

## Notes

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## Speakers and Sermons

Dec. 25 **AM Sermon: Mark Jamieson - "The Word Became Flesh" John 1:1-5,14**

**PM Sermon: No Evening Services**

**To Request Recordings:** mark.brown77@me.com

## Class Topics



**Sunday Morning** Adults: Auditorium - "The Book of Romans"

Adults: SIBI classroom - "Ephesians"

**Wednesday Evening** Adults: Auditorium - "Learning to Pray"

Elder for Jan. B. Sallee

Deacon for Jan. H. Kile

Ladies' Committee for Jan. S. Farnsworth & T. Farley

ATTENDANCE 12/18: 108 CONTRIBUTION 12/18: \$2,933.00

AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION Nov.: \$3,269.50

## Worship Assignments

MORNING SERVICE	DEC 25	JAN 1
Announcements/Prayer	C. Bartlett	K. Wilson
Song Leader	M. Brown	C. Bartlett
Head of Lord's Table	B. Stump	J. Dacca
Assist	J. Holland	K. Petty
Assist	J. Monts	J. Santiesteban
Assist	C. Charpentier	S. Vizguerra
Assist	J. Ravet	M. Farley
Assist Upstairs	N. Little	D. Jamieson
Scripture Reading	V. Blinkov	A. Kile
Sermon	M. Jamieson	M. Jamieson
Closing Prayer	J. Heath	J. Ravet
Greeter/Usher	D. Collins	D. Collins
Family Greeters	Pettys	Santiestebans
EVENING SERVICE		
Announcements	No	J. Monts
Song Leader	Evening	M. Brown
Sermon	Services	M. Jamieson
Table		D. Sergent
Closing Prayer		D. Sergent
<b>WEDNESDAY - Dec. 28</b>	M. Jamieson	

**Puyallup church of Christ**  
 December 25, 2016  
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## WELCOME VISITORS!

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

Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

**OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm**

## Christ in the Congregation

**"In Him was life, and the life was the light of men."**

**John 1:4**

The greatest need of the modern church is for it to be a true church of Christ! It must be filled with the fullness of Christ, its head (Ephesians 1:22-23), founder (I Corinthians 3:11), and moving spirit. Jesus must in reality be the Lord, Ruler, and Master of the church. It can never follow men, but must always follow Him! He is the sole and only head of the church, and every congregation must follow His guidance in all matters. Behind all efforts to be scriptural in matters of doctrine, worship, and living, there must be their recognition of Christ's personal presence, power, and influence in all areas of the congregation's activity.

**MORE of CHRIST**

**"Christ in you, the hope of glory"** (Colossians 1:27) is the real test of orthodoxy! **"Christ liveth in me"** (Galatians 2:20) is the true measure of soundness! Attaining **"the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ"** (Ephesians 4:13) is the goal toward which the congregation must ever strive if it is to meet divine approval!

Congregations today do not need worldly plans and

programs, but more of Christ! Not more up-to-date schemes and gimmicks, but more of Christ! Not greater social acceptance in the community, but more of Christ! Not a more cultured membership, but more of Christ! Not a more pleasant message, but more of Christ! Not more tolerance, but more of Christ!

Let's strive to be known as this kind of congregation. One that is **MORE LIKE CHRIST!**

Adapted - Rick Whittle, Spanish Fort (AL) Church of Christ

## Family News



**Reading of the Bible:** To begin 2017 on the right foot, we will be reading the entire Bible out loud at the building. Beginning on Wednesday, December 28<sup>th</sup>, and going through Saturday, December 31<sup>st</sup>, 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 January 1<sup>st</sup>.



**Monthly Fellowship Meal:** The monthly fellowship meal will be Sunday, January 1st, after morning worship services. Everyone is invited to join us for some good food and Christian fellowship.



**Men's Breakfast:** The Men's Breakfast will be Saturday, January 7th, 8:00 am at the Lakeview building. There is a suggested donation of \$4.00 with all proceeds benefiting Delano Bay Christian Camp. The host for January is Port Orchard.



**Congratulations:** Congratulations to the new grandparents, Val and Nina Blinkov. Sasha Jayne Blinkova was born Monday, December 19th. She weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. and was 19.5 inches long. Sasha and mommy, Catherine, are doing well.

