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KNOWING!

There is what has been noted as a Persian proverb which reads:

“He who knows not, and knows not that he knows not is a fool; shun him.
He who knows not, and knows that the knows not, is a child; teach him.
He who knows, and knows not that he knows, is asleep; wake him.
He who knows, and knows he knows is wise; follow him.”

Paul noted those who are without excuse for not knowing what they should know.
(Romans 1:19-23)

There are also those who are continuing in their learning, but without coming to a knowledge of the truth.
(2 Timothy 3:7)

Though we must humbly remain mindful of the reality there is knowledge which can puff people up while it is love that builds up (1 Corinthians 8:1), God has provided truth to acknowledge and come to know so that we can have the assurance of the salvation He offers. (1 John 5:13) There is truth to know and God desires for all to come to know it and so be saved! (1 Timothy 2:4) Are we wisely seeking to know the truth God has revealed?

The psalmist David prayed... “Make me to know your ways, O LORD; teach me your paths. Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all the day long.”
(Psalm 25:4-5 ESV)

May that prayer and seeking also be ours and so be led through life by the truth toward the eternal salvation that is ours in Christ!

Have a great day KNOWING WE CAN KNOW THE SALVATION GOD PROVIDES!

- Carl Hanson

Church Business Meeting after Sunday Worship Service, 5/30/2021. Main topic is the future of the available duplexes. Dorothy's unit became available with her passing last December. Bobbie Blair is planning to move this fall. Since they were in the same building this is the time to discuss whether to continue the ministry or to sell the two units in that building. - Deacons

Dave Dowlen passed away on Sunday, May 23. As you may recall, he had been a minister at Lakeview and directed GNEW for many years (He also ministered with a number of other congregations in WA and elsewhere.)

A memorial service is being planned for Saturday, July 10, at 2:00 pm at the King's Orchard Church of Christ in Wenatchee.

[King's Orchard Church of Christ](#)
[Address \(click here\)](#)

A Call for Volunteers!!!

Delano Bay Christian Camp is scheduling a workday for June 5th out at Delano!
9 am to 3 pm! We need help cutting up and splitting two massive trees before camps start!



We are calling for volunteers with chainsaws, wood splitters, and axes to come on out!
We will also need helpers (and trucks) to clear branches and haul debris to the burn pile and wood to the wood pile.

[More Info](#)

Gospel of Luke

Bible Class

Led by Trent Herbert

Study Questions Luke Chapter 12

1. Why did Jesus liken the hypocrisy of the Pharisees to "leaven"?
2. To whom should we fear, why?
3. How can those who speak against Jesus be forgiven while those who blaspheme the Holy Spirit will not be forgiven?
4. What is the overall context of vs 8-12?
5. Does Jesus teach that we should not care if we have home or clothes or food? Explain?
6. If Jesus is coming at an unknown hour, why do people keep trying to predict His coming?
7. Why do we need to be ready?
8. Why did Jesus come (vs 51)? What does that mean?
9. What were the crowds not reading correctly?
10. Where else in the New Testament do we see Jesus give this teaching?

The majority of chapter 12 is Jesus speaking. He is teaching His disciples and the crowds that are following Him. He gives a reason for His coming that is different than we often think.

In chapter 11, Jesus called out the Pharisees and the lawyers for their hypocrisy and lack of belief, but even worse, they're hindering others from seeing the truth. In chapter 12 as Jesus continues to teach, He gives a warning. He teaches about being ready and what to expect.

I encourage you to spend an hour with us on Sunday nights as we seek to understand the gospel of Luke in its context. We are taking our time as we go through to discuss Jesus, His teaching, and the forces at play. Please join us Sunday nights at 6pm on Zoom even it is just to listen. We would be encouraged by your presence.

Sunday, 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Call Laura Fry or

360-876-2604

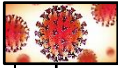
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Our Prayer List

