

Palouse Federated Church

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June/July 2011

Pastor's Column: Hi Friends

We are 6 months in to 2011, I can scarcely believe it. Why just yesterday the weather felt like March. Well ready or not summer is rushing toward us. There is no guarantee it will be a warm summer, but it will for many of us be a season full of visits, trips and the general summer traditions. The congregation of Palouse Federated Church will continue to worship God this summer. In many ways summer is just as busy as the rest of the year. Please consider:

- Youth Group continues through the summer with a regular Sunday gathering at 5:30pm
- Youth are developing a worship band- if interested contact Pastor Mark
- Children's Sunday School continues through the summer. We are giving our school-year teachers a break, so if you can help out- that would be great. If interested please contact Brenda Cook- 878-2010.
- All the worship services- 9am, 11am, and 7pm continue. If you happen to be busy for the Sunday morning services you really should give the "laid back" Sunday 7pm service a try.
- Sundays at 6pm we are continuing our "Questions of Truth" group with a focus "Christian Myths" – for example on June 12th we will look at the myth of "Forgiving means Forgetting"
- We are ramping up for Vacation Bible School- Directors Shai Collier and Nicole Flansburg are organizing a crew to pull off the event in August.
- Parents and kids are getting ready for summer camps at Ross Point (www.rosspoint.org). We have some kids new to camp attending this year! We also have a few adults who volunteering as part of the staff for some of the camps.
- Many of our small groups continue in the summer- call 878-1509 for more info.

And this is just the "short list" of things going on this summer. All this to say:

SUMMER IS FULL OF MINISTRY!!!!

So 2 challenges to go along with the reality that summer is full of ministry:

1. We need your **continued prayers** for all the ministry, and **your faithful communication** to neighbors and friends about all the opportunities to worship and grow this summer.
2. We are thankful for your consistent financial contributions. **Please keep giving!** As you can tell we have a lot going on this summer. Though trips and vacation may take some of us away for some Sundays, ministry will not stop. We appreciate you "cheerful givers" whose support funds these ministries. If out of town consider mailing your contribution to "PFC, Box 535, Palouse, WA 99161" or use your personal bank's online banking option to make an automated donation.

So here's praying for a great summer of 2011! May kids and adults come to know Jesus Christ. May those who know Him, grow deeper with Him. And may all of us be thankful of the gift of life and salvation given to us.

Enjoy Summer ~ Pastor Corey

Our Mission: We exist to worship God and to form one another into loving servants of Christ and the World

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Young Life Supporters & Committee Members

We want to treat our adult Gar Pal Young Life Committee to a special JUMP START EVENT at the Palouse Divide Mountain Resort (tentatively) July 16, Saturday. The Palouse Divide (about a half hour from Potlatch, east on Hwy 6) has that day available for us to come all day, with a quiet meeting room, 2 snacks and a delightful lunch with a view of God's Creation. There are hiking trails, a picnic area, places to sit and pray while we listen and plan for what God would have us do over the next year with Gar Pal Young Life. Interested? Contact Mark Sawyer 509-939-2143

We need:

- ❖ Prayer for this Jump Start event.
- ❖ Names of other people who may want to attend this event - or if you are not interested in attending.

Remember to pray as letters will be received throughout the US to help support Gar Pal Young Life. It's a day for miracles!

You were made for this.....YOUNG LIFE supporter,

~ Betty Sawyer



Wednesday Women's Bible Study

The Wednesday evening small group hosted by Brenda Brown and Robin Rilette is taking a break for the summer. We will resume our meetings again in September. If you have any questions please contact Robin or Brenda.

June Birthday's

Marjorie Bourne – June 1st
 Steve Gill – June 1st
 Calvin Heusser – June 1st
 Sierra Hoffman – June 2nd
 Mike White – June 4th
 Patti Green-Kent – June 5th
 Tatianna Green – June 6th
 Haley Elder – June 8th
 Danny Laughary – June 8th
 Carol Heinlen – June 13th
 MaryEllen Laughary – June 14th
 Frances West – June 16th
 Gerry West – June 17th
 Mark Keuhner – June 21st
 Karmin Jacobs – June 24th

