



March 20th, 2016

WEEKLY MEETINGS	
Sunday Bible Study	9:00 AM
Sunday Morning Worship	10:00 AM
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 PM
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00 PM

ELDERS

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Kenny Coleman  
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DEACONS

David Cornwall

Bob Ellsworth

Dan Fitzsimmons

Ray Glasman

Jonathan Karkosky

Jeff Oden

Kurt Turner

Brandon York

MINISTRY STAFF

Evangelism Minister  
Dennis Baker

Family Minister  
Ben Cook

Youth Minister  
CJ Mayo

Administration  
Jim Karkosky

OFFICE STAFF

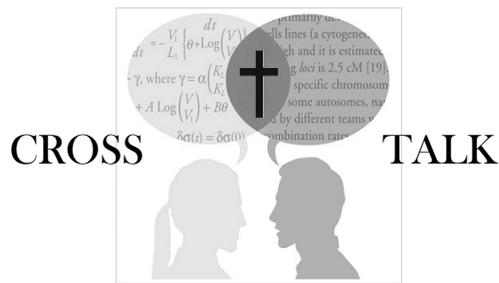
Peggy Horner  
Katie Mayo

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David & Debbie Cornwall  
Machelle Turner



Love One Another      Glorify GOD      Serve the World



He is able, more than able, to accomplish what concerns me today. Do you believe this? You must. This must be the very foundation of your existence. If there is any doubt, you will be hesitant and feeble. Dallas Willard challenges us to have a big view of who Jesus is.

“Our commitment to Jesus can stand on no other foundation than a recognition that He is the One who knows the truth about our lives and our universe. It is not possible to trust Jesus, or anyone else, in matters where we do not believe Him to be competent. We cannot pray for His help and rely on His collaboration in dealing with real-life matters if we suspect He might be unable to help or understand what we need. And can we seriously imagine that Jesus could be Lord if He were not smart? If He were divine, would He be dumb? Or uninformed? Once you stop to think about it, how could He be what we take Him to be in all other respects and not the best-informed and most intelligent person of all, the smartest person who ever lived?

That is exactly how His earliest apprentices in kingdom living thought of Him. He was not regarded as a good teacher who could do tricks. Rather, He was regarded as the ultimate scientist, craftsman, and artist. The biblical and continuing vision of Jesus was of one who made all of created reality and kept it working, literally “holding it together” (Colossians 1:17.) Today we think people are smart who make light bulbs and computer chips and rockets out of *stuff* already provided! He made *the stuff!*

Jesus knew how to transform the molecular structure of water to make it wine. That knowledge allowed Him to take a few pieces of bread and some little fish and feed thousands of people. He knew how to transform the tissues of the human body from sickness to health and from death to life. He knew how to suspend gravity, interrupt weather patterns, and eliminate unfruitful trees without a saw or an ax. He only needed a word. Surely He must be amused at what Nobel prizes are awarded for today.

In the ethical domain He brought an understanding of life that has influenced world thought more than any other. And one of the greatest testimonies to his intelligence is surely that He knew how to enter physical death, actually to die, and then live on beyond death. He seized death by the throat and defeated it. Forget cryonics! He didn't just freeze life; He brought life immortal. It is for those reasons and more, that we stand in Awe!”

-Dennis

## Welcome Guests!

*We're glad that you are here! We have a staffed nursery available during Sunday morning service, for children up to age 3, if that is something that will be helpful to you. There is also a training room, located next to the sound room, for parents with small children to use during any service.*

*We hope that you experience the presence of God in our assembly. If you have questions, feel free to approach one of our ushers, ministers, or elders. Please fill out a visitor card, found in the back of our songbooks and drop it into the basket when it is passed by. Thank you!*

## 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 Breakfast** - 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. even numbered months  
location and time varies
- \* **Seniors' Bible Study** - Tuesday at 10:45 am, fellowship activity  
on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month
- \* **Ladies' Thursday Study** - Thursday at 10:00 am

March Elder: Jim Karkosky

Ladies' Committee Leader: Carol Robison

## Sermon Summary

Speaker: Dennis Baker

### AM: **You Can Handle the Truth! - Luke 14:25-35**

We were made for greatness! It is important that we understand that truth. Jesus has been where we are and He knows our potential. That is why He doesn't sugar coat His calling in our lives. When we settle for mediocrity our lives in Christ will lack joy and power. He gives it to us straight, because we can handle the truth.

