

Richland Church of Christ

For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost. Luke 19:10

January 1, 2012

Welcome Guests

We are delighted to have you join us in worship of our Heavenly Father. Please help us get to know you better by filling out a yellow visitor card and placing it in the collection bag as it is passed. We also invite you to join us at any of our other meeting times listed below. You are our honored guest. We hope you will be encouraged by your visit here.

Radio hearing aids are available for any who are hearing impaired. Just ask at the sound room in the back of the auditorium.

Children are always welcome to stay through our service! However a staffed nursery for children under age 3 is available located next to the sound room. Children ages 3 years – 4th grade are invited to attend children's worship in classroom #14 during the sermon if they wish. The time for this will be announced.

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation;

2 Corinthians 5:17,18



Whom to Call

Elders:

Dan Hart
Hayden Smith
Mark Stevens
Rod Webring

Ministers:

Jared McCormick
(youth)

Deacons:

Greg Hadler Jeff Hamilton,
Bob Harman Jason Jones
Tim Lanning Willis Lindholm
Kendall Mann Danny Mendoza,
Donny Mendoza
Mike Winegardner

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Meeting Times

Sunday:

Bible Study (all ages) 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
Worship at Eagle Facility 3:00 P.M.
Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.
Small Groups meet at various times
and locations

Tuesday:

Ladies' Bible Study 10:00 A.M.

Wednesday:

Bible Study (all ages) 7:00 P.M.

Missions

David and Becky Reeves family

missionaries to Rwanda, Africa (beginning January 2012)

George and JoAnne Myers

ministering to the deaf in Jackson, Mississippi

Angela Myers

missionary to the people of Sucre, Bolivia

Daniel and Grace Hung

missionary to Chinese community in San Francisco and abroad

David and Caryn Henniger

Missionaries to Jinotega, Nicaragua

Hawatthia Jones and Byron Benitez

missionaries in Guatemala

Coming in Richland Events	Today: <u>Service at Eagle</u> 3 pm <u>Bible Study/Worship</u> at the building: 6 pm <u>Small groups</u> will meet at various times and locations
	Wednesday, January 4: <u>Global Outreach Team meeting</u> 6 pm in the library
	Tuesday, January 10: <u>Ladies' Fellowship Dinner</u> , Fat Olive's in Richland, 6:30 pm.
	Wednesday, January 11: <u>Wednesday Evening Simple Suppers</u> begin 5:45 pm

Opportunities For Service



Service at Eagle
 Each Sunday after-
 noon
3:00—3:30 pm

All who are interested in encouraging our members (and visitors) who reside at Eagle Assisted Living are invited to come and participate in a short time of worship together with the residents.



Sewing Sisters

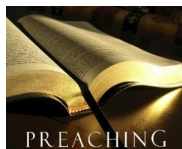
The sewing ladies meet at 10 am on Saturdays, and all skill levels are welcome.

Thanks so much to all who have been helping in this good work. They delivered a number of lap blankets to the residents of Eagle A. L. / Richland Rehab last week.



Do You Cook?

Our "Manna Ministries" ladies are needing help with providing meals for a couple of families who need some TLC. If you can help provide a meal or two, or deliver meals, please contact Teri Stevens or Elaine Jones. Thanks!



Our speaker today is Todd McGilton. Todd is studying toward a master's degree in the Seattle area this year, but is here for the holidays. He grew up in this congregation and is the son of Peggy Lemak.

Next week we will be hearing a lesson from **Dave Dowlen**, who works with the New Mexico Christian Children's Home in Portales, NM. He will be bringing a display concerning the children's home, but will be bringing us a lesson of encouragement from God's word.



Wednesday Simple Suppers Begin!

We will again be serving a simple supper before Bible classes on every 2nd and 4th Wednesday evening of each month. The first menu will include hot dogs grilled by our deacons on January 11th. Come at 5:45, bring your family and a friend, and enjoy a night

without cooking and some good fellowship with the family here. There is no charge, but donations for supplies are accepted, if you wish to help.



Ladies Fellowship Dinner

January's dinner will be at Fat Olive's Restaurant in Richland on Tuesday, January 10, at 6:30 pm. All ladies and girls are invited to join in on the good food and time shared with sisters in Christ.

