



*Spread love everywhere you go
— first of all in your own house.
— Mother Teresa*

**SUNDAY MAY 9, 2010
Sixth Sunday of Easter
10:00 A.M.**

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Welcome to Cross Sound Church. This page includes some of the elements of today's worship. It's designed to give you scriptures, prayers, and thoughts for further reflection during your week.

Gathering

I Lift My Eyes Up

I lift my eyes up
Up to the mountains
Where does my help come from?
My help comes from You
Maker of heaven
Creator of the earth

Oh, how I need you Lord
You are my only hope
You are my only prayer
So I will wait for You
To come and rescue me
Come and give me life

Call to Worship

May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face shine upon us,
that your ways may be known on earth,
your salvation among all nations.
— Psalm 67:1-2

Renewing

Confession of Sin

Lord our God,
in our sin we have fled your presence
and know the darkness of life outside of your call.
Have mercy on us;
deliver us from our short-sighted resolve and distrust;
restore our hope and revive our deadness,
in Jesus Christ our Lord

Words of Comfort and Assurance of Pardon

May the Lord enrich us with his grace
and nourish us with his blessing;
may he defend us in trouble and keep us from evil;
may the Lord hear our prayers and forgive our sins,
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

^{All} Amen

Create In Me a Clean Heart

Create in me a clean heart, O God
And renew a right spirit within me
Create in me a clean heart, O God
And renew a right spirit within me

Cast me not away from Thy presence, O Lord
And take not Thy Holy Spirit from me
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation
And renew a right spirit within me

Open the Eyes of my Heart

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord
Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see you
I want to see you

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord
Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see you
I want to see you

To see you high and lifted up
Shining in the light of your glory
Pour out your power and love
As we sing holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy
I want to see you

Blessed Be Your Name

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow,
blessed be Your name
And blessed be Your name
when I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness,
blessed be Your name

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise
And when the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say

Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name

Blessed be Your name
when the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be,
blessed be Your name
And blessed be Your name
on the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering,
blessed be Your name

You give and take away
You give and take away
My heart will choose to say
Lord, blessed be Your name

In the Secret

In the secret, in the quiet place
In the stillness You are there
In the secret, in the quiet hour I wait, only for You
'Cause I want to know You more

I want to know You, I want to hear Your voice
I want to know You more
I want to touch You, I want to see Your face
I want to know You more

I am reaching for the highest goal
That I might receive the prize
Pressing onward, pushing every hindrance aside,
out of my way
'Cause I want to know You more

Giving Thanks

Amen!
Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor
and power and strength be to our God for ever and
ever. Amen!

— Revelation 7:12

Series: Room for Everyone**Message: True Spirituality****Scripture: Acts 16:11-15**

From Troas we put out to sea and sailed straight for Samothrace, and the next day on to Neapolis.¹² From there we traveled to Philippi, a Roman colony and the leading city of that district of Macedonia. And we stayed there several days.

¹³On the Sabbath we went outside the city gate to the river, where we expected to find a place of prayer. We sat down and began to speak to the women who had gathered there.¹⁴ One of those listening was a woman named Lydia, a dealer in purple cloth from the city of Thyatira, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to respond to Paul's message.¹⁵ When she and the members of her household were baptized, she invited us to her home. "If you consider me a believer in the Lord," she said, "come and stay at my house." And she persuaded us.

Quotes:

"There once was in man a true happiness of which now remain to him only the mark and empty trace, which he in vain tries to fill from all his surroundings, seeking from things absent the help he does not obtain in things present. But these are all inadequate, because the infinite abyss can only be filled by an infinite and immutable object, that is to say, only by God Himself."

—Blaise Pascal, *Pensees*

"We are half-hearted creatures, fooling about with drink and sex and ambition when infinite joy is offered us, like an ignorant child who wants to go on making mud pies in a slum because he cannot imagine what is meant by the offer of a holiday at the sea. We are far too easily pleased."

—C.S. Lewis, *The Weight of Glory*

"One can know a great deal about God without much knowledge of Him....One can know a great deal about godliness without much knowledge of God....A little knowledge of God is worth a lot more than a great deal of knowledge not only about God but also about godliness."

—J.I. Packer, *Knowing God*

"He that is spiritually enlightened...does not merely rationally believe that God is glorious, but he has a sense of the gloriousness of God in his heart. There is not only a rational belief that God is holy, and that holiness is a good thing, but there is a sense of the loveliness of God's holiness. There is not only a speculative judging that God is gracious, but a sense of how amiable God is upon that account, or a sense of the beauty of that divine attribute."

