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MAIN OFFICE HOURS

M-TH | 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

PLEASE USE ALLEY RAMP DOOR

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We'll update this information regularly and encourage everyone to remember and honor our seniors with a visit or other forms of communion. Call us with updates you may know, but understand we only provide life updates given by individuals or family.

**Riverview Senior Apartments:** Alberta DeKam

**Meadow Greens:** Beverly Gish, Joanne Otter, Barb Wester, Glenda Polinder, Gayle DeGroot

**Lynden Manor:** Kathy Atneosen, Tracy DeBoom, Helen Taylor

**Christian Healthcare Center:** Bea Ronhaar, Shirley Radder, Bobbie VanderPloeg

**Adult Care Lynden:** Lonnie VanderPol

**Among Friends Adult Family Home:** Joan Longstreth

**Avista Senior Living:** (2240 Main St. Rm. 132, Ferndale, 98248) - Gerrit Kuiken

**Mickie Kingma:** (20926 88th Pl W, Edmonds, WA 98026)

**The Bellingham at Orchard:** (848 West Orchard Drive, Bellingham, 98225) Rm 10 - Teri Hilt

**Gloria Harrison:** (801 Aaron Dr. Unit 406, Lynden, WA 98264)

SENIORS UPDATE

PRAYER & PRAISE

We are excited to celebrate with Jeremy & Robyn Dykes on the baptism of their son, Kohen Kasey and with Andrew & Riley Jones on the baptism of their daughter, Oakley Faye this past Sunday, January 18.



SUNDAYS

8:45 & 11:00 AM

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**WEEKLY PRAYER TIME BETWEEN SERVICES**

We would love to have you join us! There will be prayer time today between services in the **Adult Library**. We will be praying over our church and for spiritual growth within our church body.

**GUATEMALA MISSION TEAM**

Join us in praying for our Guatemala mission team as they serve the people of Guatemala. They will be gone Jan 24-31. Please pray for their health and protection, for strength and endurance in the work they are doing, and for meaningful encounters with Jesus as they serve the people in Guatemala.

**COMMUNION NEXT WEEK**

We will be serving communion at both our services next week. If you or someone you know is not able to attend please email [Danny@Lyndenfrc.org](mailto:Danny@Lyndenfrc.org) to arrange to have an elder serve you.

We also wanted to let you know that our elements are gluten free for anyone who needs that.

**EXHIBIT TONIGHT**

Our highschool group will be meeting tonight in the Loft from **6:00-8:30 PM**.

**MT. OF OLIVES FUNDRAISER**

It's time for the annual El Ranchito charity event to benefit Mt. of Olives Childrens Village in Mexico, **Jan 26 & 27**. Bring your appetite and friends to the restuarant for either lunch or dinner. Vouchers will be available at the door to designate that a portion of your meal purchase will be donated to Mt. of Olives. The "big sombrero" will be making it's rounds for additional donations. We appreciate the outpouring of love and support on behalf of the Mt. of Olives Childrens Village for kids in Baja, Mexico. Check out, [missions-network.org](http://missions-network.org) for more info.

**DEDICATIONS**

We will be holding dedications on **February 15** at both our services. If you or your child is interested please contact [Lise@Lyndenfrc.org](mailto:Lise@Lyndenfrc.org) by **February 1**.

**PROFESSION OF FAITH**

We will be holding a Profession of Faith class on **February 1**, following the second service in the Daybreak room. Lunch will be provided. If you plan on coming please RSVP to [Carla@Lyndenfrc.org](mailto:Carla@Lyndenfrc.org).

**KIDS CABOOSE PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION STARTS!**

If you didn't already know, we have a preschool that meets here on campus Mon-Friday. Registration starts February 2 at 8:30 AM. You can go to our website; <https://www.lyndenfrc.org>, choose the 'Preschool' tab to find out more as well as to register. For any questions you can email [Preschool@Lyndenfrc.org](mailto:Preschool@Lyndenfrc.org).

**CALEB EVENT - SAVE THE DATE!**

Valentine's Bingo & Pizza for the CALEB group (60+). Join us for a fun afternoon of laughs, friendly competition, and delicious pizza on Tuesday, February 10 at 12:30 PM in the Lower Level Fellowship Hall. RSVP at the Connection Center—we'd love to see you there!

