

WE BELIEVE THE LORD BROUGHT YOU HERE!

Welcome to UPPC! We are so glad you are here, and we would love to meet you. Visit the Welcome Center near the front doors to learn more about the ministry of UPPC, our community and opportunities to connect.

We hope your time with us today creates a meaningful encounter with Jesus.

Growing Young

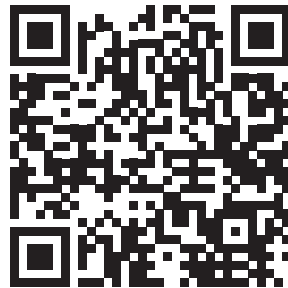
Complete the Survey TODAY!

We are so excited to introduce you to *Growing Young!* The UPPC team has been meeting and exploring six essential strategies that will help young adults discover and love our church. We need your help! *The Growing Young Assessment* (survey) is a tool that will provide vital insights about UPPC's relationship with young adults. This survey from the Fuller Youth Institute will gather the collective insights of our entire congregation and provide us with a true and accurate picture of this intergenerational connectedness.

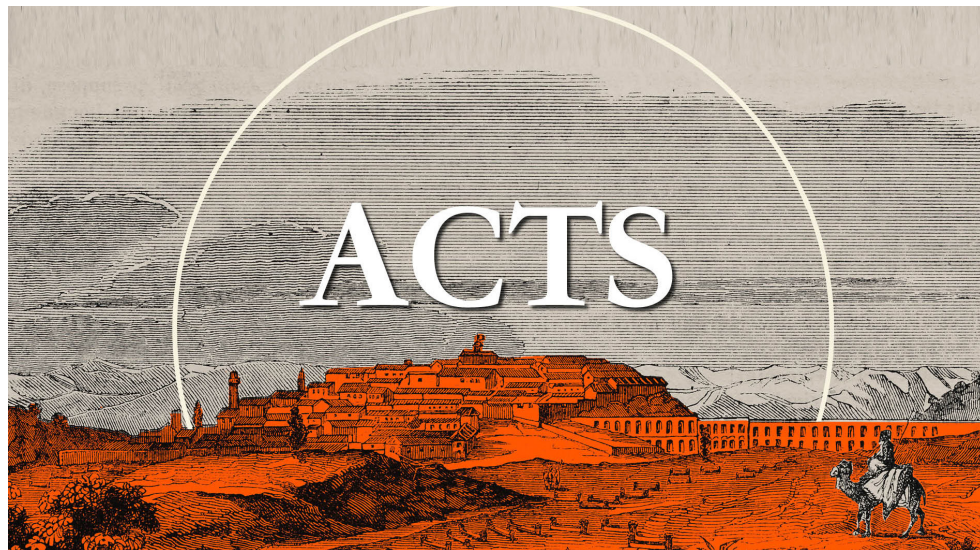
Whether you are 15 or 115 your input is invaluable to the next steps. Scan the QR code below with your smartphone now and complete this 5 to 10 minute anonymous survey.



Questions? Contact Lexi Barnett at lbarnett@uppc.org.



New Sermon Series Coming May 5th...



SERVICE INFORMATION

Heart to Heart: Err on the Side of Presence
Proverbs 27:9
Rev. Mike Moffitt, Associate Pastor
Rev. Tina Osterhouse, Associate Pastor

9:30AM CLASSIC SERVICE

**Please stand if able*

Worship Leaders: Rev. Dr. Diana Greene, Minister of Worship;
Sanctuary Choir; Art Peterson, Organist

Prelude: *Jesus Guide Me* | Johann Sebastian Bach

Welcome & Call to Worship

***Hymn of Praise:** *For the Beauty of the Earth*

Prayer of Praise and Confession

Ministry of Music: *Total Praise* | Richard Smallwood

Prayer for the Children & Greet One Another

Message

***Hymn of Response:** *Come Build a Church* | Ken Medema

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Prayers of the People

***Sending Hymn:** *The Church's One Foundation*

The Blessing

Postlude: *Moderato* | Vivaldi - Bach

11AM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

Worship Leaders: Loren & Melinda Tucker, Directors of Contemporary Worship; Lisa Priestley and Jessica Reid; Contemporary Worship Band

