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#### The MIGHTY HAND!

Writing to Christians going through severe trials, Peter urged and encouraged... "Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you." (1 Peter 5:6-7 ESV)

Two actions are urged here.

First is that of humbling self. The Greek translated "humble" is in the imperative; it is a command. God is to be acknowledged as the One on the throne!

The second action is the casting. Peter urged his readers to cast all of their anxieties on God. As God is duly acknowledged as the Sovereign on the throne, life's anxieties or cares are to be thrown on His throne. Let us also be encouraged that His throne is one of grace of which, though we approach humbly, it can be approached confidently. (Hebrews 4:16)

As we humble ourselves before God rather than relying on our own selves, it is the "mighty hand of God" we can trust to lead us through whatever we are encountering in this life. It is the "mighty hand of God" we can look to for the continued guidance we need. It is the "mighty hand of God" we can look to for ultimately being uplifted above the cares of this realm.

In the meantime, let us humble ourselves before Him, lay our cares before Him, and remember how much He truly cares for us! It is His mighty hand which makes all the difference in the world! At the proper time we will be exalted!

Have a great day HUMBLY CASTING OUR CARES ON THE ONE WHO CARES!

- Carl Hanson



If your background check has expired, please take care of that. The list of expiration dates is on the bulletin board across from the office. Blank forms are also there and can be tuned in turned in to Gary Chasteen or Jon Powless.

# **Our Prayer List**

- Sue Sullivan's husband Joe who is waiting for an appointment with the surgeon regarding the growth on his thyroid.
- Angela who is still in the hospital recovering from Covid.
- Karen Taylor's son Thomas and his wife Geri who have Covid.
- Sharon McDaniel continuing to work with the doctors to ease her discomfort.
- Yvonne Lawrence who is recovering from hip surgery and hopefully will move to Cottesmore for physical therapy on Thursday.
- Paula Hill currently having radiation. The blood clots will take 3 months to leave.
- Melvin and Barbara Byrd and Charlotte Hahn in their new residences.
- James and Cindy Snead whose daughter Kirschon who have Covid.
- Tanya Howard's friend Debbie who is now under Hospice Care.

- LaDonna Latham's daughter Laurie continued healing.
- Laura Fry's aunt Joyce treatments for cancer ending and effects from radiation on the rise.
- Carol Henry Smith's son Steve treatment for his cancer.
- Gary and Barbara Chasteen's precious family member Ziggy that her remaining time she is comfortable.
- Pat Hearn, niece of Charlotte Hahn, finishing up her cancer treatments this October.
- For Elizabeth who is homeless that God will inspire her to get the help that she needs.
- Praise God for all that he continually does to provide for our needs.
- Our medical personnel and also first responders and all they are dealing with the problems associated Covid.
- Our nation and leaders. Port Orchard Church of Christ and our deacons, leadership team and brothers and sisters.

# prayer is powerful

Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer Romans 12:12

# 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

Sunday Worship (10:30 am – 12:00 noon)  Watch live stream or after our worship time:  https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCL_SrX11URAkOYw7JOR9ZIQ						
Speaker: Singing:		Scripture: Trent Herbert		Prayer: Levi Herbert		Communion: Jon Powless
Classes						
			Adult: Auditorium James Greer / Jim Snead		Children: Combined Class Downstairs	
Luke Class Zoom Meeting: Sunday, 6:00 – 7:00 pm						
Ladies Prayer Group Zoom Meeting: Tuesday, 10:00 am			Call Laura Fry or 360-876-2604 for Zoom Meeting ID			
Prayer Meeting Zoom Meeting: Wednesday, 5:00 pm						

## Tithes and Offerings

Since we are once again meeting inside the building, there is a collection 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

October 3, 2021 – Tithes & Offerings – \$ 2,680.00

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

## Happy Birthday!

October: Bob McDaniel – 8, Lisa Bratcher – 13, Brian Bungart – 15, Cindy Snead – 17, Brittany Pringle – 19, Paula Hill – 20, Laura Fry – 24, Sandi Warner – 25

November: Trinity Delay – 1, Serinity Delay – 1, Laura Beigler – 2, Brandon Zepf – 2, Jessica Zepf –

7, Dan Gross – 15, Haidyen Jones – 21, Julie Snypp – 21, Renny Woodrow – 24, Haddie Keagle – 29

# **Build My Life**

#### Verse 1

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe We live for You

#### Verse 2

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name Jesus the only one who could ever save Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe We live for You We live for You

#### Chorus

Holy there is no one like You
There is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder and show me
who You are
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me

### Bridge

I will build my life upon Your love It is a firm foundation I will put my trust in You alone And I will not be shaken

"God exalted him to the highest place
and gave him the name that is above every name,
that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father."

Philippians 2:9-11



Watch and Listen to the song here...



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g4KZ8uMGync

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