# **Volunteering and Serving**

Last week Cub Scouts used the church's property for their "Cub Scout Day Camp" which they have held here for the past four or five years. I know last year they had over 200 boys. As I observed their activities, I was impressed regarding how well organized they were. Each morning began with the flag raising ceremony and pledge of allegiance.

Thinking to myself as I watched, I realized to make this happen takes a lot of volunteers: men and women who feel it is important to teach these young boys positive attitudes and ideas in life.

How about the church? We are in The Lord's Army, and we too are volunteers, and at the same time serving in various ways. Jesus is our example as we read in Mark 10:45: For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many. His example of washing His disciple's feet—in John 13 and following—is another example of Him serving.

Not only can we serve each other in the church, but we can also serve in our community. There are many non-profit organizations that need volunteers. Also hospitals, schools, scouts, even police departments have places to volunteer. Volunteering in the community is a way to have a positive Christian influence to those with whom we serve.

Let's ask ourselves where can we serve and have that positive influence!

-Roy

## **SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 13:34-35**

<sup>34</sup> Jesus spoke all these things to the crowd in parables; he did not say anything to them without using a parable. <sup>35</sup> So was fulfilled what was spoken through the prophet:

"I will open my mouth in parables,
I will utter things hidden since the creation of the world."

JULY 17, 2016

#### Week's Schedule

Sunday,

9:30 A.M. Bible Classes 10:30 A.M. Worship 11:00 A.M. Children's Hour Ashli and: Jesus Walks on Water 11:00 A.M.

Brian Lewis

Noon Potluck with Congregational Meeting following
6:00 P.M. No Services

Monday,

Tuesday, 10:30 A.M.

Ladies Bible Class

Wednesday, 7:00 P.M.
BIBLE STUDY

Thursday,

Friday.

Saturday,

#### **Mission Support**

Disaster Relief Effort
Ashcrafts, in Africa
MtStates Children's Home
Spanish Lit. Ministries

# JULY 19, 2016

10:00 A.M <u>CARD MINISTRY</u> 10:30 A.M. — Noon <u>BIBLE STUDY</u>

Immeasurable More
by Casandra Martin
Lesson #6
Immeasurable Peace
Day 4 Page 82
"Connected in purpose...."



Noon,
TODAY
following
Worship.

following the Pot Luck please stay for our Congregational meeting.

### BIBLE CLASS SCHEDULE

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

<u>Teenie-Weenies 6 mo - 3 years</u> Downstairs. Teacher: Nettie R.

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

<u>Grades 2 - 5</u> Upstairs. Teachers: Shawna & Lisa S.

Middle School Upstairs. Teachers: Lynn & Karena S.

High School Downstairs, South hall. Teachers:

Young Adults Meet in Fellowship Room

Adult Class Fellowship Rm.: Brian L., Luke

11:00 A.M. Children's Bible Hour: Ashli and \_\_\_\_\_: Jesus Walks on Water

Sermon: Brian Lewis: "Growing"

Sunday evening: No Services

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

Wednesday, 7:00 P.M.

Adult Class: teacher: Brian L., Hebrews

Youth Class: teacher, Stacey L.

# \*Jesus \*

Last Wednesday night our adult Bible class began a study of the book of Hebrews. As the book opens, the writer begins his thoughts by making a case for the superiority of Christ. The audience of the book came from a Jewish heritage, so they had a long history with God and His people. They revered men of God like Moses and Abraham. Like us they were also fascinated with angels, messengers sent by God Himself. The writer of Hebrews begins by reminding them that although all those were great, they are nothing when compared to Jesus.

Our study brought a question to my mind this week. What do we need to be reminded that Jesus is greater than in our lives? Jesus is greater than Alabama football. (He's also greater than Oregon football; you're not off the hook.) Jesus is greater than our presidential candidate or political party. Jesus is greater than our favorite historical figures. Jesus is greater than our favorite movie star. Jesus is greater than our family background (whether it is good or bad). Jesus is greater than our 401k. Jesus is greater than our jobs and our hobbies. Jesus is greater than our problems. We sometimes place those things in a place of higher importance than Jesus in our lives. We sometimes trust in them more than we trust in Him. This week, let's set all of those things aside and give Jesus the place that should be His. Jesus is greater.