July Birthday's

Penny Thurman – July 2nd
 Nick Honn – July 5th
 Vida Shoemaker – July 5th
 Joyce Smith – July 6th
 Amy West – July 8th
 Londa West – July 8th
 Adam Barron – July 11th
 Diana Cochran – July 13th
 Tina Laughary – July 13th
 Mary Wysong – July 15th
 Joan (Pinky) Glass – July 18th
 Dixie Perry – July 18th
 Gary Cochran – July 18th
 Alexa Blood-Broughton – July 19th
 Eli Elder – July 21st
 Sharon McGinnis – July 25th
 Roberta Collier – July 25th
 Tricia Johnson – July 27th
 Will Thurman – July 27th
 Don Gilliland – July 29th
 Sharon Curry – July 29th
 Mariane Seilstad – July 29th

June Anniversary's

Cathy & Casey Blood – June 1st
 Verna & Don Comstock – June 7th
 Karen & Dean Huber – June 8th
 Betty & John Sawyer – June 13th
 Carol & Ralph Heinlen – June 13th
 Diana & Verlan Cochran – June 21st
 Sue & Monte Elder – June 21st
 Gerry & Lyle West – June 28th

July Anniversary's

Chris & John Bofenkamp – July 18th
 Delores & Lauren Forbes – July 20th
 Terry & Kent Keller – July 21st
 Penny & Will Thurman – July 27th



Memorial Day was more memorable than usual for the Bagott Family this year. The entire family; Nancy and her husband Gordon Graham, Bud, myself, Mike and his wife Darcie and daughter Emily Kate and Melissa and her husband Jason Hanson and daughters Molly Beth and Shelby Ann proudly sat in the congregation, while Pastor Corey dedicated a stain glass window to our parents, John and Bonny Bagott.

We honor that they were individuals and families who followed God's leading to form our local church. We are here today because of leaders of the past, and we are surrounded by them. Artwork in this very room memorializes the Hickman family (another founding family), there are contributions from Ole Estes in the many windows of the Sanctuary and the lighted picture of Christ that is above the baptismal is in memory of Stan King (Beryl Kinzer's brother). On May 29th we dedicated a stain glass picture of Jesus knocking on the door in memory of John and Bonny Bagott, another founding family of our church. Art work is a fine way to honor saints who have passed on to glory. In so doing, though we honor the person, we are drawing attention through the art to the reason we are here – God.

Nancy, the eldest of John & Bonny's bunch, had some thoughts on the church's formative years when our grandmother, Mom B, would stop and pick us up for Sunday School at the Methodist-Episcopal Church located on the corner of Church and Bridge street where Mom and Dad built their house some 20 years later. Nancy said that when the ecumenical movement started no one needed to explain it to her because the wonderful people of the Palouse Federated Church had helped her live it and she thanked those who established this wonderful church and those of you who continue to make it so successful.

Brother Bud's memories were more along the comical line (imagine that). He remembered the many activities of worship, youth activities and scout meetings, the old wood burning furnace in the basement and wood burning stove in the kitchen that heated water for washing dishes and occasionally cooking a few hot dogs from time to time. He frequently was in place hidden behind the big pump organ manning the pump lever when Lizzie McCrorey was playing. One particularly lovely summer Sunday morning he was in position pumping air into the organ when he seemed to become preoccupied by God's wonderful world outside the open window which was behind the organ and forgot to pump. When our mother finally got his attention, he began really pumping and was afraid he might blow out the bellows.

I remembered we always could depend on having 15 people at church because each of the founding families; Ankorns, Bagotts and Hickmans were made up of 2 parents and 3 children each. Much rich time of worship and fellowship have been shared over the years and while I am quite a talker, I didn't have the words to adequately express my gratitude for my faith, my family and the Palouse Federated Church.

Melissa remembered being associated with all levels of worship and people including a loving family, dedicated Sunday School teachers and pastors, gifted musicians, family, friends and caring adults who all helped nurture within her a faith that sustains her in good times and bad, a love of Christ that she shares with her family. Her comments closed expressing her gratitude that God had brought her family to the Palouse Federated Church many years ago.

Mike, being a man of few words, stated he would simply say that he had a lot of fond memories of his grandparents and the Church, and that he thought the new stain glass was a very fitting tribute to their commitment to this Church.