Baptism & Confirmation: Brady Allen Miller, Nick Sheetz

I Thank God | Housefires

Bless God | Cody Carnes

Christ Be Magnified | Brooke Ligertwood

Available | Elevation Worship

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

WAYS TO GIVE AT UPPC:

- Giving Box in lobby
- Online: [UPPC.org/give](https://uppc.org/give)

Wifi: UPPC Guest | Password: welcome2

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UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

April 21, 2024

CONNECT

 in person - online - get the app!

Meet The Pastors

TODAY | 12:15pm | Family Worship Room

New to UPPC? We'd love to get to know you! Meet the pastors, staff and others looking for community. Coffee is on us! Questions? Contact Kathy Goertz. kgoertz@uppc.org | 253.564.2522 ext147

Couples Group

April 21-June 2 | Starts TONIGHT at 6pm

Feeling over-scheduled and under-connected as a couple? Join us for this six-week session of Couples Group. We'll be going through the book *The Time-Starved Marriage* by relationship experts Drs. Les and Leslie Parrott. One book needed per couple. Register now at UPPC.org/events.

Dinner & A Movie: Just Mercy

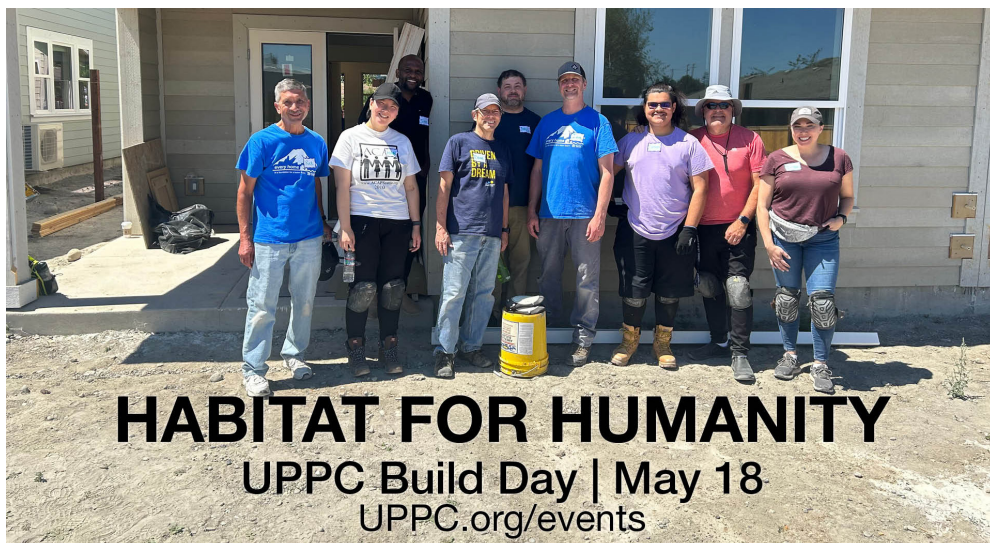
April 28 | Register in the lobby TODAY

Join us for this powerful story about loving our neighbor, confronting injustice, and the potential for mercy to redeem us. In the UPPC Fellowship Hall, 5:00-8:30pm. Discussion to follow movie viewing. Dinner included and childcare provided up to age 12 with registration. Register today in the lobby or at UPPC.org/events!

Habitat for Humanity

May 18 | 8:30am-3:30pm

Would you like to learn new practical skills and serve your community? Join the UPPC Build Team for a day of work and fun as you help prepare a home for a local Habitat family. Volunteers must register in advance and be at least 16 years old. No experience necessary. Space is limited so sign up today! More Information and registration at UPPC.org/events. Questions? Contact Ian Priestley. ianpaulp@hotmail.com.



Refugee Resettlement

Build friendships and community!

