Elders Ministers



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## **Monthly Servants**

Eldership Leader: Casey Long

**Deacon/Minister Leader**: Rolland House

Emergency Needs: Pam McPartlin Communion Prep: Joe & Barb Hammar

Service Monitor: Loralea Glenn

## **Weekly Servants**

MORNING March 15th		March 22 <sup>nd</sup>
Video: J Baxter, J Fancy		J Fancy, J Baxter
Sound Board: L Eastridge, Ca Jensen		B McCaughan, F Cloutier
Greeters:	P McPartlin	J Wise
	P McPartlin	L Wise
	R Rapp	L Perry
Ushers: J	Gunselman	A Goddard
	D Franklund	J Parker
Attendance:	G House	N Franklund
Communion:	A Member	A Member
Counting Aid:	A Bracht	Ca Jensen
	K McPartlin	K McPartlin
Nursery:	E Womack	J House
	N Franklund	S Sorah
Notes/Cards:	K Cantrell	Ma Pruett
Song Leader:	R Bracht	J Reyes
Kids' Time:		
Speaker:	T Pruett	T Pruett
Lord's Table:	C Long	B McCaughan
Servers:	A Member	J Calkin
	T Wood	J Reyes
	T Zhang	J Shore

#### **Evening Schedule**

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Open Prayer:

**Pastoral Prayers: R House** 

5:00pm: Sunday Evening Worship

Deacons: Eric Bracht, Adam Goddard, Ed Gunselman, Rolland House, Eric Jensen, Ryan McPartlin, Bob Parsons, Jose Reyes, Jake Shore, Jordan Strawn, Josh Wise

# **Please Pray For Our Family**

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

Les Brooks (malignant leukemia)
Renee Gunselman's father

Carmen Warren (Tami Brown's mom), lung cancer Gregg's cousin Susan, serious cancer

Please continue to pray for:

Keith Cornell, Phil & Linda Weimer, Paul & Donna Johnson, Jean Woods, Betty Carter, Al Hendrickson, Carmen Warren, Reneé's mom

### **Pray Also For These Health Requests:**

Bob Parsons to heal from hand surgery.

Josh Stutzman, to continue healing from various health ailments. Ty (Caleb Jensen's friend) to continue recovering from a motorcycle accident.

Everyone dealing with illnesses of all kinds and the coronavirus.

Cyndi Colvin to recover from her severe cold and experience comfort.

Frank Cloutier, who was not feeling well last weekend.

#### **Physical:**

The college students as they go through Dead Week (last week) and Finals Week (this week)

The UCC Mission Team (Josh Stutzman, Tom & Maria Zhang, Emily Jensen, Lindsay House, Ryan Bracht, Thomas Wood, Shelby Park, Wence, Katie, Emily Hoard, Mr. & Mrs. Hoard, and Abdeel (Keizer COC).

Pray for comfort for Becky & Gary Miller and Holly & Ryan McPartlin following the death of Becky's mother.

Military: Jordan Paul, stationed in N Carolina in extensive training; John, Betty Carter's grandson, Navy; Morgan Sawyer, deployed in Afghanistan

Expecting Mothers: Kellie Strawn
Engaged Couples: Cody Parsons and Michelle Maeda

#### Praise:

Praise that Caleb and Taylor McCaughan (Bill and Gail's grandson and his wife) made it safely to Minnesota and that Caleb has started his ministry with a Church of Christ there.

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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# 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

# **Family Newsletter**

Dear Church Family,



Our prayers are that the current outbreak of Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) is over sooner than later. However, until that is the case, we give these guidelines. If you are sick and running a fever, please stay home and watch the streaming of the service which is available live and taped at <a href="https://2020circle.com">https://2020circle.com</a>. If it would be better for you, even if you are healthy, to do the same due to your level of concern, feel free to do so. One precaution for those of us who will be attending is that we have gone back to the pre-packaged communion cups for a while, or we will be using a double cup method in which preparers wearing gloves will put a cracker in one cup and a separate cup with juice on top of the first cup. We now want to ask that everyone pick up his or her own pre-packaged communion before worship. Please dispose of your own communion cups in the foyer garbage can. We will make changes as needed as time goes on. In the short run, wash your hands regularly, bump fists instead of shaking hands, follow the above ideas as fits you, but please know that God is in charge. Please continue to pray that this virus goes away. We are still working out how to receive your contributions, but it's likely that the offering trays will be put out after communion and you can put your contribution in them as you leave.

In Christian love.

The Elders

# "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**

March 15<sup>th</sup>: Camp Yamhill Women's Retreat Planning Meeting: Cancelled March 22<sup>nd</sup>: Cooking Through the Bible, 5pm

**March 26**<sup>th</sup>: Empty Nester's Night Out, 6:30pm at El Sol de Mexico



# Thomas' Takeaways

#### Time

There is one thing that I've found is even harder for people to give than their money. Indeed, many people will throw gobs of money at people and organizations and never part with this much more precious commodity, one that reveals to an even deeper degree what your priorities are and what you believe in. And rightly so, because unlike money, this can never be replaced, made up, or saved, which is why it's so precious. I am talking about time.

