

September 11, 2022 — September 17, 2022

Sunday, September 11 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 5-7; 1 Corinthians 16*

8:30 AM Sunday School (Online & in-person)

10 AM Worship Service

6:30 PM Young Adults Dinner & Discussion

Monday, September 12 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 8-9; 2 Corinthians 1*

Tuesday, September 13 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 10-12; 2 Corinthians 2*

10 AM Theology Reading Group

6:30 PM Church Council Meeting

Wednesday, September 14 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 13-14; 2 Corinthians 3*

6:30 PM Wednesday Bible Study (Online & In-Person)

Thursday, September 15 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 15-18; 2 Corinthians 4*

Friday, September 16 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 19-22; 2 Corinthians 5*

Saturday, September 17 *Read the Bible Through: Isaiah 23-25; 2 Corinthians 6*

Sunday in-person Bible studies

My Utmost for His Highest (Kirk Tanigawa leading) — 8:45 a.m. Prayer room

My Utmost for His Highest (June Tanigawa leading) — 8:45 a.m. Fellowship Hall

Median Adults class (Jennifer Watanabe leading) — 8:30 a.m. A206 room

Sunday School for Toddlers to 5th Grade — 8:30 a.m. Preschool room

Middle School Sermon Discussion- 8:30 a.m. Youth room

HS & College Sermon Discussion- 8:30 a.m. Youth room

Sunday In-person/online Bible studies

Interactive Adults Class (Eric Dissinger leading) - 8:30 a.m. Choir room

Mixed Adults Class (Pastor Matt leading)- 8:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall

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Wai'alae Baptist Church

ACTS

BECOMING HIS CHURCH



September 11, 2022

Welcome!

Wai'alaie Baptist Church | Sunday, September 11, 2022

We believe our church should be a reflection of the love and glory of God that is given to us from God through faith in Jesus Christ, the Son of God, who is our Savior and Lord, and by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit who unites as one body in Christ and empowers us to obey God and serve others.

The Mission of our church is:

Fulfill the Great Commission |

Saving Souls: Making disciples in all nations bringing glory to God (Mt. 28:18-20)

Obey the Greatest Command-

ment | Walk in Love: To love God and to love all people (Mt. 22:37-40)

Be United in the Spirit | Change

The World: Reveal that Jesus is the Son of God sent by the Father to be the Lord and Savior of the world. (Jn. 17:20-21)

WELCOME, GUESTS!

Please connect with us by filling out a Welcome form located in the back of the pews. You may place it in the offering bowl or send it to our office. Our contact info is on the back of the bulletin.

WELCOME TEAM

After the worship service, our welcome team serves refreshments in the foyer area. Please stay and get to know us.

DEACONS (Deacon of the Week: Eric Dissinger 808-202-6100)

The deacons assist the pastor in caring for the needs of our church family. Each of our members and regular attendees is included in a deacon family. If you would like to be assigned a deacon, please contact the deacon of the week.

KIDS WORSHIP

Kids in grades 1-5 remain in service until they are excused just before the sermon to meet Kids Worship leaders at the back of the sanctuary. They will go downstairs for a Bible lesson and activities.

Sanctuary Flowers— From the Suzuki Family in memory of their mother Connie Suzuki who recently passed away and would have been 101 this week.

Opportunities:

Growth Group— If you are interested in joining a small group fellowship (Growth Group) or leading a small group fellowship, please contact Pastor John for more information. (pastorjohn@waialaebaptist.com)

Donations needed for the Operation Christmas Child shoebox ministry. Please consider making a cash donation to help pay for items to fill shoeboxes and shipping costs. Our goal this year is to send 150 shoeboxes. Shipping for each costs \$10.00 so we hope to raise \$1,500.00. Checks may be made payable to Waialae Baptist Church with a note for "OCC" or "Shoeboxes". You may also give online through the Missions/Ministry Fund and make a note for "OCC" or "Shoeboxes". The missions/ministry fund will match early donations received by September 30, 2021. For more info, please contact Wayne or Lola Shimogawa or the church office. (shimogaww001@gmail.com)

Bylaws Revision Q&A— Sept. 19th 6:30 PM—7:30 PM in the Choir Room or via Zoom. We encourage you to submit questions and comments in advance to stacy@waialaebaptist.com. A Zoom link will be provided in the next church newsletter or by request.

Offering Envelopes— It's time for us to order offering envelope boxes for 2023. If you've been receiving a box of envelopes and no longer desire to use the envelopes, please inform the office. Also, if you have not received a box and would like a box, please let us know. We still have extras for this year. The box includes weekly dated envelopes and special offerings envelopes, e.g., Sue Nishikawa Hawaii Pacific Baptist Offering.

Trunk or Treat— If you are interested in volunteering for this year's trunk or treat, please contact Chey. (chey.sanders@ymail.com)

Labor Day Picnic- A big thank-you to ALL the volunteers who helped setup and breakdown tents, tables, games, etc., this past Monday which made our church's Labor Day picnic fun and enjoyable.

A Romans 12 Church

I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.

**Surrendered ♥ Discipling ♥ Humble ♥ Diverse ♥ Serving
♥ Loving ♥ Fruitful ♥ Relational ♥ Good**

Why We Listen to Sermons

To know God who is Trinity more

Knowledge that leads to a greater love for the Father, Son, and Spirit, and a deeper worship of God

To know more about what God has done and is doing through Jesus

Knowledge that leads to a greater understanding of God's kingdom and His church

To know more about God's plan to use us

Knowledge that leads to a greater understanding of and commitment to do God's will

To know our sin and understand the power of God's grace in Christ

Knowledge that leads to repentance and a saving faith in Christ.

Truly listening to God's Word leads to a greater hunger to know more about God and His Word

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Call To Worship

His Mercy Is More

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Build My Life

Scripture Reading— Psalm 90

Offering

King of Kings

The Ups and Downs of Ministry (Acts 18:1-17)

Prayer & Response

In Christ Alone

Announcements

Closing Prayer

Dismissal

Our mission is to fulfill the Great Commission and obey the Great Commandment all for the glory of God.



Being salt and light wherever He leads

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Notes

The Ups and Downs of Ministry

Acts 18:1-17

Where we live

Many people reject Christianity because they think it is _____ and _____ the depth of the problems facing the world.

Where the text lives

Paul left Athens where he had mixed results.

What the text says

God provides other _____ to encourage His church.

His church finds ways to _____ even when the world tries to block it.

God has prepared the way for His church.

When enemies of His church refuse to give up, keep _____ them with the gospel.

Our response

God, help us to remain _____ through seasons of encouragement and discouragement.