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FATHERS HOUSE CHURCH, LONGVIEW

HEALING SERVICES

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19TH
10AM-NOON & 6PM-8PM

Hope and Healing

Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction. *Matthew 9:35 (ESV)*

The gospel of the kingdom is a gospel of power for eternal life. Throughout history the Lord has accompanied the proclamation of that gospel with signs, wonders and miracles. The gospel offers hope and healing. Let's learn to be more effective... for Jesus' sake!

Ken Fish is returning to Longview to train us and minister with us again this month.

Our friends at Father's House Church are inviting us to a special event on Wednesday, June 19 at 1315 Commerce Ave, Longview.

Wednesday, June 19th, 10am-noon Teaching Session

Wednesday, June 19th, 6pm-8pm Healing Service

Let's join them for Healing Services with Ken Fish! Ken travels across the globe teaching about the power and love of God and will be at Fathers House on June 19th at 10AM and 6PM. This event is open to all. See you there! *Mark*

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Let's Get Practical

VISION

Spending personal time with the Lord is a powerful practice we need to develop in our lives. Jesus modeled this to us when He would go out early in the morning to be alone with God and pray. (Mark 1:35) This doesn't mean that spending time with God needs to always take place early in the morning, but Jesus is showing us that even for him it was important to set aside time to connect with His Father.

Below is a simple structure that can either be used in your own personal time with God or can be a tool to teach to others who are learning to spend time with the Lord.

As you know, time with God isn't a formula; it is a relationship. However, the reality is that sometimes using some structure can help us learn to engage with Him consistently. This time is worth fighting for!

It may be difficult at first to develop the habit of daily time with the Lord. If you are using this structure my challenge to you is to consistently do this model for **one month for 20 mins a day** and then reevaluate at the end of the month how it is going. This timeframe can be adjusted based on how much time you have or feel like is doable for you. That being said, I would recommend creating a consistent space and time to do this in your schedule as it can easily be pushed out of the way by the busyness of life. Make this slot in your schedule **sacred!**

Finally, it can be fun and helpful to do this challenge with a friend! You can keep each other accountable and at the end of the month, you can debrief together about how it went and what you would change/do again.

STRUCTURE

1. Worship (8 mins approx) - listen to 1-3 worship songs or read a Psalm
This is time to focus your heart on Jesus. You can sing along with the lyrics or just think about the words while aligning your heart with God. You can even speak out loud inviting him to meet with you and expressing your desire to meet with him.

2. Word (7 mins approx) - Read 1-3 chapters of the Bible
It can be helpful to work your way through a book of the Bible or get a plan to follow. As you are reading, I encourage you to have a conversation with the Lord! If you don't understand something or if something pops out, talk with the Him about it. This will help develop the awareness that Jesus is with us as we are reading and studying his word. The goal is connecting with and getting to know Him!

3. Journaling (5 mins approx) - Spend some time either writing out your prayers, processing life or asking the Lord questions.

Journaling is a great way to help yourself stay focused on speaking with Jesus. Writing out your prayers and thoughts can also help you look back and remember/celebrate what the Lord has been doing in your life in months to come.

Some great questions to ask God:

How do you feel about me today Father? How can I love you today? What do you have for me today Father? What do you want me to pray for today? I challenge you to write out the question and then write the answer in the first person as if God was speaking back to you. Write down what you think he is saying. He wants to speak to us!

This has been a powerful tool in my own life and I hope it can also help to spur you on as you are pursuing relationship with the Lord and helping others do the same. I'm praying that we all have deep times of connection with the Lord in the secret place this month!

Rev 3:20 NLT "Look! I stand at the door and knock. If you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in, and we will share a meal together as friends."

Blessings, *Christian*

May (My Shelter My Stay)
Christian Schmutz

PLAY
10 SONGS

- Author / Perfectionist
Rivers & Robots · Discovery
- Highlands (Song Of Ascent) - Live
Hillsong UNITED · People (Live)
- Lockstep
Will Reagan, United Pursuit · In the Night Season
- Nothing but You
Antioch Greater Boston · Songs from the Secret Place
- Garden
Misty Edwards · Relentless
- Where I Belong
Cory Asbury · Let Me See Your Eyes
- How Could I Not Love
Olivia Buckles · Gotten This Far - EP
- Have You Ever Seen His Eyes (Live)
Rachael Skrobot · Live at the Barn
- Shepherd
UPPERROOM, Cody Ray Lee · Moments: Color 003
- Gotten This Far
Olivia Buckles · Gotten This Far - EP





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Summer *CONNECT* Groups

short-term opportunities to build relationships through shared interests & activities, life enrichment classes & seminars, *and...* ministries & mission teams.

