

Welcome to UPPC!

If this is your first visit, we are so glad you are here. In fact, we believe God brought you here today! Take a few minutes to read this bulletin to find out about some of the ministries going on at the church - getting involved is the best way to meet people and connect. We'd also love to have you stop by the Welcome Center (just outside the Sanctuary doors) after service. There is someone available to answer questions about the church as well as let you know more about ministries and opportunities available for you and your family.

We hope this morning is meaningful and rejuvenating for you!

THIS WEEK

OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY - THURSDAY | 8AM-4:30PM
FRIDAY | 8AM-12:30PM

TODAY 10.20

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 & 11AM

Early Childhood 9:30 & 11AM | 4mo-2yrs | Nursery • 3's-K | Room 111

Elementary 9:30 & 11AM | Grades 1-4 | The Lodge

Solid Ground 9:30AM | Grades 5-12 | Youth Room

Solid Ground 11AM | Grades 5-7 | Youth Room

CONNEXIONS 9:30-10:30AM | Fellowship Hall

FINANCIAL Q&A 10:40AM | Gym

MONDAY 10.21

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY 6:30-8AM | Rm 124

TUESDAY 10.22

PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP 6-9PM | Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY 10.23

ESL/FRIENDSHIP GROUP 9AM-12PM | Fellowship Hall

BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL 10AM | Rm 121 | Gwenn Robertson, 253.564.0608

FRIENDSHIP LUNCH 12-2PM | Fellowship Hall

TRUE MEN 6:30-7:30PM | Fellowship Hall

THE WELL 6:30-7:30PM | The Wayside

CAMPFIRE 6:30-7:30PM | Grades 1-4 | The Lodge

FOUNDATION 6:30-7:30PM | Grades 5-7 | Youth Room

THE ROCK 7:30-9PM | Grades 8-9 | The Lodge

CORNERSTONE 7:30-9PM | Grades 10-12 | Youth Room

THURSDAY 10.24

THURSDAY MORNING PRAYER 9-10AM | Family Worship Room

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY 9:30-11AM | Fellowship Hall

BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL 7PM | Rm 121 | Gwenn Robertson, 253.564.0608

ORDER OF SERVICE

*Please stand if you are able

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

GATHERING MUSIC | *Larghetto* | George Frideric Handel | Art Peterson, Organ

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP | Rev. Mike Moffitt

*GREETING ONE ANOTHER

*HYMN OF PRAISE | *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING | Colossians 1:15-20 (NIV) | Greg Pubols

MINISTRY OF MUSIC | *Fairest Lord Jesus* | Mark Hayes
Sanctuary Choir | Rev. Dr. Diana Greene, Minister of Worship

DEAR YOUNGER ME: *Who's Helping Whom?* | Matthew 25:31-46 (NIV)
Lisa Woicik, Minister of Outreach & Mission

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*HYMN OF RESPONSE | *Take My Life, Lead Me Lord*

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

MISSION MOMENT | Update on the Amelin Family

SEALING THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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.

*SENDING HYMN | *A Charge to Keep I Have*

*THE BLESSING

*POSTLUDE | *Nun Danket Alle Gott* | Sigfrid Karg-Elert

Dear Younger Me

Biblical Truth I Wish I Knew Earlier



October 20, 2019

As the Minister of Outreach and Mission, I think a lot about the poor and the vulnerable. Not only within University Place and Tacoma, but also around the world. Even before my time at UPPC, helping the poor and the vulnerable has been something I've cared deeply about. So much so that I've spent years studying the causes and effects of poverty. In 2002, I even completed a Master of Public Administration focused on poverty alleviation. Yet, despite all this studying, it wasn't until years later that I came to understand something that revolutionized the way I see poverty.

What I'm talking about isn't a new fancy strategy or program. In fact, it's a concept that is fundamental to the story of the gospel. I've now come to see that I had been believing a half-truth about what it means to care for the poor and vulnerable.

I look forward to sharing with you what I've learned about helping others. I hope it will provide you with a deeper understanding of God and his call for us to care for the poor and the vulnerable.

Lisa Woicik
Minister of Outreach & Missions

UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Aaron Stewart | Senior Pastor
Rev. Mike Moffitt | Associate Pastor

Wifi: UPPC Guest | Password: welcome2

WAYS TO GIVE AT UPPC:

- Giving plates at offering
- Online: UPPC.org "Give"
- UPPC app

ALL CHURCH

Info and registrations at UPPC.org/events and on our app!

Financial Q & A

Today | 10:40-11:15AM | Gym

If you are interested in learning more about UPPC's budget and finances, you are invited to a Finance Q&A meeting with the Finance Elders and Mike Bates.

Brahm's Requiem

Sunday November 3 | 9:30 & 11AM Services | UPPC

Join us for a meditative service of hope as we live broken lives in a broken world. UPPC Choir and Orchestra will be playing selective pieces from Brahm's Requiem.

Youth Wreath Sales

Every year our youth raise money for their mission trip to Mexico. Support these students by purchasing a festive wreath for your home, office, family members and neighbors. Purchase online at UPPC.org/events, or at the church November 3 & 10. Wreaths will be available for pickup December 1.

