

Weekly Bible Reading

S - Romans 12-13
M - Romans 14
T - Romans 15-16
W - 1 Corinthians 12-13
T - Ephesians 1-2
F - Ephesians 3-4
S - Ephesians 5-6

Memorize/Reflect: *And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching. (Hebrews 10:24-25)*

Prayer Direction: Ask God to help you grow in your faith and mature as a follower of Jesus. Confess where you know you are not growing up in faith. Invite the Holy Spirit to show you what your life of faith could look like if you will take bold and consistent steps forward in following Jesus.

“Live It!” Challenge - The Big Six: At Shoreline we talk about six markers of spiritual growth and maturity:

1. Growth in **Character**
2. Growth in Knowing and Applying **God's Word**
3. Growth in **Prayer** and **Worship**
4. Growth in **Service**
5. Growth in **Community**
6. Growth in **Outreach**

Reflect on each of these and identify which one you feel is strong and growing in your life. Take time to thank God and rejoice in this area of growing maturity. Take time to identify which area you feel is weakest. Ask God to strengthen you and help you identify practical ways you can take steps of maturity in this specific area of your life.

For Growth Group resources based on today's sermon visit our website at www.shorelinechurch.org.

Would you like to get involved by serving in a ministry at Shoreline?

The New Year is a great time to start!

Visit the Connections Center today or email connections@shorelinechurch.org

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Our mission is to help as many people as possible become totally committed to Jesus Christ!



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Service Times:

Monterey: 2500 Garden Rd, Monterey
Sunday 8:30, 10, & 11:30am

Sign Language interpretation available Sunday at 11:30am

Pacific Grove: 485 Pine Ave, Pacific Grove
Sunday 10am

Iglesia Shoreline: 2500 Garden Rd, Monterey
Sunday 5pm

January 8, 2017

**Because the Church Helps Me Move
from Where I Am to Where I Want to Be!**

Pastor Kevin Harney

UPCOMING EVENTS:

(All events take place at Shoreline Monterey unless specified otherwise)

Created to Live | January 11

Prepare to have 2017 be your healthiest year ever. The Created To Live ministry will kick off the new year with a monthly interactive workshop series on healthy lifestyle habits. Each month we will discuss and give practical skills covering the basics of the Daniel Plan: Faith, Food, Fitness, Focus, and Friends. We meet the second Wednesday of each month beginning January 11th, 6-7:30p in the Parkside Room. Join us and get ready to take control of your health and be able to express life as God intended. For more information, email createdtolive@shorelinechurch.org.

Divorce Care | January 12

Divorced, divorcing, separated? DivorceCare can help. Shoreline is committed to helping people affected by divorce find help, discover hope, and experience healing. This 13-week support group begins Thursday, January 12th, 6:30-8:00p in the Café. Cost is \$10. For more information email divorcecare@shorelinechurch.org or visit www.shorelinechurch.org.

Family Night | January 13

Looking for an evening event for the whole family? Want to hang out with other Shoreline families and friends? Got questions about what's on tap for 2017 for kids, students, and parents? Join us for Shoreline Family Night, a 90-minute games/contests/activities/info-fest to bring you up to speed on all (OK, *most*) things Family Life at Shoreline. Join us Friday, January 13th, 7-8:30p in the Pacific Room. Child care for 2's and under; structured activities for all the rest. For more info, email chainline@shorelinechurch.org. To register for this FREE event, visit www.shorelinechurch.org.

Precept Upon Precept | January 23 & 25

Meet the Holy One of Israel and learn how He deals with those who claim Him as God but don't honor Him as God in the way they live. Discover the destiny of the nations and the future of all mankind as you discover truth for yourself line by line, word by word. We will meet Mondays, 6:30-8:30p beginning January 23rd or Wednesdays, 9-11a beginning January 25th in the Garden Room. Please register at www.shorelinechurch.org. For more information, email precept@shorelinechurch.org.

Lay Counseling Training Class | January 29

Are you interested in becoming a certified Lay Counselor? Or do you simply want to improve your interpersonal relationship skills? Shoreline's Lay Counseling Training Class, offering 16 weeks of biblically based, Christ-centered counseling training, begins Sunday, January 29th, 1:30-3:30p in the Café. Our teaching staff are experienced, licensed Christian counselors with a heart to train others to help the hurting. To register for the class, visit www.shorelinechurch.org or for more information, email counseling@shorelinechurch.org.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

(Check out our monthly calendar online)

Monday	
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Tuesday	Men's Bible Study - 7a MOPS - 9:30a Food Pantry/Clothes Closets Open - 12:30-2:30p Women's Bible Study - 6:30p GriefShare - 6:30p
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Wednes.	Men's Bible Study - 6:30a Women's Bible Study - 9a Single Mom's Gathering - 5:30p Awana Clubs - 6p Created to Live - 6p Apologetics Class - 6:15p
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Thursday	Food Pantry/Clothes Closets Open - 12:30-2:30p Safe Place - 5p Divorce Care - 6:30p Men's Bible Study - 7p High School Youth Group - 7p
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Friday	Men's Shelter Outreach - 6p Iglesia Shoreline Discipulado - 6:30p Family Night - 7p
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Saturday	Men's Bible Study - 7a
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Sunday	Monterey Worship Services - 8:30, 10 & 11:30a Pacific Grove Worship Service - 10a Iglesia Shoreline Worship Service - 5p Middle School Gathering - 10a Walk Thru the Bible - 10a High School Gathering - 11:30a Young Adult Gathering - 7p
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NOTES

Because the Church Helps Me Move from Where I Am to Where I Want to Be

The Church is the gathering of people who will _____ me in specific areas of _____...and this will make me more like _____!

What happens when I gather with God's people in community?

1. We get challenged, _____, and made to feel very _____...and this is a good thing.

2. We can be held _____ to do things we want to do...but have a _____ doing in our own power.

3. We get challenged to be _____ in a world that says, "Nothing matters more than your own _____ and _____."

4. We hear _____ from God without _____ it through our own _____ and _____.

5. We discover that we can vigorously and _____ with _____ and still _____ them as family members.

Key Passages: Hebrews 5-6; Ephesians 4; Hebrews 10

Growth Groups

Growth Groups allow us to gather together with a smaller group of people to study the Bible or topics from a biblical perspective, pray, grow in fellowship, serve, and have fun. A variety of Growth Group opportunities are available.

Visit us in the Courtyard today.

Check out our Growth Group Finder at www.shorelinechurch.org
Email growthgroups@shorelinechurch.org for more information.

Night of Worship

Praise | Prayer | Communion | Community

Join us as we gather to dive deep into our relationship with God and each other through digging into His Word, taking Communion together, and celebrating through various acts of worship.

First Wednesday of Each Month, 6:15-7:30pm

Food available for purchase at 5pm.

Important Dates

January 10 >> **GriefShare Begins**

January 11>> **Created to Live**

January 12 >> **Divorce Care Begins**

January 13 >> **Family Night**

January 23 & 25 >> **Precept Bible Study Begins**

January 27-29 >> **Middle School Winter Camp**

January 29 >> **Lay Counseling Training Begins**