monique Stolzman, Funda West, Jolene Bartlett, Pat Conrad, John Harmon.

Prayers of Thanksgiving

- ♥ **Debra Reitan’s mother** has improved enough that she is now home. Praise God for his mercies.
- ♥ **Sandy Wilson** is thankful her tests came back showing no problems. Praise the Lord!