Have something stirring in your heart for a way to connect with others? It can be: a study group; a shared interest or activity; or a service project, ministry, or a mission team—*locally or abroad!*

We will be conducting a new leaders orientation on Sunday, June 9 from 12pm-1:30pm in the Prayer Room—lunch is provided; child care can be arranged on request—call the church office to RSVP at 360.423-3805.

SUMMER Connect Groups meet anytime in the window from **June 9 through September 21, 2019**. Your group can meet for a one-time event, weekly, monthly, for a short term ...or for many weeks! It's up to you! Pray, dream and create places to connect for the sake of Jesus and His love being experienced by more and more people!



shared interests & activities



life enrichment classes & seminars, and...



ministries & mission teams.



A chicken and an egg together cost \$1.06. The chicken costs \$1 more than the egg. How much does the egg cost?

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June's Mindbender
The first 6-12th grader to tell me the answer, whether on Facebook, Instagram, or in-person wins a prize!

JUNE HAPPENINGS

Girl's Group
Wednesdays @ 5pm

Youth Group
Wednesdays @ 6pm

6/2 Camp Attitude meeting
1:00-3:00

6/6 Mark Morris and R.A. Long Baccalaureate

6/19 Burger Bash at the Lake

6/26 G6

Kai Chaney 6/14
Angelina Smith 6/19

A message from PJ:

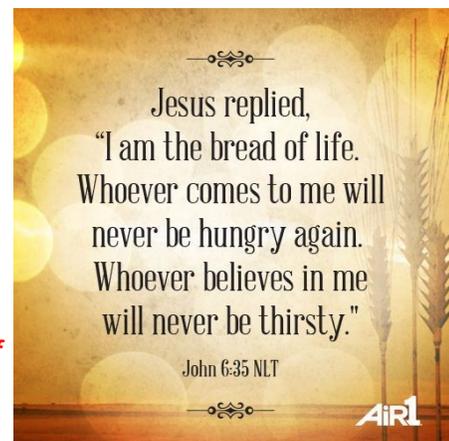
Do you want to never be hungry or thirsty again? Think about a time you have been soooooo hungry. Then think of a time you have enjoyed a feast of your favorite foods.

Jesus offers a soul satisfaction like the most satisfying meal you have ever had. He quenches the thirst of your soul like your favorite cold drink when you have played hard and long for a drink. He satisfies your ache for deep acceptance, the longing of your heart for someone to know you deeply, and your passion for a life that is on fire.

If you want a part of Jesus you have to take him in. How can you do that? You probably know the answer already, but here it is again:

- ⇒ **Read the Bible**
- ⇒ **Continue in prayer**
- ⇒ **Get together with his people**
- ⇒ **Give him praise and worship**
- ⇒ **Meet the needs of others**
- ⇒ **....Repeat**

As you continue in these things watch your life change for the better! You are moving into the summer and will have more time on your hands. Take time to do these things. EAT the Bread of Life, Jesus, and experience the greatest satisfaction and most abundant life you could imagine.



Love in Christ, Pastor Joshua





NorthlakeKids

5th Sunday Outreach, June 30th

IN THE COMPANY OF ROYALTY

Hey NorthlakeKids!

Did you know...

Native American elders pass down their knowledge.

Also...

In Korea, elders are highly respected.

And that...

Chinese children care for their parents in old age.

Do you see a pattern here?

In many cultures, elderly folks are respected and revered. They are held in high esteem... kind of like **ROYALTY!** It seems as though we should follow in the footsteps of other cultures, don't you agree?!

Even the Bible says in 1 Peter 5:5 (ESV) "Likewise, you who are younger, be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for 'God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.'"

(memorize this verse and tell Lisé for a prize!)

