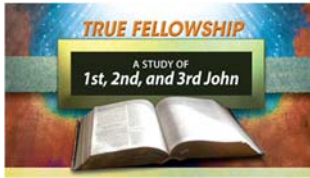


April 27, 2025



WELCOME! We're glad you're here! If you're new to Turning Point we'd love to connect with you. Please fill out a Feedback form in the back of a chair in front of you and drop it in the Offering Box on your way out.



The first Sunday of the month we have our Family Fellowship Sunday. **The next Fellowship Lunch will be May 4th**, immediately after the 2nd service. We will be having a Potluck. If you would like to contribute a Main Dish, Salad or Dessert, **please sign up in the Lobby!**

MEN'S BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY: Meeting every Tues at 7am at Denny's restaurant (next to Super 8 motel). Come and join us. For more info call the office at 360-489-0378.



YOUTHGROUP
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pm. For questions call or text Ron Brinkman 402-312-9517.

YOUTHGROUP: If you are in Grades 6th-12th, come and join TPC Youth Group. Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00

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SMALL GROUPS: Want to have a deep community with other Jesus followers? A Small Group is a great place to make roots within the family at TPC. We have Groups that meet in homes or the church, If you are interested in joining one, we can get you connected, fill out the Feedback Form or email us. at admin@turningpointolympia.com

HIS KID'S CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: generally offers classes for ages 1-11 during 2nd service starting right after communion. Signups and more information are available at the check-in desks. We encourage older students to absorb the teaching from the pulpit.



We look forward to serving and knowing you and your family.

"And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise."

REFLECT & RESPOND



THE LORD'S SUPPER is the act of remembering Jesus for what he accomplished by dying on the cross for our sins. Jesus asked his followers to remember that his body was broken and his blood was shed as he took the punishment for our sin.

You don't have to be a member of Turning Point to participate. If you have accepted Jesus Christ as your Lord then you are welcome to join us in celebrating the Lord's Table.



THE LORD'S PANTRY: Thanks to all of you who are so generous with your finances and giving to the Food Bank. With inflation, we are in need of your continued support both financially and physically. The Lord's Pantry is open on the 4th Thursday of every month. If you would like to volunteer, call Hank Thietje at 360-701-6698.

Want to know more about Turning Point? Our purpose is to help you deepen your love and commitment to God and to fulfill his purposes for your life. We have two classes - Entry Point 1 followed by Entry Point 2 which will help you get connected. **Indicate your interest on the feedback form which you will find in the back of the chair in front of you and simply place in the offering box or online ([Contact page](#)).**



GIVING: At Turning Point Church giving is voluntary (2 Cor 9:7). Rather than pass a plate, we encourage you to give as you are blessed. You may give by cash, check, (offering boxes are located on the back wall and lobby) or electronically ([Pushpay](#) app or [Website](#)).

MOMS: WE HAVE A ROOM FOR YOU. The Mothers' Only Room is located upstairs (Room #4). This room is designed to provide privacy and a quiet, comfortable place where mothers can continue to see and hear the service while feeding their babies.

If you are praying to serve the body of Christ and Turning Point Church, consider being a part of one of these very important ministries, **or if you personally have need of any of these Ministries, please contact the church office or one of these leaders.**

PRAYER- Sign up on a Feedback Form to receive prayer requests from the family of TPC by email.

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ELDERS CORNER

The Physics of Light: A Brief Teaching

Light is a form of electromagnetic radiation, which means it's energy that travels in waves. What we call "visible light" is just a small slice of a much bigger spectrum that includes radio waves, microwaves, infrared, ultraviolet, X-rays, and gamma rays.

1. Light Travels in Waves

Light moves incredibly fast...about 299,792 kilometers per second (186,282 miles per second) in a vacuum.

These waves have different wavelengths, which determine the color of the light we see.

Red light = long wavelength

Blue/violet light = short wavelength

2. Light Can Act Like a Wave *and* a Particle

This is called wave-particle duality.

As a wave, light shows behaviors like reflection, refraction, and interference.

As a particle, it's made of photons, tiny packets of energy that can knock electrons loose from atoms (which is how solar panels work!).

3. Light Interacts with Matter

It can be reflected (like in a mirror),

Refracted (bent, like when it passes through water or a prism),

Absorbed (like a black shirt in sunlight),

Or scattered (which is why the sky looks blue).

4. Spiritual Parallel: God Is Light

1 John 1:5 says, *"God is light, and in him is no darkness at all."* Just as physical light reveals what's hidden and guides our way, God's light exposes the truth, reveals sin, and leads us toward what is right. Without His light, we are lost in spiritual darkness.

When we step into His light, we see clearly ourselves, our sin, and His holiness. In that light, there is healing, forgiveness, and transformation. As we walk with Him, we're also called to reflect His light to others, just as the moon reflects the sun.

Jesus said, *"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life"* (John 8:12). And in Matthew 5:14, He tells us, *"You are the light of the world."* We receive His light and shine it for others, pointing them to the Source.

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