Pastor Corey ended the dedication pointing out the scripture the stain glass represented, Jesus knocking at the door. He pointed out that he felt it fitting that our final window filled with art is filled by a scene that comes from the final book in scripture. Revelation 3:20-22 - **20.** Look! I stand at the door and knock. If you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in, and we will share a meal together as friends. **21** Those who are victorious will sit with me on my throne, just as I was victorious and sat with my father on his throne. **22** "Anyone with ears to hear must listen to the Spirit and understand what he is saying to the churches." Pastor Corey commented that as you look at the stain glass image you will see there is no doorknob on the door. Jesus is making His presence known- He is speaking - but He will not force His way in - He will come in when we open the door and he will have a meal with us and bring us to victory. What a blessing to have a constant reminder of this scripture in our sanctuary.

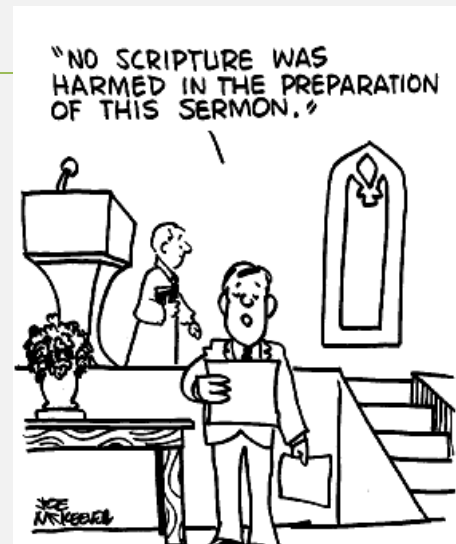
Upcoming Sermons

June Sermons:

- June 5, 2011, Luke 24:44-53, "The Master's Plan"
- June 12, 2011, 1 Corinthians 12:1-13, "Drinking The Spirit"
- June 19, 2011, Luke 15:11-13, "Inheritance" Guest Preacher, Rev. Champ Singleterry
- June 26, 2011, Genesis 22:1-14, "What Kind of Father"

July Sermons:

- July 3, 2011, Matthew 11:25-30, "Rest for the Weary"
- July 10, 2011, Romans 8:1-11, "The Spirit of Christ"
- July 17, 2011, Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43, "Proper Weed Control"
- July 24, 2011, Romans 8:22-27, "Way Better than Google"
- July 31, 2011, Genesis 32:22-31, "Is Wrestling Real or Fake?"



Bible Book(s) of the Months –Romans & Hebrews

Faith. Justification. Righteousness. Grace. These are essential words for the Christian to understand. I have selected two books for us to read over the next month. The books are Paul's letter to the Romans, and Hebrews. We are sure the Apostle Paul wrote Romans, but most are not sure if Paul wrote Hebrews, or if another teacher of the Early Church wrote it. Regardless of who the author of Hebrews is, both books are full of theology and examples to teach us what faith in Christ means, and how we are made right with God. I encourage you to really think and study as you read. Most every day has only one chapter of reading. That amount of reading will only take a few minutes of your time if you read straight through. Instead, read slowly, asking yourself questions as you go. If it helps, read with a piece of paper or journal handy and jot down notes and questions as you go. Have fun studying- Pastor Corey

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| _ Day 2 — Romans 2 | _ Day 16 — Romans 16 |
| _ Day 3 — Romans 3 | _ Day 17 — Hebrews 1 |
| _ Day 4 — Romans 4 | _ Day 18 — Hebrews 2 |
| _ Day 5 — Romans 5 | _ Day 19 — Hebrews 3 |
| _ Day 6 — Romans 6 | _ Day 20 — Hebrews 4 - 5 |
| _ Day 7 — Romans 7 | _ Day 21 — Hebrews 6 |
| _ Day 8 — Romans 8 | _ Day 22 — Hebrews 7 |
| _ Day 9 — Romans 9 | _ Day 23 — Hebrews 8 |
| _ Day 10 — Romans 10 | _ Day 24 — Hebrews 9 |
| _ Day 11 — Romans 11 | _ Day 25 — Hebrews 10 |
| _ Day 12 — Romans 12 | _ Day 26 — Hebrews 11 |
| _ Day 13 — Romans 13 | _ Day 27 — Hebrews 12 |
| _ Day 14 — Romans 14 | _ Day 28 — Hebrews 13 |



Ross Point Camps

Ross Point youth camps have a trained staff plus a counselor to camper ratio of 1:5. This balance of campers and staff affords your child the attention and care they need for a lifetime of great camp memories.

Our camps are careful to provide grade/age appropriate activities, games, lessons, and speakers.

