#### LIFE GROUP/PERSONAL STUDY QUESTIONS

- 1. What impacted you most from your overall experience with FCC on Sunday?
- 2. When you experience deep groanings of the heart (Romans 8:22-23), where are you tempted to place your trust—yourself, others, change of circumstances or the Lord? What is your go to "groaning reliever" whether good or bad?
- 3. Groaning can easily drift into grumbling and bitterness (Exodus 16:2–3; Ruth 1:20). What's the difference between those two, and how can you discern whether your heart is lamenting in faith or complaining in unbelief?
- 4. Looking back, has the Lord ever taken a season of groaning in your life and brought something good, Christ-exalting, or even glorious out of it (Romans 8:28–30)?
- 5. Physical marital intimacy is a topic that should not be taboo to talk about with your spouse or with your kids. Here are a few helpful resources for you to begin the conversation.
- 6. How did the Holy Spirit prompt you on Sunday at FCC?





OCTOBER 12, 2025

PASTOR SHAWN CLARKE

Call Church Office at 360-354-0536 for any needs.

FCC Wireless PW: Psalm119:9

Sermon notes & audio are uploaded weekly to the website www.fcclynden.org

If you are NOT receiving our Spirit of Faith e-newsletter, please contact Angela in the office.

Fill out the Visitor ConnectCard Online Here!



# **FCC Weekly Announcements**

**Offering: \$21,239** 

Average: \$12,595 / Budget: \$13,197 Drop boxes at the back of the sanctuary and in the gym

**Youth:** Jr. High and High School

For Info contact Lane Garcia

(406) 370-6472 Wednesday nights 6:30-8:15pm



### Young Adults (18-25yrs):



Meet Sundays @ 6:30pm FCC Ministry Center Contact Gerrit or Elaine Kamp (646) 342-3144

### **Liberty Quartet Concert**



Saturday, Oct 18 @ 6pm

# Events Coming up in Oct. & Nov Details in Spirit of Faith email:

Oct 14 Hymn Sing 10:30am

Oct 17 MS Youth Game Night 7-9pm

Oct 18 Liberty Quartet Concert 6pm

Oct 19 Communion

Oct 29 Fall Festival 6:30pm

NOV 1 Men's Breakfast 7:30am

Nov 1/2 Clocks Change—Fall Back

Nov 2-8 LOVE LIFE WEEK

Nov 2 Love Life Sunday

Nov 5 24 hrs. of Prayer

Nov 8 Prayer Walk 8:45am

# Missions of the Month Bethel Ministries

**Benjamin & Emily Mooney** 





# Diaconia ADP

**Judah & Mary Mooney** 

## **Children's Ministry**



Melany Moyer (360-303-1044) Nursery, Children's Church, Sunday School and AWANA \*\*Snacks Provided\*\*

## **Hymn Sing**

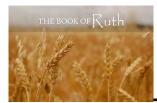


Tuesday, Oct. 14 10:30am FCC Gym



Grab an ornament from the tree and bring the items back by Nov 2!





# Ruth 4:13-22 Redemption at its Finest

#### Honoring and Obeying God's Word

- Leader: This is God's Word...
- **Congregation**: it is to be <u>believed</u> in all that it <u>teaches</u>, <u>obeyed</u> in all it <u>requires</u> and <u>trusted</u> in all it <u>promises</u>.
- All: Thanks be to God.

Trust God with all your groanings until they grow into something glorious.

#### Five purposes of sex:

- 1. It is a means of covenantal union (two becoming one).
- 2. It is a means of mutual pleasure.
- 3. It is an expression of marital love.
- 4. It can bring about new life.
- 5. It is a "shadow" or analogy of Christ's relationship with the church.

#### **Scriptures cited:**

Rom. 8:18, 22; Prov. 28:13; Ps. 101:3; 1 Sam. 16:20; Mark 10:45; Col. 1:14; Rom. 3:23-24; Eph. 1:7-8; Lam. 3:58; Is. 45:22