**MINISTRY OVERVIEW****SUNDAYS**

NURSERY (BIRTH-2YRS) | TODAY AT 8:45 & 11:00AM | Nursery

PreKIDS (3-PREK) | TODAY AT 8:45 & 11:00AM | L8-L6

SUNDAY SCHOOL | 10:00AM

Adult Sunday School | Daybreak room

Nursery (0-2)

PreKIDS (3-PREK) | L6

Kidsclub (K-5) | Clubhouse

Youth Sunday School (6th-12th) | The Loft

PRAYER TIME 10:00AM | Adult Library

EXHIBIT | 6:00-8:00PM | The Loft

**1/25****The Nursery (Birth-2 Years) |**

**8:45 a.m.:** Debbie Whitener, Taylor VanKooten, Kyle & Morgan Mark, Trevyn Tjoelker, Kelsey Kooiman

**11:00 a.m.:** Karen Visser, Kelsie Heystek, Leslie & Kaden VanWeerdhuizen

**PreKIDS (3-PreK) | L8**

**8:45 a.m.:** Erin, Taya & Case VanderKooi  
**11:00 a.m.:** Tamara & Eli Heinz, Meagan Rossi

**Safety:** Ethan Foote

**Welcome |**

**8:45 a.m.:** Heeringa Family, Jerry & Julie Roetcisoender

**Middle Lobby:** Nancy Smith

**11:00 a.m.:** Michael & Marcy Kok, John & Yvonne VanDalen

**Middle Lobby:** Darcy Lindenmuth

**Coffee |** Marissa Cramer

**Deacons |** Ryan Heeringa, Dan VanBeek

**WEEKLY MINISTRY****WEDNESDAYS**

FELLOWSHIP MEAL | 5:30PM

DISCIPLESHIP FOR ALL AGES | 6:30PM

Men's Bible Study | Church next door

Women's Bible Study | Sanctuary & classrooms

Adult Co-ed Bible Study | Daybreak room

JAM (6th-8th) | Loft

**THURSDAYS**

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY | 9:30AM | Lower level Fellowship Hall

CROSSROADS - College & Career

Bible study | 7:00PM | Adult Library

**2/1****The Nursery (Birth-2 Years) |**

**8:45 a.m.:** Kirstyn Garcia, Liv Martin, Keven Tjoelker, Shelli Fox, Kortnee Tolsma

**11:00 a.m.:** Michelle Anderson, Ashly & Hilary Huartson, Audie Hendricks

**PreKIDS (3-PreK) | L8**

**8:45 a.m.:** Andria & Van Martin, Jade Harkness

**11:00 a.m.:** Grant Heeringa, Dakota Beck, James Spoelstra

**Safety:** Brian Foote

**Welcome |**

**8:45 a.m.:** Jeff & Shannon Dysktra, Olson Family

**Middle Lobby:** Nancy Smith

**11:00 a.m.:** Tad & Lisa VanderGriend, John & Bev Vree

**Middle Lobby:** Darcy Lindenmuth, Bonnie Wilson

**Coffee |** Jada Tjoelker

**Deacons |** Darren Korhuis, Scott Smit

**THE BRANCHES ONLY JOB**

JOHN 15:1-11 | PASTOR DANNY MARTINEZ

The Gardener is \_\_\_\_\_.

Pruning is Not Punishment; It's \_\_\_\_\_.

The key is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Discussion Questions:**

1. Read John 15:4-5. In your own life, what is the difference between “striving” to produce fruit (working harder) and “abiding” in the Vine (staying connected)? Where do you feel the most pressure to “make things happen” right now, and how can you surrender that to Jesus this week?
2. The sermon reminded us that “The Gardener is Awake.” Read John 15:1-2 and Hebrews 12:11. Pruning can feel painful or confusing in the moment, but it is always for our health. Looking back at your life (or our church’s recent history), can you share a time when a painful “cut” eventually led to new growth?
3. As we prepare to study 1 Corinthians, we know God will use His Word to refine us. Read Psalm 139:23-24. What is one area of your heart (an attitude, a habit, or a fear) that you are hesitant to let God prune? How can we pray for you to trust the Gardener’s hand in that specific area?
4. Read John 15:9-10 and John 14:26. We often try to fix problems with better programs or stricter rules, but the Holy Spirit’s role is to point us back to our relationship with Jesus. Since we cannot “produce” fruit on our own, how is the Holy Spirit prompting you to stop “working” for God’s approval and instead rest in the love He has already given you?