Ross Point camp program provides activities that are enjoyable and challenging.

- ❖ June 19-24 Junior High Camp
- ❖ June 24-25 My First Camp
- ❖ June 26-July 1 Junior Camp
- ❖ June 26-29 Middler Camp
- ❖ July 3-8 Senior High Camp



Family Camp at Ross Point offers your family exactly what you're looking for this summer a great Christ-centered vacation! We offer three weeks of Family Camp during the prime weeks of summer. Your family can vacation together while enjoying swimming, canoeing and other recreation. Each day you will experience Bible classes for all ages, delicious, nutritious meals, and we do the dishes! There are also other planned events.

- ❖ July 17-23 Family Camp 'A'lpha
- ❖ July 24-30 Family Camp 'O'mega

<http://rosspoint.org/>

Ross Point Baptist Camp Fundraiser!

PFC is raising scholarship money for kids AND adults that attend our church OR are a part of our community that need help paying for going to camp and retreats at Ross Point. Please come check out our new PFC tumbler cups that will soon be located in the Fellowship Room for \$10.00 each. Please ask Pastor Corey or Pastor Mark if you are interested in knowing more about camp and/or camp scholarships for you or your family. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Once again, our Sunday school summer session is coming up quickly. During the summer session, we give our regular teachers a break from June 19 through Sept 18. We need volunteer teachers to keep our Sunday school program going strong in the summer. Our teachers will give you instructions on the curriculum and talk about the routines and what works well with their age group of kids. We have lessons that are easy to teach and fun for the kids. We have quite a few Jr high and high school kids that are available to be helpers too. So, even if you have little or no teaching experience, we will help you feel more comfortable. Men, please consider teaching too! You are completely welcome--children need positive male role models too! :) And, you don't have to have young children to be qualified to teach. We have 3 different age groups to cover: Toddlers: age 2's and 3's; Pre-K: age 4 thru kindergarten; and Elementary: grades 1-5. The dates we need teachers for are: June 19, 26; July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31; August 7, 14, 21, 28; and Sept 4, 11. Please call or email me if you are willing and able to teach once or twice this summer and let me know the dates and what age group you prefer. We will need a total of 30 teachers (if each volunteer teaches once)! Thank you for considering--it really is quite fun in our colorful basement!

~Brenda Cook, Children's Ministry Team Leader
509-878-2010 bjcook@hotmail.com



Do you follow Jesus Christ as the Lord and Savior of your life? Have you been baptized? If the answer to the first question is "Yes," but the answer to the second question is "No"- then you should call Pastor Corey at 878-1509 or 878-1334 and discuss the potential of getting baptized. You should do it. The Bible says so, and it will honor God. Don't let the devil make you worried about being "not good enough" or that you don't like "getting in front of people." This is about you proclaiming publicly that you receive the forgiveness of God and have surrendered your life to Jesus Christ. Do it. You'll be glad you did.

A Book Report

~by Tina Laughary

Have you ever read a book that was so good you wanted to buy it for all of your friends? It so happens that I just finished reading such a book. It's called, A Million Miles in a Thousand Years: How I learned to live a better story by Donald Miller. While I'd like to buy each of you a copy, I just can't do that. So, I've decided to do the next best thing. I'm going to encourage you to find a copy for yourself. I hear it's even going to show up in the Palouse Federated Church Library soon.

If your life was made into a movie, would anyone go to see it? If they did would they root for you? Would they leave the theatre feeling encouraged and challenged to live a better life themselves? These are some of the questions that Christian Author Donald Miller asked himself while writing the screenplay based on his autobiographical book, Blue Like Jazz. Throughout the year long process of writing the movie Donald was stuck by the idea of "story." He wanted to more than write a good story, he wanted to live a good story as well. In his new book, A million miles in a Thousand Years: How I learned to live a better story, Miller talks about that year, the lessons he learned and conviction he felt to make his life matter. With great humor, touching stories and real life theology, Miller discusses the meaning and purpose of life. Each life is a story being written by an author (God). Miller writes, "You can call it God or a conscience, or you can dismiss it as that intuitive knowing we all have as humn beings, as living storytellers; but there is a knowing I feel that guides me toward better stories, toward being a better character. I believe there is a writer outside ourselves, plotting a better story for us, interacting with us, even and whispering a better story into our consciousness." I highly recommend this book. It will make you re-evaluate the way you think about your life. Happy reading! (Both books mentioned are being added to our PFC memorial library)

Prayer Requests

Praise God for the graduation of our local high school students. Our prayers are with the family of Craig Davis, our graduating seniors, our community, upcoming summer camps, vacation bible school, Jeanie Jeffers, Dale Tronsen, Amy West, marriages in our local communities, the youth of our community, people who are visiting in worship, for those in need of a relationship with Christ, our local, state, organizational and national leaders, for those struggling with difficult situations at home- whether illness, emotional, financial or relational, our neighbors, our nation, our troops & our communities.



