



September 2019 Communique

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Christ Community Baptist Church

Sept. 15
12:30pm



new comers Lunch

Questions?
Come find Answers!

Beliefs • Programs • Ministries • Church History • Goals

Childcare Provided

If you are interested in attending please contact the church at:

253.486.3000 or christcommunity@comcast.net

Special Open Forum

September 15 @ 6:00pm

Elders will be sharing significant
changes for the future of CCBC.

Childcare Provided

Please contact the church office if you will be needing childcare
253.846.3000 or christcommunity@comcast.net

Church Events

- Sept 3--MOPS Steering Team Meeting, 9:00am
- Sept 4--Elder Meeting, 5:30pm
AWANA Leaders/Volunteers Training, 6:30pm
- Sept 5--Common Thread Sewing Group, 10:00am
- Sept 7/8—24 Hour Prayer Chain 9:00am Saturday-9:00am Sunday
- Sept 8—Promotion Sunday, All Kids & Youth Move Up One Grade
- Sept 9--MOPS Set-Up, 4:00pm
- Sept 10--MOPS (Mother's of Preschoolers), 9:00am
- Sept 11--AWANA, 6:30pm
- Sept 15--Great Commission Awareness Committee Meeting, 12:30pm
Church Open Forum, 6:00pm
- Sept 16--Classical Conversation Homeschool Group, 8:00am
- Sept 18--AWANA-Parent Orientation Night, 6:30pm

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Sunday's Sermon (9/01/2019):
Turning the Corner on Accountability
James 5:16
Pastor Phil Yntema

Next Week:
Turning the Corner on Fortresses
II Corinthians 10:3-5

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 Preschool through 5th Grade

*Infant & Toddler Nurseries Available

11:00-12:00 pm

Contemporary Worship Service

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Happening This Week: Sept. 2-Sept. 8

MONDAY

HAPPY LABOR DAY

Church Office Closed

TUESDAY

9:30am MOPS Steering Team Meeting

WEDNESDAY

5:30pm Elder Meeting

6:30pm AWANA Leaders/Volunteer Training

THURSDAY

10:00am Common Thread Sewing Group

6:30pm Adult Bible Study-Silver Creek

7:45pm Second Service Team Worship Practice

FRIDAY

6:30am Men's Bible Study @ Denny's On Pacific & 512

SATURDAY

9:00am 24-Hour Prayer Chain--Pastor Phil's Office

SUNDAY

8:30am Pre-Service Prayer

Promotion Sunday! 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.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

CY 2019 General Fund through July 31, 2019

INCOME: \$249,815.75

EXPENSES: \$253,670.81

General Fund Balance: \$19,348.44



Deacon of Finance
John Mills



Tithe.ly for **Electronic giving**

Total 20/20 Vision

Pledges: \$613,019.00

Pledge \$\$ Given: \$495,150.43



*To Everything
there is a Season,
and a time
to every Purpose
under Heaven.
Ecclesiastes 3:1*



Pastor's Pen

Pastor Phil Yntema

I love the book Joshua, especially chapter one. Moses is gone, new leadership is coming and God is still there. In verse two they are given their mission; take the land. Incidentally, it's the same mission Moses was trying to achieve. By themselves they were outnumbered. This wasn't going to be easy. Verse three states the certainty of their success. God will give them the land. In verse seven we find their part in fulfilling the mission; be strong, courageous, and be careful to do according to the law. Was it going to be easy? They were faced with fortified cities, giants, and iron chariots. What God promised was not ease, but victory. So to us, as we fulfill our mission, expect victory. There will be giants, so be strong and courageous.

Joshua 1:3~Because wherever the sole of our foot touches God will give it to us.

Sermon Themes

September 8

Turning the Corner on Fortresses

II Corinthians 10:3-5

September 15

Turning the Corner on Grudges

Hebrews 12:15

September 22

Navigating the Storm

Elder Ozan Ferrin

September 29

Turning the Corner on Sin

I Corinthians 10:12

CCBC



John Golling
Associate Pastor of
Youth Ministry and Trustees

CCBC Youth Ministry

CCBC Youth Group

Axiom
Grades 6-8



Elevate
Grades 9-12

LAUNCH
September 10 | 6:30pm

Axiom & Elevate Youth Groups will launch on Tuesday, Sept. 10th at 6:30 PM with a very special night to start off the '19-'20 school year.