Resolution One:

I will live for God.

Resolution Two:

If no one else does, I still will.

~Jonathan Edwards



Transition Team News

The elders have decided not to make an offer to Larry McCoy. They will make a more detailed announcement about their decision this morning, and also encourage anyone with questions after the announcement to speak with one of the elders or the transition team. The team continues to solicit your prayers as they review other top candidates from the original group and determine other appropriate actions. Their next meeting will be Tuesday, January 10.



In Sympathy

Jim Gore, the grandfather of Courtney (Jones) Williams and Zach Jones passed away from cancer this past week. Please keep that family in your prayers.



Engaged!

Mike and K'Lynn Tipps are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, **Kaitlan** to **Robert McCormick**. He is a member of the Dalton Gardens Church of Christ in Coeur d'Alene. They have set July 13 as the date for the wedding. Please keep this young couple in your prayers as they plan a life together serving the Lord.

GOD'S PRESCRIPTION

A Joyful'toon by Mike Waters



My son, pay attention to what I say; listen closely to my words. Do not let them out of your sight, keep them within your heart; for they are life to those who find them and health to a man's whole body. — PROVERBS 4:20-22 NIV

Prayer is not a matter of getting what we want most. **Prayer is** a matter of giving ourselves to God and learning His laws so that He can do through us what He wants the most. ~ A. Sanford.

More Prayer Needs

- ***Angela Myers in Bolivia, Daniel Hung in San Francisco, George Myers in Mississippi, Hi Jones, & Byron Benitez in Guatemala**, as they spread the gospel.
- ***The Christians in Truhillo, Honduras**
- ***All the Kabiye churches** & the work that continues to grow among the people of Togo
- ***Peter Winegardner, USAF Sarah (Ayers) Ollerman, USCG, Paul Ayers, USN, Andrew Van Hees, USMC, Steve Ayers, US Army Iain & Robert Lee, USN, Michelle Shaw, USAR, Austin Hamilton, USAF, Alan Boesen, West Point.**
- ***For the church here**, that we will continue to seek God's will in all that we say and do in His name
- ***For the church here** as we seek a minister/s to help us glorify God as a congregation.
- ***Our Elders**, as they shepherd the congregation
- ***Jared and Brittany McCormick** as they move to a new work in Southaven, Mississippi.
- ***Our deacons**, as they fulfill their responsibilities
- ***All our Bible class teachers and students.**
- ***For all those members who have fallen away.**

Please Remember in Prayer:

For Healing:

- ***All those who have lost loved ones, recently, especially Frank Shaw and the Jones family.**
- ***Those dealing with cancer: Rosalie Jobe, Millie Konzen, Janette (Pierce) Pettey, Betty Wyatt, Velva Harris, Paula Duggan, Lyda Zeller, Shirley Bigelow, Jerri Jervis' son, Ronald Cass.**
- ***Sharon Angel** had surgery Thursday on her neck.
- ***Barbara Smith** was in the hospital with reflux pneumonia this week.
- ***Sandi Gray** is dealing with a severe infection in her leg.
- ***Jackie Carpenter, Barbara Harman, Pat Lindsay, Sue Pierce, Sheila Reed Trahan Dennis Brake, Sharon Angel, Frank Shaw, Greg Hadler, Evelyn Ramso, Art Manuel, Jim Peters, Teri Stevens, Heather Hadler, Keith Yates, Andrea Mann, & Marlis Perry**, are recovering from injuries/surgery, or dealing with pain.
- ***We have several who have health concerns:** Edna Jackson, Cindy Manning, Shannon Mendoza, Kelli Sutton, Claudine Manuel, Juanita McNeil, Gene Ayers, Bill Henniger, Judy Robinson, Carrie Duggan, Maya Edmond, Nona Hamman, Neil Edens, Ralph James, Wanda Marquez, Steven Hawkinson, Lorene Thomas, Willis Lindholm, Don & Marlis Perry, Jerri Jervis, Ken & Ina Tucker, Donna Nelson, Josh Duggan, Michael Hubbard, Eloise Curtis, Linda Brake, Ryan Harman, Makayla Hames, Rodney James, Tammy Weimer
- ***Also keep in your prayers:** Elliott Benson(2 yr old niece of Jeremy Weaver), Jennings Danley (2yr old grandson of Jack & Wanda), Sharon Zinsli (grandmother of Jason and Jamie Jones), Sarah (Ayers) Ollerman, Calvin Baldwin's mother, Lupe Mendoza's mother, Abel Lopez's daughter Margie, Bob Failor's grandson Tyler, Hayden & Barbara's great granddaughter Lola, Patty Dunkel, Arvilla Newsom's brother, Shannon Mendoza's niece Jordyn, Crystal Warwick

