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Our Mission Statement



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Annual Meeting and Congregational Election – Sunday June 12th

Every year our church members are invited to elect new leadership and to adopt a budget for the upcoming fiscal year (July 1, 2011 thru June 30, 2012). This year's Annual Congregational Meeting will take place over lunch on Sunday, June 12th. All are encouraged and welcome to attend the luncheon meeting, but only members of the church are able to vote. A ballot will be mailed to all active church members prior to the meeting. You may either return it by mail or drop it in the special election box at the church on Sundays, May 29th or June 5th. The following nominees have graciously agreed to participate in this year's board election. Those elected will serve a 2-year term.



President: Jeff McDowell
Secretary: Margaret Steinrichter
Members at Large (select two): Randy Coull
 Andi Sanders
 Lucie Sovinsky

The others who will continue to serve on the board until their terms expire in 2012:

Vice President: Christine Johnson
Treasurer: Laura "Bear" Daly
Members at Large: Doug Sovinsky & Debbie Tedford
Pastor: Brian Daly (Not Subject to Term Limits)

“Train children in the right way, and when old, they will not stray.” – Proverbs 22:6

YOUTH MINISTRY--Growing up isn't easy. I'm not sure it ever has been, but being an adolescent in the 21st century seems to bring with it some unique challenges. They are exposed to so much so young in this instant and global communication age...violence, war, materialism, sex, entertainment overload, social networking, economic uncertainty and a whole host of other influences. Combine all that with a pervasive indifference (and sometimes an outright animosity) toward faith and religion, and our kids are often left sorting through all these challenges without a spiritual rudder to guide them. I can't help but conclude that having a healthy and effective youth ministry is one of the most important things we can offer as a church.

To that end we were all saddened by Keith's resignation earlier this year. We stretched our budget two years ago to add a part-time youth minister to our staff because we knew then how important it was to provide a loving and healthy environment for our kids to learn, grow and serve. That commitment hasn't changed. Our board made a decision a few months ago to begin a new search to hire someone capable of helping us rebuild and grow our youth ministry. I am pleased to announce we found that person right here in our midst...Debbie Tedford.

Our board unanimously approved the search committee's recommendation to hire Debbie Tedford at a meeting earlier this month. Debbie has a real heart for youth and has been sensing a nudging to become more involved in working with our kids. She began serving as one of our volunteer Middle School teachers on Sunday mornings after working for many years as our Children's Ministry Director. She participated recently in some of our meetings with the high school youth in an attempt to hear directly from them what they envision for youth ministry. Those meetings served only to confirm that sense of calling she was feeling to work with our kids. She also pulled some of our Middle Schoolers together to have them help prepare for Easter and to enjoy a fun night out together after finishing their work at the church. Again, it confirmed for her that this was also an age group she would really enjoy working with.

Debbie has extensive experience working with youth. She has served as the Co-leader for her daughter's Girl Scout Troup for over 10 years and just recently finished her time as an Assistant Scout Master with her son's Boy Scout Troop. But more than the experience of working with children and teens while raising her own kids, Debbie has a real passion at this stage of her life to nurture those seeds of faith in our young people as they navigate the many challenges in becoming whole, healthy and faithful young adults.

She will need our encouragement, support and prayer along the way, so join me in fully welcoming Debbie into this new area of responsibility and ministry.

- Brian

“Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.” – James 4:8a

This scripture has been on my mind for days now and I am excited (like goosebumps excited) for the youth of PBCC and the youth in our community. God has a plan and the anticipation of it is exciting! I have seen Him already at work (goosebumps again)!

I saw it at Loch Leven last weekend during the Spring Work Weekend (thanks to James Bishop, David & Wendy Lloyd for the hard work they put in!). I saw the new Camp Director, Sloan Hamilton and her husband Joseph, giddy with excitement over the improvements of our camp property. They are eager to create a camp environment that draws our children closer to God. You **MUST** send your children to camp this summer. The downside is that they may not want to return home!

Our Lord, praise Him, has provided me with a Youth Support Team. Wow! How awesome is that? We are already meeting this Sunday following worship. I suspect they too, are eager to draw our children closer to God. Amen!

We will have a middle school/high school family gathering after worship on June 5th where we will eat, play, fellowship together and draw closer to God (more details to come). I hope you will join me.