Parents, family members and guardians of teens are all invited as we gather around the tables for a potluck dinner, enjoy some games, hear about the events planned for the year, and then students will go to small groups while parents meet with Pastor John for a time of sharing about what we believe God is doing in our community and among our teens!

Please mark your calendars and make this a high priority as a family. Younger siblings are welcome to attend with parents and guardians for this family time together!

Questions, please call Pastor John at 253-312-0067.

Ultimate Glow-Stick

BBQ &

BON fire

September 27
at 6:00pm

Bring the whole family
and a side dish to share!

We'll fire up the BBQ for a
night of fun & adventure!

We will meet at Trinity Aviation Academy

520 Airport Rd E, Eatonville, WA 98328 | Friday, Sept. 27th 6:00 - 9:00 PM



Helen Lucas
Director of
Children's Ministry

Children's Ministry

"Approved Workman Are Not Ashamed"

2 Timothy 2:15



Because kids matter to God.



September Themes



September 11--First AWANA Night (Doors Open @ 6:00pm)

September 18--Parent Orientation (Portable #3 7:10-8:00pm)

September 25--BARF Night ~ Bring A Real Friend



AWANA Leaders & Helpers are needed!

Do you feel God calling you to help make a difference through AWANA? Please talk to Shari or Otis Myers.

oandsmyers@yahoo.com

253.691.6318

AWANA Leader Training

is September 4



Promotion Sunday

Kids & youth move up to new classes on Sunday, Sept. 8

Kids entering first grade will be awarded a Bible.

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8
2019



AND AWAY WE GO!

And away we go! We have survived the first two weeks of school. Has everything gone smoothly? Nope. Has it been a stress-free couple of weeks? Nope. Has God been faithful during it all? YES!

It would be easy to list the many things that haven't gone quite as planned and the many frustrating situations that have come up during the opening weeks of school, especially with a new person in charge. However, the REAL story and what keeps us going from day to day is this: yes, God has been faithful and He is still in control.

Prayer Requests

- Pray for our students and staff as we all settle into this year's routines. Pray that we will all develop healthy balance and priorities during whatever comes our way.
- Pray for me as I continue to sort out the details of my role as the school's director. Pray that I will rest in His strength.



**"Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us."
ROMANS 8:37**



I officially took over as the Interim Director of RFIS on the 21st of June and feel like I have been on an exponential learning curve ever since. Lois, our previous director, did a great job helping to prepare me over the course of the past school year, but so much of any new job is just jumping in and working through it. Quite honestly, there are days I wonder what God was thinking in placing me here, but I take great comfort in knowing HE is in control and not me. I have great confidence in HIS ability to use me in this place and during this season.

Between new teacher orientation, our week of staff orientation, a parent orientation/open house, and my involvement in various aspects of student orientation, I have done a lot of 'public speaking' in the past month. Those things don't really bother me. However, as the director, I also had the privilege of being the speaker for our first chapel service of the year. Interestingly, in the 9+ years since I first came to Cameroon, I have never been the chapel speaker, so it was a challenge that really stretched me. There is a HUGE difference between explaining why policies exist and seeking to speak into people's lives from your own experiences and vulnerabilities. I spoke about who I have been, who I am, and our identity in Christ. We explored the TRUTH in how Christ defines us and the lies Satan sows that we can so easily believe. I shared some of the struggles that I have allowed to define me at times, and challenged them to hear God's truth. We closed with the reminder that God isn't finished with any of us yet. We are all still works in progress, but through Him we are more than conquerors (*Romans 8:37*) and what He has begun in us, He WILL complete (*Philippians 1:6*).

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Praises

- Praise God with us for the new staff and students He has brought into our RFIS (Rain Forest International School) community. Please pray for them as they deal with all these transitions!
- Praise God for providing hostel parents for both hostels for the year! We are so excited to welcome Brian and Debbie at the CMF hostel and Brian and Heidi in the UBAC hostel.



