

CONNECTION POINT

OCTOBER 2023

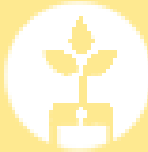
CONNECT, ALIGN, LIVE

WE ARE COMMITTED TO FOLLOWING GOD TOGETHER
CONNECTED WITH HIM, COMMITTED TO EACH OTHER
AND PARTICIPATING IN HIS LIFE TOGETHER

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COMMUNITY-WIDE 24 HOURS OF PRAYER

GIG HARBOR

OCT 20-21 7pm-7pm

SIGN UP FOR A SLOT AT: PRAYGIGHARBOR.COM



Join us Sunday, October 8th during PCF's 11am service as we welcome Micheal Bouterse of Thrive as a guest speaker.

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Seasons

Fall is here. We had a very nice, warm, sunny spring and summer this year. I hope you don't lament the changing of seasons. I admit that fall is one of my favorites, spring being the other. They are both colorful and speak of moving forward into the future, a future and process designed and planned by God for our good. To bemoan the passing of any season, even our favorite, can disengage us from God's well-planned blessings.

Psalm 1:1-3

Blessed is the one

*who does not walk in step with the wicked
or stand in the way that sinners take
or sit in the company of mockers,
but whose delight is in the law of the LORD,
and who meditates on His law day and night.*

That person *is like a tree planted by streams of water,
which yields its fruit **in season**
and whose leaf does not wither—
whatever they do prospers.*

I will remind you that “the law of the LORD” is not an imposition. It is simply the definition of the way things really are – the way God made them to be and how they work well, including seasonal changes.

So, what about the seasons of our lives? The seasons around us pass from one to another continually, year after year. I believe the seasons of our personal lives change as well, and we would be just as futile to resist them as we would be to live as if we wished the seasons of weather did not change. Yes, you could live on the Equator if you like it hot and humid all the time. But there is no such place for the lives of God's people.

There are two opportunities I want to invite some of you into this fall season. The first will be resuming our Husbands Discussion group, Saturday October 28th, 8:30 – 10:00 in Coffee Corner. If you are a married man, or have been, you are welcome to join us in exploring how we can do our best in this vital role we occupy as God's man for the woman we are married to. This is discussion & discovery based, not instructional.

The other will be a celebration of marriage on a Sunday November 5th. Revell & I will be affirming our marriage commitment for the fourth time, and we want to invite any married couples so inclined to join us.

*That being said; some of our life seasons are longer than others and come with unavoidable, unexpected weather changes. Will we weather them? That will depend in large part on whether we anticipated them and have prepared ourselves as well as possible. The weather isn't supposed to define us or our journey. **Mathew 7:24-25.***



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Women's Breakfast

Women's Breakfast is on Saturday October 21st from 9am to 11am in the Coffee Corner. There is time for food, fellowship and a bit of devotional time. Please bring a breakfast item to share.



Women's Prayer Group

The Women's Prayer Group meets at 6:30pm on the 1st and 3rd Monday at Diane Smith's home. Contact Diane Smith (253-970-1568) or at markdianewife@hotmail.com for additional information.

office hours

you've got questions... we might have answers

Tuesday 9am-1pm and Wednesday from 1-4pm. If you have a specific need to see me in the office, please call or text me at: 360-710-9206 or email the office to schedule and appointment.

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GIVING

IS EASIER THAN EVER

Tithes and offerings can be given at church, by mail or online. At church place your tithes and offerings in the box outside of the church office. For giving by mail; send your check to Peninsula Christian Fellowship at the address below. For online giving; go to the website and scroll down to the "Donate Now" button to give through the Tithe.ly app.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

3-Jason and Trisha Weron, 1992
4-Eric Pierson
5-Susie Noble
7-Kurt Mach
11-Tom Fifer
14-Kahri Hanenburg

17-Stephanie Noble
20-Stella Hanenburg
20-Adeline Wilder
21-Andy Bothwell
27-Mitch Jaber
31-Dona and Cindy Delzer, 1987

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Join the Men's Breakfast on Saturday October 14th from 8am to 10am in the Student Ministries Building. There is food, fellowship and a bit of devotional time. Please bring a breakfast item to share.

