

## Elders



**Mark Johnson**  
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**Casey Long**  
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**Gregg Strawn**  
Minister of the Word  
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**Jason Swick**  
Campus Minister  
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**Josh Stutzman**  
Campus Apprentice  
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## Ministers

### Monthly Servants

**Eldership Leader:** Mark Johnson

**Deacon/Minister Leader:** Jose Reyes

**Emergency Needs:** Cathy Evans

541-243-3483

**Communion Prep:** Pam McPartlin

**Service Monitor:** Nora Cloutier, Bob Parsons

### Weekly Servants

**MORNING July 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Video:** R Holland, B McCaughan

**Sound Board:** J Gunselman, R Behnia

**Greeters:** J Calkin

L Calkin

J Oxley

**Ushers:** E Bracht

D Brown

**Attendance:** B Sorah

**Communion:** G House

**Count Aide:** K McPartlin

Ca Jensen

Ca Jensen

**Nursery:** J Bracht

S Sorah

**Notes/Cards:** Ev Goddard

**Song Leader:** T Wood

**Kids' Time:** On Break

**Speaker:** J Swick

**Lord's Table:** R Holland

**Servers:** G Brown

F Cloutier

J May

**Open Prayer:** J Hammar

**Pastoral Prayers:** C Long

**July 8<sup>th</sup>**

J Baxter, R Eastridge

R Behnia, L Eastridge

**F Cloutier**

**N Cloutier**

**L Perry**

**J Bracht**

**J Gunselman**

**N Franklund**

**B Sorah**

**Ca Jensen**

**G House**

**J Oxley**

**J & O Parsons**

**O Parsons**

**R Holland**

**On Break**

**G Strawn**

**J Parker**

**E Gunselman**

**E Jensen**

**B McCaughan**

**E Bracht**

**M Johnson**

### Evening Schedule

5:00pm

Jason Swick Teaching

## Please Pray For Our Family

Please pray for God's healing hand to be on those with cancer:

**Debbie Smith** (Florence Purvis' granddaughter)

**Les Brooks** (malignant leukemia)

**Marilyn** (Linda Weimer's friend, recurring cancer)

**Marsha Carr** (Virgil Oakes' cousin)

**Renee Gunselman's father**

**Jim York** (Cyndi Colvin's father)

**Kyle Turney** (former member, now in Texas)

**Amanda Kirwin** (niece of Les & Joyce Brooks, breast cancer)

**Clella Boyd**

Please continue to pray for:

**Keith Cornell, Phil & Linda Weimer, Donna Johnson), Merle & Jean Woods, Betty Carter, Andi Graham (Bill Perry's sister, acute rheumatoid arthritis)**

Please pray for the following members with health needs:

Steve Bray, 48, with stage 4 melanoma. Lives in Washington.

Shirley Womack, who fell last week.

Jackson Elliott (6) who had major heart surgery this week.

Gini, Laurie Eastridge's cousin, at OHSU with cancer in four areas of her body.

Paul Johnson, as his cancer markers are up.

Physical:

Pray for all impacted by the tragedy at Timberhill last week.

Spiritual:

Engaged Couples: Jesse Bracht & Erin Foreman, Alex Aversano & Jocelyn Powell, Kevin Fice & Katie Kessler, Ryan Rapp & Natalie Eastridge, Tom Zhang & Maria Gomes

Expecting Mothers: Daniele Ruocco, Stephanie Watson, Melody Otta

Military: Jordan Paul, stationed in N Carolina in extensive training;

John, Betty Carter's grandson, Navy; James Brogden, grandson of the Bibbs, on the USS Essex

Good News:

Geri York thanks you for your prayers, and praises God for the return of good health.

Loralea Glenn is grateful for God's blessings in her life, allowing her grace and urging her forward. Pray for the next step.

Praise that Sophia's surgery went well! They removed the tumor. Pray for the biopsy to come back with clear margins.

The Calkins are thankful that Clella Boyd, former member, had a negative on cancer in her lymph nodes and for successful surgery.

**Deacons:** Ed Gunselman, Eric Jensen, Jose Reyes, Josh Wise

**Outreach Programs:** Bay Area Rescue Mission, Christian Relief Fund, Clothing Drive, East Asian Missions, Food Boxes, Mountain States Children's Home, Orphan Sunday, Quilts for CASA, Special Situations, University Christian Center



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## Family Newsletter

2020 Circle Family Times

**Sunday:** 9:30AM Bible Classes for all ages

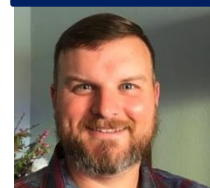
10:30AM Worship

**Wednesday:** Various Life Groups

**Office Hours:** S: 2-5; M-R: 8-4; F: 8-12

## PROSPECTIVE DEACONS

Recently, the Congregation provided names of men to the Elders to be considered to serve as Deacons. The Elders contacted and interviewed these men. After prayerful consideration, seven men are willing to serve as Deacons. These include: Eric Bracht, Rolland House, Ryan McPartlin, Bob Parsons, Adam Goddard, Jordan Strawn, and Jake Shore. The Elders ask you to consider these men. If you have any concerns or Biblical reasons that you think disqualify them from serving, please put your thoughts in writing and submit them to the Elders. Be very specific and include your name and signature on what you submit. Please submit these to the Elders by Wednesday July 4, 2018. If there are no disqualifying issues, we will formally install these men as Deacons on Sunday July 8, 2018.



### "The Main Thing"

1. To **love the Lord** our God with all our heart and with all our soul and with all our mind and with all our strength.
2. To **love our neighbors** as ourselves.
3. To **go and make disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything Christ has commanded us.