### PM: **Between The Rock and a Hard Place – 1 Samuel 27:1-12**

The day that David left the land of Israel and moved to the land of the Philistines, he made a decision that had unintended consequences. Had he known, perhaps he would have done things differently. That is the problem with big decisions. It is also the motivation to be people who strive to follow the will of God, which is a filter for the decisions we make.



## Family News



There will be a baby shower for Ashley Foust on April 3rd, at 4pm in room 4. She's having a boy and needs clothes, wipes, diapers, and washing things. Please see Kimberley Nowlin with any

questions.

**Ladies Night Out...** will be Friday, April 1st at the Lakeview building from 6-9pm. Please bring a snack to share. Come enjoy some food, fun and fellowship. Mark your calendars and make plans to attend. Any questions, please see Katie Towell.



**Women's Only Self Defense class...** A free women's self defense class will be held on May 7th from 1-3pm at the Lakeview building. All women are welcome to attend, ages 14 and up. If you have any questions, please see CJ Mayo.

*The LTC Auction and Luncheon is today following morning service. Below is a list of services they will be auctioning off.*

<u>PARTICIPANT</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>NOTES</u>
Timothy and Liam	Dinner Kits	1 a month for 6 months. You assemble and cook
Haley	4 Handmade Desserts	
Aaron	10 Lawn Mows	
Madeline and Emily	Baked Item of the Month	For 6 months - gluten free available!
Caden	Tasty Pastry of the Month	For 6 months
Joe	Baked Item of the Month	For 12 months
Jesse	7 Lawn Mows	
Brooke	Dessert of the Month	For 12 months
Abby	Babysitting - 5 days	Human babies or fur babies!
Makaela	Meal of the Season	4 course meal for 4!
Mike	Indentured Servant	20 hours
Lydia and Devi	Handmade Gifts	5 Handmade Cards and 5 Jewelry Pieces
Zoie and Janelle	Double Trouble	2 baked goods per month for 6 months
Elizabeth	Art	Original art piece
Nick	Indentured Servant	24 hours
Brynley	Baked Goods	5 items - before August!

## Prayer Requests

*Is anyone among you suffering? He should pray. Is anyone in good spirits? He should sing praises.*

James 5:13



- \* Robin Gillard is requesting prayers for her father, Robert Gillard, whose health is declining for unknown reasons.
- \* Jane Voyles is requesting prayers for Daniel Tilman, who is at the Tacoma Rescue Mission.
- \* Nathan Shank, youth minister at Oregon City church of Christ, drowned and was resuscitated. He is in the hospital in critical condition and will be for several weeks.
- \* Don Mellor is requesting prayers for his nephew, Darin Brondstetter, who has lost 30% strength on his heart's left side. He wears a defibrillator in case his heart should suddenly stop beating. Now doctors say that his condition is worse. They may try a surgical procedure, but his heart is not very healthy to do so. Please pray that Darin's heart gets stronger and that he can adjust to these major life changes.
- \* Ray Glasman's father, Ernie Glasman, fell and broke his thigh bone which required surgery. Please pray for his continued recovery and that Ray and Leann can find a good rehab facility for his recovery and physical therapy.
- \* Marilyn Likens is out of the ICU and has a smaller trach so she's a little more comfortable. She has a new boot but is still not bearing weight. Please no visitors, her daughter will let us know when visitors are allowed.
- \* Hollie Whalen's cousins, Jeff and Stacie, found out the birth mother of the child they hoped to adopt has decided not to go through with the adoption.

