

## Monthly Calendar

**The Men's Breakfast:** The first Saturday of the month, 8:00 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 Tuesday 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 Romans. Contact person: Keith Petty.

**The Senior Saints Bible Study:** Tuesdays, 10:30 am in the downstairs SIBI classroom. The class topic will be "The Gospel of John." 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

Oct. 4 **AM Sermon: Kelvin Hoover - "A Father to the Fatherless" Psalms 68:5**

**PM Sermon: Gene McCaul -**

**To Request Recordings:** jcdstorm300@yahoo.com

## Class Topics

 **Sunday Morning** Adults: Auditorium - "Minor Prophets"

Adults: SIBI classroom - "Philippians"

**Wednesday Evening** Adults: Auditorium - "The Gospel of Luke"

ATTENDANCE 9/27: 137 CONTRIBUTION 9/27: \$2,604.00  
AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION SEPT.: \$2,675.00

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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 - Oct. 7**  
Elder for Oct.  
Deacon for Oct.  
Ladies' Committee for Oct.

### OCT. 4

G. Gilbert  
C. Bartlett  
R. Miller  
N. Kile  
K. Petty  
J. Ravet  
J. Heath  
C. Ebenstiner  
K. Hoover  
J. Monts  
D. Collins

### OCT. 11

K. Wilson  
G. McCaul  
D. Collins  
J. Monts  
D. Reitan  
J. Santiesteban  
J. Dacca  
M. Farley  
M. Jamieson  
B. Sallee  
H. Kile

J. Johnson  
M. Brown  
G. McCaul  
J. Monts  
J. Monts  
C. Bartlett  
C. Bartlett  
H. Kile

B. Stump  
J. Johnson  
M. Jamieson  
M. Brown  
M. Brown

S. Farnsworth & T. Farley

## Puyallup church of Christ

October 4, 2015

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## WELCOME VISITORS!

Sunday Bible Study: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

## Jesus Brings Peace

Whenever Bible classes discuss Mark chapter five and the healing of the man possessed by many demons, they tend to miss a



very important idea: Jesus brings peace.

The context of the passage paints the picture. In Mark chapter four, Jesus had been out on the Sea of Galilee with his disciple in the evening. The Bible tells us of a "fierce gale of wind" that struck the boat and started filling it with water. Jesus said, "Hush, be still," (Mark 4:39 NASB) and everything became "perfectly calm."

When Jesus reached the Gerasenes, he was met by a man who was possessed by demons. Look at this man: he was living among the tombs, the Bible says. That is not a usual place for the living. Evidently, others had tried binding him to keep him from harming himself but were unsuccessful. He was screaming and cutting himself because of the torment he experienced.

Even at a distance, when the man saw Jesus, he screamed, "What business have we with each other, Jesus, son of the most high God? I implore you by

God, do not torment me! (Mark 5:7 NASB).

Just as Jesus brought peace from the storm on the lake, he brought peace to this poor man.

Sin can try to torment and destroy us, too, but Jesus can bring us peace. That peace, however, comes from obedience to his Word. If we love him, we will obey him (John 14:15). We make the decision to either obey him or reject him.

This man obeyed Jesus (Mark 5:18). Jesus told him to go home to his friends and tell them what had been done for him and he did exactly that. Do you think the man received something from Jesus he needed? Is peace something you need?

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## Family News



**Orphan's Lifeline Int'l:** Kelvin Hoover from Orphan's Lifeline International will be speaking to us today about the good work they do for orphans world-wide. Kelvin will be speaking both during Bible class and worship.

