

EUGENE CHURCH OF CHRIST GROWING, WORKING, SHARING...TOGETHER

2015—2016

As we make the transition from 2015 to 2016 I hope we can look back at the year of 2015 and say we had a good year personally, and especially for our Spiritual Family here in the Church say: “God has truly blessed us!”

As we began the New Year, many did—and will yet—make resolutions to try to improve or help what we do; and, this is good. Often times though these resolutions go by the wayside and we slip back into our old patterns.

So as we began a New Year our most important thing in our lives would be to focus on our Spiritual Life, and what we can do for our family here. God gives us good advise in Matthew 6:25: “Therefore I say to you, do not worry about life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing?” Then, again in Mathew 6:32 your Heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. ³³ But seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. Therefore do not worry about tomorrow for tomorrow will work about it’s own things. Sufficient for the day is it’s own trouble.

Just one day at a time! May Bod bless each one this year and may God continue to bless His Church. Happy New Year!

—Roy

SCRIPTURE READING: James 3:9 - 10

⁹ But if you show favoritism, you sin and are convicted by the law as lawbreakers. ¹⁰ For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles at just one point is guilty of breaking all of it.

JANUARY 3, 2016

Week's Schedule

Sunday,

9:30 A.M. Bible Classes
10:30 A.M. Worship
11:00 A.M. Children's Hour
Netti & Dillon:
Elijah & the Dead Boy
11:00 A.M. Brian Lewis
6:00 P.M. Life Groups

Monday,

Tuesday,

10:30 A.M.
Ladies Bible Class

Wednesday,

7:00 P.M.
Bible Study

Thursday,

Friday,

Saturday,

3:00 P.M.
Secret Sister Reveal

Mission Support

Disaster Relief Effort

Ashcrafts, in Africa

Mt.States Children's Home

Spanish Lit. Ministries

LADIES: BIBLE CLASS JAN. 5, 2016

10:00 A.M.
CARD MINISTRY

10:30 A.M.
BIBLE STUDY
Immeasurable Power
by Casandra Martin
Lesson #4
Immeasurable Love
Day 4, Page 54

begin at the compass symbol ★

LADIES note:

we begin 2016, Jan. 5th at 10 (to sign cards); lesson will begin at 10:30 and we will end at Noon in the year 2016.

SECRET SISTERS

3:00 P.M. JAN. 9
Revealing & Potluck

On January 9th bring just a small token gift to your Secret Sister, & card for her with your revealing, & a Potluck dish for our meal.

After the reveal, we will draw a new Secret Sister name. Then begin some time in January giving your "new" Secret Sister gifts through 2016.

For answers to your questions talk with Sharon or Nettie.

BIBLE CLASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 9:30-10:15 A.M.

Teenie-Weenies 6 mo - 3 years Downstairs. Teacher: Nettie R.

Pre-School K-1st Grade Downstairs. Teacher: Cecelia E.

Grades 2 - 5 Upstairs. Teachers: Shawna & Lisa S.

Middle School Upstairs. Teachers: Lynn & Karen S.

High School Downstairs. Teachers: Shane & Lauren C.

Young Adults Upstairs. Teachers: Mike & Ruth D.

Adult Class Fellowship Rm. Teacher: Brian L. "*Christ and The Church*"

11:00 AM. Children's Bible Hour: Netti and Dillon: "*Elijah and the Dead Boy*"

Sermon: Brian L.: "*Sticks and Stones*"

Sunday evening: *Life Groups*

Tuesday, 10:30—11:30 A.M. Ladies' Class

Wednesday, 7:00 P.M.

Adult Class: teacher, Carl McG., *Ephesians*

Youth Class: teacher, Lynn S.

Noon POTLUCK January 10th

Following potluck: a **corporation/business meeting** to report activities, budget, events, and some progress since our last meeting on July 18, 2015.

*10 Questions to Ask at the Start of a New Year *

As we begin a new year, I wanted to share the article from Donald Whitney at BiblicalSpirituality.org that includes the questions we talked about last Sunday. I pray that it may be a challenge to each of us in 2016.

- Brian

Once, when the people of God had become careless in their relationship with Him, the Lord rebuked them through the prophet Haggai. "Consider your ways!" (Haggai 1:5) he declared, urging them to reflect on some of the things happening to them, and to evaluate their slipshod spirituality in light of what God had told them. Even those most faithful to God occasionally need to pause and think about the direction of their lives. The beginning of a new year is an ideal time to stop, look up, and get our bearings. To that end, here are some questions to ask prayerfully in the presence of God.

1. What's one thing you could do this year to increase your enjoyment of God?
2. What's the most humanly impossible thing you will ask God to do this year?
3. What's the single most important thing you could do to improve the quality of your family life this year?
4. In which spiritual discipline do you most want to make progress this year, and what will you do about it?
5. What is the single biggest time-waster in your life, and what will you do about it this year?
6. What is the most helpful new way you could strengthen your church?
7. For whose salvation will you pray most fervently this year?
8. What's the most important way you will, by God's grace, try to make this year different from last year?
9. What one thing could you do to improve your prayer life this year?
10. What single thing that you plan to do this year will matter most in ten years? In eternity?

