

Announcements

Welcome! We are glad you are here worshipping with us this morning, and invite everyone to join us in the Fellowship Hall after worship for coffee, cookies, and conversation.

Second Sunday Family Funday. We host special Family Funday events on the 2nd Sundays of the month and create an interactive experience during worship for children and families. After worship today, everyone is invited to decorate pumpkins in the Fellowship Hall.

Next Sunday, Our Guest Preacher Will Be Michaela Drummond. Michaela has been in ordained ministry for 50 years and retired in 2004. She served at churches in Steilacoom, WA; University Congregational Church, UCC, Seattle; Lake Burien Presbyterian Church, Seattle; and Longview Presbyterian Church, Longview, WA, where she served as solo pastor. Michaela is also a certified teacher and has been substituting in Evergreen School District since retirement. Pastor Brad is away on Study Leave from Oct. 16 to 24.

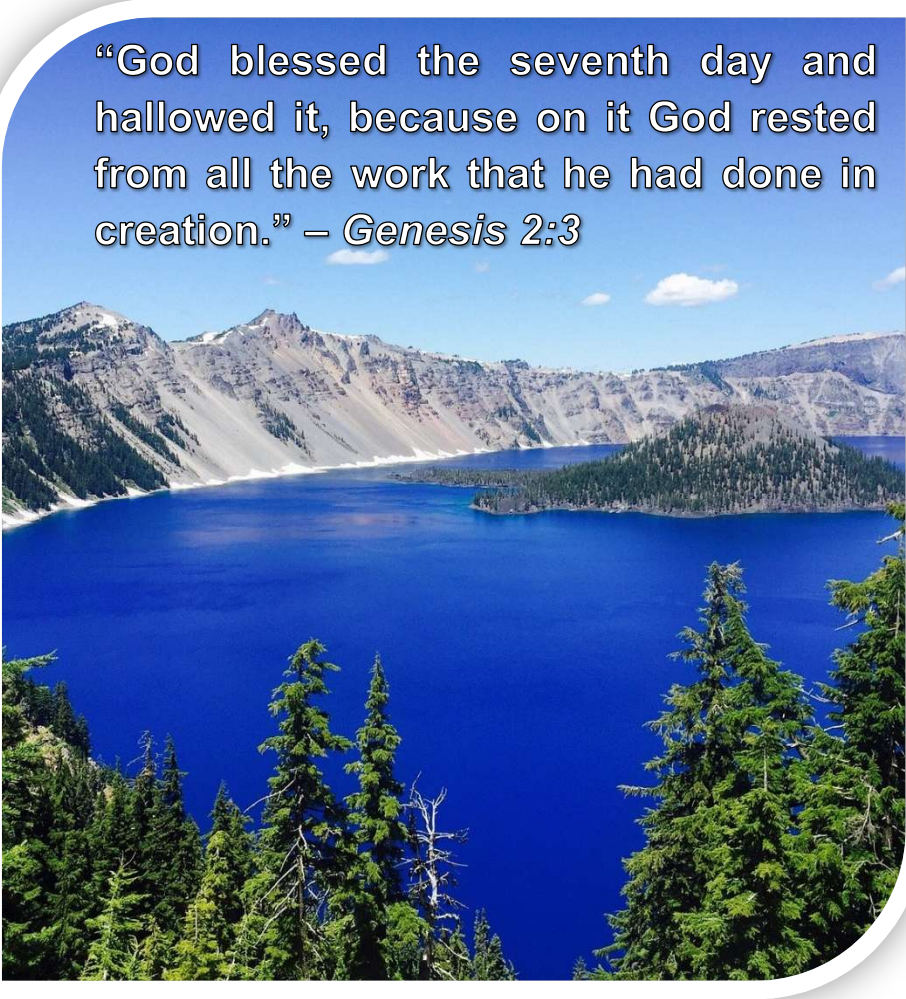
Free Community Dinner, Wednesday, Oct 21, 5:30-6:30 pm. This Community Dinner will have an Oktoberfest theme. If you would like to help, please contact Baiba Lackey.

The Wednesday Morning Bible Study meets this week for a potluck lunch at Quail Hollow, 21100 NE Sandy Blvd, Fairview. On October 21, a new 8-week study begins in the Fellowship Hall: *The Messiah*, by Douglas Connelly. Contact Lyn Palmer if you have questions. Everyone is welcome!

The Outriggers will meet for a movie, *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society*, on Saturday, October 17 at 2:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Contact Barb Lintner for more information.

