

## Speakers and Sermons

### AM Sermon:

Tommy Maxwell

"One Who Spreads Strife Among Brothers"

Prov. 6:16-19

### PM Sermon:

Tommy Maxwell

"Individual Responsibility "

Ezekiel 18

### 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 9/3:** Bible class: 132 Worship: 193

**CONTRIBUTION 9/3:** \$7,028.95

**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

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### **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 10

Wyatt Brown

T. Maxwell

K. Lessley

Joshua Konwent

T. Maxwell

J. Dacca

L. Redelsperger

Steven Konwent

Justus Konwent

T. Nighswonger

N. Konwent

B. Staggs

### SEPT 17

Steven Konwent

T. Maxwell

J. Bowers

L. Bertram

J. Bertram

J. Hennig

B. Zimmerman

Tom Bertram

M. Farley

F. Petraski

M. Harmon

J. Charpentier

### EVENING SERVICE

Ann/Prayer

Song Leader

Sermon

Table/Closing Prayer

B. Sallee

C. Bartlett

T. Maxwell

J. Bertram

B. Stump

Wyatt Brown

Steven Konwent

B. Staggs

### WEDNESDAY

### Sept 13

B. Staggs

### Sept 20

T. Maxwell



**September 10, 2023**

## Love One Another

The Beatles once sang "all you need is love." Our world is filled with situations in which we would do well to demonstrate love to each other, but there is lots of confusion about what love really means. Many define it as an emotion that comes and goes like the wind, but is that really what love is?

Jesus gave His followers the command to "love one another, even as I have loved you" (Jn. 13:34 NASB95). If love is an emotion that comes and goes, then this is an impossible command. Our emotions are not reliable and we often struggle to control them. This is why the Bible teaches us not to be led by emotions. "There is a way which seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death" (Prov. 14:12). The love we read about in the Bible is far deeper than a fleeting emotion. Love is a decision, love is an action, and love is a commitment. Love can be (*cont.*)

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**Sunday Bible Classes: 10 am**

**Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm**

**Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm**

shown even when emotions do not line up with it. This is why vows can be made in marriage to love for a lifetime – because love is far deeper than mere feelings. This is demonstrated clearly in the actions of God the Father and Jesus Christ. “But when the kindness of God our Savior and His love for mankind appeared, He saved us . . .” (Titus 3:4-5). The cross was not something Jesus looked forward to or particularly felt like going through, but He did it anyway because of His love.

Love for the Christian is much more than a feeling. It is a commitment to one another as members of the family of God. John wrote that we are to love “in deed and truth” (1 Jn. 3:18). In any group of people there are sometimes tensions and difficulties, but God calls us to commit to love one another in action.

Tommy

## Upcoming Puyallup Events

more info posted in auditorium and at back stairs

**Tuesday Bible Study** is a weekly class on the Book of Revelation at 10:00 am in the fellowship hall of the church building. Contact Tommy Maxwell with questions.

**Ladies Coffee Fellowship** meets on Wednesdays at 10:00a at Anthem Coffee in Sunrise Medical Campus on South Hill, Puyallup. Contact Cindy Oden with questions.

**\*NOTE LATER TIME\* Ladies Night Out** will be tomorrow, Monday, September 11 at Mama Stortini’s in Puyallup at **6:30p**. **Please RSVP to Donna Welzmler.**

**Adult Friday Night Alive** will be this Friday, September 15, 6:00 pm, at the home of JP and Elisabeth Charpentier. **Please RSVP to Elisabeth if you plan to attend and bring a potluck dish to share.**

**Monthly Game Night** will be this Saturday, September 16th, 5:00 pm at the church building. **Bring dinner appetizers, desserts, and games to share.**

**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.**

**NOTE:** There will be no Teen Friday Night Alive in October due to Ladies Day prep on the 13th.

**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.**

**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. Contact Debbi Bertram with any questions.

## Help Needed

**Substitutes needed:** Heritage Hybrid Academy (HHA) will be starting classes this week! 51 students will be here 8:30 am - 1:30 pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays for the duration of the school year. HHA is looking to hire church members who are willing to step in as substitutes occasionally. All you need is experience working with children and the ability to get to and from the classrooms upstairs. **Please see Lindsey Petty if you are interested.**

**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.**

## This Week’s Bible Reading

Ezekiel 27-48

## 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...”.

**Discipleship Seminar:** The Southwest church of Christ in Tigard, OR, will be hosting a seminar October 28-29. The theme is “Meeting God: The Heart of Spiritual Formation” and the speaker is F. LaGarde Smith.

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