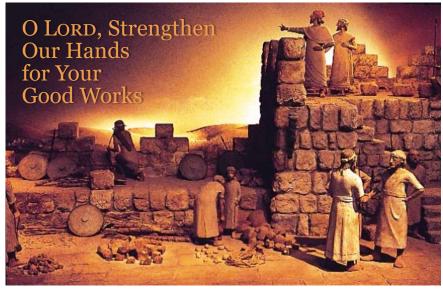


The shepherds desire to be supportive and accessible to you! We encourage you to speak to any one of us, or write a note about your concerns, or things we might help with.

# Lakeview Church of Christ

November 16, 2025



Nehemiah 2 <sup>9</sup> Then I came to the governors of the province Beyond the River and gave them the king's letters. Now the king had sent with me officers of the army and horsemen. <sup>10</sup> But when Sanballat the Horonite and Tobiah the Ammonite servant heard this, it displeased them greatly that someone had come to seek the welfare of the people of Israel.

<sup>11</sup> So I went to Jerusalem and was there three days. <sup>12</sup> Then I arose in the night, I

and a few men with me. And I told no one what my God had put into my heart to do for Jerusalem. There was no animal with me but the one on which I rode. <sup>13</sup> I went out by night by the Valley Gate to the Dragon Spring and to the Dung Gate, and I inspected the walls of Jerusalem that were broken down and its gates that had been destroyed by fire. <sup>14</sup> Then I went on to the Fountain Gate and to the King's Pool, but there was no room for the animal that was under me to pass. <sup>15</sup> Then I went up in the night by the valley and inspected the wall, and I turned back and entered by the Valley Gate, and so returned. <sup>16</sup> And the officials did not know where I had gone or what I was doing, and I had not yet told the Jews, the priests, the nobles, the officials, and the rest who were to do the work.

<sup>17</sup> Then I said to them, "You see the trouble we are in, how Jerusalem lies in ruins with its gates burned. Come, let us build the wall of Jerusalem, that we may no longer suffer derision." <sup>18</sup> And I told them of the hand of my God that had been upon me for good, and also of the words that the king had spoken to me. And they said, "Let us rise up and build." So they strengthened their hands for the good work. <sup>19</sup> But when Sanballat the Horonite and Tobiah the Ammonite servant and Geshem the Arab heard of it, they jeered at us and despised us and said, "What is this thing that you are doing? Are you rebelling against the king?" <sup>20</sup> Then I replied to them, "The God of heaven will make us prosper, and we his servants will arise and build, but you have no portion or right or claim in Jerusalem."



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Phil Leupold Ray West
Preaching Minister: Brent McFarland

### 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

### LIFE GROUP MEETINGS:

Jim Karkosky or Rex Farnsworth
Gary Calkins or Ray West
Darrell Davis or Don Mellor
Phil Leupold
Ray Glasman
Wendell Tillman or David Cornwall
Kenny Coleman or Matt King
Don Russell or Keith Purser
contact a host/facilitator for meeting time



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

# Prayer Requests

- On Friday, Karen Smart (daughter of Susan & Don Mellor) was found unresponsive. At ER she was diagnosed with a UTI, dehydration, and an aneurysm at the back of her neck.
- Rhonda McFarland, Brent's mother, experiencing stroke like symptoms and an brain aneurysm was discovered.
- Tony Pierce was not feeling well last week.
- Kiril Farkov's mother is in the final stages of Alzheimer's, she is bed-ridden and uncommunicative.
- Elisa Farkov's mother has an upcoming consultation with a surgeon due to a recent heart attack.
- Nnenna Hill's uncle passed away, prayers of comfort for the family.
- Keith & Becky Purser's granddaughter Alexis is hospitalized with kidney stones and a high risk pregnancy.
- George Myers, Russell's father, is hospitalized with an infection, possibly sepsis.
- Eric Roley had multiple doctor appointments this past week due to intestinal issues.
- Eliah Leander's ex-mother-in-law, Kandi, was released from the hospital last week, after treatment for pneumonia which was complicated by COPD.

