



Dec. 3rd, 2017

Love  
One Another

Glorify  
GOD

Serve the  
World

#### Welcome Guests!

We're glad that you are here! Please fill out a Welcome Visitor card and place in the collection plate. Go by our welcome/information center (one on each side of the room) for materials that will better acquaint you with Lakeview.

For your convenience, during our Sunday morning services we do have a volunteer staffed nursery, for children up to age 3. There is also a training room, located next to the sound room, for parents with young children to use during any service.

If you have questions, feel free to approach one of our ushers, ministers, or elders.

#### Elders

Kenny Coleman - 423-483-3936  
Darrell Davis - 253-219-9433  
Jim Karkosky - 253-495-8575  
Phil Leupold - 253-732-0692  
Leonard Otte - 253-318-7695

#### Deacons

David Cornwall  
Bob Ellsworth  
Dan Fitzsimmons  
Ray Glasman  
Jonathan Karkosky  
Jeff Oden  
Kurt Turner  
Brandon York

#### Ministry Staff

Dennis Baker - Evangelism Minister  
Ben Cook - Family Minister  
Jim Karkosky - Administration

Sunday Bible Study 9:00 AM

Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 AM

Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 PM

Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 PM

**BLESSED**  
*is the one who*  
**PERSEVERES**  
**UNDER TRIAL** | *because having*  
**STOOD THE TEST**  
THAT PERSON WILL RECEIVE  
*the* **CROWN OF LIFE**  
THAT THE *Lord* HAS PROMISED  
TO THOSE WHO **LOVE HIM.**  
JAMES 1:12

## 2017 Winter Quarter Bible Classes begin today

### Sunday Morning

#### *How To Read the Bible*

Auditorium – Teacher Ben Cook

We are going to take a very basic overview of the Bible, including how to study, interpret and apply what you read. Interpreting the Bible is something everyone does, whether we think about it or not. It's helpful to know that the Bible is a collection of books, how it is organized, and some helpful tips on how to read and interpret each type of book.

#### *Grief Recovery*

Room 4 – Teacher Don Mellor

Almost everyone has experienced grief in their lives. Incomplete recovery from grief can have a lifelong negative effect on our capacity for happiness. But it is possible to recover from grief and regain energy and spontaneity. This quarter we will study the action program for moving beyond death, divorce, and other losses. We will identify how grievers can take specific actions needed to move beyond loss and grow in their personal faith in our Heavenly Father.

#### *Decisions, Decisions: How God Shows the Way*

Media Room – Dennis Baker

We all face decisions. Rarely do we get through a day without being confronted with choices. Some are minor and some are major. To make good choices, we need good data, and there is much that God says about how we live our lives. As Isaiah says, "Your eyes will see your Teacher, and whenever you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear this command behind you: "This is the way."

### Wednesday Evening

#### *Passing on the Truth of Christ, Part Two*

Room 4 - Ben Cook

Our goal with this class material is to direct to truths that will help us raise children who will seek and hold on to Christ in their own faith.

#### *The Disciples Path: After All, Who Is Jesus?*

Auditorium - Dennis Baker

Over the ages, people have redefined Christianity by adapting Jesus to the demands of the times. Scripture reveals Jesus in a way that is compelling and engaging. Our goal with this class is to focus in on who Jesus is and how He lived as way to better understand my own Path as a Follower of Jesus.

## Monthly Meetings

- \* **Cancer Support Group** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues. - Lakeview library at 7:00 pm
- \* **Coffee Shop Ministry** - Tues 7:00pm- Starbucks 128<sup>th</sup> & Pacific
- \* **Ladies' Caring Ministry** - last Tues. each month, 12:15 pm
- \* **Ladies' Prayer Fellowship** - 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday at 10:00 am
- \* **Men's Breakfast** - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Sept-May, 8:00 am
- \* **Military Support** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of the month. Location and time varies.
- \* **Tuesday Bible Study** - each week at 10:45 am, with a fellowship activity on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month
- \* **Ladies' Thursday Study** - Thursday at 10:00 am

Elder of the month for December: Kenny Coleman

Ladies' Committee Leader: Sharon Henton

## Sermon Summaries

### AM: Dennis Baker

*A Shepherd Provides* – Philippians 4:10-20

Psalm 23:1-2 says, "The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I lack. He lets me lie down in green pastures: he leads me beside quiet waters." This captures our hearts because of the trust that is shown by the sheep. Trust in knowing that shepherds are always looking for ways to provide for the flock.

### PM: Ben Cook

*He Saw the Wind* - Matthew 14:22-33

What shifted inside Peter? Only a few lines separate his request for Jesus to call him out of the boat, from his fixation on the wind. His swing from *great faith* to *great doubt* should break a record in anyone's book. Maybe it gives us comfort to know that this happens. Too often we believe that faith is a linear thing - it just builds and never looks back, but there are many things that can shake our faith. The truth is we often swing - wildly - from faith to doubt, and at every turn, Jesus is still there to lift us up. He is faithful even in your doubt.



On December 11th, **construction fencing** will go up! As great as this news is, it requires a change to our newly implemented building access. The fencing will close off access to the doors on the east side of the building. During construction, the only entrances to the building will be on the west side; the door near the kitchen and the door near the ladies' restroom. **Everyone, please stay away from the construction zone!**

## Family News

**Breakfast with Santa** has been **cancelled**. We're sorry to cancel this event but Santa is so busy working at the North Pole this year that we aren't able to have breakfast with him this year. Enjoy the day with your family!

