
Port Orchard Church of Christ

Where

Jesus is Lord, Jesus is Lifted, Jesus is

A Prayer For Mothers

Holy God,

In your wisdom you have made mothering an honored work.

You have given mother preference when she might not be recognized, appreciation when she might be ignored, protection when she might be harmed, and providence when she might be without.

You have given us a world in which motherhood is still valued, respected and honored.

You continue putting into the hearts of precious little girls the dream of being a mother.

So father, we thank you and pray that you will continue to protect and provide for mother; that you will her preference of honor and appreciation in our world where honor and appreciation seem often withheld.

As she gives herself to her children, we pray that you will give her

energy for each day... and night,
strength sufficient for every task,
wisdom equal to every question, and
patience abundant to every accumulation of events.

May she not be overwhelmed.

May she not become discouraged.

May she never feel slighted or devalued.

May love and peace and hope and joy color the days of life. May her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and may he praise her, "Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."

Dear God, thank you for mothers. Please bless them. In Jesus' name. Amen.



-Melvin Byrd, 2007

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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.

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Save the Dates!

Sunday 5/14 Mother's Day

Sunday 5/14 Senior Saints Potluck

Tuesday 5/16 Ladies Prayer Group

Wednesday 5/18 Wednesday Night Bible Study

Tuesday 5/23 Ladies Prayer Group

Wednesday 5/24 Wednesday Night Bible Study

Monday 5/29 Memorial Day

Tuesday 5/30 Ladies Prayer Group

Serving May 14, 2017 :

Port Orchard News and Events

Pulpit Preview—

Ken Avery will be preaching this upcoming Sunday. Worship Service begins at 10:45, we hope to see you here!

Happy Birthday!

May has arrived, it's time to celebrate our May babies. If you see any of these following brothers and sisters make sure to wish them a Happy Birthday! 5/2 - Isaac B., 5/3 - Gary C., 5/5 - John B., 5/9 - Brandon D., 5/17 - Julia Karn., 5/25 - Barbara C., 5/26 - Levi H. 5/28 - Gene G., 5/31 - Sarah H.,

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Darrell Fry

Darrell Fry shared a sermon with us last Sunday. If you missed his message and would like to hear it, please visit the church website at pococ.weebly.com

Lucille Lowe Memorial Service

A Memorial Service for Lucille Lowe will be held on Saturday, June 10th at 1 pm. A potluck will follow the memorial service. Please let Bonnie Mitchell Know what dish you plan on bringing. Please continue to keep Lucille's family in your prayers.

Sauk River Women's Retreat

Sauk River Women's Retreat Will be May 19th thru the 21st. Registration price is \$45.00 if postmarked before May 5th and \$60.00 at the door. Registration

Prayer Leader: Jim Snead

Scripture Reader: Ken Avery

Offering Thoughts: Isaiah Zepf

Communion Meditation: Dale Sanders

Servers: Dave S. & Brandon K.

Ushers: John B. & Jim S.

Greeters: Warner Family

Prayer Partners: Jim S. & Carla D.

Sound: Forest Gerard

Slides/Lighting: Jacob Hammock

Communion Prep: Keagle family

Communion Cleanup: Sanders family

Praise Team: Gene G., Deja C., Brad Orser. Shalon P.

Sunday School & CW Helper: Sarah B & Karri S.

Preaching: Ken Avery



She is clothed with strength and dignity;
 she can laugh at the days to come.
 She speaks with wisdom,
 and faithful instruction is on her
 tongue.
 She watches over the affairs of her
 household
 and does not eat the bread of
 idleness.
 Her children arise and call her blessed;
 her husband also, and he praises her:
 "Many women do noble things,
 but you surpass them all."
 Charm is deceptive, and beauty is
 fleeting;
 but a woman who fears the LORD is to
 be praised.



forms will be on the bulletin board in the foyer or you can go to the website and print your own. If you have any questions contact Karen Edwards at (360) 319-3298.
www.saukriverchristiancamp.com.

Wednesday Night Bible Study

We are still meeting here at the church every Wednesday night at 6pm. Please join us as we pray for one another, worship together and break into smaller groups for a time of study.

Congregational Meeting

Notes from the congregational meeting are in the foyer.

Mercy Me Concert

<https://www.mapquest.com/directions/list/1/us/washington/edmonds-ferry-terminal-361753936/to/us/washington/stadiums-arenas-athletic-fields-everett/xfinity-arena-365212536>

There are two departures from Kingston that fit the concert timing, 5:30 and 6:10. The crossing to Edmonds is 23 minutes, ~30~minutes to the arena, parking and entry perhaps another 30 minutes. Those wanting to caravan, we will be on the 5:30 sailing departing Kingston. There is a strip mall on the right almost immediately after the traffic light on the right-side. If needed we can muster there. My co-pilot's cellular is 360-731-8347. We will be in the Black Camry.

Way too excited!
 Ken

Senior Saints Potluck

When: Sunday, May 14th
Where: Port Orchard Church of Christ
Time: Directly after service

Roy and Jo Vaughn New Address and Contact Info

6704 243rd Ave E.
 Buckley, WA 98321
 Telephone: (253)-862-4461

Our Prayer List

Prayer requests:

Healing:

- Runell Mason
- Delores Brun
- Shirley Olson
- Yvonne Lawrence
- Dale Sanders
- Sandi Warner
- Connie Greer
- Brandon Karn's Grandmother
- Virginia Chapman
- Isaac Benjamin

Praise:

Karen Taylor's daughter does not have diabetes.

Encouragement:

Bonnie's Nephew, Gary and his wife Marcy, Lucille Lowe's family, Seth and Sara Cartwright in China teaching, Our church, Deacons, Ministries, First Responders, Leaders and President Trump .

Other:

Benjamin Mason traveling to his job in Wyoming. DJ Magneson is recovering from breaking her hip. Roy and Jo Vaughn recovering from colds.

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May 7, 2017
 Worship: 109
 Class: 38
 Offering: \$2,837.11
 Goal: \$3,437.50

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Delano Bay Christian Camp Dates

1st-3rd Grades

Director: Jeb Bristow-Hannah

Dates: July 2 - July 5, 2017

Price: Deposit = \$30

Early Registration = \$75

Late Registration (after 6/16) =

\$115

4th-6th Grades

Co-Directors: Jeff Oden & Brandon York

Dates: July 30 - Aug. 5, 2017

Price: Deposit = \$75

Early Registration = \$150

Late Registration (after 7/14) =

\$200

YTS: 7th & 8th Grades

Director: Ben Cook

Dates: July 23 - July 29, 2017

Price: Deposit = \$75

Early Registration = \$150

Late Registration (after 7/07) =

\$200

JTS: 9th & 10th Grades

Director: Brad Grow

Dates: July 8 - July 15, 2017

Price: Deposit = \$100

Early Registration = \$225

Late Registration (after 6/23) =

\$275

**STS: 11th & 12th Grades
(& HS Graduates)**

Director: Carter Davis

Dates: June 24 - July 1, 2017

Price: Deposit = \$100

Early Registration = \$250

Late Registration (after 6/9) =

\$300

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