Weekly Blog

Want to dig deeper? Every week Pastor Mike expands upon Sundays sermon for you to use in your devotions or for your small group. Find a link to the Group Life Blog at UPPC.org, or on the UPPC Facebook page - it's posted every week! From the blog page, click "follow" to get the weekly blog delivered to your email.

Bible Jazz

Did you know UPPC has a weekly podcast? Join Pastor Mike and special guests as they dive into the Sunday sermon and talk about life. You can find Bible Jazz on iTunes, Spotify and Google Play.

SENIORS

Friendship Lunch (55+)

Wednesday October 23 | 12PM | Fellowship Hall

Join us for our first Friendship Lunch of the program year! We will have wonderful fellowship, a delicious lunch made by Steve King, listen to musical entertainment and hear from Harlan Shoop, Pastor Emeritus. RSVP to Diane Schultz, 253.565.2348 or jimndiane@nventure.com by Sunday October 20. Invite a guest or just sign up and meet some new friends. Cost: \$7.50 at the door.

SESSION NOTES October 15, 2019

- Session approved "UPPC's Guiding Principles for Ministry Partnerships" as UPPC's established guideline for selecting ministry partners.
- Session approved "Guidelines for Selecting Partners and Awarding Ministry Gifts" as UPPC's established process for selecting ministry partners and awarding ministry gifts, beginning in Fiscal Year 2020. (If you would like further information on the ministry partnership/gifts, please contact Lisa Woicik, lwoicik@uppc.org.)
- Session approved "The UPPC Way of Discipleship" which is described as the following:
 - Discipleship: At UPPC, we strive to live as active followers of Jesus...
 - Why? "To grow in every way more and more like Christ" (Eph. 4:11-16)
 - How? Through Scripture, Prayer, Community, Service (Acts 2:42-47)
 - So that: We are in the world but not of it; engaged but unique; faithful but winsome (John 17:15-18)

PRAYERS

Jill McMullen, Minister of Care | 253.564.2522 ext. 139, jmcmullen@uppc.org

- If you would like to share a prayer request or praise, please fill out a Prayer Request on the back of a CONNECT card located in a pew; email prayerrequests@uppc.org; or contact Jill McMullen.
- Deacons are available during the week to pray with you. If this is something you'd like, contact Jill McMullen.
- For info on support groups, contact Jill McMullen.

PRAYERS & PRAISES

- Peter Stewart, son of Pastor Aaron and Jenny Stewart, has been diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma. He is facing several months of treatment. Prayers for his treatment, for healing and for his family as they support him during this time.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR: Jim Anderson, Debbie Bates, Laurie Bauer, Ruth Brones, Billie Brown, Virginia Davies, Richard DeVine, Nick Glenn, Jung Gumsook, Olivia Harkcom, Phillip Hjembo, Rick Jackson, Bill Kelley, Pat Kling, Rich Knoll, Harold Koenig, Kellyn Kohler, Kevin Kozakowski, Jeannie Mann, Kara McDaniels, Nick McKenty, Noelle Nelson, Evelyn O'Brien, Bob Parker, Kris Rantalla, Elizabeth Spitler, Sharon Storey, Ann Swalander, Pat Van Mason, BJ Wiebusch, Jean Whitney, Gloria Wing

THOSE BEING TREATED FOR CANCER: Jack Baker, Sally Bolton, Matt Cushman, Cirilo DelCarmen, Bob Dippert, Gayle Fowler, Jean Graves, Marty Heaverlo, Paul Jackson, Harold Jantz, Pam Judson, Scott Lillibridge, Diane Martin, Marion Massey, Pauline May, Dan McDaniels, Guy McInelly, Bob Mitchell, Chris Olson, Marge Ritchie

CELEBRATING NEW LIFE

Elin Grace Gosselin, daughter of Blane and Lisa Gosselin, was born October 15, 2019. Her proud family includes grandparents Bryce and Christy Kalland, aunt and uncle Clara and Ryan Beam, and very excited big brother is Oliver.

Marian Grace Howard, daughter of Zach and Dara Howard, was born August 31, 2019. Her proud family includes grandparents Joe and Debbie Svoboda, Penny Howard and excited big brother Andrew.



THE WAYSIDE

Sun-Thurs 8:30AM-1PM
Stop by mid-week! Grab your morning coffee, meet up with friends, or try us out as a place to work (yup, we have free wifi!)

AS A
FAMILY
OF FAITH, WE...

DO LIFE TOGETHER

We comfort and care for each other, both here and around the world.

MAKE ROOM

We value sacred space - our gatherings are a place of Holy Spirit moments and great healing.

LOVE KIDS

We honor children and youth - through spiritual growth and general nurture - as a foundation for all we do.

CREATE

We encourage music and the arts to enhance our worship and celebrate God's goodness with others.

EMBRACE MESSINESS

We are guided by the Bible, embracing both spiritual truth and God's grace, as we share life's journey in all its messiness and all its glory, together.

SHARE

We share our abundant blessings generously - through service and outreach, God-given talents and wealth.