



# EUGENE CHURCH OF CHRIST

GROWING, WORKING, SHARING...TOGETHER

## Guardian Angels

We started the study of Hebrews; in 1:5 we read about Angels. Brian asked, "What do you know about Angels"? To be honest, I really never thought much about Angels though I've always believed they exist.

So with the question: "What do you know about Angels?", I decided I will try to find answers for myself.

Beginning in the Old Testament, I read Angels spoke to the prophets, and gave them directions about what to do. He appeared to Moses in a flame of fire which was in a bush. He appeared to Nebuchadnezzar in a dream; appeared to Danial while praying; remonstrates with Balaam; appeared with Hagar and told her to go back to Sarai and submit to her, and the Lord would bless her exceedingly. An Angel shut the mouth of the lions and saved Daniel. These are just a few examples of Angels with people in the Old Testament. There are many, many more.

In the New Testament we read of many incidents of Angels in peoples lives. When the beggar died (Luke 16:22) he was carried by the Angels into Abraham's bosom. Acts 5:19 "But during the night an Angel of the Lord opened the doors of the jail and brought them out". He appeared to Cornelius in Acts 10:3. Matthew 28:2 an Angel of the Lord descended from heaven, came and rolled back the stone. Again many stories in the New Testament speak of Angels being evoked in peoples lives. Just like the people we read about in the Bible, I believe Angels are also very much involved in our lives; they are messengers guiding us, protecting us in ways we may not even be aware of.

Do you believe in Angels? Read the Bible to see for yourself.

—Roy

## SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 14:28-30

28 "Suppose one of you wants to build a tower. Won't you first sit down and estimate the cost to see if you have enough money to complete it? 29 For if you lay the foundation and are not able to finish it, everyone who sees it will ridicule you, 30 saying, 'This person began to build and wasn't able to finish.'

JULY 24, 2016

### Week's Schedule

9:30 A.M. Bible Classes  
10:30 A.M. Worship  
11:00 A.M. Children's Hour  
Netti and Dillion: Jesus Calms The Storm

11:00 A.M. Brian L.

6:00 P.M. Brian L.

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

**LADIES BIBLE CLASS****JULY 26, 2016****10:00 A.M.****CARD MINISTRY****10:30 A.M. — Noon****BIBLE STUDY***Immeasurable More*  
by Casandra Martin

Lesson #6

*Immeasurable Peace*

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*"It'll do....Immeasurably More"*

**5<sup>th</sup> Sun Sing: 2: P.M., JULY 31<sup>st</sup>**  
**Please bring finger food to share**  
**with congregations we host.**

**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 & 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:** Netti and Dillon: *Jesus Calms the Storm***Sermon:** Brian Lewis: **"Building"****Sunday evening:** *Parables Remix***Tuesday, 10:30A.M.,** Ladies' Class**Wednesday, 7:00 P.M.****Adult Class:** teacher: Brian L., *Hebrews 1***Youth Class:** teacher, (sub)**\*Five Prayers of a Senior Adult in Church\***

I share a lot of my thoughts in the bulletin each week about scripture, culture, church and other topics, but from time to time I run across the ideas of someone else that I'd like to share with you or expand on. Four of these five main points came from Thom Rainer, author of *\*I Am a Church Member\**. (Original Article at <http://thomrainer.com/2016/07/five-things-pray-will-not-senior-adult-church/>) He intends these prayers for seniors, but some of them apply to all of us.

- *\*I pray I will not feel entitled because I am a key financial supporter in the church.\** The size of our contributions may buy influence in political parties or charity organizations, but it should never be that way in church. Our contribution is an offering to God with no strings attached.
- *\*I pray I will not say "I've done my time" in the church.\** The Christian life is one that is intended to extend into eternity. The young can learn a great deal from the senior Christians among us and can benefit from the opportunity to be mentored by them. They can learn how to mature as Christians by watching it happen.
- *\*I pray I will not be more enthused about potlucks and receptions than ministry and service.\** Our fellowship time together is an important part of being the church, but it's not the only part. Fellowship encourages people who are already here, but we must still take the gospel to a community who needs it desperately.
- *\*I pray I will not be more concerned about my preferences than serving others.\** Part of being a Christian is seeing the needs of others above our own needs. We cannot assume that everyone has the same preferences that we do, and we must remember the needs of those we are trying to reach.
- *\*I pray I will not have a critical spirit.\** When church topics are discussed, are your first thoughts positive or negative? When a new program begins or a change is made do you find others to encourage and thank the organizers for their efforts, or do you seek out people to complain to and attempt to undermine church leaders? As Rainer said in his article, "I don't want to grow old and cranky; I want to grow old and more sanctified."