Those with continued concerns: Bob Bruns, Andrea Cargill, Debbie Cornwall, Rich & Linda Ewing, Bob & Lily Hanson, Joan Haughawout, Duane & Sharon Henton, Don Langeliers, Eliah Leander, Marilyn Likens, Mike & Terry Martin, Dennis Mellor, David Newman, Brett Nowlin, Len & Janice Otte, Thomas Pruett, Carol Robison, Sunday Sawyer, Doug Smith, Wendell & Cheryl Tillman, Charles & Betsy Tyson, Jack & Jane Voyles, Ida Wilson

# Lakeview Calendar

- > Cancer Support Group, 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday @ 6:00 PM
- > Martial Arts, Monday & Thursday @ 5:30 PM
- ≥ Ladies' Thur. Bible Class each week @ 10:00 AM
- > Men's Group, Thursdays @ 7:00 PM, ROOM 2
- > Young Adults Saturdays @ 5:30 PM, ROOM 2
- ≥ Ladies' Prayer Group 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday @ 10:00 AM

Reminder! All men serving in any capacity are asked to join together for a brief meeting & prayer on the day of their service. Join us in room 2 at 9:55 AM

**Cejoice**– Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, Mark 16:15 Welcome Calvin Herring! Calvin put on the Lord in baptism on Thursday, after the Men's Bible Study.

# Mission Sunday - November 16, 2025



## Lakeview Website News -

Our new website is almost ready, but we need your help! If you are active in a ministry, we need information on how others can get involved &

photos of events or activities from your ministry. Questions? Talk to Kenny Coleman.

The Kids Christmas Party/Teen Babysitting is coming up on Saturday, December 6th, from 4:00-7:00. Ages 2 years through 6th grade are welcome, and dinner will be served. Please sign up in the foyer by Sunday, November 30th. See Lainie Minson if you have questions.

Let's go Caroling! Join us on December 13th, from 1:00-5:00 pm. All ages are welcome. Talk to Kenny or Cindy Coleman for more details.



### **No Life Group Meetings in December**

We will all be meeting at the building at 5:00 Groups We will all be meeting at the state of the p.m. for singing, prayers, a devotional, and fellowship on each of the following dates:

November 30th, December 7th, 14th, and 28th. Sunday, December 21st, after the morning assembly there will be a luncheon fellowship and a devotional. Lunch will be provided and we're asking members to bring desserts. Lunch Menu: Italian chicken pasta, Caesar salad, & bread. We hope you'll fellowship with us each of these dates, whether you currently attend a life group or not. Wednesday, December 24th - no classes or meetings.

**Sunday Singing** November 30, 5:00 P.M., at Puvallup, They will be serving soup and sandwiches for the meal. Take a salad or dessert to contribute to the meal.

**Arise, Shine,** for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you. Isaiah 60:1

A Ladies' Day on February 7, 2026! Lunch will be provided and registration information is coming soon!



Men's Service Calendar - please contact Ryan Hill for scheduling conflicts in November, Wendell Tillman for December.

	November 16	November 23	December 7	December 14	December 21	December 28
Opening Prayer	Russell Myers	James Reid	Esko Cate	Lujan Cruz Jr.	Logan Foote	Ron Hollister
Communion	Ray West	Brett Nowlin	Len Otte	David Bryan	Don Mellor	Dan Fitzsimmons
Reading	Kurt Turner	Logan Pierce	Miguel Colon	Leon Likens	Kevin Brazile	Kevin English

Tray Passing: Tony Pierce Tristan Pierce Michael McFarland, Kevin English, Stephen Hill, Esko Cate, Logan Pierce, Jeff Bynum

NOVEMBER 9, 2025 Attendance: 213 Contribution: \$8,678

For those of you who prefer online and/or recurring giving, we're providing this OR code link. Thank you for supporting the ministries of the Lakeview congregation, including Delano Bay Christian Camp.

