

March 10, 2024

The shepherds desire to be supportive and accessible to you! We encourage you to speak to any one of us, or write a note about your concerns, or things we might help with.

# Lakeview Church of Christ

2 Kings 5 <sup>9</sup> So Naaman came with his horses and chariots and stood at the door of Elisha's house. <sup>10</sup> And Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go and wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored, and you shall be clean."



Speaker: Clayton Davis

### LIFE GROUP MEETINGS:

Jim Karkosky or Rex Farnsworth
Gary Calkins or Ray West
Darrell Davis or Don Mellor
Phil Leupold
Ray Glasman or C Baidoo-Essien
Rich Ewing or Wendell Tillman
Kenny Coleman or Matt King
Don Russell or Keith Purser

contact a host/facilitator for meeting time

### MEETING AT:

1709 112th Street S. \* Tacoma, WA
Sunday Bible Class: 9:00 A.M.
Sunday Worship Assembly: 10:00 A.M.
(& live stream on You Tube)
Wednesday Bible Class: - 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Class on ZOOM - 7:00 P.M.

AIM - Adventures In Missions Delano Bay Christian Camp Mountain States Children's Home Jos, Nigeria—Tom Ekpot Paris Mission - Roland Mohsen



Preaching Minister: Brent McFarland

# HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR GRAD BANQUET Saturday, June 1, 2024

Parents of High School Seniors, please see Christopher Baidoo Essien for further information.

A BABY SHOWER for Sarah Fitzsimmons will be at Puyallup church of Christ on Saturday, March 16, at 10:00 AM. Brunch will be served. Sarah is registered on Amazon. Instead of a card, you might consider a children's book with your wishes for baby written inside. Please contact Janet Harmon with any questions.

HERITAGE HYBRID ACADEMY is a non-profit homeschool community that meets at the Puyallup Church of Christ, they are looking for teachers and substitute teachers. To find out more or offer your help, contact them at heritagehybridacademy@gmail.com

### **CALENDAR**

- > ASL Class Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7:00 PM
- > Ladies' Thursday Bible Class -10:00 AM
- ≥ Ladies' Prayer Group 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday, 10:00 AM
- ≥ Learn to Speak Spanish Saturdays, 10:00 AM
- ≥ Spanish Language Outreach 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, 5:00 PM

Trey & Lea's Stronger Marriage Workshop August 30-31, 2024

### TEEN CALENDAR

Please talk to Brett or Lainie if you have questions about events.

March 10 Harding University Presentation - The West Coast Admissions Counselor from Harding will be here to make a presentation during the Bible class time, and will be available after worship to answer questions.

March 14 @ 7:00 pm - Parent Meeting on Zoom

March 30 Devo hosted by Darrell & Paula Davis

April 11 @ 7:00 pm - Parent Meeting on Zoom

April 13 - Devo, host needed

May 3-5 - Delano Spring Retreat, see flyer (p. 4)

August 9-11 - Teen Retreat @ Lewis & Clark State Park We have reserved the lodge, but if your family wants to use your own RV or tent, you'll need to make your own reservation. This is for **all** current teens, promoting teens (current  $6^{th}$  graders), and their families. Please reach out to Brett for more information.

"I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes." Romans 1:16

Give ear to my prayer, O God, and hide not yourself from my plea for mercy! - Psalm 55:1

# Prayer Requests

- Cyndi Larsen's student, who we prayed for last week, was back in school and talking to her about what happened; he is under a safety plan and continued prayer is appreciated.
- Cyndi is also requesting prayer for a neighbor who collapsed on last Saturday and is now in an induced coma with a collapsed lung. As you pray for her, please also remember her family. Her oldest daughter performed CPR, with 5 younger children watching as they waited for help to arrive (Dad was at work).
- Jack Voyles' daughter-in-law, Sandy Voyles as they wait for test results related to cancer concerns.

Continued Health Concerns: Joe & Ruth Behrent, Bob Bruns, Errin Calkins, Carmelita Calaug, Rhonda Carter, Ralph & Connie Coleman, Debbie Cornwall, Cheri Grice, Bob & Lily Hanson, Joan Haughawout, Sharon Henton, Marilyn Likens, Mike & Terry Martin, David Newman, Brett Nowlin, Thomas Pruett, Carol Robison, Sunday Sawyer, Doug Smith, Jack & Jane **Voyles** 

# Delano Bay Christian Camp

- > 5K Fund Raiser for septic system repairs! May 11 at 2:00 pm, at Puyallup Church of Christ. Sign up to walk, run, or to sponsor someone at www.delanobay.org/ delanobay5K
- Family Day June 1
- > STS (8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade) Jun 30-Jul 5
- > 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Session Jul 7-10
- > YTS (4th-7th Grade) Jul 21-25

Register delanobay.org.

You'll find details about each session on the website, as well as information about volunteering to help at camp.