—Jonathan Edwards

"The least glimpse of the glory of God in the face of Christ doth more exalt and ennoble the human soul, than all the knowledge of those that have the greatest speculative understanding in divinity without grace...This knowledge is that which is above all others sweet and joyful...There is nothing so powerful as this to support persons in affliction, and to give the mind peace and brightness in this stormy and dark world."

—Jonathan Edwards

Prayers of the People

Heavenly Father, in the life-changing gift of your Son, you have opened our hearts, like Lydia, to respond to the gospel. Help us to remember your faithfulness toward us, to be thankful, and to treasure you in all that we say and do. We long for those outside of the church to come in.

For this, O Lord, we pray:

Lord, hear our prayer.

Risen Lord, we long for that future day when all of life will be defined by the knowledge of you and the delight, the enjoyment of you, Restore to wholeness all that is broken in the world, so that injustice and violence would fade, as the peace of Christ covers the earth.

For this, O Lord, we pray:

Lord, hear our prayer.

Spirit of compassion, have mercy on all who suffer. Provide shelter from the cold for those who are homeless. Draw near to all who are lonely, fearful, or depressed. Heal the sick. Comfort the mourner. Strengthen the weak. Continue to bring help to Haiti, Chile and China in their devastation. Grant grace to us all that we may find hope in Christ.

For this, O Lord, we pray:

Lord, hear our prayer.

And for what else should we pray?

Please add your own prayers at this time, ending with, "For this, O Lord, we pray" and all responding, "Lord, hear our prayer."

Communion

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

— Galatians 5:22-23

Communion, also called the Lord's Supper, is the family meal of Christians. We invite all followers of Jesus Christ to participate. If you are not a follower of Jesus or are not prepared to share in the meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer. We hope this time is helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with his people, the church.

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

O soul, are you weary and troubled?
No light in the darkness you see?
There's light for a look at the Savior,
And life more abundant and free!

His Word shall not fail you - He promised;
Believe Him, and all will be well:
Then go to a world that is dying,
His perfect salvation to tell!

CHORUS

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.

I Surrender All

All to Jesus I surrender,
All to Him I freely give
I will ever love and trust Him
In His presence daily live

I surrender all
I surrender all
All to Thee my blessed Savior
I surrender all

All to Jesus I surrender
Humbly at His feet I bow
Worldly pleasures all forsaken
Take me Jesus, take me now

All to Jesus I surrender
Make me Savior wholly Thine
Let me feel the Holy Spirit
Truly know that Thou art mine

All to Jesus I surrender
Lord, I give myself to Thee
Fill me with Thy love and power
Let Thy blessing fall on me

GUIDE TO WORSHIP

Hear My Cry, O Lord

Hear my cry, O Lord
Attend unto my prayer
From the ends of the earth
Will I cry out to Thee

And when my heart is overwhelmed
Lead me to the Rock
That is higher than I
That is higher than I

For Thou hast been
A shelter unto me
A strong tower, Lord
Against the enemy

Offering

Know that the Lord is God
It is he who made us, and we are his:
We are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
— Psalm 100:3

The heart of the gospel is the overwhelming generosity of God to us in Christ. We are “blessed to be a blessing.” If you, or anyone you are aware of, is in need of assistance with housing, rent, utilities, medical bills, etc. We as a church would love to try to help. Contact any one of the deacons, pastors or staff listed in the bulletin.

I Cry Out

I cry out, for Your hand of mercy to heal me.
I am weak, and I need your love to free me.
Oh Lord, my rock. My strength in weakness.
Come rescue me, Oh Lord.

You are my hope and Your promise never fails — me.
And my desire is to follow you fore — ver.
For you are good, for you are good
For you are good to me.

For you are good, for you are good
For you are good to me

GUIDE TO WORSHIP

Benediction

May God, who raised Jesus from the dead,
raise you with him to newness of life,
fill you with his love,
and equip you for every good work;
and the blessing of God almighty,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
be among you, and remain with you always.