NEEDING PRAY WITHOUT CEASING*1 Thessalonians 5:17*

Stacey L., neck surgery Tues; Paul C., back & arm injury; Don C., recovery from knee surgery, Betty M., having chemo-therapy, called; Bernice R.'s son, Dennis, suffering with cancer; Kane W. lung cancer, radiation treatments;

Sympathy expressions to the Mel J. Jr. family in the death of Mel's father Mel, Sr.

And, our sympathy to Ryan T. in the death of her Grandmother.

for better health: Alice A., Christy T., Jim S.,...

Safe travels for those in our congregation.

Sunday Evening Life Groups

Unborn and unwanted children.

Each of our "teen-agers"!

Our Military, Veterans and their families.

Civil Servants....Police Officers....(Hebrews 13:17)

Our President, Congress, United States of America.

Peace in and among nations.

World Bible School. Missionaries.

Keep Philippians 4:8 in heart.

Because of The Christ, Jesus, we can Focus on JOY this Year!

Men's Fellowship Day: Jan. 23



TOO BIG TO SERVE, TOO SMALL TO LEAD
MARK 10:43-45



RANDY WILLINGHAM
DIRECTOR OF HARDING UNIVERSITY
CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL LEADERSHIP



UCLA VS. OREGON
BASKETBALL

1.23.16



**EUGENE
CHURCH OF CHRIST**
2424 NORKENZIE ROAD, EUGENE, OR

9:30 A.M.

BIRTHDAYS

Sunday, 3
Monday, 4
Tuesday, 5
Wednesday, 6
Thursday, 7

**Norma F.
Frances B.
Katie F.-S.**

Friday, 8
Saturday, 9

ANNIVERSARIES

Jan. 3—9 No Records

Thank You

Dear Brothers & Sisters
Thanks so much for the flowers, phone calls, and prayers that you offered up for my surgery & my recovery. This church is such a blessing to our family, and there are no words that can adequately explain how grateful we are for you.

We love you all very much. In Him,

Stacey, Brian,
David & Nathan L.

RECORDS

Last Week

Sun.A.M.Bible Study.....62
Sun.A.M.Worship.....150
Sun.P.M.Life Groups..... 8+
Wed.P.M.Bible Study.....42
Contribution.....\$2,752.
Dec. Weekly Av.....\$3,597.
2015WeekNeed.....\$3,125.

SUNDAY SERVICES

SONG LEADER

A.M. — Ken L.

P.M.— Life Groups

OPENING PRAYER

A.M. — Freddie M.

P.M. — Life Groups

COMMUNION

Norm H.

Servers: Dustin A., Tyler C.,
Shane C., Mike T., Roy G.,
Sub: Tony I.

CHILDREN'S HOUR

Netti and Dillon: Elijah and the Dead Boy

PREACHING

A.M. — Brian L.

P.M. — Life Groups

CLOSING PRAYER

A.M. — Jerry B.

P.M. — Life Groups

CONTACTS

JANUARY(*)

Elders:

Michael D.
Roy G. (*)
Carl McG.

Deacons:

Bret F.
Larry H.
Freddie M.
David S.

Minister:

Brian L.

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**THE SOUTH SIDE
IN CHRIST
ALL THINGS
BECOME NEW**

II Cor. 5:17

JANUARY GREETERS

03-Freddie & Jeanie M.
10-Bret & Denise F.
17-Larry & Shirley H.
24-Van & Kim M.
31-Beth F.

**CONGREGATIONAL
READING THIS WEEK:**
James 1

WEDNESDAY EVE SERVICE

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Roy G.

PRAYER:

Jan. 6— Luis H.

Next Week Jan. 13 — Tony I.

SONG LEADER:

Jan. 6— Josh D.

Next Week Jan. 13 — Larry H.

SUNDAY SERMONS

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INSTEAD, SPEAKING THE TRUTH IN LOVE, WE WILL GROW TO BECOME IN EVERY
RESPECT THE MATURE BODY OF HIM WHO IS THE HEAD, THAT IS, CHRIST.

FROM HIM THE WHOLE BODY, JOINED AND HELD TOGETHER BY EVERY
SUPPORTING LIGAMENT, GROWS AND BUILDS ITSELF UP IN LOVE, AS EACH PART
DOES ITS WORK.

EPHESIANS 4:15-16

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3, 2016

ANNOUNCEMENTS/Welcome: (Roy)

Scripture Reading: _____

SONG LEADER: Ken L.

SONG: # _____

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OPENING PRAYER: Freddie M.

SONG: # _____

COMMUNION SONG: # _____

COMMUNION THOUGHT: Norm H.

Servers: Dustin A., Tyler C.,

Shane C., Mike T., Roy G.,

Sub: Tony I.

Children's Hour

Netti and Dillon: Elijah and The Dead Boy

SONG: # _____

SERMON: Brian L.

INVITATION SONG: # _____

CLOSING SONG: # _____

CLOSING PRAYER: Jerry B.

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The End

Which actually is the beginning of next week