

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.

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

August 24 **AM Sermon: Bob Stump - "Float Your Boat"**
Luke 8:11-15
PM Sermon: Jim Johnson -

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 08/17: 108 CONTRIBUTION 08/17: \$1,675.00
 AVG. CONTRIBUTION JULY: \$2,372.00

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

Worship Assignments

MORNING SERVICE	AUGUST 24	AUGUST 31
Announcements/Prayer	H. Kile	G. McCaul
Song Leader	C. Bartlett	J. Johnson
Head of Lord's Table	G. Linton	C. Johnson
Assist	D. Reitan	J. Santiesteban
Assist	K. Petty	J. Monts
Assist	J. Bailey	J. Ravet
Assist	B. Reiff	B. Reiff
Scripture Reading	J. Ravet	M. Farley
Sermon	B. Stump	R. Henton
Closing Prayer	K. Wilson	D. Collins
Greeter/Usher	D. Collins	H. Kile
EVENING SERVICE		
Announcements	J. Monts	J. Monts
Song Leader	G. McCaul	J. Johnson
Sermon	J. Santiesteban	R. Henton
Table	J. Johnson	G. McCaul
Closing Prayer	J. Johnson	G. McCaul
WEDNESDAY - Aug 27		
Elder for Aug.	G. McCaul	
Deacon for Aug.	K. Wilson	
Ladies' Committee for Aug	J. Dacca	
	S. Wilson	and D. Johnson

Puyallup church of Christ

August 24, 2014

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WELCOME VISITORS!

Sunday Bible Study: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

Heaven's Door

"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened" (Matthew 7:7-8 NET).



When I was a kid, my two brothers and I lived with a lady whose name was Yvonne. One day she made us pile into the car with her to go visiting. When we arrived at our destination, she marched up the steps of the house and onto the porch, with us following behind like little ducklings. She knocked on the door, but no one answered. We marched back down the steps and sat in the car to wait.

Several minutes later, because I was the oldest, Yvonne sent me back to the house to knock on the door again. So up the steps and onto the porch I went and tentatively knocked. Suddenly, the door burst open and a mean-looking lady glared down at me. In true Charlie Brown fashion I heard, "Waa waa waaa, waa waa waaaa!?" Struck mute but not flightless, I flew down the steps and back to the car as fast as my little legs could carry me.

Since that day, I have never been one who enjoys knocking at someone's door. In my college days, door-knocking

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campaigns were all the rage. Although I participated, I was always glad that I went with a guy who did all the talking, because my vocal chords were frozen!

To me, the medieval interpretation of the entrance to heaven, complete with pearly gates and a stern saint Peter, has never been comforting. Standing outside the gate as he runs his finger down the list of O's is a scary image. I am glad that Paul gives us a taste of what that last day really will be like.

"Then we who are alive, who are left, will be suddenly caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will always be with the Lord" (1 Thessalonians 4:17).

In my life, I have received much and found much, and doors have been opened to me. But in that last day, I will not have to stand alone to knock on heaven's door, because I know the Son for whom the doors of heaven are standing wide open, not only for him but for all who belong to him. And although fear and awe may leave us speechless, we will fly through heaven's gates with the Son who gives us wings.

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Family News



Church Work Day: There will be a work day at the building Saturday, August 30th, from 9:00 am to 12 noon. Please bring your hard-working selves and cleaning supplies and help spruce up the building.



Fair Parking: There is a sign up sheet for anyone interested in making a little extra money parking cars during the fair. We will not be parking cars on Sundays and Wednesdays to allow parking for services and classes. Please see Bob Sallee if you have any questions.



Directory Update: Elaine Dahl has moved. Please update your directories with her new information. Her new address is 11020 Portland Ave. E. Apt. J-157 Tacoma, WA 98445. Also, please update your directories for Brian and Robbie Hevly as follows: Brian's e-mail is hevbb@outlook.com and his cell phone number is 253-217-0882. Robbie's e-mail is rhevly@gmail.com and her cell phone number is 253-576-8167.

Family News (cont'd)



SIBI Evening Classes: SIBI will be offering evening classes on Tuesday nights starting September 9th from 7:00 - 8:30 pm. The classes offered this fall will be Introduction to Christian Counseling and The Life and Teachings of Christ. You can find a flyer on the shelf by the bulletin board for more information.



School Supplies: Once again, we will be donating school supplies to the children in need at Meeker Elementary School. There will be a box in the foyer by the bulletin board to drop your donation in.



5th Sunday Area-Wide Singing: Please join us for the 5th Sunday Area-Wide Singing, Sunday, August 31st, at 5:00 pm at the church building. There will be a fellowship meal afterwards. As hosts, we will provide main and side dishes, while our visitors will be bringing desserts and drinks.



Fall Kick-Off Ladies' Day: The ladies of the Bellevue church of Christ will be hosting a Fall Kick-Off Ladies' Day Saturday, September 6th, 9:00 am-1:00 pm. The title is "A Day of Prayer and Praise!" More information can be found on the flyer on the bulletin board.



Women's Symposium: The women at the Southside congregation in Seattle would like to invite all women to our Women's Symposium Saturday, September 27, 2014. The theme is: "Are You Hooked on This Scandalous World?" More information can be found in the flyer on the bulletin board.



Power Point of Songbook: We have purchased the copyright licensing to be able to project the songs on the screen for worship; but to be able to do this we need to purchase the Power Point program. If you would like to donate towards the purchase of the Power Point program, please see Gene McCaul.

Recent Visitors: D. Tharpe, Puyallup, WA; Jesse & Martha Minca, Roy, WA; Clasina Brummett, Graham, WA

Prayer List

- ♥ **Mike Farnsworth** is recovering from back surgery. Please pray that Mike has a quick recovery.
- ♥ **Melody**, Karen Eckert's friend, had surgery to amputate her leg just above the knee. Please pray for complete healing and adjustment to the situation.
- ♥ **Clio Eldred** needs continued prayers for his health and for the prison ministry.
- ♥ **Ida Reiff** is still having dizzy spells. Please continue to pray for her health to improve.
- ♥ **Russ Pedersen** is now home but needs continued prayers for his health to improve.
- ♥ **Bob Nichols** had foot surgery and is home recovering at this time.
- ♥ **Marcia Cline**, Gene McCaul's mother, will be having a spinal tap on Tuesday. Please pray that the procedure goes well for her and that favorable results happen.
- ♥ **Disney Powless'** sister pass away last week. Please pray for Disney and the family.
- ♥ **Danielle**, Delores Kirkwood's daughter, needs to find new housing that she can afford by the end of the month. Please pray she finds suitable housing soon.
- ♥ **Barbra Clark's brother** will be traveling here from Brazil. Please pray for his safety as he travels.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **Healthy Babies and Mothers:** Elizabeth Chafins, Jacqueline Thomas.
- ♥ **Traveling:** Shawn Reiff, Harmons, Farleys, Tim & Donna Bartlett, Retha Avey, Nathan & Amber 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, Linda Dayton.