

Speakers and Sermons

AM Sermon:

Bob Stump

“From Awesome to Gruesome to Awesome”

Matthew 17:1-9

PM Sermon:

Hugh Kile

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 10 am - 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 October: Bob Sallee

Care Group for October: Care Group 6 (Maxwell)

Baby Bank Items Needed: Boys clothing size 2T – 3T
Electronic toys with batteries

ATTENDANCE 10/8: Bible class: 136 Worship: 192

CONTRIBUTION 10/8: \$6,413.00

AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION Sept: \$5,251.00

BUILDING PLEDGE FUND: \$646,348.67

Elders:

Chris Bartlett 253-732-7313

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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

Oct 15

Mark Brown

T. Maxwell

M. Farnsworth

G. Nighswonger

B. Stump

J. Karkosky

K. Petty

J. Hennig

R. Dagley

C. Clinton

M. Harmon

J. Charpentier

Oct 22

C. Bartlett

T. Maxwell

J. Charpentier

L. Bertram

T. Maxwell

J. Santiesteban

L. Redelsperger

K. Lessley

D. Fabbrie

F. Petraski

A. Farley

J. Bowers

EVENING SERVICE

Ann/Prayer

Song Leader

Sermon

Table/Closing Prayer

K. Lessley

J. Bertram

H. Kile

B. Staggs

G. McCaul

M. Brown

T. Maxwell

B. Stump

WEDNESDAY

Oct 18

T. Maxwell

Oct 25

B. Stump



October 15, 2023

The Value of Worship

Have you ever asked the question, “Is worship valuable?” If you have not, ask yourself, “Is worship valuable to me?” Regarding worship, Jesus said, “But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship him. God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth” (John 4:23-24). The word “worship” is used 64 times in the Old Testament and 44 times in the New Testament (King James Version). You can see after studying the word “worship” that it is used when applied to God always in a positive, uplifting, and edifying light.

How do we value worship? It is interesting to me that to a degree we have made worship cheap. (cont.)

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Sunday Bible Classes: 10 am
Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm
Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

We have made it common. We have made it a place where we are not focused upon God. Answer these questions in your mind: Do we prepare for worship? Are we distracted during worship? Do we make worship a priority? Are we engaged in technology/talking during worship? As you answer these questions please consider the importance of worship.

- **Worship is preparation for Heaven** (Matthew 6:10, Matthew 26:39).
- **Worship is a place of security** (Romans 8:28, Hebrews 10:35-36).
- **Worship is joyful obedience** (Hebrews 10:25, John 14:15-23).
- **Worship is a place to belong** (2 Corinthians 6:17-18, 1 John 4:23-24).
- **Worship is a place where Jesus expects Christians be filled with the characteristics of truthfulness** (John 4:23).

Worship is a privilege that we have been blessed with by the planning and foreknowledge of God. Let us submit to God's will (Acts 10:33) and become a living sacrifice (Romans 12:1-2). Let us approach worship with reverence, humility, and joy as we obey God together. This gives each of us an opportunity to think of our lives and how we can be more prepared for worship and find ways to involve others in our worship.

Jonathan Burns
Findlay church of Christ
Sparta, TN

Upcoming Puyallup Events

Maggie Milligan's Memorial Service: There will be a memorial service for Maggie here at the building on Saturday, October 28 at 10:00a. The family plans to serve coffee and cookies/sweets/desserts afterward. ***Please let Shannon Dacca know if you'd like to help provide desserts.***

Adult Friday Night Alive is this Friday, 10/20, 6:00 pm, at the church building. ***Please RSVP to Betty Hosier or Jason and Hayley Hennig if you plan to attend and bring a potluck dish to share.***

Monthly Game Night is this Saturday, 10/21, 5:00 pm at the church building. ***Please bring dinner appetizers, snacks, desserts, and games to share.*** Even if you don't enjoy board games, come to the building during that time to share food, visit and laugh together. It's a great time of fellowship!

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 bring finger foods to share.***

5th Sunday Areawide Singing: The next 5th Sunday Singing will be October 29, 5:00 pm at Lakeview church of Christ. Lakeview will be providing soups and drinks for the dinner afterward. ***Please bring desserts and bread rolls to share.***

Ladies Afternoon Out: Mark your calendars for Saturday, November 11 at 1:00p at BJ's Restaurant on South Hill. ***Contact Donna Welzmler to RSVP.***

This Week's Bible Reading
Matthew 20 - Mark 12

Areawide Events
more info posted in foyer

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.

Singing Event: The Kirkland church of Christ will be hosting an acapella singing event November 4, 2023 at 6:00 pm. The theme is "How Deep the Father's Love."

Delano Bay Christian Camp: Summer camps 2024 are a go! DBCC shared the following news:

"Get excited for summer camps! Despite potential challenges, we're committed to making them happen...even if we have to cook outside in a tent! Delano Bay Christian Camp is a critical ministry, so we're moving forward regardless of the Granberg Lodge's status. Please join us in prayer that we will overcome all obstacles and challenges as we seek to Encounter Christ."

2024 DBCC dates:

Spring Retreat (7th-12th Grade) - May 3-5
DBCC Family Day 2024 - June 1
STS (8th-12th Grade) - June 30-July 5
1st-3rd Grade Camp - July 7-10
YTS (4th-7th Grade) - July 21-25

Opportunities to Give

Delano Bay Christian Camp: Many of our youth are excited that camps are finally scheduled to start up again in 2024! However, DBCC does still need monetary donations to repair and improve the cabins where the children stay and other areas of the camp. Contact Gene McCaul with any questions about the work at DBCC. If you would like to donate, ***please write DBCC or Delano in the memo line of your checks or electronic donations.*** You can also donate to DBCC directly online at delanobay.org.

23rd Annual Orphan Sunday is November 12. We will take up a special collection that day to help support Orphan's Lifeline Int'l. More information will be coming soon.