



# WESTSIDE

— BAPTIST CHURCH —

WEEKLY GUIDE FOR  
**WORSHIP  
& MINISTRY**

EASTER SUNDAY  
April 1, 2018

Bible Direction for Life

# WELCOME TO WESTSIDE

Westside Baptist Church is a place where everyday people, just like yourself, can experience God's love in a real and personal way. We are founded on the Bible and committed to sharing the timeless truths contained in its pages. Through straight-forward preaching from God's Word, reverent worship, and fervent prayer, lives are impacted and inspired for spiritual growth every week here at Westside.

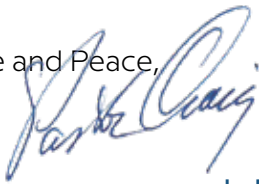


Pastor Craig Houston

We hope you feel at home. Whatever your ethnic or cultural background, whether you are single or married, young or just young at heart, we would love to learn more about you and help you find your joy and satisfaction in Jesus Christ.

If you are looking for a gospel-centered church on the Kitsap Peninsula, or if we could serve you in any way, please let us know.

Grace and Peace,



## LEADERSHIP

### **Pastoral Staff**

Craig Houston – Pastor  
John Moss – Executive Minister  
Peter Montoro – Education Minister

### **Music Minister**

Philemon Rose

### **Deacons**

Nate Axtell – Evangelism Minister  
Jared Bernard

### **RJ Broxton – Deaf Minister**

Bill Burger  
Brian Green  
Scott Hamilton  
Dave Harper  
Than Nap  
Blaine Peterson  
Russell Smith  
Rich Tanaka

# SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer and Call to Worship

Hymn: (310) *Resurrection Hymn*

Choir: *Mercy Tree*

Hymn: (307) *Christ Arose!*

Scripture Reading: John 20:1-31

Song: *I Will Rise*

Hymn: (309) *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today*

Hymn: (181) *His Robes For Mine*

Offertory Song: *Behold Our God*

Sermon: Craig Houston

Invitation Hymn: (177) *In Christ Alone*

Communion: Pastors and Deacons

Doxology

Benediction

*"Fear not ye: for I know that ye seek  
Jesus, which was crucified. He is not  
here: for he is risen, as he said."*



JOIN US NEXT SUNDAY  
FOR OUR CURRENT SERMON SERIES  
10 A.M. & 6 P.M.



One  
**Another**  
A Sunday Morning Series



THE MARKS OF  
**MANLINESS**  
SUNDAY EVENINGS

# NEIGHBORHOOD FELLOWSHIPS

FAMILY

SCRIPTURE

PRAYER

MISSION

Be a part of the life and ministry of the church.

Join a neighborhood fellowship  
and live out the Gospel where you are.

## **North Kitsap**

*Bangor – Lanning*

*North Poulsbo – Tanaka*

*Poulsbo – Samuel Houston/Reydell*

## **Central Kitsap**

*Downtown Bremerton – Derek Hase/Daniel Sherman*

*\* East Bremerton – Williams/Dixon*

*\* Manette Bremerton – Craig Houston*

*\* Seabeck – Nap/Bernard*

*\* West Bremerton – Montoro/Christman*

## **South Kitsap**

*Manchester – Browning/Rose*

*\* Port Orchard – Harper/Burger*

*SE Port Orchard – Smith/Braylan Peterson*

*SW Port Orchard – Moss/Matthew Hamilton*

*West Port Orchard – Scott Hamilton/Christopher*

## **Pierce**

*Lakewood – Axtell/Karman*

\* Interpretation provided for the deaf and hearing impaired

Call 360-373-7116 for meeting times and locations

# TOGETHER IN SCRIPTURE

## John Chapter 9

### *Context: Setting the Table*

The first four chapters of John's Gospel introduce those who would witness the signs of Jesus and depict a variety of initial responses to the launch of his ministry. Chapters five and six record the third and fourth signs and the increasing rejection that Jesus faced from both the leaders and crowds. This ninth chapter continues the account of Jesus's visit to Jerusalem at the Feast of Tabernacles begun in chapters seven and eight by describing the fifth sign—the healing of a man born blind.

### *Content: Hearing the Text*

Read John 9 together out loud.

### *Credo: Believing the Truth*

The leaders had made up their minds about Jesus. The more signs he performed, the more clearly they saw that this opener of blind eyes was in reality a sabbath-breaker, a trouble-maker, and a sinner. Blinded by pride and ambition, they spurned the Son of God and persecuted those who were child-like enough to simply believe on his name. In rejecting Jesus for Moses, they misunderstood both and followed neither. In claiming to see more clearly than anyone else, they abandoned their only hope of sight. May we not fall into the same trap!

### *Conduct: Reshaping Our Walk*

Discuss the meaning of the text and then walk through the following application questions as you discuss the difference this meaning ought to make in our lives today.

What are some of the ways in which the fear of man might cause us to deny Jesus through silence or compromise?

How might we imitate the mistake the leaders made about Jesus even while claiming to follow him?

# TOGETHER IN PRAYER

## HEALTH

Leon Jarrett – Leg amputation

Rich Tanaka – Back

Mark Williams (TJ's brother) – Colon cancer

Max Burger – Multiple health needs

Bryce Sutherland – Crohn's disease

Heather Holston – Stage four cancer

Sheri Green – Multiple health needs

## MISSIONARIES

Todd Bell (*Maine*) – For safety and continued effectiveness as they use aircraft to minister to remote island communities in Maine.

Roman Esteban (*Cambodia*) – After successfully turning their last church plant over to a local pastor, they are now working on a new church plant in Cambodia. Pray for the Lord's direction, wisdom and blessing.