### Upcoming Events

**July 4<sup>th</sup>:** NO MEETING

**July 10<sup>th</sup>:** Circle hosting TNT

**July 12<sup>th</sup>:** Hen Party, 1-3pm, Circle basement

**July 14<sup>th</sup>:** VBC Super Saturday



# Gregg's Good News

One of the common activities when we assemble is large group, corporate prayer. If you are newer to church, you may wonder why it occurs and how to participate.

The prayer honoring prayer requests is one way the Elders communicate their love and care for the congregation. You could view it as a demonstration of "love one another" between the person requesting and all in the assembly honoring the request. It reflects Eph. 6:18, "always keep on praying for all the saints."

At first glance, you may assume that while someone else is speaking out loud during corporate prayer the only thing you can do is listen. Another option is to learn to pray along with the person voicing the prayer. Here are 3 ideas I gathered from some of your Christian sisters and brothers. This is what they do during corporate prayer.

1. As an idea is voiced in the prayer, repeat the idea. Paraphrase the thought and make it into your own prayer.
2. Be prepared to say a hearty "Amen" at the end of the prayer. Saying "Amen" is your endorsement of the prayer. It means "truly" or "surely." When you add your "Amen" to the end of a prayer, it means you want what was said in the prayer to truly occur. If you anticipate voicing your agreement, it will help you consider the statements that you will be saying "Amen" to.
3. In the case of prayer requests, keep the habit of presenting those requests to God during the week. If you know you plan to bring the thoughts to God later, it will help you tune into the various details when they are first revealed.

If prayer is like a foreign language to you, practice prayer on your own. Imitating Jesus' prayer (Matt 6:9-13) is one way to start. From there, remember you are simply a child speaking to God, our Father.

Pam and I will be on vacation June 28-July 4 celebrating my sister's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary. I'm glad you can hear Jason in my absence.

PM PREVIEW TONIGHT:  
Jason Swick teaching

## Thoughts, Questions, Notes

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### New Reign Concert

Sunday July 8<sup>th</sup>, 5:00pm, at Metro Church of Christ  
1525 NW Division St, Gresham, OR  
New Reign is OCU's acapella singing group.  
There is no cost for the concert.

### Mollalla Annual SongFest

Come Join Us For Unity Through Song!!!  
July 21<sup>st</sup>, 6-8pm  
Mollalla Church of Christ  
136 Fenton Ave  
Mollalla, OR 97038

Kim Lopez is looking for **volunteers** to help with our VBC Super Saturday on **July 14<sup>th</sup>**. She needs people to be teachers and shepherds. **REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!!!**

### Minister Search Committee Update

Applications are coming in!!!

Pray for the committee to discern God's will as we pick a new Minister.



Leadership Training for Christ, known as LTC, is a great ministry to involve kids into the life of the church. LTC is an intentional way of discipling the next generation from 3rd-12th grade. I've consistently talked about empowering students and encouraging them to grow as disciples in college. Now we have a program to empower the next generation before they get to college.

Imagine the kids in our church working together to create a skit, a puppet show, and a chorus. Then imagine our kids learning how to give a 5 minute lesson, lead a song, and read scripture publicly. Imagine our kids using their artistic gifts to create a worship banner, a bulletin, a website, PowerPoint shows, drawings, paintings, a children's book.

There are so many opportunities for our kids to participate in the church through LTC. So many ways for you to mentor them and encourage them. They will feel like 'this is my church' because they will have a part and will be developing relationships.

If you are interested in being a mentor, coach, or want to help in any way come to a meeting next Sunday, July 8th at 4pm. There will be pizza.



Sunday Morning Attendance	131
Last Week's Contribution	\$4,667.00
Year to Date Weekly Average	\$4,751.74
Weekly Budget	\$4,846.00

**Contact Numbers:**  
541-753-4310 UCC  
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**UCC Office Hours**  
T 2pm-10pm  
W 9am-3pm  
F 9am-3pm



Campus Minister and Family  
Jason, Amanda, Josiah,  
Jaron and Justus Swick



Office Administrator  
Maria Gomes  
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### Many Hands Make Light Work...Get Involved!

Assembly Ministry.....	Gregg Strawn, Casey Long
Circle Facilitator Inside.....	Eric Bracht
Outside Circle Facilitator.....	Jim Calkin
UCC Facilitator.....	Nathan Lopez
Overall Support.....	M Gomes, G Brown, J Wise
Campus Ministry.....	Jason Swick, Josh Stutzman
Connections Ministry.....	Dale & Tami Brown
Discipleship Ministry.....	Jose Reyes
Education Ministry.....	Casey & Darla Long
Fellowship Ministry.....	Ed & Renee Gunselman
Life Group Ministry.....	Mark & Nancy Johnson
Media/Web Ministry.....	Frank Cloutier, Bill McCaughan
Men of Iron.....	Rolland House
People Needs Facilitators.....	Tami Brown & Maria Gomes
Clothing Drive Lead.....	Linda Leslie
Food Boxes Lead.....	Charlene Franklund
Publicity Ministry.....	Maria Gomes
Quilts for CASA.....	Cathy Brooks
Van Ministry.....	Bob & Cody Parsons
Visitor Experience Ministry.....	See Elders
Vision Ministry.....	Elders, Deacons, Ministers & their Wives
Widows Ministry.....	Roger & Loretta Hartman
Women's Ministry.....	Laurie Eastridge
Youth Ministry.....	Eric & Jann Bracht and Eric & Chris Jensen