As anyone who listened to popular music in the early 20-teens knows, there are 525,600 minutes in a year. That sounds like a lot, but if you are anything like the people I know, most of your time is planned before it even begins. Let's take a look at the 1,440 minutes you get every day. We can automatically set aside 480 minutes for sleeping (if you don't sleep for 8 hours each night, you have the gift of more time than the rest of us!), so we have 960 minutes of being awake each day. If you work a 40-hour-a-week job, subtract another 480 minutes, and you are left with 480 minutes of "free time". If we stopped there, it would appear we have a very well rounded day: 1/3 spent sleeping, 1/3 spent working and 1/3 spent doing whatever we want. But that's not the reality I live in!

This "free time" can include many things we don't necessarily want to do: running errands, cooking, cleaning, studying, doing homework, commuting, etc. But it also is made up of many things we enjoy, like spending time with our family and friends, pursuing our hobbies, or just scrolling through Facebook. It is this time in our days that shows the people around us what is important to us, for better or for worse.

What does your "free time" reveal about what your priorities in life are? What would your schedule reveal about what you believe in? And would you consider investing this much more valuable currency into the people you so generously support with your money? Would you consider investing this in each other? Money is a wonderful and valuable thing, but it cannot buy what time can: fellowship, mentorship, discipleship, and dare I say love. And, what's more, unlike money, we already have as much of it as we're willing to give. Grace to you.

**TONIGHT, 5PM: Sunday Evening Worship** 

Thoughts, Questions, Notes		

# Today's Announcements

Nominate New Elders: Who do you think would be a great Elder here? Write down your nominations and why they would be great, and put them in Mark and Casey's boxes.

Cooking Through The Bible Class: March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 5:00pm. This is a monthly class for children taught by Lois Knutson. It is a great way for children to experience Bible stories in an all-new way!

**Empty Nester's Night Out:** March 26<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm at El Sol De Mexico. Everyone is welcome. Dutch Treat.



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Recently, I've been home recovering form mono at my parent's house in Newberg. I got to see how my parents use their time in retirement. They use it for God.

On Mondays, my dad leads a chess club for the youth group, then ends the night with an Elder's meeting. Tuesday he completes the minutes from Monday's meeting and prepares for his Bible class on Wednesday. He takes a little rest on Thursday, then spends Friday and Saturday preparing the church's curriculum for Sunday. Finally, he brushes up on the latest trends in cardiology to prepare for his medical mission trips to Ukraine.

My mom matches him toe to toe. She leads a quilting life group, cooks meals for the homeless, attends ladies' Bible study, prepares children's lessons and strategizes for VBS. Surplus time is spent making quilts for her grandchildren and clothes for children in developing countries.

So, use your retirement for God. So many baby boomers are retiring, and this could be an excellent time for Circle. Churches had a boom in the late 70's and early 80's as baby boomers started to settle down and have kids. Could we have a second boom as the majority of our church retires and has more hours per day to serve God? I hope so.

# Hope Women's Conference

May 1st-2nd At Life Community Church

Reneé Gunselman would love to get a group of women together to attend this local conference. Keynote Speaker Bo Stern-Brady lost her husband after a battle with cancer and has a powerful story to share. Let Reneé know if you are interested TODAY! There are earlybird and group rates available that we want to take advantage of!

Sunday Morning Attendance 121

Last Week's Contribution \$3,194.13

Year to Date Weekly Average \$4,852.06

Weekly Budget \$4,705.29



Overall Support ...M Zhang, G Brown, J Wise Campus Ministry. ..Josh Stutzman, Eric & Chris Jensen Church Safety Ministry...... ...Rvan McPartlin, Josh Wise Discipleship Ministry.... .Jose Reves Education Ministry. ..Thomas Pruett (CR-8th Grade) High School... ...Eric Bracht, Eric Jensen Adult Coordinators R & H McPartlin, J & S Shore, L Wise, E Womack **Fellowship Ministry** .Ed, Renee & Joel Gunselman Life Group Ministry. .Jordan & Kellie Strawn Marriage & Family Ministry. .Adam & Erin Goddard Media/Web Ministry.. ...Frank Cloutier, Bill McCaughan ..Rolland House, Bob Parsons, Jake Shore Men of Iron People Needs Facilitators.... ...Tami Brown & Maria Zhang Clothing Drive Lead. Charlene Franklund Food Boxes Lead... ..Charlene Franklund Publicity Ministry..... Quilts for CASA.. ..Cathy Brooks Roster List.. ..Maria Z, Casey L Van Ministry. ...Bob Parsons, Chris Gollakner Visitor Experience Ministry. Vision Ministry.....Elders, Deacons, Ministers, Ministry Leaders &

Support Team: T Brown, M Freeman, N Johnson, J Parsons, P Strawn, M Zhang, R Gunselman

Many Hands Make Light Work...Get Involved!

..Nathan Lopez, Bob Parsons

....Lead: Laurie Eastridge

... Thomas Pruett & The Worship Team

Fric & Jann Bracht and Fric & Chris Jensen

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