Faithbuilders NW - Modern Day Christianity Understanding Truth in an Ever-Changing World Speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way unto him who is the heard, into Christ. -Ephesians 4:15

Speakers include John Baker, Jeff Jenkins, Chris McCurley, Mark Teske, Sherril Weiss, Kerry Williams, and Darrius Woods. For a full schedule and more speaker information go to faithbuildersnw.com

Contact Ryan Hill with scheduling conflicts March 10 March 17 March 24 March 31 Matthew King Brett Nowlin Leonard Otte Eric Roley Communion Gerald Woodford Ron Hollister Dick Towell Kurt Turner Reading Kevin English Don Russell Chet Hunter Ryan Hill Closing Prayer

March 3, 2024 Attendance: 220 Contribution: \$16,056

Tray Passing March: Kevin English, Jose Garcia, Don Langliers, Ryan Hill, David Newman, Leon Likens, Keith Purser, Wendell Tillman

### The Herbert Hearld

The last few months have been a whirlwind. Classwork and events have proved to take most of our free time, but God has proven Himself to be good and faithful through it all. We will finally be able to restart sending monthly newsletters. Thank you for your patience and prayers.

Sunset has been and continues to be fantastic. This term allowed for more practical classes that focused on Christian Counseling and Leadership development within the church. One of Tristen's passions is to work with the next generation of the church and to develop leaders amongst them. He also studied Old Testament preaching, the book of Jeremiah and contemporary writing. All the classes continue to sharpen and prepare him for a life of ministry. Thank you for being a part of that goal. Starting in October, Kaylee has begun attending Covenant School of Nursing. She is currently studying to achieve her RN license. We are looking forward to seeing the opportunities that God will provide through the nursing program. This is a two-year course, so we are set to graduate in the same year, 2025.

With the new year began a new term for the AIMers. They are now reorganized to work in the teams that they will be going to the field with. We have the pleasure of working with the team going to Leicester, England. As AIM assistants, it is our role to mentor these AIM students as they prepare for the field and coach them on conflict resolution and team dynamics. We also take them to work with an area church each Sunday they are in town. We have had the privilege to serve Denver City Church of Christ with the team, and we have been very impressed by them. Please keep these AIMers in your prayer as they finish their training in Lubbock.

We continue to drive to Pecos, TX once a month in order for Tristen to teach Bible classes and preach for the morning and evening services. It is a blessing that allows him to hone his skills as a speaker. The Sunset

Youth Group also asked him to speak on a Wednesday night and teach on the subject, *Living Out Your Faith*. He had attended this youth group himself while in High School, so this was a major blessing to be able to give back.

Speaking of opportunities to present the Word, Tristen was asked to represent the school during the Sunset Vision Workshop and to speak as the student keynote speaker. He presented on the *Power of the Gospel*, using Romans 1:16 as his passage. His lesson focused on empowering believers to stand unashamed of the gospel message, because it is truly the power of God alive in us and not our own abilities.

At the same time as the Workshop, AIM hosted it's weekend Camp Adventure for teens interested in possibly attending the AIM program in the future. This camp, as well as the week-long one that will be hosted in March, is an incredible opportunity to promote AIM and encourage the next generation to consider what they can do to fulfill the call to go into all the world and share the gospel. We helped run logistics for the camp, Tristen worked as point man for a day and Kaylee helped prepare meals for the campers and AIMeers.

Since AIM is building new housing for future AIM classes, they will be ending their leases with the apartments they currently reserve for AIMers. We had been blessed to rent those same apartments from AIM, so we needed to find a new place to live. In December we were able to move into a new rental house that is close enough to Sunset that Tristen is able to walk to school! What a blessing!

Thank you so much for reading this newsletter and praying and supporting us so faithfully. God has blessed us beyond measure, and we pray that He will bless you more than you can ever ask or imagine! Tristen & Kaylee Herbert



# Stop Neglecting your Personal Relationship with the Lord

"Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed." -- Mark 1:35

The main reason God saved you is because he wants to have a personal relationship with you. Yet sometimes we treat spending time with God as an obligation and not a privilege.

Do you really understand what it means that you can spend time in God's presence? This is the same God who spoke and the world came into existence and he wants to be in relationship with you. We need to stop neglecting this time.

When Jesus walked the earth, everyone wanted his time and attention, yet he intentionally got away from people so he could pray. Not only did this maintain his relationship with his Father, but it was his source of strength to face all the challenges of the day.

I know there is a lot going on in your life, but make sure you find time to spend with the Lord. You will be better for it in more ways than you realize.

- Crosswalk.com

# Spring Retreat

Delano Bay Christian Camp

What does it mean to be in exile? Why does this pattern show up over and over again for God's people? How does the experience of being removed from the familiar and taken into captivity shape us? Join us for a weekend of study, work, and play at Delano Bay Christian Camp's Spring Retreat 2024!

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Drop off: May 3rd at 6 pm Pick up: May 5th at 12pm FRIDAY: FIRESIDE DEVO SATURDAY: WORKDAY! GAMES AND ENCOUNTERS SUNDAY: WORSHIP

REGISTER YOUR 7TH-12TH GRADER TODAY! WWW.DELANOBAY.ORG/SPRING-RETREAT LET US KNOW IF YOU CAN HELP STAFF THIS EVENT: MORSE.THOM@GMAIL.COM