- Jessica Zepf is asking for prayer for healing of her left foot and ankle. The doctor has described it as "Peroneus tendinitis". Jessica has an MRI scheduled for June 2 and is starting physical therapy. She has been struggling 5 weeks since this ankle injury started. Please lift her up in your prayers for healing and relief from all the discomfort she is experiencing. She is still working 2 jobs and dealing with this.
- Tony, whom we prayed for last week has gone home from the hospital today after having received 2 procedures to stop the bleeding. Please lift Tony up in prayer for continued healing and gratitude.
- Gary and Barbara Chasteen received the news that their precious dog Ziggy, has cancer. Please lift the Chasteens and Ziggy up in prayer.
- Paula Hill has been diagnosed with breast cancer. She is waiting to hear from the surgeon. Please lift Paula, Troy and their children up in prayers along with the medical staff that will be treating her.
- Darrell Fry is asking prayers for his sister Myrna who is having dizzy spells.
- Carol Henry's son Steve, received the great news that the results of his colon tests showed NO CANCER! For the next three months, he will receive chemotherapy for the liver. Then surgery will be scheduled.
- Praise be to our Healer. Keep the prayers coming - they are working !!
- Pray for James and Connie Greer who will be driving to Texas on Monday to visit with relatives. They will be gone about a month.
- Prayers are being requested for God to provide Shauna whatever she needs. She is going through a rough time right now. Shauna previously was a member but has since moved to Iowa.
- Pray for Sarah Benjamin's grandfather who has blood cancer.
- Frankie Gower as she awaits definite dates for surgery. Pray also for the medical staff.
- Karri Schmeltzer's mother for healing.
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- Pray for Trent and those who are involved in the Zoom study of the Gospel of Luke on Sunday evenings.
- Pray for our nation and all our leaders worldwide to help bring peace through prayer and God's guidance.
- Praises to God our Father who never fails.

POCOC Web Site (<http://pococ.weebly.com>)

- Weekly Bulletin – Click on **Bulletin & Newsletters**
- Current newsletters from Trent Herbert, Tristan Herbert and Roy Merritt. Click on **Bulletin & Newsletters**
- Live stream of worship services on YouTube Channel - Previous recordings too:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCL_SrX11URAkOYw7JOR9ZIQ then click on the video.
 Please subscribe to be notified when new videos post or when we go live.
- Pre-Covid audio sermons are also still online – Click on **Teachings**
- Current Event Calendar - Click on **News & Events**



MASK UP.
SIX FEET.
SMALL GROUPS.

It takes all THREE.

Sunday Worship (10:30 am – 12:00 noon)

There **WILL** be “in-person” worship

Watch live stream or after our worship time:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCL_SrX11URAkOYw7JOR9ZIQ



Speaker:	Trent Herbert
Scripture:	Trent Herbert
Prayer:	Jim Snead
Communion:	Trent Herbert

To worship from the Parking Lot:
Tune your radio to 93.1 FM
You must be in the parking lot to tune in.

Children will be dismissed after communion (with parent’s permission)
for **Children’s Worship** downstairs

Classes

Bible Classes

Sunday: 9:30 - 10:15am

Adult: Auditorium

Jim Snead will fill in for James while he is travelling

Children:

Combined Class Downstairs

Luke Class

Zoom Meeting: Sunday, 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Ladies Prayer Group

Zoom Meeting: Tuesday, 10:00 am

Prayer Meeting

Zoom Meeting: Wednesday, 5:00 pm

Call Laura Fry or 360-876-2604
for Zoom Meeting ID

Happy Birthday!

May: Gene Gerard – 28, Sarah Hill – 31

June: Judy VanLeuven – 11, Obidiah Herbert – 14, Lila Mason – 15, Miki Gross – 23, Kenny Benjamin – 24, Cathie Cates – 26, Pilita David – 26, Greg Warner – 29

Note: Be sure to check the bulletin each week for Sunday morning assignments

Tithes and Offerings

Since we are once again meeting inside the building, but not able to pass the offering plate, there is a tithe box at the entrance to the auditorium. However, the other options are still available:

- 1) The collection box will be in the foyer.
- 2) Online bill-pay with your bank or credit union. Your bank will mail your check for you.
- 3) Mail your tithe/offering check directly to the Church address. We have a lock mailbox.

Church Address:

Port Orchard Church of Christ
4135 Carr Lane SE
Port Orchard, WA 98366

May 23, 2021 – Tithes & Offerings - \$ 4,690.00

If you have any questions, please give me a call. God bless you. Gary Chasteen (cell) 360-731-4104

How Deep The Father's Love For Us

Verse 1

How deep the Father's love for us
How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory

Verse 2

Behold the Man upon a cross
My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that it is finished

Chorus:

How deep the Father's love for us
Such love the world has never known
His grace rains down with righteousness
And brings us life through Jesus Christ our Lord

Verse 3

I will not boast in anything
No gifts no pow'r no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom
(chorus)

SONG OF THE WEEK

"And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge - that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God."

Ephesians 3:17-19

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