Peace, love, joy, - Debbie

**Sunday
Schedule**

9:00am
Bible Study

10:30am
Worship &
Children's Church



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1)	2) 6:30pm Worship Rehearsal	3) 7:15pm Recovery In Christ	4) 8am Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
5) Missions Sunday 12pm Outreach Team 12pm, Youth Family BBQ 6:30pm, Pastor's Book Club	6) 6pm Prayer Ministry	7) 9:30am Tai Chi	8) 7:00pm Bible Study	9) 6:30pm Worship Rehearsal	10) 7:15pm Recovery In Christ	11)
12)  PENTECOST SUNDAY 12pm Congregational Mtg/Luncheon	13) 6pm Prayer Ministry 7pm Board Mtg	14) 9:30am Tai Chi	15) 10:30am CWF 7:00pm Bible Study	16) 6:30pm Worship Rehearsal	17) 7:15pm Recovery In Christ	18)
19)  Happy Father's Day!	20) 6pm Prayer Ministry 7pm Elder's Mtg	21) 9:30am Tai Chi	22) -Newsletter- 7:00pm Bible Study	23) 6:30pm Worship Rehearsal	24) <u>7:05pm</u> WE'RE GOING TO A  BALL GAME! 7:15pm, RIC	25)  9am-Noon Explorer's Class "Time TBD" Youth Fair Day
26)  Summer Bible Camp Jr. Camp	27) 6pm Prayer Ministry	28) 9:30am Tai Chi	29) 10am-Noon Games Day 7:00pm Bible Study	30) 6:30pm Worship Rehearsal		
<div style="border: 1px solid red; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">Secretary on Vacation</div> →						



Recycling Inkjet Cartridges

Our youth are still collecting your empty inkjet cartridges for recycling and they receive up to \$4.00 for each cartridge. Recently we received \$62.70 from your donations. Thank you! Cartridges can be deposited in our collection bin located in the fellowship area. No large laser cartridges are accepted. Only those that fit

through the holes on the collection box. In addition to raising money for our youth ministries, this has a positive impact on the environment!

Small Groups

Games Day:

Wednesday, May 25th, 10am—noon
at Clairemont Christian Church.

Men's Breakfast & Bible Study:

Saturday, June 4th, 8:00am

CWF:

Wednesday, June 15th, 10:30am

Prayer Ministry:

“Hour of Prayer” Monday nights, 6:00pm

Tai Chi:

Tuesday mornings 9:30am

Wednesday Bible Study:

Wednesday nights 7:00pm
Beginning June 8th, “Walk as Jesus Walked”

Recovery in Christ:

Friday evenings, 7:15pm

Sunday Morning Adult Study: The Chronological Bible – read through the Bible in a year in chronological order.
Sunday mornings, 9:00am

Talent Show *coming in August!*

Not only music, singing and dancing, but skits, readings, and whatever other talent you may have to share with us!

More information to follow in the weeks and months ahead, but begin planning now for what promises to be a fun evening!

Celebrating

An Anniversary This Month

- 06/06 Tom & Pam Deitz
- 06/08 Royce & Freda Lyman
- 06/17 Robbie & Laura Frazer
- 06/17 Stephen & Alissa Johnson
- 06/28 Deiter & Margaret Steinrichter



- 06/09 Christian Julian
- 06/11 Lance Johnson
- 06/12 Ron Calabrese
- 06/12 Roger Fishero
- 06/18 Tyler Deitz
- 06/20 Shane Brunberg
- 06/25 Ben Frazier
- 06/26 Steve Butler
- 06/26 Jennifer Genovese
- 06/27 Brendan Daly
- 06/30 Marjorie Swailes

Adult Bible Study

A new Bible Study will begin Wednesday, June 8th at 7pm with a five-week series titled "Walk as Jesus Walked". This series by Ray Vander Laan is filmed in the Holy Land as Bible historian Vander Laan tours locations mentioned in the scriptures. A short 20-minute video segment is followed by Bible readings and discussion questions. Won't you join us for this exciting tour of the Holy Lands where Jesus walked?

Pastor's Book Club—June 5th

The next Pastor's Book Club discussion will be on June 5th at 6:30pm. This month's book is Same Kind of Different as Me by Ron Hall and Denver Moore. So join us for what promises to be a fun and meaningful discussion.




Church Parking Lot Sale

Saturday, May 21st
7am-1pm

Come check out our sale... "one man's trash is another man's treasure!"

Friday, June 24th WE'RE GOING TO A

We have reserved a block of tickets for our annual fellowship night at Petco Park for the Padres vs. Braves game on Friday, June 24th. The game is at 7:05pm and tickets (\$17) can be reserved by calling the church office or by signing up on the bulletin board. Mark your calendars now for a fun night of food, baseball & fellowship!



BALL GAME!

This year's Summer Camp schedule at Loch Leven Christian Camp appears below. Pick up your registration forms on the youth bulletin board or go on-line to www.lochleven.org. As always, the church offers half-scholarships for all of our kids who attend summer camp... so register now!



Mini Camp, July 6th-9th

For those entering 2nd-3rd grade.
\$250, Postmark on/before June 6th

Junior Camp, June 26th—July 2nd

For those entering 4th-6th grade.
\$340, Postmark on/before May 26th

Chi Rho Camp, July 17th-23rd

For those entering 7th-8th grade.
\$340, Postmark on/before June 17th

CYF I, July 24th—30th

For those entering 9th-10th grade.
\$340, Postmark on/before June 24th

CYF II, July 31st—August 6th

For those entering 11th-12th grade.
\$340, Postmark on/before July 1st



Learn
More About
Our Church

Explorer's Class Saturday June 25th

Have you considered joining our church family as a member but aren't sure exactly what is involved with membership? Have you considered getting baptized but would like to learn more? Are you curious to know more about the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), the denomination our church is a part of? Would you like to learn more about the Pacific Beach Christian Church and our history, core beliefs, and vision for ministry? If you answered 'yes' to any of these questions then you are encouraged to attend a special "Explorer's Class" led by Pastor Brian on Saturday, June 18th, 9am-noon. Anyone interested in attending is encouraged to contact Pastor Brian or the church office to insure we have ample materials available.

