

Family News & Notes

July 11, 2021

Stepping up to things spiritual, stepping into things relationally, and stepping out to others evangelistically!

TODAY'S LESSON

"What Joseph's Battle Teaches Us"
Brent Hunter

https://www.kirkland-media.com/live-stream

Sunday Adult Class A Charge to Keep (1st & 2nd Timothy) Roger & Nathan

Wednesday Bible Class: Genesis: The Book of Beginnings – Brent Hunter

Upcoming Lessons:

July 18: "Make Me a Servant" Deacon Installation

July 25: Been Keehn

Aug.1: "Crash Course in Christian Parenting" Brent Hunter

Birthdays:

Jen – July 13 Todd – July 17

Member News and Prayer Requests

Deacon Selection Process

6/20-7/4 Time of consideration, prayer, and opportunity to reach out to the prospective deacons 7/18 Installation of deacons before the congregation

Please join us for Sunday 10:30AM worship and our evening adult classes in the auditorium! Masks and social distancing are now optional. If you wish to wear a mask and feel more comfortable being socially distanced, you may sit in the reserved rows at the back of the auditorium. Everyone sitting in the reserved area must wear a mask.

Sunday morning worship is available via livestream for those unable to join us in person. This link can also be used to watch the classes at the scheduled times. https://www.kirkland-media.com/live-stream

Sunday Adult Class July 4th – Sept. 5th A Charge to Keep (1st & 2nd Timothy)

Roger & Nathan

The adult Sunday night 5:00 PM class is only available in person or livestream.

Workbooks are available. Please pick up a copy from the back table in your plan to participate.

Wednesday Bible Study – Brent Hunter

"The Toehold in the Land of Promise" Genesis 23 "Looking for a Wife for Isaac" Genesis 24 Genesis Class #18 Available in person or livestream

Adult and Children's Bible classes will return to normal schedules Sept. 12. Details to be announced soon.

Please reserve the date as we meet in memorial for one of God's own, **Diane Bannister**, Saturday, August 7 at 10:30 AM, at the building.

Jeanette is moving to Boise at the end of August to be with a dear friend. She hopes to find a reasonably priced home and a good job in that area. God's speed to Jeanette on her new adventure, she will be missed!

Mike thanks everyone for the cards, words of encouragement, and support they have received from the Kirkland church family. The most recent CT scans were mostly clear, and the spots on his lymph-nodes are getting smaller. They will check again in three months for any changes. He returned to work and is in good spirits. Praise God!

Norma is in Tucson visiting family for 10 days. We miss her when she is gone.

Prayer Requests

Hannah fractured three bones and is in two casts. Prayers for a quick and swift healing so she can enjoy the summer.

Jennifer is recovering well from hand surgery and issues with her shoulder.

Jim is undergoing another round of chemo and is not feeling well.

Bob passed away after suffering with multiple health issues over the last few years. He was a member of the Kirkland congregation for 40 years, served as an elder, and the father of Dan along with his sisters Joyce & Robin.

Josh tested negative on his most recent Covid -19 test, as has the rest of the family. Prayers for a quick recovery were answered in the affirmative.

David, (father of Kami) blood clot in his brain behind his right eye.

Jeanie requests prayers for an upcoming minor surgery on two fingers of her right hand. The surgery was postponed for several months. She also asks for prayers for her husband, Sean, who has taken a sharp downhill turn recently and for all practical purposes is blind. He also has difficulty using his walker.

Prayers are requested for **Rob** who recently converted to Christianity from Islam and is in prison in the Kent area. He wants to be baptized for the remission of his sins, but due to being in prison at this point he can't get permission. Rob says he is innocent and hopes to be released soon and turn his life around for Christ. Please keep Rob and this situation in your prayers. Please take a moment and send him a note of encouragement!

Continuing Prayer Needs:

Our Expectant Parents - Dayna & Travis, Laura & Jacob

Dallas - prostate cancer.

Joe – the doctors are searching for solutions to his seizures.

Nancy (Alison's mother) congestive heart failure, recovering at home.

Karen (Lalaneya's mom) leukemia is improving.

Sina (Alphie's mom) – kidney failure, on the kidney transplant list. Cards are appreciated. The family is thankful for the continued prayers.

Deanna— continues to search for answers for post-acute Covid syndrome (breathing issues, cough, fever, exhaustion). Deanna thanks everyone for their prayers and concern.

Liz– chronic pain. Continues to search for help from pain specialists.

Dan– continuing rehabilitation from shoulder surgery.

Paul – back pain & ongoing leg paralysis caused by a pinched nerve. Surgery will not help him and is no longer an option because of the severity of damage to his back and spine. Paul has been in severe pain, is not able to attend services, and is heart-sick about it.

Michell strained her back at work, possible slipped disc, and arthritis has flared. Michelle and Bryan are having to work long hours and are very stressed right now. Prayers that they can determine God's will for their lives and have good health. Seeking direction concerning her job and other important life choices. Continuance of healing for her family.

Jason – has visited Kirkland and is renting a room from the Coopers. Requests prayers for the challenges in his life.

Gary–continue to pray for a drop in the PSA counts.

Shawn— will begin truck driver training soon. When completed, Shawn will be qualified to transport long haul freight.

Pat's sister, **Delores** – Stage 1 lung cancer. Prayers for a full return to health.

Judy – unable to have visitors but appreciates phone calls. Having circulation problems with her toes. Working with the doctors so she will not have to have any amputated.

Pat – challenges with lungs and bad cough, and rheumatoid arthritis flares causing bone pain.

Darla - in an assisted living facility

Pray for our country, church, and leaders during these troubling times.

Those in our congregation who have been impacted by the health mandates. Pray for a resolution to the pandemic and that Satan will not be able to use this health crisis to divide or weaken our church family.

Pray for our family members who are serving our country in the armed services. Reuben is in the Navy, deployed to Japan. Jake is serving in the Navy locally.

Our brethren in the **Philippines** are struggling with numerous challenges during these times and need our prayers.

Upcoming Guest Speakers

July 25 AM & PM: Ben

Sept. 12: Julian

Oct. 3: Eben (North Seattle)

Oct. 17: Jesse

Nov. 7 AM & PM: John (Fresno, CA)

Nov. 28 AM: Glenn

Pray for Our Local Evangelistic Efforts

Seeker Podcast is an outreach podcast put together by **Jesse and Julian**. Feel free to listen in, comment, and pass along to others as an evangelistic tool. We pray that this will also serve as a source of encouragement during your week. The 30-minute messages are available 24/7 on YouTube or via Podcast:

Live Broadcast - Monday @ 8pm on

YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMO9MsLKfK1eLMOOA9E1NLA

Past Episodes - Video Feed: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMO9MsLKfK1eLMOOA9E1NLA

Past Episodes - Podcast Feed: https://bit.ly/3kKhJdi

Our radio program "Walking in the Light" airs every Sunday from 11:15 AM till noon on KCIS 630 AM. We also post the radio recordings on our website, just scroll down and click on the Radio image.

Online Lessons & Videos

We now have recordings of our lessons on both **Facebook and YouTube**. Go to either application and enter Kirkland church of Christ in the search bar and you will be able to find and view the lessons.

You can access the internet using our "guest" network, password is "kirkland".

2021 Kirkland Progress Report as of 7/4/2021

Total new members (and children) year to date: 7

Members: Nurys; Brian; Eli; Jeanie & Shawn; Daniel

Restorations: Nurys

Baptisms: Eli, Kim & Izzy, Loan, Alex, Daniel