On Sunday, June 30th we'll take a fieldtrip to see some royal folks over at Campus Towers! We want to bless them, love them, learn from their wisdom and enjoy who they are! Won't that be fun?!?!

See you downstairs on Sunday mornings as we learn a special song, decorate some crowns to fit the part, and make some special gifts to give to our royal friends at Campus Towers.

Parents: Watch for permission slips to come home for this special event, and see Lisé if you're CAP Trained and are able to chaperone!



JUNE NURSERY/TODDLER CALENDAR

**Nursery Coordinators:
Julianna Smith &
Jenny Tennant
Toddler Supervisor:
Sydney Hall**

June 2

Nursery: Laura Powers
Toddlers: Jana Schmutz

June 9

Nursery: Kristin & Jack Laulainen
Toddlers: Pascale Kaufman

June 16

Nursery: Scott Knapp
Toddlers: Dee Vachon

June 23

Nursery: Kim Hammond
Toddlers: Deb Sullivan

June 30

Nursery: Andrew Hillger
Toddlers: Bob & Nancy McCready



SUNDAY MORNINGS

10:00am—11:30am

Infants thru Age 1

Nursery Upstairs

Toddlers 2's-3's

Room 108

10:20am— 11:30am

Preschool 4's-Kind.

Room 104

1st—5th Grade

Room 105

Things are **GROWING** in Sunday School!!

And when we say "things" we mean class sizes!

How wonderful is it that the Lord is blessing us with new families who have beautiful kiddos! We are so glad our Father has seen fit to send them our way!

With growing classes, we need to accommodate optimal learning environments by adding a rotation to our currently operating rotations. Instead of offering two classes preschool through 5th grade, we'd like to offer three!

Maybe you've been thinking already about teaching, or maybe you did it in the past, have been on a break...and feel ready to tackle it again.

Please contact Lisé if you think you might like to dip your toe into a new four-week rotation for a Kindergarten/1st grade class. It's a once a month commitment.

We'll train you and equip you. Give me a shout!!

In Love & Service, *Lisé*



NorthlakeSeniors

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY—Ages 50+

If you are at least 50 years old, we would like you to join us on any of our activities listed below!
Please join us!

(If one member of a couple is 50+ they are **both** welcome to come to our events!)



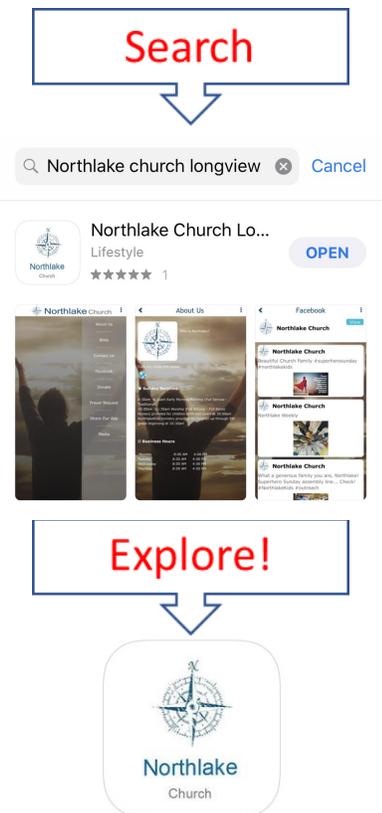
Wednesday, June 12th – Men’s Breakfast at 9:00am

The men meet at [Campus Towers, 1767 20th Avenue, Longview](#) for breakfast and fellowship. Men invite your 50+ friends to join you for breakfast. Call Butch Harford at 360/430-0239 with any questions.

Sunday, June 23rd – Sunday Dinner at Noon

THIS MONTH’S LOCATION: Come join us at [The Woodshed \(formerly The Regent\), 3353 Washington Way, Longview](#) for good food and fellowship. We would love to have anyone 50+ join us so we can get to know one another better! Please call Kathleen Rollins at 360/577-0709 with any questions.

Download Our App!



COMING THIS FALL!

Northlake Church is joining a team of 5 congregations to present a dynamic training event for parents hosted by our friends at Father’s House Church, 1315 Commerce Ave Longview, SEPTEMBER 6-8.