— Brian

## **NEEDING PRAYER WITHOUT CEASING**

1 Thessalonians 5:17

William L., Denise F., Juanita K., Ted J., Marge C., Jim S., Gail B., : Denise I.'s mother Dot Sitch diagnosed with cancer in pancreas, lungs, and liver, <u>father</u> heart and prostate problems,...Denise I. address is at office.

Unborn and unwanted children.

Each of our "teen-agers"!

Safe travels for those vacationing, and visiting family: Deb H, Lisa S. in Idaho; Sharon G. and family will be away about 3 weeks.

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.

Life Group, World Bible School, Missionaries.

Pray for victims suffering from Terrorist attacks. Pray for victims suffering from severe weather:

Keep Philippians 4:8 in heart. Because of the Christ, focus on JOY!



July's need:

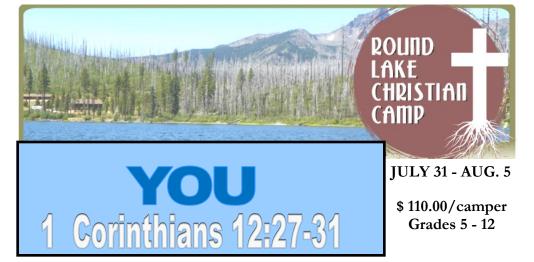
75 Deflated Soccer balls with pump

75 Jump ropes

150 markers, 150 pencils (regular or colored) with sharpeners

150 small black note pads

August, September, October needs will be posted. Assemble Boxes: Oct. 23rd



#### **BIRTHDAYS**

Sunday, 17

Monday, 18

Tuesday, 19

Wednesday, 20

Chris T.

Thursday, 21

Michael T. Sr.

Friday, 22

Saturday, 23

Marg C.

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

July 19 Mel & Janet J. July 22 Mike & Christy T.



#### **CHANGE CAN CAMPAIGN**

Help through Aug. 7th cans available in auditorium.

#### RECORDS

Last Week

| Sun.A.M.Bible Study71 |
|-----------------------|
| Sun.A.M.Worship159    |
| Sun.P.M37             |
| Wed.P.M.Bible Study37 |
| Contribution\$2,167.  |
| JulyWeekly Av\$3,442. |
| 2016 WeekNeed\$3,269. |
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#### SUNDAY SERVICES

#### SONG LEADER

A.M. -Ken L.

**P.M.**— No Services

#### **OPENING PRAYER**

A.M. — Freddie M.

**P.M.** — No Services

#### COMMUNION

Dan H.

Servers: Tyler C., Bret F., Roy G., Dan H., Mike T., Sub: Mel J.

#### CHILDREN'S HOUR

Ashli and : Jesus Walks on Water

#### **PREACHING**

A.M. - Brian L.

**P.M.** — No Services

#### **CLOSING PRAYER**

A.M. – Luis H.

**P.M.** — No Services

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#### THE SOUTH SIDE

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#### **JULY GREETERS**

03 - Josh & Jamee

10 - Mel & Janet J.

17 - Jerry & Deb H.

24 - Ken & April L.

31 - Larry & Shirley H.

**CONGREGATIONAL READING THIS WEEK:** Luke 10

#### WEDNESDAY EVE SERVICE

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS: Roy G. PRAYER:

July 20 — Tony I.

Next Week July 27 — Paul M.

**SONG LEADER:** 

July 20— Josh D. Next Week 27 — Roy G.

#### 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, JULY 17, 2016**

ANNOUNCEMENTS/Welcome: (Roy) Scripture Reading: Matthew 13:34-35

#### SONG LEADER: Ken L.

SONG: # 424 Jesus Hold My Hand

SONG: # 278 I Know Whom I Have Believed

SONG: # 361 I'll Be A Friend To Jesus

**OPENING PRAYER:** Freddie M.

COMMUNION SONG: # 167 He Loves Me

COMMUNION THOUGHT: Dan H.

Servers: Tyler C., Bret F., Roy G., Dan H., Mike T., Sub: Mel J.

#### Children's Hour

Ashli and \_\_\_\_: Jesus walks on Water

SONG: # 304 Jesus Is All The World To Me SERMON: Brian L.

INVITATION SONG: # 573 Only A Step

CLOSING SONG: # 36 The Love of God

CLOSING PRAYER: Luis H.

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# The End

Which actually is the beginning of next week