Church Events

- May 17—Women's Knitting @ Volcano Coffee, 10:00am
- May 19—Men's Potluck Breakfast Bible Study, 8:00am
- May 20—All Church Prayer, 5:00pm
 - All Church Business Meeting, 6:00pm
- May 21—Olive Crest Support Dinner, 6:00pm
- May 28—Memorial Day, Church Office Closed





24 Campsites | \$250 per site | 6 Nights | Full hook-up Contact: Lorn Larson 253.606.9286 Write check to CCBC & give to Lorn Larson

Mother's Day **Child Dedication May 13** If you would like to dedicate your child, please contact the church office Special Constitutional Open Forum FORUM May 12 @ 9:00am church business meeting May 20 @ 6:00pm

Community Christ Community Baptist Church

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Church Events

May 1—MOPS Steering Team Meeting, 9:30am

Children's Committee
 Meeting, 6:30pm

May 2—Elder Meeting, 5:30pm

- AWANA--Clubbers
 Appreciate Your
 Leader Night, 6:30pm
- May 3—Common Thread Sewing Group, 10:00am
- May 4-6—Women's Retreat, Black Lake
- May 8—MOPS (Mother's Of Preschoolers, 9:00am
- May 9—AWANA-Award Night, 6:30pm
- May 12—Constitutional Open Forum, 9:00am

May 13—Mother's Day

- Child Dedications in both services
- May 16—AWANA-Leader/ Volunteer Appreciation Night, 6:30pm (Continued on Back)

Pacesetters Will be taking a break and plan to start again in

September. Enjoy your summer!



One Year Building

Vision Anniversary



Sunday's Sermon (4/29/2018): First Year Anniversary of the 3-Year "Building with 20/20 Vision" **Pledge Commitments Pastor Gordie Bauslaugh**

Next Week Hebrews 9:24



Helen Lucas **Director of Children's Ministry**

This Sunday's Schedule 8:15-9:15 am **Adult LIFE Groups**

8:30am-9:00 am Pre-Service Prayer (Rm 129)

9:30-10:30 am **Worship Service**

Adult LIFE Groups Axiom Youth (6th-8th Grade) Elevate Youth (9th-12th Grade) Kids' programs Kindergarten through 5th Grade *Nurseries & Preschool Available

11:00-12:00 pm

Special Constitutional Open Forum

Kids' programs Kindergarten through 5th Grade *Nurseries & Preschool Available

6:00pm All Church Prayer



Happening This Week: April 29-May 6

MONDAY	8:00am	Classical Conversations
	10:00am	Women's Prayer
	6:00pm	*Marcy LIFE Group
TUESDAY	9:30am	MOPS Steering Team Meeting
	4:45pm	Youth Worship Practice
	6:30pm	Youth Group
	6:30pm	Children's Committee Meeting
WEDNESDAY	9:30am	Women's Bible Study
	5:30pm	Elder Meeting
	6:30pm	AWANA-Clubbers Appreciate Your Leader Night
	6:30pm	Men's Bible Study
	6:30pm	Women's Bible Study
THURSDAY	10:00am	"Common Thread" Sewing Group
	6:30pm	Adult Bible Study-Silver Creek
	7:45pm	Second Service Worship Team Practice
FRIDAY	6:30am	Men's Bible Study @ Denny's On Pacific & 512
		Women's Retreat– Offsite-Black Lake
SATURDAY		No Scheduled Events
SUNDAY	8:30am	Pre-Service Prayer
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9:30am Blended Worship Service 11:00am Contemporary Worship Service

*Please see the information center in the lobby for a LIFE Group brochure to get meeting location and contact information.

Running the Race **Cogether!**

Start your engines & get into gear

TEACHER APPRECIATION IS ALMOST HERE!





Childcare provided

RSVP to Helen 253.301.7265 or

Families are invited!

Where: Christ Community Baptist Church When: July 30–Aug 3 — 9:00am-12:00pm Who: Boys and Girls entering Kindergarten-6th Grade Cost: \$12.00 per participant, \$36.00 families of 3 or more Pay on line: \$12.35 or \$37.00 Register at: https://vbspro.events/p/christcommuity

Children's Ministry

May Themes

May 2--Appreciate Your Leader Nigh May 9--Awards Night & Dinner May 16 is Leader/Volunteer **Appreciation Night**

> To Volunteer, Donate, or **General VBS Questions** Please contact Helen Lucas at: devlinlivsgma@gmail.com (253) 301-7265

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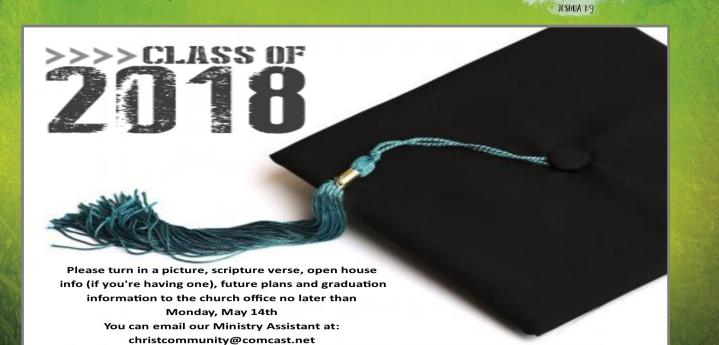
CCBC Youth Ministry