## Family News (cont'd)



**New Year's Eve:** You are invited to attend a New Year's Eve fellowship on Saturday, December 31st at the Holgate St. Church of Christ located at 2600 South Holgate Street in Seattle from 8 - 10 pm. The program will begin at 8 pm with refreshments to follow.



**New Members:** Steve & Stephanie Fahnstrom would like to worship and work with the church here at Puyallup. We are thrilled to have them with us once again. Their address is 23814 86th Ave. E. Graham, WA 98338. Steve's email is fahnstrom@hotmail.com and his cellphone number is 253-777-7739. Stephanie's cellphone number is 253-777-7738. Welcome back to Puyallup! We are glad you are here.

## Prayer List

- ♥ Please pray for **our nation** to return to honoring and serving God.
- ♥ Please remember **Charles Ames** in your prayers. Pray for strength and courage to finish the race and for his life to make an impact on his family.
- ♥ **Mitch Brummett's** grandfather passed away Monday. Please pray for peace and comfort for **the family**, especially for Mitch, as his grandfather was more like a father to him.
- ♥ **Jimmy Zakem** has been given a 60 day layoff notice. Please pray that God will open doors for Jimmy and he will find a better job. Please pray for **Robyn**, as well as she is also looking for part-time work.
- ♥ **Jimmy Zakem** is recovering from back surgery. Please pray for his recovery to go well.
- ♥ **Heidi**, Amber Kile's friend has ovarian cancer and will be starting chemo treatments soon. Please pray the treatments are effective in destroying the cancer. Also, pray for Amber as she ministers to Heidi and her family.
- ♥ **Jan**, Diane Sallee's sister, is recovering from surgery. Please pray for her recovery to go well.
- ♥ **Cathy**, Tricia Heath's mother, is recovering from surgery. Please pray for her recovery to go well.

## Prayer List (cont'd)

- ♥ **Shirley**, Glenda Reiff's sister, is recovering from surgery. Please pray for her surgery to go well.
- ♥ **Arlene Luton's brother** has pneumonia and is in a coma at this time. Please pray for his health to improve.
- ♥ Please pray for **Jolene Bartlett's niece & her family** as she is going through a divorce at this time.
- ♥ **Mark Farley** is one of two finalist for a job position in Tallahassee, FL. Please pray for God's will in this situation.
- ♥ **Manny**, Maurica Pfeiffer's co-worker's son, has suffered a burn. Please pray for quick healing.
- ♥ **Jonathan Holland** has accepted a job that requires 6 months training in Arizona. He will be traveling there the first of the new year. Pray for safe travels for Jonathan and safety for his family while he is away.
- ♥ Please continue to pray for **the Hevly family. Brian & Robbie** have serious on-going health issues and **Riley** passed out from being dehydrated. Please pray for their health to improve so they can be with us once again.
- ♥ Please pray for our **many visitors** to have open, seeking hearts.
- ♥ **Our Bible Studies:** Private studies with individuals.
- ♥ **Our Missionaries:** Roman & Johanna Halamiccek (Slovakia), Clio Eldred (prison ministry), Mountain States Children's Home (Longmont, CO), Ray & Maricela Dennis (Cuernavaca, Mexico).
- ♥ **SIBI NW Students:** Doug Sears, Bobby Lumpkin, Jimmy Zakem.
- ♥ **Healthy Babies & Mothers:** Bryna Santiesteban.
- ♥ **Traveling:** Paris Rogers, Santiestebans, Baileys, Hollands, Terry Williamson, Tricia & Savanna Heath.
- ♥ **Pray for Our Military:** David Gebbie, TJ Bostic, Curtis Ringus, Tim Chafins, Kimberly McGuire, Sergio Vizguerra.
- ♥ **Continuing Prayer Concerns:** Ida Reiff, Jorene Dake, Clio Eldred, Carter & Pat Conrad, Darryl & Debra Reitan, Joe & Erin Davis, Kristi Whitaker, Don Jackson, Brian Hevly, Kayley Wright, Stephanie Marzolf, Mark & Barbara Albertson, Arlene Luton, Charles Ames, Retha Avery, Barbara Clark, Lucy Shaffer, Jeanette Thomason, Marcia Cline, Glenda Reiff, Bill Brown, Wendy (Elaine's co-worker), Connie Sergeant, Jody (Connie's sister), Sheila (Glenda's sister), Jim Johnson, Ed Bryant.