

Puyallup Youth Group

All Events listed are for teens/preteens, and their families. **Friday Night Alive** every 2nd and 4th Friday night of the month from 6:00 - 10:00 pm at the Charpentier's house. This is an awesome event for youth and families to enjoy fellowship, games and a meal!

Bible Bowl 2018: The next Bible Bowl practice will be Friday, January 5th, 6:00 pm at the church building. The Bible Bowl is open to any child in 3rd grade through high school and will be covering I and II Corinthians. Please see Mark or Jennie Brown if you have any questions.

Speakers and Sermons

Dec. 24 **AM Sermon: Mark Jamieson - "Robbing Heaven; Blessing Earth" Isaiah 9:1-2, 6-7**

PM Sermon: No Evening Service

Weekly Scripture Memorization: Psalm 41:1 Blessed is he who considers the poor; The LORD will deliver him in time of trouble.

To Request Recordings: mark.brown77@me.com

Class Topics

Sunday Morning Adults: Auditorium - "Genesis"
Young Adults: Downstairs SIBI Rm. - "Introductory Christian Evidences"

Wednesday Evening Adults: Auditorium - "A New Relationship in Christ"

Elder for Jan.: B. Sallee

Deacon for Jan.: M. Brown

Ladies' Committee for Jan.: E. Charpentier & L. Collins

ATTENDANCE 12/17: Bible Classes: 155 Worship: 215

CONTRIBUTION 12/17: \$4,154.00

AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION Nov.: \$4,241.30

BUILDING FUND Nov.: \$4,131.00

CHANGE CONTRIBUTIONS: \$1,628.25

Elders: elders@puyallupcofc.org

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Gene McCaul (253) 863-1234
Bob Sallee (253) 435-7658
Ken Wilson (253) 820-9150

Deacons:

Mark Brown John Dacca Hugh Kile
Jean Charpentier James Heath Javy Santiesteban
Denny Collins Jonathan Holland Jimmy Zakem

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SIBINW Director: Bob Stump (206) 664-1814

Secretary: Carolyn McCaul (253) 845-6312

Bookkeeper: Sue Pedersen (253) 848-5538

Worship Assignments

MORNING SERVICE

Announcements/Prayer

Song Leader

Head of Lord's Table

Assist

Assist

Assist

Assist

Assist Upstairs

Scripture Reading

Sermon

Closing Prayer

Greeter/Usher

Family Greeters

EVENING SERVICE

Announcements/Prayer

Song Leader

Sermon

Table

Closing Prayer

WEDNESDAY - Dec. 27 G. McCaul

Please contact Jon Holland at 209-233-1319 if you are unable to fulfill your assigned position.

DEC 24

K. Wilson

M. Brown

C. Johnson

J. Bowers

S. Fahnstrom

C. Pfeiffer

A. Kile

B. Reiff

M. Farley

M. Jamieson

J. Holland

D. Collins

Heaths

No

Evening

Services

DEC 31

J. Ravet

S. Konwent

C. Charpentier

C. Wilson

V. Blinkov

B. Zakem

D. Barajas

C. Ebenstiner

T. Jensen

M. Jamieson

J. Coop

D. Collins

Vizguerras

5th Sunday

Area-Wide

Singing at

Puyallup

Puyallup Church of Christ



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Sunday Bible Study: 10 am Sunday Worship: 11 am & 5 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

December 24, 2017

Reading the Bible Aloud

2017 is quickly drawing to a close, and the new year is upon us. There are many resolutions and changes planned this time of year, and the success of those things many times is the result of starting off the right way.

The same holds true of a congregation of the Lord's people.

To begin the 2018 on the right foot, we will be reading the entire Bible out loud at the building again this year. Beginning on Wednesday, December 27th, and going through Saturday, December 30st, every member is encouraged to come by the building, go into one of the four designated rooms, and read out loud portions of the Scriptures.

Individuals, couples, friends, classes, or other groups can choose times to come together. The


readings will begin Wednesday evening during our mid-week assembly, and will take place Thursday - Saturday at 6:00am and go until 10:00pm. The conclusion of the reading will be the final chapter, Revelation 22, read by our elders at the opening of the morning worship service December 31st.


This is a very exciting way to begin a new year. Last year the participation and response was overwhelming, and we completed reading the entire Bible (except Revelation 22) in only 51 ½ hours!

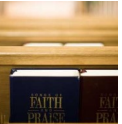
We are looking forward to what God has in store for us in the new year. What better way to put Him first above all things (**Matthew 6:33**) than to openly share the entirety of His word with each other, as well as many of our friends, relatives, and neighbors who may choose to join with us.

