

Speakers and Sermons

AM Sermon:

Tommy Maxwell

"Feet that Run Rapidly to Evil"

Prov. 6:16-19

PM Sermon:

Tommy Maxwell

"Lessons from Lamentations"

To Request Recordings:

Contact Mark Brown at
avroom@puyallupcofc.org

Bible Classes

Sunday Mornings - Auditorium

"The Book of James" taught by Tommy Maxwell

Sunday Mornings - Downstairs Office Classroom

"Christian Fundamentals" taught by Gene McCaul

Tuesday Mornings - Church Building Fellowship Hall

"The Book of Revelation" taught by Tommy Maxwell

Wednesday Evenings - Auditorium

"The Gospel of Mark" taught by Bob Stump

Sunday Morning & Wednesday Evening

Youth Class locations are posted in the foyer

Elder for Sept: Gene McCaul

Care Group for Sept: Care Group 5 (Bob Stump)

Baby Bank Items Needed: Girls clothing size 2T – 3T

Electronic toys with batteries

ATTENDANCE 8/27: Bible class: 137 Worship: 156

CONTRIBUTION 8/27: \$4,347.08

AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION July: \$5,490.74

BUILDING PLEDGE FUND: \$646,108.67

CHANGE CONTRIBUTIONS: \$3,433.25

Elders:

Chris Bartlett 253-732-7313

Gene McCaul 253-381-1990

Bob Sallee 253-209-0074

Deacons:

Jay Bowers– Safety John Dacca– Buildings

Mark Brown– A/V Graham Milligan– Education

Jean Charpentier– Youth Jeff Nighswonger– Fellowship

Bill Staggs– Benevolence/Missions

Ministers:

Tommy Maxwell 318-351-3475

Bob Stump 206-664-1814

Jordan Bertram 509-670-0082

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Shannon Dacca 253-861-8280

Worship Assignments

MORNING SERVICE

Song Leader

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading

Sermon

Head of Table

Assist (bread)

Assist (cup)

Assist

Assist

Assist Upstairs

Ann/Closing Prayer

SEPT 3

M. Brown

T. Maxwell

Tom Bertram

G. Nighswonger

T. Maxwell

J. Oden

Chad Farley

J. Karkosky

D. Fabbrie

J. Santiesteban

Warren Brown

J. Nighswonger

SEPT 10

Wyatt Brown

T. Maxwell

K. Lessley

Joshua Konwent

T. Maxwell

J. Dacca

Tyler Bertram

Steven Konwent

Justus Konwent

T. Nighswonger

N. Konwent

G. Milligan

EVENING SERVICE

Ann/Prayer

Song Leader

Sermon

Table/Closing Prayer

G. McCaul

Steven Konwent

T. Maxwell

B. Stump

B. Sallee

C. Bartlett

T. Maxwell

J. Bertram

WEDNESDAY

Sept 6

Gene McCaul

(Songs / Scriptures)

Sept 13

B. Staggs



September 3, 2023

Speak Truth to One Another

It's hard to know who can be trusted in today's world. People and companies promise things they never intend to deliver on, and many of the messages out there that claim to be true contradict one another. How are we to know who we can trust?

Dishonesty is not a new problem. It has been around since the very beginning when Satan lied to Eve in the garden. He is the originator of lying, and lies are his native language. When the whole world lies in the power of the evil one, it is hard to know who we can trust (1 Jn. 5:19). As followers of Jesus, we are instructed to be trustworthy in our speech. Paul writes that we are to lay aside falsehood, and "speak truth each one of you with his neighbor..." (Eph. 4:25, NASB95). Jesus says that we should have such integrity that we do not have to take oaths to be believed (Matt. 5:37). God's people can trust (*cont.*)

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Sunday Bible Classes: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

one another, because we have committed ourselves to following in the steps of Jesus who is the truth (Jn. 14:6), and imitating the character of God who cannot lie (Titus 1:2).