## EXPECTING MOMS

Hannah Rose

Lauren Bennett

Jaime Christopher

## SPECIAL

Edith Champ – Recovery from infection following surgery

Wisdom for the leaders of our country, state, and city





# GENERATIONS CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

## NEXT WEEK'S BIBLE LESSON JESUS RISES FROM THE DEAD



**GOD RAISED JESUS  
FROM THE DEAD**



**Matthew 28:1-20**

*“One generation shall praise thy works to another,  
And shall declare thy mighty acts.” – Psalm 145:4*

## GENERATIONS SCHEDULE

### **THIS WEEK**

#### **SUNDAY MORNING**

<i>Nursery</i>	Savannah Sherman	Hadassah Rose	Denise Sherman
<i>Toddlers</i>	Amber Bernard	Bria Mires	Krista Pickens

#### **SUNDAY EVENING**

*Toddlers*

*4 - 5s*

*6 - 8s*      No evening Generations classes this week

*9 - 11s*

*Check-in*

*Security*

### **NEXT WEEK**

#### **SUNDAY MORNING**

<i>Nursery</i>	Sheilia Mandery	Janinne Broxton	Lydia Houston
<i>Toddlers</i>	Jessica Burchett	Jackie Lanning	Olivia Lanning

### **NEXT WEEK'S LESSON**

Jesus rises from the dead – Matthew 28:1-20

### **APRIL 15 LESSON**

God sends plagues on Egypt – Exodus 7:1 - 10:29

# GENERATIONS BIBLE CLASSES

JOIN US NEXT WEEK!

CLASSES FOR CHILDREN UP TO 11 YEARS OLD



## NEIGHBORHOOD FELLOWSHIPS

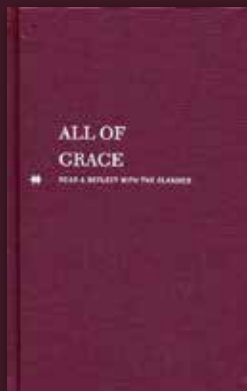
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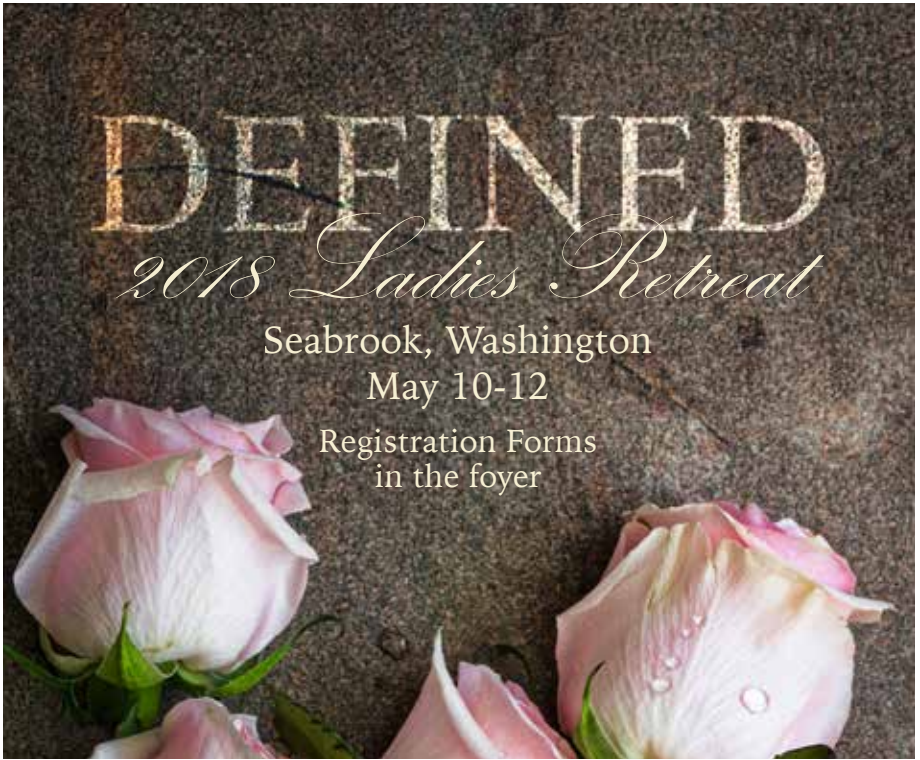
*Sign up through Realm  
Or speak to a church staff member*

## Book *of the* Month

The book of the month for April is *All of Grace* by Charles H. Spurgeon. *All of Grace* is a simple and eloquent presentation of salvation through grace alone. This classic text brought into contemporary English is both a perfect introduction to salvation and an assurance of it for unbelievers and the saved alike. “It is not the object of this book to ask anything of you, but to tell you that salvation is ALL OF GRACE, which means, free, gratis, for nothing.”

*Available in the Westside Bookstore soon*





## LOOKING AHEAD

Plan ahead by marking these events on your calendar.

- Generations Teachers and Workers Meeting - April 8
- Ladies Retreat - May 10-12
- Graduate Recognition - June 10
- Summer Outdoor Evening Services - July & August
- Family Camp - August 13-16
- Men's Retreat - November 29 - December 1
- Ladies Christmas Fellowship & Generations Children's Party - December 19
- Christmas Eve Candlelight Service - December 24



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**SERVICE TIMES**

SUNDAYS 10 A.M. & 6 P.M.  
NURSERIES & DEAF INTERPRETATION PROVIDED

**CONNECTING POINTS**

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