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## Please Pray For Our Family

#### Please continue to pray for:

Keith Cornell, Phil & Linda Weimer, Paul & Donna Johnson, Jean Woods, Linda Holland, Charlotte Bibb, Glenn Hallas & his family, Deanna Patton, Tim Eastridge, House family, Fancy family, Dale Brown & Family.

Pray Also For These Health Requests:

Please continue praying for Gregg Strawn as he recovers from throat surgery.

Pray for Zach Smith to have a quick, complete recovery from his knee surgery.

Please pray for Heidi Powell as she continues her cancer treatment. She is undergoing gene-targeted chemotherapy.

#### Physical:

Pray for the people in Mombasa, Kenya, dealing with a great loss of homes and lives due to flooding.

Pray for Alex and Lauren Bracht and their marriage.

#### Spiritual:

Please continue to pray for our sister congregation, Metro, as they still cannot meet in their building after the fire on January 12<sup>th</sup>.

Please remember our Elders, Leaders, Elderly members and shut-ins in prayer.

**Expecting Mothers:** Alyssa Fieldhouse, Heather Aulerich

Military: Justin & Briar Rogers in Oregon National guard; Ryan Bracht in Oregon National Guard

<u>Widows, Widowers, and Orphans:</u> Pam Briggs, Joyce Brooks, Ed Calcote, Bobbie Cooke, Anna Dyk, Sarah Giboney, Loralea Glenn, Loretta Hartman, Linda Holland, Susan Melero, Virgil Oakes, Florence Purvis, Jean Schreiber, Luci Spencer, Jean Woods; Christian Relief Fund, Mountain States Children's Home, Orphans' Lifeline of Hope

#### Praise:

Praise God for our wonderful Circle Family!

Praise God for the marriage of Alex and Lauren Bracht! We pray God will bless their marriage.

What do I do at church? 0-3: Stay in Worship, Unattended Training Room in Foyer, Unattended Nursery Upstairs; 3-10: Go to Kids Time after communion; 11-18: Worship, Help with Kids Time

Deacons: Eric Bracht, Eric Jensen, Jose Reyes

Outreach Programs: 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, UCC Mission Trips



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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:** Monday-Friday, 8-5

# **Family Newsletter**



## "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**

May 12th, 9:30am: Bible Class

May 12<sup>th</sup>, 10:30am: Sunday Morning Worship (Livestream available at 2020circle.com):

Wes Hanson: "Finding The Wholeness Of Family Within The Church"

May 12th: Second Sunday, Second Service; 5:45pm at Park Place Corvallis

May 17th: Family Game Night at Circe, 5:30pm

May 18th: Willamette Valley Men's Day at Keizer Church of Christ, begins with breakfast at 8am

May 18th: Guys Breakfast at Circle, 8am

# Motherhood In The Church Wes Hanson

As we approach Mother's Day as a congregation, I will choose to address "motherhood" from a more expansive spiritual perspective. Recognizing that for a variety of reasons not every woman will be a mother in the physical sense, the Scriptures nevertheless urge us to honor all of our older women as if they were mothers (1 Tim 5:1-2). And rightly so when we recognize the labor of love they perform among us.

I am convinced that the women of the church are uniquely suited to express their God-given "motherhood" within the work and fellowship of the church in ways that are necessary and important for the proper functioning of the church. Our older women are charged with the motherly task of mentoring the subsequent generations of younger women (Titus 2:3-5). Our view of motherhood should honor all of the wise, generous, diligent women among us who, like Dorcas, or Apphia, or Priscilla, or Nympha, or Peter's mother-in-law, or Rufus' mother, step in with a motherly hand and a motherly heart to minister to the needs of others.

We should remember that Jesus himself referred to the church as "my mother and brothers" and he promised that those who had lost mothers would find them "a hundredfold" within the fellowship of God's people (Mk 3:34; 10:29-30). Every member is meant to find the wholeness of family within the church- the childless participates in nurturing the young and all are loved by many mothers. The church owes a debt of gratitude to all who serve these motherly roles among us. We should honor our women highly for their labor of love.

Thoughts, Questions, Notes

#### We Need Volunteers on Sundays!

We need people to volunteer for the following jobs:

- 1) Song Leader
- 2) Greeter
- 3) Usher
- 4) Kids Teacher
- 5) Prepare Communion
- 6) Lead Communion
- 7) Serve Communion
- 8) Opening Prayer
- 9) Pray for Requests
- 10) Closing Praver
- 11) Give Announcements

To volunteer for something, please sign up in the foyer. If you sign up, you will be assigned to serve in your desired way no more than once a month.

Last Week's Contribution \$4,542.15
Year to Date Weekly Average \$3,552.57
Budget \$5,960.00
Attendance 97



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My mom, Nancy Harle Stutzman. What makes her great? She taught me to love God at a young age. She would read the Bible to me every night. She taught in the children's ministry pretty much every Sunday, and her classes always had the greatest special effects (I remember a pyrotechnic lesson on Mt. Carmel that included paper rocks, rubbing alcohol and fire). I was touched last summer when I visited Newberg Church's VBS and I saw my mom, training my sister in law, who was teaching my nephew (and the kids of all the people I grew up with in Youth Group). There is no building dedicated to my mother, no song singing her praise, and no plaque giving her the honor she deserves, because she gave her whole life to writing the name of Jesus on the hearts of countless children. Thanks, mom.

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# Sunday Servants May 12th

**Elder of the Month:** Ed Gunselman

**A/V:** N Cloutier/F Cloutier; A Brooks/B McCaughan

**Song Leader:** T Wood **Opening Prayer:** D Patton **Communion:** E Gunselman

**Servers:** V Oakes, J Baxter, Ca Jensen Closing/Pastoral Prayer: F Cloutier

Speaker: Wes Hanson

# Sunday Servants May 19th

A/V: A Brooks/J Boss; J House/C Murphy
Song Leader: N Franklund
Opening Prayer: J Reyes
Communion: N Acidera

**Servers:** A Brooks, M Johnson, B McCaughan

Closing/Pastoral Prayer: C Long

**Speaker:** Wes Hanson

### Ladies' Corner

There will be a Bridal Shower for Brie on Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, so please mark your calendars for that! Brie is registered on Amazon, and she and her fianceé would love camping gear!

#### Many Hands Make Light Work...Get Involved! Circle Facilities Manager (Inside)... **UCC Facilities Manager** ...Nathan Lopez, Bob Parsons Campus Ministry. ..Josh Stutzman, Eric & Chris Jensen **Education Ministry.** ..(CR-8<sup>th</sup> Grade) ..Eric Bracht, Eric Jensen Media/Web Ministry. ..Frank Cloutier, Bill McCaughan Fellowship Ministry. .Tom & Maria Zhang Men of Iron. .Rolland House Clothing Drive Lead. ...Loralea Glenn Food Boxes Lead. .Charlene Franklund **Quilts for CASA** .Cathy Brooks Van Ministry .Bob Parsons Widows Ministry. ..L Munson Women's Ministry. ..T Brown. M Freeman. R Gunselman, N Johnson, J Parsons, M Zhang ...Eric & Jann Bracht and Eric & Chris Jensen