Our culture has normalized lying to the point that we have almost come to expect it in some circumstances and to even excuse it. God has designed His church and called His people to live by a different standard. Let's be careful to make sure what we say is true before we speak.

Tommy

This Week's Events

more info posted in auditorium and at back stairs

Youth Classes Move Up Day: Today is the day for K-12! Please check the class lists in the foyer or ask your child's teacher to find out if this applies to your family.

Tuesday Morning Bible Class is starting back up this week (9/5). Tommy Maxwell will be teaching on the Book of Revelation weekly at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall here at the building.

Youth Park Meetup: The final summer Youth Park Meetup will be Tuesday (9/5) 11:00 am at Sam Peach Park (1621 10th Ave NW in Puyallup). Youth of all ages, along with their parents or grandparents, are welcome.

Singing & Scripture Reading Night will be this Wednesday (9/6) in lieu of Bible classes since it is the first Wednesday of the month.

Teen Friday Night Alive: The next Teen FNA will be on Friday (9/8) 6:00 pm - 9:30 pm, at the church building. Please contact Jordan Bertram for more information.

Glenda Reiff's Memorial Service will be on Saturday (9/9) at 10:00 am here at the building. Please see the bulletin insert for more information.

Family News

Baby Shower for Julie Crones: Ladies, there will be a baby shower for Julie Crones on Saturday, September 30, 4:00 pm at Heather Konwent's home. Julie could use disposable diapers, wipes, and girl clothes. Please RSVP to Shannon Dacca if you plan to attend, and contact Rebecca Nighswonger about how you can help.

Fire victims: We collected a total of \$3,190 for the fire victims. Thank you! Much of that amount has already been sent to Maui, but some has been set aside to help those affected by the local wildfires. ***Please contact Bill Staggs by tomorrow (Monday, 9/4) before the final distributions are made if you are personally aware of someone who needs assistance.***

Church Directory: It has been two years since we last printed the entire directory and there have been many changes to the info since then. If any of you would like to start fresh with a newly printed copy including all of the changes to date for your binders at home, please contact Shannon Dacca.

Puyallup Ladies Day will be on Saturday, October 14, 9:00 am - 1:30 pm. A lot of help will be needed with setup the Thursday and Friday before and also help with cleanup after the event. Please contact Jolene Bartlett if you can help in some way. ***If you plan to attend but have not yet registered, please do so today.***

Baby Shower for Kayla Bertram: There will be a co-ed baby shower for Jordan & Kayla Bertram on Sunday, October 29 here at the building after morning worship service. Kayla is registered on Amazon and at Walmart. Please contact Debbi Bertram with any questions.

Retirement: Carolyn McCaul has retired after 12+ years serving as church secretary for our congregation. Thank you for all you have done for our church family, Carolyn!

Christa Farley has moved to Arizona to attend college. Please contact Tanna Farley if you would like Christa's new mailing address.

Hosts Needed: A new host and location are needed for the Adult Friday Night Alive on November 17. Please contact Elisabeth Charpentier if you are willing to host.

Note of Thanks from Randy Beattie: Thank you for your prayers, cards and calls on behalf of my brother, Larry. He is much improved but still has a long road ahead. Please continue to remember him in your prayers. We are blessed to be a part of this family.

This Week's Bible Reading

Ezekiel 4-26

Areawide Events

more info posted in foyer

World English Institute West Coast Seminar: The Metro church of Christ (Gresham, OR) is hosting a seminar on September 30. The intent is to equip mission-minded Christians with a simple way to share the Gospel all over the world. Please register by 9/15 at metrocofc.org if you are interested.

Fall Gospel Meeting: The Kennewick church of Christ will be hosting a Fall Gospel Meeting September 27-October 1. The focus will be a study on the Book of Revelation.

Spiritual Growth Lectureship: The Linder Road church of Christ (Meridian, ID) will be hosting their 21st Annual Spiritual Growth Lectureship October 12-15. The theme of this lectureship is "Say Something...".

Please check all bulletin boards for info on our missionaries, classes and upcoming events!