May Church Data

	Total Church Attendance	Sunday School Attendance	Plate Offering
May 1, 2011	98	15	\$3,149.00
May 8, 2011	115	20	\$2,306.55
May 15, 2011	105	17	\$1,711.51
May 22, 2011	114	21	\$1,179.00
May 29, 2011	105	5	\$2,215.25

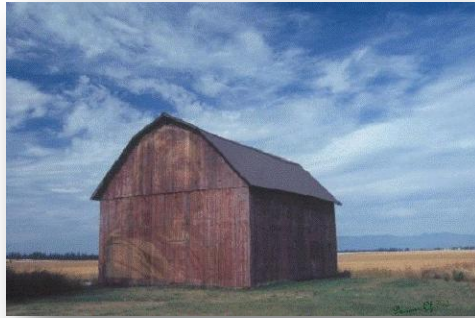
Spiritual Learning Scholarships

The Gar-Pal Class of 2011 had 28 graduating seniors. Fourteen of those seniors scheduled to meet with Pastor Mark and Pastor Corey for the initial year of the Palouse Federated Church "Spiritual Learning Scholarship." Students were awarded \$50 for participating in the ½ hour appointment, where the pastors and student discussed faith, finances, relationships and life goals. The pastors report that the meetings were very well-received and students quite often stayed for a whole hour. Students were also offered a free bible and a Christian book of their choosing based on a recommended list put together by the pastors. **It is because of your contributions that we were able to do this outreach.** It was funded out of our annual church budget as an evangelism grant project. Thank you for your prayers and support.



LORD, PROP US UP.....

Every time I am asked to pray, I think of the old fellow who always prayed, 'Lord, prop us up on our leanin' side.' After hearing him pray that prayer many times, someone asked him why he prayed that prayer so fervently. He answered, 'Well sir, you see, it's like this... I got an old barn out back. It's been there a long time. It's withstood a lot of weather. It's gone through a lot of storms, and it's stood for many years. It's still standing. But one day I noticed it was leaning to one side a bit. So I went and got some pine poles and propped it up on its leaning side so it wouldn't fall. Then I got to thinking about that and how much I was like that old barn.. I've been around a long time. I've withstood a lot of life's storms. I've withstood a lot of bad weather in life, I've withstood a lot of hard times, and I'm still standing too. But I find myself leaning to one side from time to time, so I like to ask the Lord to prop us up on our leaning side, 'cause I figure a lot of us get to leaning at times. Sometimes we get to leaning toward anger, leaning toward bitterness, leaning toward hatred, leaning toward cussing, leaning toward a lot of things that we shouldn't. So we need to pray, 'Lord, prop us up on our leaning side, so we will stand straight and tall again, to glorify you.'



Challenge for Parents: Preventing Christian Inoculation – Pastor Mark Sawyer

By definition an inoculation is the introduction of a vaccine to produce immunity against a disease. This process has proven successful within the medical industry and has prevented numerous deaths and sicknesses. It is a brilliant way to allow our God created bodies to build up immunity to a weak dosage of the particular disease. However I fear that some families are inoculating their children to the Christian faith. This is not a feel good concept that is easy to hear. What I'm challenging you to consider is if children are given a "weak dosage" of faith, will they spiritually build immunity toward Christian Growth.

To determine if we are spiritually inoculating our children, I think we first ask: do we parents preach with actions what we believe in our hearts? Specifically do we make worship and fellowship a priority within each week? The truth is we keep our kids involved with activities, but do we show them the importance of being committed to church and a community of believers?

