

## Special Contribution for Herberts' Mexico Mission Trip

rent, Michelle, and Elizabeth Herbert, who are currently entering the last stages of their degree at the Sunset Int'l Bible Institute, are required to "go out" and preach. So they are making a trip to Mexico to spread the Word of Christ to those that are needing to hear it.

The approximate cost for each of them is about \$1,000.

Today, Sunday, January 28, 2018, we will be taking up a special offering for those that are able and willing to help them finance this trip to Mexico.

We ask that you, at a minimum, pray for them and this mission trip, that it glorifies God, and if you are so moved, make a special contribution for them. Please make checks out to the Port Orchard Church of Christ or POCOC.

In the Note Line of your check write: H-Mission



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### **Welcome Guests**

We are so glad that you decided to visit Port Orchard Church of Christ this morning! Since you took this step to join us for worship, we would like to extend to you a warm welcome. Wherever you are this morning, as we lift worship to God, we pray that you are able to leave feeling uplifted, convicted, or encouraged in your faith.

We seek to worship God like the first century church did, with a sense of awe and with a fear of the Lord. Some things we do might seem old fashioned or traditional, but we want you to know that at its core, it is for the praise of God's glory.

You are not required to do anything weird or ostentatious. We hope that you feel free to join us in worshipping God to the best of your abilities. If you have any specific needs, we have a ministry staff that would love to connect with you. Ask the people sitting around you for names of the ministry staff and to point them out!

Once again, we are so happy to have you here worshipping with us and we hope this is a chance to worship God in a deep and meaningful way.

-Port Orchard Church of Christ

### Save the Dates!

Saturday 02/03 8:00 AM	Deacons' Meeting
Sunday 02/04 9:30 AM	Children's Bible Classes: Start New Schedule
Sunday 02/04	Congregational Meeting
Sunday 02/11	Special Service & Potluck
	<u>.</u>
Serving January 28, 2018:	

### Port Orchard News and Events

#### **Pulpit Preview**

James Greer will be sharing a message with us. Worship Service begins at 10:45. We hope to see you here!

#### Happy Birthday!

January: Mark David-02, Joshua Bedford-04, Connie Switzer-05, Jo Vaughn-06, Shirley DeFord-09, Pat Woodrow-09, Isaiah Zepf-13, Runell Mason-16, Karen Taylor-18, Evalina Kenady-19, Mike Chavez-20, Forest Gerard-24, Michelle Herbert-24, Sarah Blair-25, Hannah Wheeler-28, Tammy White-29, Myron David-30.

#### **Last Sunday**

Brad Orser shared a sermon with us last Sunday. If you missed his message, please visit the church website at pococ.weebly.com to listen.

#### Spiritual Leadership Group (SLG)

The SLG is asking for prayers for encouragement and direction within their group.

#### **Dream Bowl**

There is a glass bowl and blue cards on the cabinet in front of the Missions board in the foyer for members to submit what they envision for our congregation in the future. This bowl is for anything ranging from spiritual matters to physical matters. Please include your name on your submission so that you may be contacted.

Prayer Leader: Ken Reinke Communion Prep: Keagles Scripture Reader: James Green Communion Cleanup: Reinkes Offering Thoughts: Wayne Hammock Song Leader: Gene Gerard Communion Meditation: Brandon Zepf Servers: David Lawrence & Dan G. Ushers: Brandon K. & Terry Bratcher Children's 9:30 Helper: Karen Taylor Greeters: Paula & Sarah Hill Children's Church: Jessica Zepf Prayer Partners: Bob & Sharon McDaniel Preaching: James Greer Sound: Forest Gerard Slides/Lighting: Dale Sanders



### Children's Classes Schedule Revision

Starting: Sunday, February 4th, 9:30 am

Class time will now be at 9:30 rather than during the worship service.

#### Special Service Sunday, February 11th

At our last congregational meeting, our deacons introduced their thoughts for beginning the process of hiring a minister. It was decided that on Sunday, February 11th, during the sermon time, the congregation will have an open discussion on the matter. Our deacons ask that in preparation for this discussion, the body be praying and thinking about this meeting for the next two weeks. Spending some time with the Lord in prayer and/or fasting is suggested. Fasting need not be a days long process, but rather a giving up of food or other activity in order to spend time in the presence of the Lord, seeking His blessing and guidance for a length of time guided by your desire to be with the Lord. Please also be contemplating the qualities you would like to see in a minister. This meeting is the first of many opportunities for our members to voice their opinions, concerns, and hopes for the future regarding the hiring of a minister.

#### Garage Sale for Manger Scene Fund

To have a successful garage sale, donated stuff is needed. Please donate usable stuff. Not usable:

- No big exercise equipment.
- No old TVs or stereo equipment
- No badly stained, excessively used, excessively dirty, badly damaged, unworkable or broken, has an odor or appears to be unsafe stuff
- No items that go against church values or standards

The church garage is available for storage. See or call Barbara Chasteen or Rick Velasco. For help with cleaning out, transportation of stuff, to volunteer your time, questions or suggestions, see Barb or Rick. To donate to the fund or to get a tax receipt for your donation, ask Gary Chasteen. Please donate prayer for the Port Orchard church of Christ building and property, congregation, people serving here, ministries, missions, and goals. More details for the garage sale will be given as the summer draws near. Thank you for your support. -Barbara Chasteen and Rick Velasco

# **Our Prayer List**

#### Healing:

John Bickle

Chris Mitchell

Tony DelBarto (Bonnie's son-in-law)

Karen Taylor

**Daniel Tillman** 

Tammy Avery's friend Roxanne

Virginia Chapman

**Delores Brun** 

Runell Mason

David Latham

Melvin Byrd

#### **Encouragement:**

Gardner Family moving to Hope of Honduras Children's Home
Spiritual Leadership Group
Those Grieving the loss of Loved Ones

#### Traveling:

Sneads, Sibleys, & Frys

#### Other:

Our children, church, nation, President Trump and ministries.

That God will bless our deacons with wisdom in reaching the many decisions they are entrusted with.

Direction of our congregation.

January 21, 2017

Worship: 61

Class: 24

Offering: \$1,432.00

Delano Family Day from Lisa Bratcher Help Needed: On June 9th, 2018, we are having a Delano Family Day (This is a replacement event for Delano Day). The specific help needed right now is for individuals who have benefited from the camp as a camper or staff to be part of a Steering Committee. There are two qualifications for members on the Steering Committee: #1 - You have to love Delano and have a desire to see it continue as a place where young people can find and grow in faith. #2 - You have to be a team player having the goal of making sure the next generation hears about Delano Bay Christian Camp. Please Notify Dennis Baker by February 3, 2018. Meetings will be conducted online with Go To Meeting, which also allows for phone-in participants. Here is contact information for Dennis (Cell # 253.312.7288; E-mail address is be.ye.glad1@gmail.com). I look forward to hearing from you and I am excited about this new event to highlight the amazing place that Delano is.

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