



CENTRAL KITSAP
Church of Christ

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Scripture Reading:

This Week: Genesis 41

Next Week: Genesis 47-48

Stay Connected

Members are highly encouraged to check up one another, helping when and where it is safe to do so. If your small group would like to get together on Zoom, Contact Jenny Sprecher.

Sunday Morning Bible Class

Adult Bible Class will start at 9:30 on Sunday Mornings presented by David St. Martin & Nick O'Connor. Read Galatians for this week. Look forward to seeing you all there!

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Elders:

John Borrelli

David St. Martin

*Elder of the Month (primary contact person)

*Lane Ormerod

Michael Truan

Teen Bible Study

Attached is the zoom bible study link.

We will be studying Psalms, all are welcome, be sure to invite a friend! Sunday 11:15-11:55

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Attention CK Kids

Ms. Mary has uploaded the children's Bible lessons on the CK Kids Facebook page. There is a syllabus and activities for each week.

If you are not on CK Kids Facebook page, just go to the page and join.

Have Fun!

Deacons:

Gary Enriquez - Admin Gary McArthur - Seniors

David Nance - Worship Bob Pusey - Missions

Nick Ormerod - Grounds / Tres.

SHEPHERDS' CORNER

One must admit that it is impossible to be untouched by recent events. Within the past 12 weeks we have seen the unprecedented governmental response to a worldwide pandemic calling for people the world over to shelter in place resulting in social isolation, economic decline, product shortages, anxiety, depression, stress, prompting fear of others, fear of sick people, even promoting an uneasy fear and uncertainty regarding the future of social interaction in every aspect of human interaction. As time went on though, support groups formed. First among friends, family, and close relationships. Soon after groups grew to include religious fellowships, neighborhoods, and communities. Elected officials, sports figures, preachers, even actors were flooding social media and television ads with a common theme of working together to ensure safety and wellness for all. It seemed for a moment in history that the world, for the most part, understood what was at stake and what could be gained if people would treat one another as neighbors. And then the world watched in shock as the breath of life left George Floyd – and Satan seized the moment.

In what seemed like only a heartbeat, peace turned to rage. Public outcry regarding Floyd's death quickly turned to vandalism. Social media is now flooded with groups who are now at odds with one another, family members are fighting and arguing with one another, and political differences seem even greater as groups further entrench themselves within their given value systems. In a word, our world is in turmoil. As stated before, one cannot be untouched by recent events. The question that remains is: What shall my response be as a Christian? Consider the Zealots, a radical political party present during the life of Jesus. Zealots were the radical political activists of their time. Some even carried weapons hoping to kill unsuspecting individuals who were friendly to Rome and its rule over the Jews.

Despite being a zealot himself, a man named Simon was called by Jesus to be one of his disciples. Not so that Simon might promote radical political reformation among Jesus followers, but so that he, Simon, might be transformed into the image of Jesus, sharing Jesus' message of love, grace, forgiveness, and good will. The lesson to learn and apply is that we who have accepted Jesus grace should also extend his love, grace, forgiveness, and good will to all. That means love those who we agree with, and those who oppose us. We love everyone – regardless of their belief system, political preference, race, etc. Like the song says "Red, Brown, Yellow, Black, White... they are ALL precious in his sight". So, while one cannot be untouched by recent events, one is able to decide how to respond in the moment.

As Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. once stated, "Hate cannot drive out hate, only love can do that". Certainly, a better reaction to any event is to remember what Jesus proclaimed – Love God - Love your neighbor- Love each other. These are the things that conquer turmoil and are appropriate as one's Christian response.