Blankets+ Update

Many thanks to our compassionate congregation for giving to the Blankets + Mother's Day program. Our total was \$179 dollars which will purchase 36 warm blankets. Thank you, PBCC! You are amazing!

CCSA

CCSA's most needed items are as follows:

- pasta
- spaghetti sauce
- canned pork and beans
- canned vegetables & fruit
- toothbrushes & toothpaste
- soap bars & shampoo

CCSA is also holding an Underwear Drive (socks and unmentionables) during the months of May and June. The goal for the Synder Center is: 2000 pairs of white crew socks (adult sizes) and 1500 pairs of briefs (size S-L)/panties (size 6-9). Multi-packs are the best deal and if you shop Walmart or Target, your money can buy more. Shoes in any condition are needed as well as durable pants such as jeans.

Operation Rack Pack Barracks Drive

We have embraced a new missions project for Memorial Day weekend that will benefit young Marines who return to Camp Pendleton following their tour in Afghanistan with no family here to greet them. It's called "Operation Rack Pack Barracks" because many of the young Marines without family here return to an empty barracks without even toiletries awaiting them. Our goal will be to provide them with a "Welcome Home" care package that will include things like toiletries, movie tickets, \$10 food/restaurant gift cards, snack foods, drinks, laundry detergent, t-shirts, socks and even paper plates, plastic ware and napkins. If you would like to participate simply drop any of these items in the box provided in the fellowship area. Donations are also welcome should you want someone to purchase items on your behalf. Thank you!

Young Women's Action Web

"Mission work happens around us all the time and often starts with just one person."

August 14th – 20th, 2011, \$100

The Young Women's Action Web is inviting women (18-30 years) who are mission minded to share in an uplifting and inspirational outreach event. The Women's Action Web is committed to creating opportunities for women to grow in their faith and spiritual awareness through hands on educational experiences.

This summer a group of young Disciple women will be traveling to San Diego for a week long trip focused on developing awareness of local mission work. Through a variety of interacting site visits the women will be provided with first hand experiences of how the Holy Spirit is working through the hearts and minds of people to address the specific needs of their communities. This event is designed to introduce women to the creative ways needs are being met and how one action can make a difference.

Throughout the week women will be introduced to new faith communities with possibly unfamiliar lifestyles, ideals, and practices that will require an understanding and accepting attitude. Women will be asked to look upon all situations as learning experiences and approach each encounter with open and receptive hearts.

Please note this trip will involve daily travel and will make frequent stops at numerous locations around the community. Women who are interested need to be physically capable of participating in the pace of the event.

For more information, please contact:

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BY OUR ATTENDANCE

04/24/11	250
05/01/11	116
05/08/11	128
05/15/11	110

BY OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

Weekly Need: \$3,106

04/24/11	\$4,425
05/04/11	\$2,195
05/08/11	\$2,810
05/15/11	\$3,360

Congregation

Doris Kim
Bill Bostick
Angelica Valentine
Nathan Corey
The Norton Family
Alice Roth
Ed & Leona BonDurant
Bob Jones
Glen MacPherson
Fusco Family
William Dudas
Recovery In Christ
Youth Ministry

Friends & Family

Jack Mosley
Marian Taylor
Isaac Garcia
Simpkins Family
Antoninetti Family
Chad Knox
Will McHenry
Janice Breeden
Bob Porter
Regina Cox
Carren Lindsay-Dial
Helen Dunn
Toni McGregor
Kevin Mawhinney
Kaely Buckel

BY OUR PRAYERS

Daniel BonDurant	Ron Spiewak
Corrine Biesman	Chris Mischle & Chris Barker
Robert Kurosky	Kerrie Morfitt
Brooke Strong	Terry & Dora Rinke
Rose Eckerman	Silas Zeeh
Tom Charleston	Bernard Crosby
Eileen Kelley	Shane O'Connell
Reeves Family	Doris Larsen
Alica Langford Straley	Marie Julian
Bob & Grace Marr	Nicole Luongo
Frank Ortez	Bruce Smith
Colleen Silva	Micki McQueen
Mary Podhorsky	Jean Neal
Wendy Grace	Patricia Spathes
Dixie Baker	Christine Miller
Leon Cuervo	Joe Bailon
Pattie Jo Kaczala	Karen Kelly
Kathy Ralls	Karen Liss
Sonya Norton	James Birts
Joan Lomberto	Gillian Turgeon
Rosalie Capp	Bob & Gayle BonDurant
Mary Richardson	Laura Wright
Lauren Lyons	Karlie Jo Hutchins
Jim & Marion Smith	Christopher Harris
Joanne Davis	Mary Coles
Jennifer Kutzner	Boyds-MAF
Roseo Vasquez	Farrars-Philippines
Bob Bark	Eubanks-Thailand/Burma
Jill Cobb	
Henry Torres	