Mark

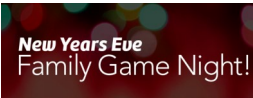
Family News

 **Important Meeting:** There will be a short congregational meeting Sunday, January 14, 2018, after morning worship to elect the Board of Trustees for the Puyallup church of Christ. This election is to fulfill state requirements for non-profit status.

 **Congregational Reading of the Bible:** Once again we will be ending 2017 on a positive note by reading out loud through the entire Bible. Wednesday, December 27th, at evening Bible class, we will start by reading the book of Genesis. Please see Mark's bulletin article for all the information.

 **5th Sunday Area-Wide Singing:** The 5th Sunday Area-Wide Singing will be Sunday, December 31st, 5:00 pm at Puyallup. There will be a fellowship meal afterwards. Puyallup members are to bring soup and/or sandwiches. Our guests have been asked to bring drinks and desserts.

Family News (cont'd)



New Year's Eve Game Night: There will be a New Year's Eve Game Night at the building Sunday, December 31st, after the 5th Sunday Singing fellowship meal. Please bring your favorite finger foods and games to share. We are planning on inviting our guests from the singing who would like to join us for this fun night of family fellowship. Make plans to ring in the new year with your church family.



Directory Update: It's time to update the church directory once again. We have many new families and a few returning families. Please see Carolyn McCaul to have your picture taken and fill out a form for the directory. Also, please check your current directory information and picture. If corrections are needed, please email Carolyn with any changes. Please see Carolyn if you need an updated picture taken. The plan is to have the new directory ready by the end of January, 2018.



Senior Saints Bible Class: Senior Saints Bible Class will be taking a short break for the holidays. Class will resume Tuesday, January 2nd, 10:00 am at the SIBI downstairs classroom.



Baby Shower: There will be a baby shower for Anthony and Courtney Clark's baby boy Saturday, January 13th, 2:00 pm at the church building. Please see the invitation posted on the bulletin board for RSVP and registry.

Prayer List

- ♥ Please pray for **our nation** to return to honoring and serving God. Pray for **the government leaders** to lead with Godly wisdom.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for the **Be the Tree campaign**. Pray we lift others up to see Jesus.
- ♥ Please pray for **the people** involved with the train derailment. Pray for **the families** that lost loved ones and **those injured**.

Prayer List (cont'd)

- ♥ Please pray for **the people** involved in the tour bus accident in Mexico. Pray for **the families** that lost loved ones.
- ♥ Please pray for **the Williams family** in Texas. They lost 3 of their family members in a car accident.
- ♥ **Helen Mellick** will be having a biopsy done after the first of the year. Please pray for favorable results.
- ♥ **Heidi Petak** will be undergoing chemo treatments again. Please pray for the chemo treatments to destroy the cancer.
- ♥ Continue to pray for strength for **Shawna Jank and her family**.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **Clio and Marjorie Eldred's** health to improve.
- ♥ Praise God! **Bob Sallee's** test results came back showing undetectable PSA levels.
- ♥ Praise God! **Barbara Clark's** test results came back showing no cancer and no blood clot in her leg.
- ♥ Please pray for a safe, successful **mission trip to Guyana**.
- ♥ Please pray for our **many visitors** to have open, seeking hearts.
- ♥ **Our Bible Studies:** Private studies with individuals.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman & Johanna Halamicek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO), Ray & Maricela Dennis (Cuernavaca, Mexico).
- ♥ **SIBI NW Students:** Bobby Lumpkin.
- ♥ **Healthy Babies & Mothers:** Courtney Eary.
- ♥ **Traveling:** P. Rogers, J. Monts, A. Flanagan, T. Williamson.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, TJ Bostic, Curtis Ringus, Tim Chafins, Kimberly McGuire, Sergio Vizguerra.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Jorene Dake, Clio & Marjorie Eldred, Norm & Helen Mellick, Carter & Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Don Jackson, Brian & Robbie Hevly, Jeanette Thomason, Wendy (Elaine's co-worker), Connie Sergent, Jody (Connie's sister), Margo (Connie's sister), Sheila (Glenda's niece), Clyde Lanford, Jim & Heidi Petak, Shawna Jank, Arlene Luton, Shirley (Glenda's sister), Audrey (Glenda's sister), Chris Nuggent, Jan Sears, Dave Williamson, Ken Wilson, Laura Petraski, Susan Campbell.