



Kenai Christian Church *news* September 2025

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#JesusStrong

Caring-Connecting-Communicating

Waiting on God...

It is Hard to Wait

I'll be the first to admit that I have been corrupted by the culture. This corruption has ever-so-slyly eased its way into my life. The fast pace of our culture combined with the instant results driven mentality has taken a toll on my ability to wait. Ponder these scenarios for just a minute and see if you believe they are chipping away at your ability to wait as well: fast food; microwave dinners; insta-pot meals; 5G LTE; broadband; next-day shipping; Priority Mail; mobile apps; texting; FaceTime; QR codes; pay-at-the-pump gas; and the list goes on and on. When our expectations of having instant access and instant results aren't met, I believe it begins to change our expectations and ability to wait.

God isn't Defined by Culture

Now that we can see that our culture is shaping us in a fast-paced, instant-results direction, it is crucial to be reminded that God isn't defined by our culture. The only common thread between our culture and God is that He is instantly accessible. Each time that we pray or read His word, we are engaging God on a personal level that is immediate. Our prayers do not end up in God's Spam folder or voicemail. The main difference though is that He may not answer our prayers, desires, or wants in a time that seems or feels appropriate to us. This is where we have to separate God's timing from our cultural expectations. There will be times when God will answer your prayer immediately, and then there will be times where you will "feel" as if He isn't even aware of your request. This is where learning to wait and trust in the Lord becomes necessary in our walk with Him.

God's Timing is Always Perfect

If you want to trust in God's timing, just remember His word. Psalm 37:7 says, "Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for Him." Psalm 130:5 says, "I wait for the LORD, my whole being waits, and in His Word I put my hope." There are so many examples of believers who have gone before us in the Bible who had to wait. Moses left Egypt for 40 years before he returned to lead the Hebrews out of slavery. Those years probably felt like an eternity to him, and perhaps a waste of time, but God used those years to prepare Moses for the work he would do. And imagine how long the 40 years of slavery felt to the Hebrews who were still in Egypt waiting for God's deliverance. We may never understand God's timing. He is working out all things to the benefit of humanity, even when it seems as if evil is winning. Our job is to remain faithful to Him and never give up as we wait patiently on His timing instead of our own. So when it seems as if God has fallen silent, remember that He is actively involved in the complete restoration of humanity.

In Christ,
Adam

Celebrations:

- ⇒ Another school year, and another wonderful Fall Launch! On August 20th, we had our Fall Launch for our #JesusStrongKids and our #JesusStrongYouth ministries. And it was a BLAST. We had many students, a handful of new faces, and all around a great time celebrating being back at the building, and giving God all the praise. The main highlight of the night was our Youth Leader Introductions. For the past 3 years, we've introduced our adult volunteers that lead the small groups in a unique way. This year we did a fashion show where each leader dressed up in a fun outfit or costume and showed it off down the runway; all while some students are commentating and grading each outfit. Safe to say, it was a fun time. But it's so nice to be back at the building again and getting into the regular swing of things. We're all excited and looking forward to the things the Lord has in store for us for the 2025-2026 school year.
- ⇒ With us being back at the building, we officially put a close to our 2025 Summer Schedule. And there were some pretty solid memories made with our gatherings throughout the summer. From playing bucket golf, to having the twinkielympics (think the Olympics but with twinkies), to even burning a chair at one point, it was a pretty solid summer. Super grateful for each family that opened up their home to the kiddos! Thanks for investing in the Next Generation!

Upcoming Stuff:

- ⇒ On September 28th, we're having our "Youth Takeover Sunday!" This is when our services are completely run by our students. This was such a great opportunity for our students last year, and we're looking forward to doing it again. Be sure to show up and support our 6th – 12th graders as they lead us in worship and to be #JesusStrong. And be sure to be praying for our student leadership team that are doing the heavy lifting in putting this together.

#JesusStrongYouth
NEWS

September

- 9.3 Valor (Men's Discipleship Group Begins) 7pm-8pm
- 9.4 Women's Thursday Bible Study Begins 5:30pm-7:30pm
- 9.7 Church Picnic 3pm-6pm
- 9.9 Women's Tuesday Bible Study Begins 10am-12pm
- 9.10 Women's Wednesday Bible Study Begins 6:30pm-8pm
- 9.14 Ministry Fair (Following Services)

Services



Sunday

1st Worship Service 9:30am

What Is Available: In person only, Adult Bible Studies, Nursery, 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s-Kinder, 1st-3rd Grade, 4th-5th Grade.

2nd Worship Service 11:00am

Livestream, Nursery & 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s, #JesusStrongChurch (Kinder-5th Grade)

Wednesday

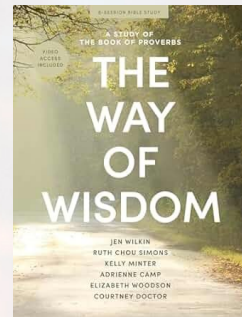
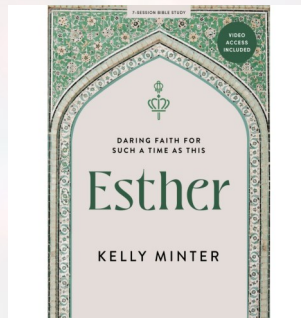
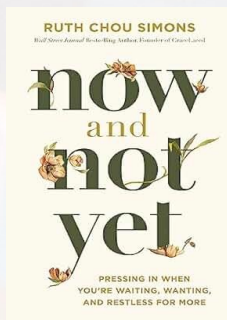
#JesusStrongKids Grades 1st-5th
6:30pm-7:30pm

#JesusStrongYouth Grades 6th-12th
6:30pm-8pm

Online

Sunday Live and Online Services: 11:00am
Thursday Live Mid-Day Prayer: (Noon)

Announcements



Men's Discipleship



Wednesdays 7pm-8pm
Starting Sept 3rd

VALOR

EPHESIANS 6:10

Announcements

Kenai Christian Church PICNIC

September 7th, 2025

3 PM ~ FELLOWSHIP & ACTIVITIES

**5 PM ~ WORSHIP, DEVOTION & COMMUNION.
FOLLOWED BY DINNER.**

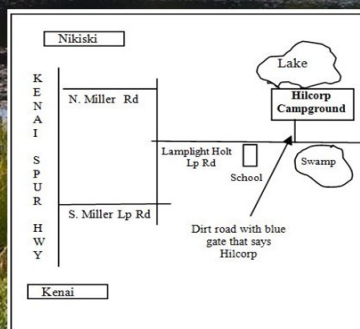
Don't Forget...

KCC will be providing the main dish.
Meat, buns, toppings, condiments,
chips, and drinks.

Please bring lawn chairs, blankets,
appropriate clothing and life jackets
for swimming etc. for your family.

*No dogs please.

*** EXTRAS NEEDED!!** Please, choose
one of the following cards from the
board, located in the foyer.



**Directions to
Hilcorp Picnic Site:**
60°39'40.4"N
151°16'22.3"W

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