Regular Happenings at SMPC (<i>schedule changes in italics</i>)				
<i>Day (next date)</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Meeting Place</i>	<i>Contact</i>
Sundays	11:45-12:15 pm	Voice Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary	Michael Day
2nd Sunday (10/11)	11:30-1:00 pm	Deacon's Meeting	Upper Room	Marty Strange
Tuesdays	10:30-11:30 am	Gentle Exercise	Fellowship Hall	Joyce Botsch
Wednesdays	10:00-11:30 am	Bible Study	Fellowship Hall	Lyn Palmer
Wednesdays	10:00-3:00 pm	Sewing Group	Upper Room	Gayle Burke
Wednesdays	6:30-8:30 pm	Youth Group	Church Campus	Pastor Brad
2nd Wednesday (10/14)	5:00 pm	Healing Hearts	Bumpers Grill	Berni or Becky
3rd Wednesday (10/21)	5:30-6:30 pm	Community Dinner	Fellowship Hall	Pastor Brad
Thursdays	10:30-11:30 am	Gentle Exercise	Fellowship Hall	Joyce Botsch
Thursdays	2:00-3:30 pm	Line Dancing	Fellowship Hall	Janet Emch
2 nd /4 th Thursday (10/22)	12:00-2:00 pm	Yarn & Thread	Fireside Room	Joyce Botsch
Fridays	9:30-11:30 am	Food Pantry Prep	Church campus	Pastor Brad
Saturdays	10:00-12:30 pm	Food Pantry Shopping	Church campus	Pastor Brad
3rd Saturday (10/17)	2:00 pm	Outriggers	Fellowship Hall	Barb Lintner
Last Sunday (10/25)	9:00-10:00 am	Poverty Book Group	Upper Room	Amy Busiek
5th Sunday (11/29)	After worship	All Church Potluck	Fellowship Hall	Janet Emch
Next Week's (October 18) Sunday Servants				
Greeters	Lou Churchill and Trish Weatherbee	Opening Prayer	Gary Grimes	
Ushers	Cheryl Rush and Geoff Kenway	Scripture Reader	Marcia Chiaudano	
Special Helper	Steve Marker	Recorders	Jon Bachelder and Leesa Pomazi	
Refreshments	Deacons			

WELCOME TO
SMITH MEMORIAL
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



“God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.” – *Genesis 2:3*

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WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD’S LOVE

GREETING (MARK 6:30-31)
“The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. Jesus said to them, ‘Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.’ For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat.”

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER Brenda Haran

✠ **CALL TO WORSHIP** (PSALM 16:8-9)
Leader: I keep the Lord always before me;
People: *because God is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.*
Leader: Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices;
People: *my body also rests secure.*

✠ **SONG OF PRAISE** *I WILL WAIT FOR YOU*, w/m by Kauflin, Merker, Getty, and Townend

CALL TO CONFESSION (PSALM 127:1-2)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
Loving God, you promise to give rest to the weary and peace to those who trust in you. But we confess that we have refused the rest Christ freely offers. We confess that we often live by anxious toil. We rise early, work late, and carry burdens as though everything depends upon us. We struggle to stop because stopping requires us to trust that God is at work even when we are not. Hear now our silent prayers of confession...

PROCLAMATION OF GRACE (MATTHEW 11:28-30)

✠ **GRATEFUL RESPONSE** *I HEARD THE VOICE OF JESUS SAY*, w/m by Bonar and Williams

✠ **PASSING OF THE PEACE** “May the peace of Christ be with you....And, also with you”
At this time, the congregation is invited to greet each other with peace.

WE PROCLAIM GOD’S LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING GENESIS 2:1-3 Jon Bachelder
Leader: Blessed are those who hear and keep what is written,
in the light of Jesus, the Word made flesh.
People: *Thanks be to God.*

INTERACTIVE MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES
All children are invited to come to the front for the Children’s Message.

✠ **SONG OF FAITH** *ABIDE*, w/m by Keyes, Williams, and Fauber

SCRIPTURE READING HEBREWS 4:1-11

SERMON “*REST AND RESET*” Rev. Dr. Brad Busiek

WE EMBRACE GOD’S LOVE

OFFERING
In response to God’s love, we are invited to reflect on how we might give thanks to God through the sharing of our time, talents, and treasures. (During this time, offering plates will be passed down the pews. There is no obligation to give. If you wish to let us know you’re here, receive a call, or volunteer, please fill out a yellow connect card and put it in the offering plate.)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

WE ARE SENT OUT TO SHARE GOD’S LOVE IN THE WORLD

✠ **CHARGE AND BLESSING** (1 PETER 5:7)

✠ **SONG OF DEDICATION** *JESUS I AM RESTING RESTING*, w/m by Hampton and Pigott

✠ **POSTLUDE**
✠ Those who are able are invited to stand.