Furthermore, sending kids to summer camp is an amazing opportunity for growth in a relationship with Christ. However, if a camp experience is the only source of spiritual growth provided to teens and children are we potentially inoculating them? Giving them a weak dose of Christianity that blocks the spread of the real thing. I see many families in our community who are busy. Busy with good things. However, choosing good things like sports, clubs, arts, and drama with the priority over Christian development and discipleship is not the best choice. This over-committed lifestyle relies on sporadic spiritual development such as camp littered with a few visits to church services through the year and that may not enough for true spiritual growth.

I'm not trying to debate the theological reasoning of whether a child is a Christian by being involved with Christian activities. But I see the statistics of children who have a faith in Christ up through their teenage years, and yet when they leave their homes and enter college or the workforce many of these teens wander from the faith. Life is too short to mix up eternal priorities with temporal pleasure. We need to prioritize faith. Our children need it, our church needs it, and our community needs it.


So I write to parents with a simple challenge. Don't keep your kids busy; get them involved with God. Because true commitment to Christ requires sacrifice and if we don't teach the lesson of making God a priority now, when do we expect them to learn it? My hope is we become a church that promotes growth and accountability. That we create boundaries in our commitments so that we prioritize the relationships that matter. May we not be a body of believers that inoculates our future generation to the Good News of Jesus Christ.

June

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 Mon-Thurs 9:30am-5:30pm
 On-Call for Emergencies 24/7

July

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 Check us out on Facebook!

Sunday Schedule

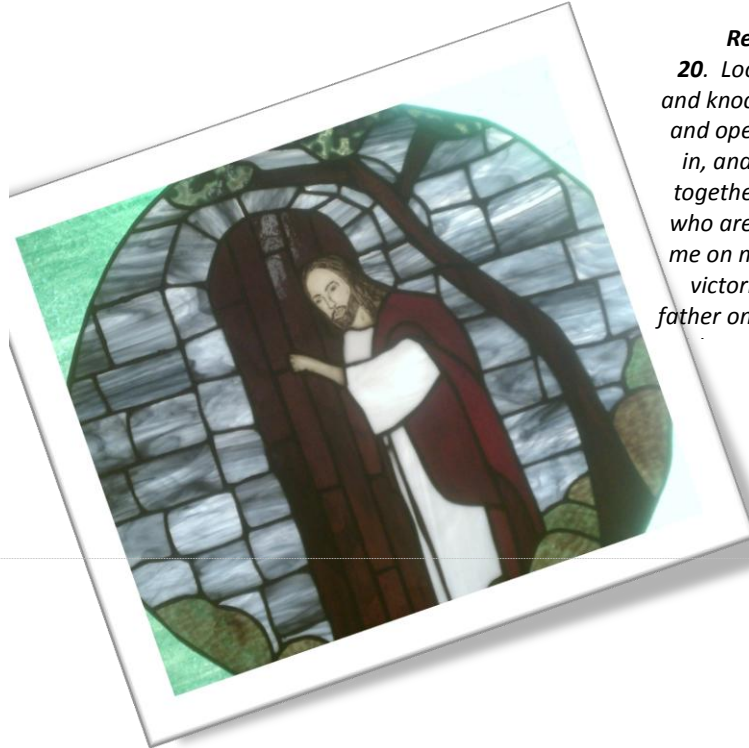
9am Worship (childcare available age 5 and under)
10am- Fellowship Time
10:15am – Sermon Prep Group
11am – Sunday School
11am – Worship (Childcare available, Youth Sunday School Available, age 2 yrs through grade 8)
5:30pm – Youth Ministry
6pm – Questions of Truth
7pm – Worship

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Questions of Truth (QOT) – Sunday Nights 6-7pm

We are starting a new emphasis for our Sunday night discussion group. We are going to look at “Urban Legends of Christianity” or what we will call “Christian Myths.” Based on the book, “10 Dumb Things Smart Christians Believe” by Larry Osborne, our discussions will focus on discussing one myth per week. Whether you are a follower of Christ or not you will get something out of the discussion. Many of these myths are very damaging to the witness of Jesus Christ.

- June 12th- “Forgiving Means Forgetting”
- June 19th- No group
- June 26th- “A Godly home Guarantees Godly Kids”
- Other topics: “God has a Blueprint for my Life” and “Christians Shouldn’t Judge”



Revelation 3:20-22

20. Look! I stand at the door and knock. If you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in, and we will share a meal together as friends. **21** Those who are victorious will sit with me on my throne, just as I was victorious and sat with my father on his throne. **22** "Anyone