**Helpers Needed**— Bob Ellsworth has shouldering the lion's share of our building, grounds, and maintenance needs for quite some time. We need people to step-up and help with the ever-growing list of repairs. Sign-up sheets are available in the back, by the Welcome Center.



We need people to assist with:

- General Carpentry and repairs
- Plumbing repairs
- Painting
- HVAC
- Light Electrical ( where a licensed electrician isn't required)
- Yard Maintenance



Pat Steele is in the process of moving back into her house in Oregon City, OR, with a moving date of 16 December. She says she had a wonderful time here, and really appreciates getting to know so many amazing

Christians. She'll be visiting the Cook Family often, so this is only "See you later!"

The **LTC meeting** dates for the remainder of the year are as follows; Dec 3rd (today), and Dec 17th. If you have questions about LTC, please see Brett Nowlin.

Dec 16th is a *Service Project!* Christmas baskets preparation and distribution. We will start at 8am.



Christmas Giving



Each year, Lakeview serves the community around us by making and distributing Christmas Baskets that include everything needed for Christmas dinner. We are already done with those and are ready for our next mission.... we'll be providing toys for children. Stockings, with the child's age and gender, are available at the Hearth of Giving. Some even have gift suggestions provided. Wrapped gifts need to be brought to the building no later than December 13<sup>th</sup>. Please see Jennifer Tittsworth if you have any questions.

## Prayer Requests

*Is anyone among you suffering? He should pray. Is anyone in good spirits? He should sing praises.* -James 5:13



- \* Karen Clevestine is requesting prayers for the family of Celia Sparks Hall, who passed away. Please pray for her husband and 3 children.
- \* Lanetta Graves is requesting prayers for her family. Her son, Tarris, will be traveling home. Her grandson is sick with asthma; please pray for a speedy recovery. Lanetta is asking for prayers for her daughter and son on how to raise their kids in a structured family. Please also pray for Lanetta who had total knee replacement surgery this last week. Please pray for a successful surgery and speedy healing.
- \* Lindakay Drake is requesting prayers for Mike and Terry Martin, who are having physical problems.
- \* Linda Turner is requesting prayers for Lester Roberts. He has COPD and is struggling with it. Please pray that his health will improve.
- \* Brandon York is asking for prayers for his grandmother, Sharleen. She was taken to the hospital with abdominal pain and has been diagnosed with ovarian cancer. Please pray for her and their family as they make decisions regarding treatments.

### Continuing Health Concerns...

*Marilyn Likens, Micah Baker, Merna Jacobsen, Joe Behrent, Pat Brewer, Huey Kie, Cheryl Tillman, Art Koch, Daniel Tilman, Fred Callahan, Charlotte May, Bernice Townley, Wilhelmine Conner, Kate Rohr, Kimberly Shields, Jack Voyles, Don Glisson, Doug Smith, Jane Voyles, Henry Hopkins, Lury Williams*

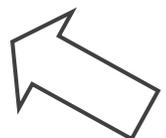
## Food & Clothing Bank...

*Galatians 6:2 "Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."*

This week in the food and clothing bank, we fed 45 families, which totaled 170 people. With your love and support over this last month, we were able to feed 71 families, totaling 254 people!! In December, we will be open the 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> since Christmas falls on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday. We can't thank you enough for this miraculous work.

Our needs at this time are:

Canned Fruit  
Macaroni and Cheese  
Spaghetti and Sauces



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RINGING OUT THE GOOD NEWS

*Delano Bay Christian Camp \* Aberdeen Church of Christ \* Mountain States Children's Home*

## Lakeview Youth Group

Growing in Faith, Enduring Through Challenges, Leaving a Legacy



### Christmas Party - Dec 15th

Come to the teen cottage from 6:30-9:30 pm for some Christmas fun! We will be doing some caroling, ugly sweater contest, and playing games. Bring your favorite holiday snack and drink.

### Stay Informed

If you are in 7th-12th grade, or a parent of a teen, connect with us!

Text- Send the text "@lvcocteens" to 81010 to receive mass text reminders and announcements (this isn't a group text)

E-mail- lakeviewteens@gmail.com - to receive e-mail updates or ask questions

Facebook- Join our group at the Lakeview Youth Group page

#### SERVING

SONG LEADER

PRAYER

LORD'S SUPPER

SCRIPTURE READING

PRAYER

#### TODAY

DAN FITZSIMMONS

KENNY COLEMAN

RICH CLEVENSTINE

CHRISTOPHER BAIDOO

LEN OTTE

#### 5:00 PM

SONG LEADER

COMMUNION

MEDITATION

CLOSING PRAYER

BRANDON YORK

JEFF ODEN

LEN OTTE

#### WEDNESDAY

SONG LEADER

SCRIPTURE READING

PARKING ATTENDANT SCHEDULE TODAY:

#### 9:00 AM

DAVE CORNWALL

CRUZ LUJAN JR.

#### 10:00 AM

DON MCCANN

DAVE NEWMAN

#### DEC. 10TH

BRANDON YORK

KENNY COLEMAN

DON RUSSELL

JERRY GUSTAMANTE

BRIAN TURNER



Nov. 26th, 2017

Attendance - AM 253

- PM 55

Contribution: \$6,976

Thank  
you