John Golling, Associate Pastor of Youth Ministry and Trustees







Brief Beliefs Pastor Gordie Bauslaugh

Brief Beliefs

We believe God, in His own time and in His own way, will bring all things to their appropriate end and establish the new heaven and the new earth (Ephesians 1:9-10, Revelation 21:1). The certain hope of the Christian is that Jesus Christ will return to the earth suddenly, personally and visibly in glory according to His promise (Titus 2:13; Revelation 1:7; 3:11; John 14:1-3). The dead will be raised, and Christ will judge mankind in righteousness (John 5:28-29). The unrighteous will be consigned to the everlasting punishment prepared for the devil and his angels (Matthew 25:41, 46; Revelation 20:10). The righteous in their resurrected and glorified bodies, will receive their reward and dwell forever with the Lord (Philippians 3:20-21; Second Corinthians 5:10; First Thessalonians 4:13-18). – Taken from our North American Baptist Statement of Beliefs

<u>To Illustrate</u>

"There is at the center of reality a groan. And the closer to the center you live, the more you will hear it and the more you will share in it: the center of creation, the center of the church, the center of ministry, the center of those things that belong to the people of God, and the center of the human race. The closer you move there, the more you will hear the groan – the more you will share the groan. And you will recognize it.... Paul says that the groan in creation, in us, in God, is a groan not of death, or the death throes; but a groan of childbirth. God is giving birth to something new. God is doing something fresh. God is creating a new heaven, a new earth, and by the time I have mastered the groan, I will have to exchange it for a WOW!"

Fred B. Craddock, in Journal for Preachers



Sermon Schedule

May 6

The Son—The Better Worship *Hebrews 9:24*

May 13

The Son—Privileges & Responsibilities Hebrews 10:19-25

Celebrating The Lord's Supper

May 20

By Faith *Hebrews 11*

May 27

Surrounded By Witnesses

Hebrews 12:1

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

CY 2018 General Fund through March 31, 2018

INCOME: \$101,403.94

EXPENSES: \$119,425.27

General Fund Balance:\$12,031.70



Deacon of Finance John Mills

Total 20/20 Vision Pledges: \$613,019.00

Pledge \$\$ Given: \$263,835.65

Honest Questions/Answers: Pastor Gordon Bauslaugh



Q – Philippians 4:8 gives us different categories of those things we should be thinking about, those "lovely things". So, how can we think "lovely thoughts"?

A – Paul is not talking about fleeting impressions that invade our thinking. Thoughts of temptation or discouragement can come unannounced. But we can discipline ourselves, making conscious choices to contemplate good things. Reading uplifting Bible verses, for example, listening to Christian music, listing God's attributes, or keeping a list of "thank-you's" to God are examples of ways we can get on the right track.

In our church lobby you will find a wooden box where you may place Bible or Daily Christian Living questions.



If you haven't already heard, the blueprints are complete now! The architect will be sending the blueprints to the county for our building permit. This could take 6 to 8 weeks.

We had a meeting with one potential contractor and will be meeting with others in the very near future.

Please pray there will be no delays in the permit process. Thank you for your generous giving.



Getting To Know You A monthly feature in our CCBC Communiqué of short interviews with our LIFE Group leaders, who are so key in our community experience that we have with God and each other at CCBC,



Tell us a bit about the leadership of your group and teaching methods. Russ deemed us using a Socratic method. "The Socratic method, also can be known as maieutic, method of elenchus, elenctic method, or Socratic debate, is a form of cooperative argumentative dialogue between individuals, based on asking and answering questions to stimulate critical thinking and to draw out ideas and underlying presumptions" (thanks

"Special K" Wikipedia). The teaching leader forms the basic lesson, but relies heavily on our input. We all need to study, and there are lots of insightful comments and observations. Everyone participates. It is great! Our leadership was formed out of the desire to keep our LIFE Group intact. No one individual stepped up to do this, so we have a team of 4 primary and 2 backup individuals. Tom Thompson, Russ Adams and John Mills are the primary teachers with a very capable Otis Myers ready to step in at a moments notice. Jackie Reynolds handles administration and Debbie Bledsoe prayer requests.

What three to five words would you say best describe your LIFE Group? More "Spiritually mature Bible scholars" and Prayer Warriors What basically are the employments of your LIFE Group? Military, retirees, business people, school counselors and domestic engineers. Are there any present and past military service people in your group? Some retired, some active: John Mills, Tom Thompson, Otis Myers. David & Sue Ellen Rush, Jason Ross, Brent Wendtland and Jackie's daughter Nancy. Are you originally from Washington State? None of the four of us.

Tell us about the make-up of your group and how your group has recently been applying the "one-anothers" of the Bible.

Most of the group serves in other ministries: worship, committee chairs, counting offerings, AWANA, nursery leaders, children's teachers and Bible study leaders. We range from retirees to young adults with small children. We support each other in prayer, meals and whatever is needed. Our latest innovation is using a face time app to have the Roods join us on Sunday mornings to participate in LIFE Group while dealing with very challenging health issues. Former LIFE Group members now live in Michigan, Nevada, Oregon and Texas and are still in contact with our group. And why, with such busy and involved lives are you also willing to be LIFE Group Leaders? When the Dickau's retired, we didn't have anyone to take over all ministry aspects of the LIFE Group, so we adopted a team approach. (Those of you that have a single family leading, show them the love! They work very hard for you!)