### Deployed Military...

*Hannah Inoles, Brittany Lobos, Brett Nowlin, Charles Whalen*

**Continuing Health Concerns...** *Micah Baker, Merna Jacobsen, Martha Thompson, Joe Behrent, Pat Brewer, Huey Kie, Cheryl Tillman, Linda Callahan, Art Koch, Daniel Tilman, Fred Callahan, Charlotte May, Bernice Townley, Wilhelmine Conner, Kate Rohr, Ves Townley, Linda Ewing, Kimberly Ross, Jack Voyles, Don Glisson, Doug Smith, Jane Voyles, Henry Hopkins, Bob Speck, Lury Williams, Cathy Swingen*

### Delano Bay Christian Camp Events:

- April 9th, 2016 - Spring Work Party (adults) starting at 9:00am.  
Work Party Projects: Yard Work, Carpentry Work, Plumbing, Lodge, Quad and Cabin Cleaning.
- June 4th - Delano Day from 10am-3pm. More information to come.

# Lakeview Youth Group

Growing in Faith, Enduring Through Challenges, Leaving a Legacy



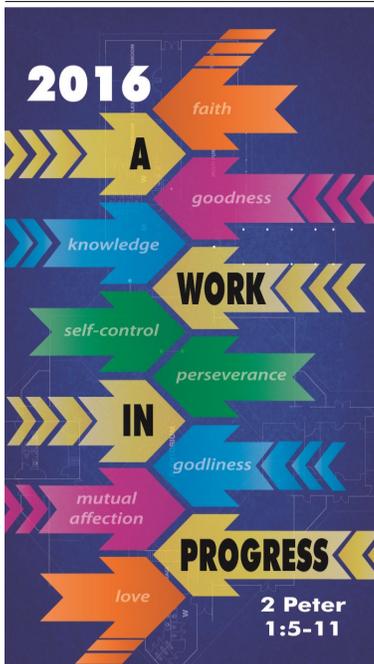
-March 20, 2016- This SUNDAY, LTC Auction Lunch. We have so many of our teens that are participating in LTC, I am hoping to see the most people that we can to support them.

-We are planning a game night. We will be having a praise session along with this.

-April 2016- Spring Retreat (The Forge) at Delano Bay. April 8-10. We are hoping that this event will help us kick start into the Camp Season. This is not a work weekend for the teens.

- We are going to Colorado for our mission trip. We are putting out list together on who will be going if your teen is interested in going please let Darrell Davis know (High Schoolers Only). Fundraising will start next month. If you have any fundraising ideas please let us know. We will be having a Mission Trip Information meeting soon.

Sunday morning classes have changed this new quarter. Jeff Oden and I will be co-teaching based off of a set of lessons that Oklahoma Christian University has put together.



### SERVING

SONG LEADER  
PRAYER  
LORD'S SUPPER  
SCRIPTURE READING  
PRAYER

### TODAY

TIM LEWIS  
BRANDON YORK  
KENNY COLEMAN  
JEFF ODEN  
JIMMIE BREWER

### MARCH 27TH

MARCELLUS STANLEY  
KENNY COLEMAN  
LEN OTTE  
KYLE HUTCHINSON  
JERRY GUSTAMANTE

PARKING ATTENDANT  
SCHEDULE TODAY:

9:00 AM  
KURT TURNER  
JIMMIS BREWER

SONG LEADER BOB ELLSWORTH  
OPENING PRAYER LEN OTTE  
CLOSING PRAYER PHILLIP FITZSIMMONS

DAN FITZSIMMONS  
AL ROBISON  
BOB BOWERS

10:00 AM  
MATT CORNWALL  
JARED CLEVENSTINE

### WEDNESDAY

SONG LEADER KENNY COLEMAN  
SCRIPTURE READING ROBERT GRAVES



6:00 PM  
RUSS JONES  
BRIAN WINSLOW

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Tacoma, Washington

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Tacoma, WA 98448-0347  
Phone: 253-537-5181  
Email: office@lakeviewcofc.org  
Website: www.lakeviewcofc.org

RINGING OUT THE GOOD NEWS

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

March 13th, 2016 Attendance AM: 281 Contribution: \$8,164  
PM: 0 Building Fund Balance: \$741,143