**Our seniors here at the Eugene Church are an essential part of our family and a blessing to our lives. Like all of our family, I pray that we are constantly Growing, Working, Sharing...TOGETHER.** — Brian

**NEEDING PRAYER WITHOUT CEASING****1 Thessalonians 5:17**

William L., Denise F., Juanita K., Ted J., Marge C., Jim S., Gail B., Deb H. daughter, Jennifer O'R., needing neck surgery, Denise I.'s mother Dot Sitch diagnosed with terminal cancer, and father 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: Sharon G. and family  
will be away about 3 weeks.

Our Military, Veterans and their families.

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

United States of America, Our President, Presidential candidates, Congress.

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!



# 2016 Goal: 150 boxes

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. 23<sup>rd</sup>**



**JULY 31 - AUG. 5**

**\$ 110.00/camper**  
**Grades 5 - 12**

**YOU**  
**1 Corinthians 12:27-31**

**BIRTHDAYS**

Sunday, 24

Monday, 25

Tuesday, 26

Wednesday, 27

Thursday, 28

Friday, 29

**Amanda T.,**  
 daughter' Tharesa, called the office inviting us to a **Happy 80th Birthday** celebration the **29th of July from 2-4 P.M.** at Brookdale Springs.

Saturday, 30

**ANNIVERSARIES**

July 28 Tom & Ashli Koehler



**CHANGE CAN  
CAMPAIGN**

Help through Aug. 7th  
 cans available in auditorium.

**RECORDS**

**Last Week**

Sun.A.M.Bible Study.....64  
 Sun.A.M.Worship.....146  
 Sun.P.M.....NS  
 Wed.P.M.Bible Study.....36  
 Contribution.....\$3,341.  
 JulyWeekly Av.....\$3,473.  
 2016 WeekNeed.....\$3,269.

## SUNDAY SERVICES

### SONG LEADER

A.M. — Ron P.

P.M. — Josh D.

### OPENING PRAYER

A.M. — Mike T.

P.M. — Roy G.

### COMMUNION

David S.

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

### CHILDREN'S HOUR

Netti and Dillon: Jesus Calms the Storm

### PREACHING

A.M. — Brian L.

P.M. — Brian L.

### CLOSING PRAYER

A.M. — Roy G.

P.M. — Brian L.

## CONTACTS

July(\*)

### Elders:

Michael D.

Roy G. (\*)

Carl McG.

### Deacons:

Bret F.

Larry H.

Freddie M.

David S.

### Minister:

Brian L.

### Office Staff

Denise F.

Darlene G.

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## THE SOUTH SIDE

**IN TRYING TIMES  
DON'T QUIT  
TRYING.**

## 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 11**

## WEDNESDAY EVE SERVICE

### ANNOUNCEMENTS: Roy G.

#### PRAYER:

July 27 — Paul M.

Next Week Aug. 3 — Carl Mc.

#### SONG LEADER:

July 27 — Roy G.

Next Week Aug. 3 — Roy G.

## SUNDAY SERMONS

### and Bulletin Archives

[www.eugenechurchofchrist.org/family](http://www.eugenechurchofchrist.org/family)

In Search of The Lord's Way: Television Broadcast Schedule:

[www.searchtv.org](http://www.searchtv.org)

**KMTR 17 — Sun 7:30am**

### FIND US ON THE WEB

[www.eugenechurchofchrist.org](http://www.eugenechurchofchrist.org)

[office@eugenechurchofchrist.org](mailto:office@eugenechurchofchrist.org)

## FREE ONLINE BIBLE STUDY

[amazinglove.worldbibleschool.org](http://amazinglove.worldbibleschool.org)

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 24, 2016

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/Welcome: (Roy)**

**Scripture Reading: Luke 14:28-30**

**SONG LEADER: Ron P.**

**SONG: # 30-G He Has Made Me Glad**

**SONG: # 637 O, Say But I'm Glad**

**SONG: # 317 Living for Jesus (v.1,2,3)**

**SONG: # 358 O, To Be Like Thee (v.1,2,3)**

**OPENING PRAYER: Mike T.**

**COMMUNION SONG: # 138 In Gethsemane**

**COMMUNION THOUGHT: David S.**

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

### **Children's Hour**

Netti and Dillon: *Jesus Calms The Storm*

**SONG: # O, Jesus I Have Promised**

**SERMON: Brian L.**

**INVITATION SONG: # 368 I Surrender All**

**CLOSING SONG: # 517 When Morning Comes (v.1,3 — repeat chorus after verse 3)**

**CLOSING PRAYER: Roy G.**

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# The End

Which actually is the beginning of next week