

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 on the Holy Spirit. Contact person: Keith Petty.

The Senior Saints Bible Study: Tuesdays, 10:30 am in the downstairs SIBI classroom. 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. 26 **AM Sermon: Robert Henton - "Needs" Romans 8:31-37**

PM Sermon: Bob Stump - "It's Past Time to Make the Call" Genesis 4:25-26

To Request Recordings: jcdstorm300@yahoo.com

Class Topics



Sunday Morning Adults: Auditorium -
"The Barnabas Factor"
Adults: SIBI classroom - "Personal Evangelism"
Wednesday Evening Adults: Auditorium -
"Timothy and Titus"

ATTENDANCE 10/19: 120 CONTRIBUTION 10/19: \$2,331.00
AVG. CONTRIBUTION SEPT.: \$2,688.25

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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. 29
Elder for Nov.
Deacon for Nov.
Ladies' Committee for Nov.

OCT. 26

B. Sallee
D. Reitan
B. Stump
S. Ringus
J. Santiesteban
G. Linton
B. Reiff
C. Ebenstiner
R. Henton
D. Collins
K. Wilson

NOV. 2

G. McCaul
M. Brown
C. Johnson
J. Monts
J. Santiesteban
K. Petty
F. Reiff
J. Ravet
R. Henton
K. Wilson
H. Kile

J. Monts
M. Brown
B. Stump
G. McCaul
G. McCaul
R. Henton
G. McCaul
H. Kile

M. Brown
J. Johnson
G. Gilbert
J. Monts
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J. Bartlett and S. Farnsworth

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WELCOME VISITORS!

Sunday Bible Study: 10 am

Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

Is the Church a Blessing or a Curse?

Christians spend more time complaining about the Lord's Church than they do examining the blessings within their grasp. We're like the person who visits a world champion rose garden and only sees the thorns.



"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ" (Ephesians 1:3, NKJV).

Likewise, Christians are the greatest people on earth and all we do is gripe about them. We may need a spiritual attitude adjustment. Let's get back in the Book and out of the hedges.

Christians in the book of Hebrews were discouraged. Yet, God gave them sufficient reason to stay with Christ. In Hebrews 12:22-24, we find that our fellowship is extraordinary and should bring exaltation to our hearts.

First, we have a spiritual fellowship (12:22). Israel stood before Mt Sinai as they were about to receive the law of God (Exodus 19; Hebrews 12:18-21). They were in the presence of the Lord as are we today (Exodus 3:5; Psalm 76:2; Ephesians 2:19).

Second, we have an immortal fellowship (12:22). When we think about the "innumerable company of angels," we're reminded of the majesty of the heavenly throne room (Revelation 4-5). What an awesome company there is around us!

Third, we have a universal fellowship (12:23). Christians all over the world are bound together in the Lord. The greatest body ever assembled stands with God against evil and we should be immensely proud (Luke 10:20; Matthew 23:7-8).


Fourth, we have a divine fellowship (12:24). We're a part of a better covenant (Hebrews 8:6) and we are God's family.

Fifth, we have a redeeming fellowship (12:24). All the saved are in Christ and receiving the blessings that come from this unparalleled union (Ephesians 1:22-23). Together, we can walk in Christ with his blood cleansing us from our sins (1 John 1:7).


Brethren, cheer up. God will win and so will we (1 Corinthians 15:26).


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Family News

 **Welcome to Puyallup:** Guy and Ara Gilbert would like to let the congregation know that they are wanting to associate and work with the church here in Puyallup. Their address is 20119 120th Ave. E., Graham, WA 98338. Their phone number is 509-387-6688 and email address is guyara76@msn.com. Welcome to Puyallup Guy and Ara! We are glad you are here!

Also, their son-in-law and daughter, Mitch and Clasina Brummett, are wanting to associate and work with the church here in Puyallup. Their address is 20119 120th Ave. E., Graham, WA 98338. Their phone number is 253-307-1549. Welcome to Puyallup Mitch and Clasina! We are glad you are here!

