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Amazed By the WORD

“For the word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.”

Hebrews 4:12 (NIV)

Scripture is a living thing! It is not static or dead. It is powerful and active and moving. It is not only simply leather and paper and ink. It is a living document empowered by the Holy Spirit in ways that no other document is. It will do things for you and to you that will amaze you. If you will read it and meditate on it, it will change the way you think, clarify what you believe, and rearrange some of your feelings. Scripture will cause you to see things differently, more accurately.

You can't live with Scripture very long without it having an impact on your life. Regardless of whether you understand everything you read or not,

dwelling in the Word of God, on your own, will produce a different you...a better you...a stronger you...a more confident you...a more spiritual you!

Are you struggling? Have old habits returned to plague you? Are old appetites growing stronger in you? Is life just hard for you right now?

I can tell you what at least part of the answer is...you need to spend more time in the Word of God, living there, thinking the thoughts revealed there. If you will do that the sharp, powerful, living Word of God will change you!

-Melvin Byrd
August 23, 2011

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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 cen-

ture 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.

Save the Dates!

Saturday 3/23 *Memorial Service
for David Latham*
11:00am

Tuesday 3/26 *Ladies Prayer
Meeting: LaDonna
Latham's House*
10:00am

Wednes 3/27 *Prayer*
6:00pm

Thursday 3/28 *Men's Meeting*
6:30pm

Serving March 24, 2019:

Port Orchard News and Events

Sunday Preview

Darrell Fry will be giving the sermon this Sunday. Service begins at 10:45. We hope to see you here!

Happy Birthday!

March--Ariana Avery-04, Charlotte Hahn-04, Lynn Chapman-05, Brad Orser-12, Garrett Cates-15, Troy Hill-15, Darrell Fry-25, Faith Wichman-28, JT Keagle-29, Mallory Hall-30, Lilly Harris-30, Roger Taylor-31.

Last Sunday

Bob McDaniel gave the sermon last Sunday. To listen, go to pococ.weebly.com/teachings.html

Sunday Night Classes

When: Sunday evenings at 6pm starting March 17th

Where: POCOC

What: *Keep It Simple* (Class will include conversation about the role of women in the church as was decided at the congregational meeting. No plans for reaching a decision have been made; topic will be talked about again at the next congregational meeting on April 7th.)

Who: Bob McDaniel

Prayer Leader: James Greer

Scripture Reader: Darrell Fry

Offering Thoughts: Wayne Hammock

Communion Meditation: Jim Snead

Servers: Brandon Karn & Terry B.

Ushers: Roger Taylor & Tim Duffy

Greeters: Greg & Sandi Warner

Prayer Partners: James & Connie Greer

Sound: Dale Sanders

Slides/Lighting: Isaac Benjamin

Communion Prep&CleanUp: Rick Velasco

Song Leader: Gene Gerard

Children's 9:30 Teacher: Lori Sanders

Youth Worship: Kelli Keagle

Preaching: Darrell Fry

Youth Memory Verses

Recite to Ms. Bonnie on Sunday, March 24th: Luke 10:27

Practice this week for Sunday, March 31th: Catch Up

Memorial Service for David Latham

When: Saturday, March 23, 2019 at 11:00am

Reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall downstairs.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in David's honor at his beloved Yellowstone Bible Camp. Mail donations to:

Bill Goben

766 TeePee Trail

Billings, MT 59105

Notes About Sermon on 3/17

After Sunday's sermon, it was pointed out to me that it seemed my topic was specifically addressing "women's role in the church". That was not my intention. "Women's role in the church" is just the current issue that prompts us to take a fresh look at Scripture and see what God is saying to His church. It prompts us to hold tightly to the Gospel while being willing to look at the things we can change or let go of. Please join us each Sunday evening at 6pm to participate in a journey of discovery.

Sharon and I will be worshipping down in Vancouver this Sunday morning, but will be home in time for the Sunday evening class. Please join us if you are able to.

-Bob McDaniel

Our Prayer List

Healing:

Clyde Griffin, Rachel Karn, Those Suffering from Colds and Allergies

Encouragement:

Randy Knox and Family, LaDonna Latham & Family, All Children in the Memory Verse/Bible Reading Program, Tiny Village Team, Our Congregation

Other:

Northwest Mission, For those who fear the possible Tiny Cabin Village, Our families, nation, President Trump and leaders. Our ministries, Deacons & Congregation.

March 17, 2019

Worship: 58

Class: 29

Offering: \$3,589.88

IJM Fundraiser

There are earrings, eye magnets, and wire flowers in the foyer. Please leave a donation for IJM in the piggy bank and take home a gift. Suggested donation is \$1.

Garage Sale

To have a successful garage sale, donated stuff is needed.

Please donate usable stuff.

- 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
 - No items that go against church values or standards
- Use of funds to be determined. Please contact Barbara Chasteen to deliver your stuff.

Easter Plans

When: Sunday, April 21st

8:30am: Breakfast of ham, eggs, and sausage provided through the church and sides provided through potluck

9:30am: Egg Scramble (We don't really have places to hide eggs outside. Kids will be divided into 3 age categories and unleashed on the grounds to gather eggs from three separate areas.)

10:45am: Special Service