Husband Discussion Group

Resuming Saturday October 28th from 8:30am-10am in the Coffee Corner. See details in the connection point article this month or touch base with Pastor Kurt..



Wednesdays:

*Join us every Wednesday from 6-8pm in the Student Ministries Building for Youth Group. We will have worship, messages, games, discussions and of course, fellowship.

Sundays:

*Sunday mornings during Calvary's 9am service there is youth church after worship and dismissed during Calvary's weekly announcements.
*Sunday after PCFs service on the **1st and 3rd Sunday**, roughly a start time of 12:15-12:30pm we will have youth small group time with lunch! Join us for about an hour after service as we discuss a bible story and enjoy a meal together. See Charles or April Wilder for info.



Twice a month meals will be on the 1st and the 3rd Sunday. Service will be a smidge shorter and questions regarding the message will be available to spark conversation. On the 1st Sunday of the month the meal will be fully provided, no need to bring a thing! If you would like to help with the meal prep see April Wilder. **The meal on the 3rd Sunday of every month will be potluck style.** With a general theme each month. If you are bringing an item, just bring it to the kitchen before church and set up however you need to keep your item heated or refrigerated. If you would like to help coordinate a potluck day, let April know! We are greatly looking forward to sharing meals together and growing our fellowship time. For both meals we will need helpers to put up tables and chairs, also to break them down after. **THIS MONTH THEME: SOUP!** Bring a soup to share! PCF will provide rolls, butter and water.

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BUNCO Night

Join us October 28th 5-8:15pm for a Family Bunco Night! All are welcome! Sanctuary doors open at 5pm. Food will start at 5:30pm and the game will start at 6pm. We will wrap up the game around 8pm, award prizes and clean up.

Please bring food to share. Beverages will be provided. Questions? Contact April Wilder or Trish Weron



Are you between the ages of 18 and 28? You're welcome to join THRIVE.

They meet Thursdays at 6:45PM in the Sanctuary for a snack, worship, a message, and discussion groups! For more information about Thrive go to their website: www.thriveharbor.com



Key Peninsula/Port Orchard

Leaders: Jason & Trish Weron

Tuesday 6:30-8:00pm

Meeting in person at Eric and Wendy Pierson's

Contact Trish Weron: 253-514-0696

Tacoma

Leaders: Peter & Betsy Smith

Tuesdays 6:30-8pm

Meeting in person - location varies

Contact Peter Smith: 253-732-6018

Gig Harbor

Leaders: Ted and Diane Wilder

Thursday 6:30-8pm

Meeting in person - location varies

Contact Ted Wilder: 253-225-0487

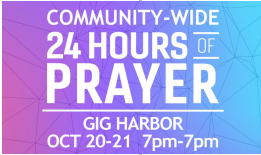

**Regular meetings are underway.
Join a life group today!**

**Interested in starting your own life group?
Contact the church office and let's talk
about getting you started!**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 9am Calvary Worship Service 11am PCF Worship Service 1215pm Youth/Meal	2 6:30pm Women's Prayer Meeting	3 PCF Office Hours Life Groups	4 PCF Office Hours 6:30-8pm Calvary Midweek Youth Group	5 Life Groups 645pm <i>Thrive @ PCF</i>	6	7
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FINANCIAL RECAP...

Monthly Budget	\$15,769.00
September— Actual Income	\$12,231.33.
+ or (-) Budget	(\$3,537.67)
Total Budget Year to Date	\$141,921.00
Actual Income to Date	\$138,017.75
+ or (-) Total Budget Year Income	(\$3,903.25)

Do you have a need we can help with?

Email the office:

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