World Relief is receiving a large influx of refugees resettling in the Tacoma area who need a sense of community and belonging! Learn how you can provide resettlement assistance, shop for basic household goods, provide much needed furniture or be a part of UPPC's next Good Neighbor Team! Time commitments can be as little as a few hours a month to several hours a week. Visit UPPC.org/safehaven or contact Lisa Woicik for more information. lwoicik@uppc.org

Pilgrimage To China

Info Sessions: April 28 & May 19

Learn more about the upcoming trip to China in partnership with The Outreach Foundation as we deepen our understanding of Chinese culture and the ways our churches are interconnected. Trip Dates: October 11-21, 2024
More at UPPC.org/events.

Spring Pathways

Newest issue available NOW!

There is something for YOU at UPPC, and *Pathways* is the place to find it. Did you know *Pathways* is available in both print and digital? Pick up a current copy in the lobby or view the digital version at UPPC.org. Discover the discipleship pathways that are right for you and take intentional steps toward spiritual maturity in Jesus.

SCUBA Day Camp

July 8-12 | Register at UPPC.org/events!

Join us for this amazing week full of faith-filled fun and DIVE into a friendship with God! Campers will go deep into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the ever-flowing, never-ending love of God. They will be immersed in the Word and discover what living water is really all about!

It takes over 150 youth and adult volunteers to make Day Camp happen. Mark your summer calendar to be a part of this community-reaching event for kids! Questions? Contact Julie Mangrum at jsmangrum@uppc.org.

PRAYERS

Jill McMullen, Minister of Care

253.564.2522 ext139 | jmcullen@uppc.org

If you would like to share a prayer request or praise, email prayerrequests@uppc.org.

If you would like info on support groups, or for a deacon to pray with you during the week, contact Jill McMullen.

- Jason Greene, friend of Dan and Pam McDaniels, is being evaluated for a cause to some significant health issues and is hospitalized in Seattle.
- Gabriel Richards, grandson of Rev. Martha and Bob Greene, is recovering from a heart incident and implantation of a defibrillator. Prayers for healing.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Dan Brightwell, Taekme Benedict, Steve Berntson, Don Bishop, John Brooks, Billie Brown, Jackie Burk, Josephine Castillo, Josephine Castillo, John Dunham, Betty Ellsworth, Llew Ernst, Art Forbes, Janet Fry, Jamie Hollingsworth, Pat Kling, Sharon Knoll, Mark Koch, Kellyn Kohler, Buck Mann, James Matthaei, Regina Mattoni, Kara McDaniels, Nick McKenty, Robin Miller, Don Moffitt, Awok Mou, Noelle Nelson, Delores Osborn, Shari Painter, Bobby Reed, Dave Robert, Shirley Romanovich, Ben Sanbeck, Rainah Sanbeck, Emil Schlenker, Bobbi Sloan, Ginny Siegle, Susan Scott, Elizabeth Spitzer, Ed Srsn, Dick Stender, Sara Stewart, Doug Wing

THOSE BEING TREATED FOR CANCER

Mark Baldrige, Kristy Burnette, Margo Campbell, Jane Chantler, Sharon Clegg, Gerry Cravens, Matt Cushman, Bob Dippert, Tiana Graves, Bob Gunderson, Kathy Hamilton, Kathy Horst-Smith, Brittni Kelleher, Mary Loois, Susan Perong, Sarah Rauen, Mario Silva, Ralph Storey, Fred Turshman, Louana Tyson

CELEBRATING BAPTISM

Today we celebrate the baptism of Brady Allen Miller, as well as the confirmation of Nick Sheetz. Congratulations!

CONDOLENCES

Our sympathy to Loren (Melinda) Tucker at the loss of his mother, Susie Boer, on April 17, 2024.

UPCOMING MEMORIAL

Jocko Burks: Sunday, May 5 at 3pm

THE WAYSIDE



Sunday-Thursday 8:30am-1pm

Stop by The Wayside on your way to work, after kid dropoff, or for a meetup with friends. Enjoy great coffee in an uplifting, comfortable atmosphere. Free wifi!

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 mission, God-given talents and wealth.