PRAYER NEEDS

The Mader Family (Sherri Danielson's dad passed away)
Rachel Perry (Prayers for healing and insight for Drs.)
Ethan Via (Praise that he is home, continued healing)
Hannah Hunt (Brain Cancer)
Dick Myers (pancreatic cancer)
Anna Schuler - in Kenya
Chile
Haiti
China
Dean Goodwin
Tony Jacobellis (recovery)
Penny Daniels (recovery)
Alice Bundrant
Gene Shawley (Praise for great test results!)
The Blain Family (Peace and Comfort)
Marriages
Our Youth
Missions
Our Military
Our Basque Students

(If you have prayer requests or prayers of thanksgiving that you would like to share on this page please email Penny@crosssound.org
Our Prayer teams will be praying for these things as well.)

Cross Sound Announcements

Ascension Day: Thursday, May 13. We will be having an all-church pot-luck and Ascension Day service at Fay Bainbridge Park at 6PM. **Last names: A-D Dessert, E-L Sides, M-Z Main dish**

Save the dates:

Foundations Class, 5th - 8th graders

Monday, June 21, Tuesday, June 22, Wednesday, June 23
This will be a highly educational time - but mixed with high adventure, fellowship and fun! Paul Schuler will lead kids through the basic foundations of our faith, tell our Cross Sound Story and invite them to grow in their own personal relationship to Jesus.

Summer B.I. Youth Retreat, 9 - 12 graders

This is our 2nd annual kick off to summer camping extravaganza. Youth will be camping out Monday and Tuesday nights @ Raney's waterfront property on the south end of B.I. and during the day, having bible study, community service, outreach, fun & fellowship, games, exploration and more. Mon. June 21, Tues. June 22, Wed. June 23

Free Your Stuff (FYS)

FYS is a brand new way to give! Every Sunday after the service, you can donate and drop off your unused items to Cross Sound for our new eBay Mission fundraiser. All funds generated will directly assist individuals and families to go on Cross Sound mission trips around the globe! If you have items to be picked up or want to drop things during the week contact: Christy Thacker christy@crosssound.org

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May 23 -2nd Annual Pentecost Missions Fair:

Please plan to join us after church for our 2nd annual Pentecost Missions Fair. If your group is interested in having a table at the fair please sign the clipboard. We will celebrate together with good food, music, and storied being shared! There will also be a cake walk with proceeds going to The Mexico City Project for the Cruz's. Email Penny@crosssound.org if you can bring a cake or treats for the cake walk.

Ethan Via Update:

Current Chemo ends on May 13. Ethan is doing very well. A much more intensive chemo starts May 28 and lasts 8 weeks. Ethan and Craig will be staying in Seattle during that phase. Some friends of the Vias have offered to come help during that time. They are in need of Alaska airline miles to make it happen. For more info go to <http://www.lotsahelpinghands.com/>

Family Camp: We are excited to announce Cross Sound Church "Roots and Wings" family camp at Black Lake Bible Camp 8/20-8/22. Brochures on the greeters table.

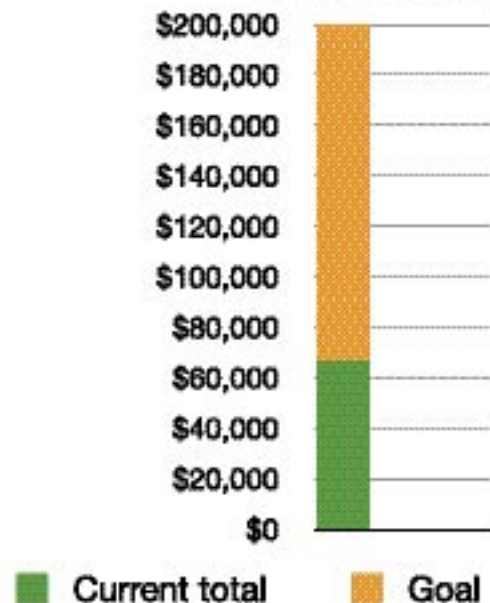
Young Life Summer Camps:

May 27 - 31 - Malibu Discipleship weekend
June 26 - July 3 Beyond Malibu Backpacking (10th-12th)
July 18 - 22 - Freshman Houseboats, Lake Roosevelt
July 25 - 31 - Malibu (10th - 12th graders)
August 13 - 17 - (6th - 8th graders)

Formerly known as Wildhorse

Current Total	\$66,910.96
Goal	\$200,000

Financial Update



Celebrating Moms!



Magical
Awesome
Miracle Worker
Adventurous



Happy
Mother's
Day

Marvelous
Outstanding



Terrific
Happy
Exciting
Radical