



# shelton presbyterian church

**Love God • Love People • Serve the World**

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**August 7, 2022**

*We are glad you are here*

**Service Order**

Opening Song

Prayer of Praise

Announcements & Greeting

Doxology

Song

Dedication of the Offering

Song

Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Choir

Scripture

Sermon

Song

Prayer of Blessing

*Join us after the service for fellowship*



***Welcome! We are so glad you have joined us today.***

## **Bible Studies:**

### ***Men's Bible Study***

Isaiah Brooks leads the study. Men meet every Thursday at 8:00 AM, in person at the church.

### ***Women's Bible Study***

Lori Matlock leads this study. Women's Bible Study will be taking a summer break June, July and August.

### ***Thursday Night Bible Study***

Pastor Jeff leads this study. The study meets every other week on Thursday at 7:00 PM, in person at the church. A light supper is served beforehand at 6:30 PM.

## **Kids for Christ (Sunday School)**

Children in Kindergarten through Fifth grade are welcome to join us for Kids for Christ in classroom 1. Children will be dismissed from the service. We ask that children who have not attended Kids for Christ yet this year bring their parents with them to fill out a brief form before returning to worship. *Masks are optional.* Children ages birth through four years old are welcome in our nursery during the service. Please feel free to drop them off before the service and they will be cared for.

## **Missions Committee**

We will be collecting items or cash for Crazy Love Ministries each Sunday during August and September. Here are the items we will be collecting: **whole beans or ground coffee, creamer and sugar, bottled water and paper products (plates, cups, napkins, utensils, lunch bags and baggies).** Checks can be made out to Shelton Presbyterian Church and designate "Crazy Love" in the memo line. If you'd like to learn more about this ministry, visit their website at [crazyloveministries.org](http://crazyloveministries.org) or feel free to contact me, Jubilee Whitman at [jubileew@hotmail.com](mailto:jubileew@hotmail.com) or call (206)999-5714.

### **MEMBERSHIP CLASS**

There will be a class for new members on August 21, following worship. Lunch will be provided. Please mark Membership Class on your Welcome Card or call the church office.



## Happening This Week

<b>Today</b>	Worship.....	10:00 AM
<b>Wed</b>	Youth Group at VanderWal's.....	5:00 PM
<b>Thur</b>	Men's Bible Study.....	8:00 AM
	Choir Practice .....	4:30 PM

### FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE

Monthly meetings for Fellowship Committee will resume in August, the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11:30. First meeting will be Sunday, August 14.

#### Bookkeeper - Part Time

SHELTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH is seeking a part-time (6-8 hours/week) . This person will report to and work with the Treasurer. This position will provide financial services to church members and professional church staff. *Please contact Pat Sanborn if you are interested.*

#### Audio/Video Specialist - Part Time

SPC is seeking a part-time (5 hours/week Sunday Mornings) Audio/Video Specialist. This person will report to the volunteer director of AV services. *Please contact Dave Miser if you are interested.*

*SEE THE MESSENGER FOR MORE INFORMATION AND/OR CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR A COPY OF THE JOB DESCRIPTION*

<b>Financial Update</b>			
<b>General Budget</b>	<b><u>Received</u></b>	<b><u>Budgeted</u></b>	<b><u>Difference</u></b>
Last Week	2,313	6,227	-3,914
For the Month	21,378	31,135	-9,757
YTD	173,592	193,061	-19,469
<b>Mortgage Giving</b>	<b><u>Received</u></b>	<b><u>Budgeted</u></b>	<b><u>Difference</u></b>
Last Week	185	1,680	-1,495
For the Month	2,958	8,400	-5,442
YTD	48,401	52,105	-3,704

# PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!



(Amanda Wilgenburg) My nephew is in Yreka, California where there is a wildfire. They're being evacuated. We've yet to hear from him. May the fire be controlled and safety for all the people and animals there.

(Connie Adams) Prayer for Brittney who is almost 3 months pregnant, but the ultrasound of the baby was not good. Please pray for healing for this infant. Thank you.

(Connie Adams) Pray for my nephew Brady Morton, who is having issues with his cancer. He can't keep food down. Prayers for wisdom for the doctors that they can find the problem and fix it soon, and peace for the family.

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## **SERMON OUTLINE**

### 1. "It Is Time."

Chronos

Kairos

### 2. Real Eternal Life

### 3. Disciples seen as those who were already God's possession.

### 4. Prayer for the Disciples Being Set apart and protected.

### 5. Jesus' life on Display in ours.

### 6. Prayer for those who would come to faith through us.

## Scripture

John 17  
The Message

### Jesus' Prayer for His Followers

**17** <sup>1-5</sup> Jesus said these things. Then, raising his eyes in prayer, he said: Father, it's time. Display the bright splendor of your Son so the Son in turn may show your bright splendor. You put him in charge of everything human so he might give real and eternal life to all in his care. And this is the real and eternal life: that they know you, the one and only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you sent. I glorified you on earth by completing down to the last detail what you assigned me to do. And now, Father, glorify me with your very own splendor, the very splendor I had in your presence before there was a world. <sup>6-12</sup> I spelled out your character in detail to the men and women you gave me. They were yours in the first place; then you gave them to me, and they have now done what you said. They know now, beyond the shadow of a doubt, that everything you gave me is firsthand from you, for the message you gave me, I gave them; and they took it, and were convinced that I came from you. They believed that you sent me. I pray for them. I'm not praying for the God-rejecting world but for those you gave me, for they are yours by right. Everything mine is yours, and yours mine, and my life is on display in them.

For I'm no longer going to be visible in the world; they'll continue in the world while I return to you. Holy Father, guard them as they pursue this life that you conferred as a gift through me, so they can be one heart and mind as we are one heart and mind. As long as I was with them, I guarded them in the pursuit of the life you gave through me; I even posted a lookout. And not one of them got away, except for the rebel bent on destruction (the exception that proved the rule of Scripture).

<sup>13-19</sup> Now I'm returning to you. I'm saying these things in the world's hearing so my people can experience My joy completed in them. I gave them your word; the godless world hated them because of it, because they didn't join the world's ways, just as I didn't join the world's ways. I'm not asking that you take them out of the world but that you guard them from the Evil One. They are no more defined by the world than I am defined by the world. Make them holy—consecrated—with the truth; Your word is consecrating truth. In the same way that you gave me a mission in the world, I give them a mission in the world. I'm consecrating myself for their sakes so they'll be truth-consecrated in their mission.

<sup>20-23</sup> I'm praying not only for them but also for those who will believe in me because of them and their witness about me. The goal is for all of them to become one heart and mind—just as you, Father, are in me and I in you, so they might be one heart and mind with us. Then the world might believe that you, in fact, sent me. The same glory you gave me, I gave them, so they'll be as unified and together as we are— I in them and you in me.

Then they'll be mature in this oneness, and give the godless world evidence that you've sent me and loved them. In the same way you've loved me.

<sup>24-26</sup> Father, I want those you gave me to be with me, right where I am, so they can see my glory, the splendor you gave me, having loved me long before there ever was a world. Righteous Father, the world has never known you, but I have known you, and these disciples know that you sent me on this mission. I have made your very being known to them—who you are and what you do—and continue to make it known, so that your love for me might be in them exactly as I am in them.

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