Seth Dahl is a writer and worldwide speaker to adults and children. He is known for his powerful wisdom communicated through a contagious joy and childlikeness. Seth and Lauren love to empower families to build a strong connection that fosters peace and creates a thriving family culture. Seth, Lauren and their three children homestead with a large garden and handful of animals on a small farm in California.

With over 15 years experience working with children and being a children’s pastor, Seth has cultivated a passion to help parents create a thriving family culture at home. Sometimes parenting is overwhelming, but it doesn’t have to be! Seth and Lauren love being able to equip people with the practical and spiritual tools they need to create the thriving family culture they’ve always dreamed of.

Raising young children doesn’t have to leave you feeling overwhelmed and uncertain. It can be a time you thrive and feel empowered while raising the little ones that you love. In a refreshing deviation from hearing only lists of what you “must do” to set young children up for success, Seth and Lauren pass along mindsets and skills to create a thriving family--not only for your children, but for yourself as well.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND WATCH FOR MORE INFORMATION!



15th Annual

Philippines Mission Team

October 21-Nov 1

Medical Clinic/Evangelism outreach

Children's Evangelism Ministry

Testimonies

Worship & Friendship

COST: \$1200 est.

Receiving Applications Now!
Pick one up at the WELCOME CENTER
or contact the church office



Sunday Mornings at Northlake

EARLY WORSHIP 8:30am-9:30am

Hymns and familiar songs accompanied by piano and keyboard will set the tone of this "lighter & quieter" worship gathering with the same announcements and message. Sorry, but no child care is provided during this service.

BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP—9:30am-9:55am

Pancakes & eggs provided—Bring an item to share

EVERY SUNDAY except the first Sunday each month

FAMILY BASH potluck lunch follows worship on the first Sunday each month!

10AM WORSHIP 10:00am-11:30am

Full-band worship for everyone! Infant and toddler care is available upon arrival; all other children remain with their parents for worship—

children will be released to **NorthlakeKids** Ministry around 10:30am.

We share family news and announcements and then receive the message including time to respond together with our children.

Parents should pickup kids from **NorthlakeKids** during the response time—an announcement will be made. THANKS!

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Financial Snapshot April 2019

GOAL	\$ 34,750	
REC'D	\$ 25,516	-\$9,234
JEWS FOR JESUS	\$ 295	

Emergency Needs Fund (\$250); Caring Pregnancy Center (\$100); Love INC of Cowlitz County (\$275); Three Rivers Christian School (\$100); Community House on Broadway (\$5,595); Hard Hats for Christ (\$25); Three Rivers House of Prayer (\$150); Uganda Mission (\$359); Martin & Elizabeth (\$75); Uganda Refugee Teachers (\$325); DOVE Uganda Children's Fund (\$10,000); Uganda Well Fund (\$150); Joseph & Lynne-Asia (\$195); Mexico Mission (\$150); Tents of Merch-Israel (\$75); One Great Hour of Sharing (\$50); Mustard Seed Ministries-Philippines (\$50); Love Offering (\$840)

TOTAL GIVING:
\$48,490

Our General Fund giving fell well below the budgeted goal for April. At this point in the year we have used up our reserve fund. As we enter the summer months, we pray that you will be blessed as you support our work together as you worship the Lord Jesus through giving.



WAYS TO GIVE:

- ◆ **Giving Booth** in the southwest corner of the worship auditorium on Sundays;
- ◆ **Giving Kiosk** is available for debit/credit card and smart pay in the lobby under the monitor;
- ◆ our **website: northlake-church.org**; "Giving" upper right corner
- ◆ **Giving by Text: text 'givetonorthlake' to 95577** (don't save your information and you will be able to include a memo each time for any designations);
- ◆ AND... we have also launched the **Northlake Church smartphone App** that is available at your app store. The app provides easy links to our website including a donate link! Search for: northlake church longview and look for our compass logo.



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Sunday
JUNE 9
Summer
Connect Group
Organizational
Meeting

Prayer Room: 12pm-1:30pm
Lunch is provided
Child care upon request
RSVP at 360.423.3805

EXTENDED MINISTRIES STAY IN TOUCH

For more information about Campus Towers Retirement Home

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For more information about Three Rivers Christian School

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