June 22, 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 Sunday, July 6th, immediately after the 2nd service. We will be having a Summer BBQ. TPC will provide the Hot Dogs and Hamburgers. If you would like to contribute a Side 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 TURNING POINT CHURCH

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

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

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 ad-min@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.



"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."

Deuteronomy 6:6-7

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.



Saturday morning, June 28th our walk will start at <u>Harbor Church</u> to Squaxin Park. Walk, jog, run, skip, or stroll the whole 5K or just as far as you want! Check-in begins at 9:15 am and the event begins at 10:00 am. Rain or shine bring your kids, strollers, neighbors, friends, family, and dogs on leashes. There will be snacks,

prizes, face painting, and lots of fresh air! **NEW THIS YEAR - WALK FOR LIFE MERCHANDISE! Register at** https://secure.qgiv.com/event/optionswfl2025/

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 in-**



terest 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 (<u>Pushpay</u> app or <u>Website</u>).

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

God's Steadfast and Covenant-Faithful Love in the Old Testament

The Old Testament reveals God's love as steadfast, faithful, and covenantal. The Hebrew word *hesed* speaks of loyal, enduring mercy—not earned, but flowing from God's character.

From creation, God lovingly forms humanity (Genesis 1–2). Even after sin enters the world, He pursues redemption, not abandonment.

In His covenant with Israel, His love stands out. Deuteronomy 7:7–8 (ESV) says:

"It was not because you were more in number... but it is because the Lord loves you and is keeping the oath that he swore to your fathers..."

God's love is grounded in promise, not performance.

The Psalms celebrate His enduring love. Psalm 136:1 (ESV):

"Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever."

Even when Israel fails, God's love remains. In Hosea 11:8 (ESV), God cries:

"How can I give you up, O Ephraim?... My compassion grows warm and tender."

And in Isaiah 54:10 (ESV):

"For the mountains may depart... but my steadfast love shall not depart from you..."

In the Old Testament, God's love is a powerful, steadfast force. It is rooted in covenant, expressed in mercy, and shown through patience, compassion, and faithfulness. His love endures, even when His people falter, always calling them back to restoration and life.

This steadfast, covenantal love of God in the Old Testament finds its fullest expression in the New Testament through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Thomas Yarrington

