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THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

Saturday, October 11

9:00 AM – Men Meet at Volcano Coffee

Sunday, October 12 Tailgate prior to Worship

8:45 AM – Tailgate Party

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary

10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates

10:45 AM – Coffee Hour

11:05 AM – Gathering Time in the Sanctuary

11:15 AM – Sunday School

12:10 PM – Choir Rehearsal

1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure

5:00 PM* –Worship, YouTube

Tuesday, October 14

10:00 AM – Women’s Ministry Meeting

6:30 PM – Church Board Meeting

Friday-Sunday, October 17-19

<<< Youth Retreat >>>

Music Notes



Here are links to some songs for this week:

“Holy Forever”

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2xcFM9CBiOE&list=R D2xcFM9CBiOE&start_radio=1

“The Strife is O’er, the Battle Done”

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jGVazuix9Lc&list>

“If My People Will Pray”

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=41zX7ag-vVI&list=RD41zX7ag-vVI&start_radio=1

Sunday, October 19

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary

10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates

10:45 AM – Coffee Hour

11:05 AM – Gathering Time in the Sanctuary

11:15 AM – Sunday School

12:10 PM – Choir Rehearsal

1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure

5:00 PM* –Worship, YouTube

Wednesday, October 22

10:00 AM – Islam Workshop

***Always the goal, but may be impacted by technology issues beyond our control**

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Full Lectionary for October 12, 2025;

1st Reading

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

Psalm

Psalm 111

2nd Reading

2 Timothy 2:8-15

Gospel

Luke 17:11-19

Full Lectionary for October 19, 2025;

1st Reading

Genesis 32:22-31

Psalm

Psalm 121

2nd Reading

2 Timothy 3:14 – 4:5

Gospel

Luke 18:1-8

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

LOOKING AHEAD

<u>October 11, Saturday, 9:00 am</u>	Men meet at Volcano's Coffee Shop
<u>October 12, Sunday, 8:45-9:15 am</u>	Tailgate Party under church porch
<u>9:30 am</u>	Worship Service
<u>11:05 am</u>	Sunday School
<u>October 14, Tuesday, 10:00 am</u>	Women's Ministry Board
<u>6:30 pm</u>	Church Board Meeting
<u>October 17-19 Friday-Sunday</u>	Youth Retreat Shoshone Mountain Retreat, Idaho
<u>October 19, Sunday, 9:30 am</u>	Worship Service
<u>11:05 am</u>	Sunday School
<u>October 22, Wednesday, 10:00 am</u>	"Happening Now" Workshop on Islam
<u>October 26, Sunday, 9:30 am</u>	Reformation Worship Service and Commitment Sunday (<u>no Sunday School</u>) Return Pledge and Time & Talent forms Church Potluck after worship

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DON'T FORGET THE TAILGATE PARTY **THIS SUNDAY, 8:45 - 9:15 am**

Muffins, sweet rolls, fruit and, of course, coffee will be available under the front porch of church! There will be two pick-ups with their tailgates down, loaded with breakfast items to enjoy before worship. It's a great start to the Fall!

SEVERAL OF OUR LIVING WORD TEEN-AGE YOUTH will be attending a Youth Retreat at Shoshone Mountain Retreat, in Idaho, the week-end of October 17-19 with Pastor Eric. Please pray for safe travel and that they will enjoy the Retreat and be nourished in the Word during the week-end.

"HAPPENING NOW", hosted by Pastor Eric, will repeat the 90 minute snapshot of **"Islam and its' Future in America" at 10:00 am on Wednesday, October 22nd.** Topics will include: The History of Islam, The Quran, the Practice of Islam, Sharia Law, and the impact on American Culture. Plan now to attend this Workshop and learn more about this interesting and current topic. Please sign up on the table in the narthex.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

If you own a life insurance or health insurance policy from Thrivent you may be eligible to contribute to your church or eligible charity under their "Choice Dollars" Program. Online information is available at thrivent.com/Choice or by phone at 800-847-4836. Your Thrivent representative can also help if needed. Questions? Ask Bob Martin.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

FOR THE 2026 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN!

10/12/25 Time and Talent Interest and Pledge Forms for 2026 will be available at church if you didn't receive them by mail or email.

10/26/25 **Reformation and Commitment Sunday**
Pledge forms and Time and Talent interest forms will be received during the worship service. Please place your forms in the basket at the end of the front aisle when you go up for communion.

If you are unable to attend the October 26th worship service:

--Place your forms in the offering plate any Sunday by November 16 OR

--Mail your forms to the church office at
10515 269th Street East, Graham WA 98338, OR

--Email a completed and scanned copy to
lwlcoffice@gmail.com

Thank you!



REFORMATION DINNER, OCTOBER 26th

Immediately after the worship service!

Join us as we enjoy the Annual Reformation Dinner on Sunday, October 26th after worship. Please sign your name and what you are able to bring on the sign-up sheet in the narthex. Choices are casseroles, salads, desserts, and anything else you might like to share.

PRAYER ROOM

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise."
James 3:18 (ESV)

Watch over those who put themselves in harm's way to protect us and grant peace of mind to the families who love and miss them. We praise you for continuing to protect:

Andrew Thompson (Griswold)
Josh Jepsen, USAF Utah

Elijah Lundberg, USMC Yuma, AZ
Owen Daubenspeck, USAF Spokane (Owen)

Comfort those who are bereaved, having lost loved ones recently:

Holly and Grace Reichl in the passing of her father and grandfather
Family and friends of Don Brennan
Family and friends of Lin Jeffery
Family and friends of Judy Ostendorf

Relieve pain for all who suffer in any way and restore them to good health of body, mind, and spirit. Encourage them and strengthen their caregivers:

Maurice Hedlund	Darlene Luberts	Amy Cruver	Jeff Brennan
Carolyn Martin	Bill Marsh	Terry (and caregiver Ron)	
Richard Mitchell (and caregiver Raeanne)		Yvonne Olson	Debbi Zavadil
Cheryl Hedlund's aunt, Sue	Bob Martin	David Martin (son of Bob and Nancy Martin)	
Sue Doll (sister-in-law of Duane & Valerie)		Duane Claiborne	Lori Schmidt
Wallace Duggan		John Loshbaugh (Owen's brother)	
Johnny Beck (son of Sharlene Parker and brother of Toni Sherman)		Kitty Jepsen	
Tina (daughter of Judy Williams)		Steve Vonderau	Sharon Johnson
Carol Brennan			

Grant discernment, wisdom, and courage to leaders within the church and world. Raise servants to accomplish Your will. May Your will be evident in all decisions and actions.

Living Word Members	Living Word Leaders	Persecuted Christians
Victims of War in Ukraine and Israel/Middle East		Elected Government Officials

Prayer and praise for healing and continued recovery:

Bonnie Socey Cheryl Hedlund Jan Williams (sister in law of Judy Williams)

Thank you, LORD, for hearing and answering our prayers – even when you do so differently than we would prefer. We pray in the holy and mighty name of Jesus, our LORD. Amen

Names in Bold are new additions. Please let the office know if you wish your request to remain on the list. Otherwise, requests are removed after a month.