**Preacher Tryout:** Mark Jamieson and his wife, Sue, will be visiting with us to tryout for the preaching position here at Puyallup. Mark will be with us Friday, October 9th through Wednesday, October 14th. Sue will have to go back Sunday for her job. Mark will be preaching Sunday, October 11th, both morning and evening, as well as teaching the Sunday morning adult class. In addition, he will meet with the Monday night small group (at Petty's) and teaching the Senior's Bible class on Tuesday morning. It is important that you be here to meet them and to hear Mark's preaching so you can give your input to the Elders. **Please note:** 1. There are CD copies of the sermons, that Mark sent for the Elders, available to anyone to listen to on the shelf by the bulletin board, as well as his resume. 2. Mark is available Sunday after evening services and Tuesday evening if individuals would like to have Mark for dinner. Please contact the church office if you would like to have Mark for dinner one of those available dates or see Ken Wilson.

## Family News (cont'd)



**Monthly Fellowship Meal:** The Elders have decided the October fellowship meal will be Sunday, October 11, after morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay and enjoy some good food and Christian fellowship.



**Spiritual Growth Lectureship:** Linder Road's 14th Annual Spiritual Growth Lectureship will be October 8th-11th. The theme will be "Messiah" - Studies in the Messianic Prophecies and Fulfillment of Jesus Christ the Messiah. More information can be found on the flyer on the foyer bulletin board.

**Paintball:** Saturday, October 24th, we have reserved the paintball field at KC Crusaders from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm. The cost is \$40.00 per person and includes the field fee, equipment, air and 500 paintballs. Please RSVP to John and Shannon Dacca if you are interested.



**A Cappella Gospel Musical:** The Springbrook congregation will be putting on an a cappella, gospel musical, entitled "Skeletons in the Closet," set to debut in November 2016. An informational meeting will be Saturday, October 17th, 12:00 noon to 1:30 pm at the Springbrook building. More information can be found on the flyer posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.

**Recent Visitors:** Joe Botts - Pasco, WA; Dave Frost - Puyallup, WA; Darin & Michelle McPhail - Eatonville, WA; Shantel & Elston Williams.

## Prayer List

- ♥ Please pray for our search for a preacher for our congregation.
- ♥ Please pray for safe travels for **Mark and Sue Jamieson**. Mark will be trying out for the preacher position here at Puyallup.
- ♥ **Arlene Luton** fell last week and broke her hip and arm. She has limited use of her leg and no use of her arm. She has been moved to a rehabilitation facility in Tacoma. Please pray for a quick recovery.

## Prayer List (cont'd)

- ♥ Please pray for peace and comfort for **Jan Brondstetter's family**. Jan passed away unexpectedly last week.
- ♥ **Bob Speck**, Sue Pedersen's dad, had a heart attack and had a stent put in. Please pray for his recovery to go well.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Charles Ames'** radiation treatments to go well.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Don Jackson** and his recovery from the motorcycle accident.
- ♥ **Marjorie Eldred** would like prayers for her family's health and with the stress issues involved there.
- ♥ **Jo Dake** is in constant pain. Please pray for her to find relief from the pain.
- ♥ **Ida Reiff** is in constant pain. Please pray for her to find relief from the pain.
- ♥ **Our Bible Studies:** Tyler Street Family Campus & private studies with individuals.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **SIBI NW Students:** Doug Sears, Bobby Lumpkin.
- ♥ **Healthy Babies and Mothers:** Alethea Brown.
- ♥ **Traveling:** Ruth Bailey, Farnsworths, Gerit Richardson.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, Eric Buggeln, TJ Bostic, Ryan Brown, Curtis Ringus, Tim Chafins.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Jorene Dake, Clio Eldred, Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Jolene Bartlett, Morgana Seay, Roger Dayton, Don Jackson, Brian Hevly, Rod & Kaylee Wright, Chandler Howard, Shaye Bailey, Bob Gee, Charles Ames, Stephanie Marzolf, Vicki Resol, Mark & Barbara Albertson, Harrison Waldron, Wanda Turner, Charles Ames,

## Prayers of Thanksgiving

- ♥ **Jolene Bartlett** is so thankful to God for answering her prayers. Her A1C came back showing she has lowered her blood sugar levels enough to be able to schedule surgery.