 **Directory Update:** Please update your directories with the following information for Doris Harmon: Her address is 201 27th Ave. SE #C125 Puyallup, WA 98374 and her phone number is 253-286-7194.

 **Men's Breakfast:** There will be a Men's Breakfast Saturday, November 1st, 8:00 am at the Lakeview church of Christ. The cost is a suggested donation of \$4.00 and all proceeds support Delano Bay Christian Camp. The hosting congregation is Port Orchard.

Family News (cont'd)




Monthly Fellowship Meal: The monthly fellowship meal will be Sunday, November 2, after morning worship. Everyone is invited to stay and partake of the good food and fellowship.



Friday Night Singing: The Friday Night Singing will be starting back up and will be Friday, November 7th, 7:00 pm at Jim & Debbie Johnson's home. Everyone is invited to join us for a fun evening of singing and learning new songs.



Please note the following: If you would like to request a recording of a class or sermon, please email John Dacca at jcdstorm300@yahoo.com to let him know. Also, all song leaders, please email or text your song selections by Saturday afternoon to Mark Brown at lordshadowfox@comcast.net or 253-202-4284. That way song selections will be all cued up and ready to go for services.

 **Thank You:** Thank you for all the cards, calls, texts, and Facebook messages. Your love and concern mean so much to me at this time. I'm so thankful for my church family. Love Sue Pedersen

Prayer List

- ♥ **Linda Dayton** is continuing with the chemo treatments. Please pray for the treatments to go well and to be affective in treating the cancer.
- ♥ **Marcia Cline**, Gene's mother, will be having surgery October 28th to have a shunt put in to drain extra fluid from the brain. She also has a compression fracture in her back as a result of falling a couple of weeks ago. Please pray for healing of her back and that surgery is successful.
- ♥ **Sue Linton** fell last week and injured her back. Please pray for her back to heal quickly.
- ♥ **Javy and Bryna Santiesteban** were rear ended in a car accident. Please pray for their healing to be quick.
- ♥ **Robert**, Gerit Richardson's step-son, sustained a head injury that has cause him to lose his speech. Please pray that his speech will be regained.

Prayer List (cont'd)

- ♥ **Kelly**, Darryl Reitan's friend whose foot was amputated, needs prays as he is learning to walk once again.
- ♥ **Amber Kile's aunt** is recovering from surgery. Please pray for her recovery to go well.
- ♥ **Tracey**, a former neighbor of Nathan & Amber Kile, passed away. The Kile family would like prayers for Tracey's family.
- ♥ **Clio Eldred's** caretaking takes considerable time just to start his day. Please pray for Clio that things will improve so he can get back here to worship.
- ♥ **Elaine Dahl's mother** fell. Please pray for quick healing.
- ♥ **Debra Reitan** would like prays for her grandson that he would be able to handle his anger issues better.
- ♥ **Bob Stump** is recovering from surgery to remove the growth in his lung. Please pray that his recovery goes well and that the tissue sample sent to the lab shows nothing serious.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Sue Pedersen and family** for peace and comfort after the passing of Russ.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman Halamiccek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO).
- ♥ **SIBI NW Students:** Doug Sears.
- ♥ **Healthy Babies and Mothers:** Elizabeth Chafins, Jacqueline Thomas.
- ♥ **Traveling:** Norm and Helen Mellick, Barbara Clark.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, Logan Peterson, Paul Ramos, Eric Buggeln, TJ Bostic, Ryan Brown.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Clio Eldred, Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Funca West, John Harmon, Kim Speck, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Jolene Bartlett, Elaine Dahl, Linda Dayton, Darrell Minica, Mike Farnsworth, Bob Speck, Ruth Bailey, Michael

Prayers of Thanksgiving

- ♥ **Paris Rogers** is thankful and praises God for the new job at the Tacoma Rescue Mission.
- ♥ **Margie Thorp** is thankful to God for the healing of her arm so she can once again be here with her church family.