For God's Care and Guidance

- ***Malia Shymanski, Rylee Hadler, and all of our new Christians** as they grow in their relationship with the Lord.
- ***Our expectant parents:** Andre & Tamara (Baldwin) Williams, DJ & Kara Lemak, Andy & Whitney Dunn, and Patrick & Kristy Hickman.
- ***Our FriendSpeak Ministry.**
- ***David, Becky, Hannah, Elijah, Gabriel and Caleb Reeves** as they plan & train for Rwanda. (They are raising remaining start up funds, and plan to leave for Rwanda in February. Their departure has been delayed due to medical reasons for the children)
- ***For the future work in Rwanda**, and for the **Columbus, Mississippi Church** as they become a first time Sending Church for this mission.
- ***David, Caryn, Isaac, and Levi Henniger**, as they begin a new mission work in Jinotega., Nicaragua David has a leg infection, but they are doing well.



Youth and Family

LTC

It is not too late to sign up for LTC. If you would like to do LTC see Jared. Also, Teens, if you complete your pre-convention events before January 15th then we will have a trip to Spokane for Laser Tag and other fun things.

Parent Meeting

If you are the parent of a teen, you are asked to be a part of the meeting next Wednesday, January 11, concerning immediate upcoming plans for our youth. We will meet at 6 pm in room 14.



Remodeling!

You may have noticed that the **women's restroom in the south end of the building** (near the children's classrooms) is being remodeled! It will be out of service for a while, so please use the restrooms in the north end for now.

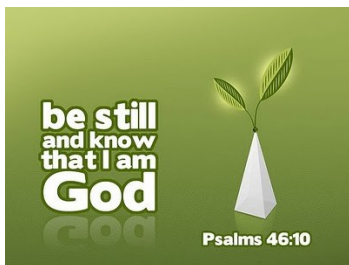


Breakfast for the high school students will again be served at 6:30 am this Friday, January 6.

I will trust Him.

Whatever, wherever I am,
I can never be thrown away.
If I am in sickness, my sickness may serve Him;
in perplexity, my perplexity may serve Him;
if I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve Him.
My sickness, or perplexity or sorrow
may be necessary causes of some great end,
which is quite beyond us.
He does nothing in vain.

~ John Henry Newman



There is only one lawgiver and judge, He who is able to save and to destroy. But who are you to judge your neighbor? **Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit"— yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring.** What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that." As it is, you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil.
~James 4:12-16



If this is to be a Happy New Year, a year of usefulness, a year in which we shall live to make this earth better, it is because **God** will direct our pathway. How important then, to feel our dependence upon **Him!**

~ Matthew Simpson

Weekly Record December 25, 2011



Attendance:

Sunday

Bible Class	?
Morning Worship	?
P.M. Worship at Eagle	—
Evening Worship	—

Wednesday

?

Weekly Budget

Regular Contribution	\$5600
Extra Designated Contribution	\$
Children's Worship	\$ —

Among Our Visitors:

- *Monte Gregg, Antioch, CA
- *Art and Vicki Clark, Weiser, ID , parents of Brittany McCormick
- *Adam and Ashley Clark, Meridian, ID—family of the McCormicks
- *Ben & Christina, Caleb and Jessica Heater, Coeur d'Alene, ID—family of the Manuels and Continis
- *Pam Briggs, Albany, OR—daughter of Art and Claudine Manuel
- *Kevin Dawes, Richland—new to the area.