Kristi TenClay Update Continued

For the most part, I see my director role as interim in nature, and therefore don't consider it my place to CHANGE things. However, sometimes you need to jump in and try things when the opportunities present themselves. Because of how our class scheduling worked out this year, we were able to slip in two new events that will bookend our week together as a community: Monday morning 'Staff Prayer' and Friday afternoon 'Community Time.' I am so excited to see where the Lord will lead us with these! As I write this letter, I am equally encouraged to realize that things happening in our student body provided the inspiration to get both of these scheduled! Over the past few years, our school's student-led worship team has developed a tradition of focusing the first assembly time each week on prayer. This year, the staff is working to move in the same direction. Though the school's staff have always been committed to praying together and for our students, our collective efforts have generally been limited to one staff meeting each month. Through some creative fiddling with our schedule, our teaching staff will be able to start our weeks together in prayer this year. Pray with me that this will be a special time of growing together, collectively focusing on what God is calling us to each week and throughout the year.

Throughout my years at RFIS, various groups and individuals on campus have sought to build 'unity' or a sense of 'family' on campus. This year we have set aside an hour each week as 'Community Time.' We have divided the staff and student body into 6 'color clans' and will use that time in variety of ways. Some weeks will be set aside for clan competitions, others will provide time for clubs to meet, some will allow opportunities to serve others within or around our community, and some might even allow us to host presentations or guest speakers that wouldn't normally fit into our schedule. Pray with me that this will be a great time of building community as we grow and play together.



September 7 & 8

- From 9:00am Sept. 7 to 9:00am Sept. 8
- Pray through prayer album of requests in 1/2 hour time slots

Children's Ministries, Youth Ministry & Adult Ministries please email your prayer request to the church office at christcommunity@comcast.net

- In Pastor Phil's Office
- Share personal prayer requests at the Prayer Box or by email to the church office

If any men are available to help with security during the prayer chain please sign up at the welcome desk

Prayer 24-Hour Chain

SIGN UP AT WELCOME DESK

Church Events

- Sept 19—Women's Knitting @ Volcano Coffee, 10:00am
- Sept 21—Men's Potluck Breakfast & Bible Study, 8:00am
- Sept 23--MOPS Set-Up
- Sept 24--MOPS (Mother's Of Preschoolers), 9:00am
- Sept 25--AWANA-BARF Night-Bring a Real Friend Night, 6:30pm
- Sept 29--All Church Prayer, 6:00pm

Men's Ministry Golf Tournament
High Cedars Executive Nine

September 7 @ 9:00am

Cost: \$35.00--Includes Cart & Lunch

September 8

BABY & CHILD

dedication

If you would like to dedicate your child,
please contact the church office
253.846.3000

THE GOD WHO IS THERE

Finding Your Place in God's Story
D. A. CARSON

MEN'S MINISTRY
POTLUCK
BREAKFAST
& BIBLE STUDY

New Study Begins
September 21
at 8:00am

YOU'RE INVITED TO: MOPS

A COMMUNITY OF MOMS

What is MOPS?

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) is a welcoming place for Moms who are pregnant or have children aged 0-5. Here you'll find friendship, share a meal, hear inspiring messages, talk about mom life, and create fun crafts. Childcare is provided!

When and Where?

2nd & 4th Tuesdays,
9:15 - 11:30 am,
September - May
Christ Community
Baptist Church
8016 176th St. E., Puyallup

Registration is Open!

✉ mopsccbc@gmail.com
f MOPS at CCBC Puyallup

this is
GOING
to be
FUN

to the full



HAVE MORE FUN
FEAR LESS
FIND YOUR PEOPLE

THE BIBLE MADE EASY!

September 11

WOMEN OF THE BIBLE

9:30am-10:00am Fellowship 10:00am-11:30am Study

the Smart Guide
to the Bible™ series



- Real women with real lives—meet Old and New Testaments' most influential women
- Leading experts offer insights into their famous (and some infamous!) roles
- Discover which women pleased God the most—and why

Kathy Collard Miller
best-selling author of *God's Abundance*

Larry Richards
general editor, *The Smart Guide to the Bible™* series

Contact: Shari Myers 253.691.6318

SAVE the DATE

Women's RETREAT

OCT. 4th - 6th 2019

Private Lodge on Long Lake, Lacey WA

Cost: \$125.00 Space is Limited

REGISTRATION BEGINS 8/19/19

To Reserve Your Spot a \$50.00 Non
Refundable Deposit is Required
Final Payment Due: 9/15/19

More Info To Come, Questions Contact:
Terri Adams (253) 455-0143

EARLY
BIRD
SAVE \$10 WHEN
PAID IN FULL
BY 9/1/19