Blessing, Your Shepherds



Seth and Marissa would like to announce that they are adopting a newborn baby boy who is expected to arrive August 8th! They are registered on Amazon

<https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/3T9S1FEP0E6CZ>

Important numbers, emails, websites:

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Facebook: CK Church of Christ

CKCOC website: www.ckcoc.org

Watch sermons WATCH LIVE Link

Online giving: ONLINE GIVING Link

**The Church directory is located on the website as well as Bulletin, if you do not receive it via email.

Re-Opening the Church Building:

I know many of you have asked, "when will we all get to meet again, in person?" The Elders have put together a group to work on this very process. I say process because if you take a look at just a few of the requirements on the opposite page of your bulletin you see that it is easier said than done. This group met twice this past week and have come up with a plan but right now we ask that you continue to encourage one another, call members, check in on them and Pray. Pray that we can safely meet again in person soon. The Elders will be putting out more information in the up coming weeks. But please know the our leadership wants the best for all members of the body at Central Kitsap Church of Christ. Also, feel free to us Zoom for small groups. God Bless

Delano Day Christian Camp

There are many different ways to support Delano during these uncertain times. Go to their website: <https://www.delanobay.org/>

Prayer Requests

Our Mission Team
One Another
Our Country
COVID-19 Pandemic
Our Senior Saints
Our Children

Willie Alley: Is home from the hospital recovering.

Dean Stidman: Will be having a pacemaker/defibrillator implanted on June 15th.

McLean/DeFord Families: Passing of John & Claire's Grandfather. Sarah McLean for the passing of her Grandmother.

Linda Anglada: Her sister Janice was diagnosed with COVID-19, recovering and doing much better.

Steve Price: Has been dealing with sever stomach pains and request prayers that this condition will be resolved.

Eston Mansfield: Started Seminary and request prayers to help guide him through.

Julie Frausto: Heart surgery is scheduled for June 22nd. Keep Julie and her family in your prayers.

Continued Health prayers: Glen Goree, Fred Smith, Daniel Tillman, Cathy Mouwdy, Wade Atchinson (Claire Thompson's nephew), Kathy Summers, Joyce Pirtle, Marissa & Seth Niemi's unborn baby, Theresa Edwards, and Greg Perkins.

Washington State Worship Requirements:

We are currently in COVID-19 response Phase 2. These are just some (not all) of the requirements for worship. "Religious and faith-based organizations are permitted to, provided all requirements in this document are met:

Phase 2 Hold indoor services at a place of worship with up to 25% capacity or 50 individuals, whichever is less, (excluding organization staff)

Hold or provide in-home services or counseling inside a person's residence with up to 5 total individuals (excluding organization staff).

Any organization volunteers are included in the maximum number of permissible individuals. The services covered in these operational guidelines include all worship services, religious study classes, religious ceremonies, religious holiday celebrations, weddings, and funerals.

Organizations are strongly encouraged to keep a log of attendees at each service or counseling session, and to retain that log for at least two weeks. If an outbreak occurs, this information may be critical to help save lives. "

It appears we can open the door for small group study. Any questions contact the Elders.

Mission Corner

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Continued from last week's article...

Last week I shared with you my personal "adventures in evangelism" and requested testimony from you all. I have not received any stories yet, but I do have some more news to share with you about the Guatemalan family that I introduced you to last week. I had invited them to dinner and they accepted the invitation. Then, Saturday night, the little boy (who speaks very good English) called me to ask for a ride to Walmart (for his mom). I told them I could pick them up at 6. When I went to their house, no one was home. I left a note on the door, texted them and then I went home. They didn't show up at 5 on Sunday night for the barbecue, so I called them to remind them and the little boy answered and said his mom had left to go to the store and would be back soon. In the end, they didn't make it to the barbecue. However, the next day I learned that they had tried to come but they couldn't find my house. We plan to try to get together again in a couple of weeks. Relationships can be tiring and confusing. But, it's times like these that I always think about the fact that God has a time and purpose for everything. Then I can be encouraged to try again when it seems like a lot of wasted effort. I know everyone feels the same way and I hope that my experience speaks to you and encourages you when you feel this way too.

I would love to publish your "adventures in evangelism" if you would email them to me at: tpusey55@gmail.com.

I am looking for individuals with unique or interesting hobbies that they would be willing to share with the CKCOC elementary age children with a short video interview (10-15 minutes max). So far we have visited a chicken coop, been to a small family farm, and met a new pony. What is your special interest or hobby? I'd love to come do a video interview.
Contact Lane Ormerod

Prayer Request / Concerns / Needs

Send us your prayer requests or make your needs known. Messages are checked regularly throughout the day (360)692-4900. Or send an email.